

ABOUT US

Please take a moment to note your presence in the book at the end of your pew. If you're a Visitor, you are also invited to fill out a Welcome Card and drop it in the offering plate, or take it to the Welcome Desk.

For Visitors and Parents/Families

Worship service child care is provided in the nursery for infants through age 3. Quiet Bags are available outside the Sanctuary for children of all ages; please return the bags to the hangers on your way out.

Got Questions? We want to help!

There's a place for everyone at Lebanon FUMC, and we want to help you find yours. To learn more:

Visit the Welcome Desk in the Narthex (lobby) and pick up a Welcome Packet.

Stop by the Church Office to speak with our staff and/or schedule a meeting with a pastor. Visit our website at www.lebanonfumc.com.

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LEBANON FUMC STAFF

Clergy: Rev. Ryan Bennett, Lead Pastor
Rev. David Hesson, Minister of Discipleship

Age Level Ministry: Cori Brantley, Adults
Rebecca Dixon, Children

Music/Worship Ministry: Windell Little, Director
Joseph Walker, Accompanist
Marcus Wanner, Sound & Media

Administrative Ministries: Cori Brantley, Business
Lucinda S. Sutton, Church Operations
Pam Vandever, Communications & Membership

Weekday Children's Ministries

Erin Stone, Director and Preschool 4 Teacher

Tanja Manus, Preschool 3

Jennie Howell, Parents' Day Out

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Gathering

Welcome and Announcements

Introit Joseph Walker
"Great Is the Lord" (arr. Jack Schrader)

Gospel Reading Luke 4:16-21

*Call to Worship

Leader: Brothers and sisters, we are gathered here to proclaim a vision

People: A vision of a world formed by God and transformed by Jesus's love.

We are disciples who are called to embody lives of grace.

Sharing the good news of the gospel in our words and our actions.

May the Holy Spirit open our hearts and open our eyes

That we may live into God's vision for our lives, for our denomination, and for our world.

Thanks be to God! Amen

***Processional Hymn** UMH 98
"To God Be the Glory"

*Passing of the Peace

May the peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

Now let us greet one another in Christ's love.

***Hymn of Praise** TFWS 2153
"I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"

Proclamation & Response

Gospel Reading Mark 1:14-15

Sermon Rev. David Hesson
What is the Good News?

***Hymn of Response** UMH 405
"Seek Ye First"

Giving Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Choir
"The Name of Jesus"
words by Edward Perronet & John Newton, 1779
arr. Craig Courtney

***Doxology** UMH 94
"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"

Thanksgiving & Communion

****The Sacrament of Holy Communion**
TFWS 2257 b, c, & d

Sending Forth

***Benediction** Rev. David Hesson

***Closing Hymn** UMH 545
"The Church's One Foundation"

TOP 5 THIS WEEK

Friday, 7/26, 5:30 PM — Young Adults Escape Game Night We'll meet at the church, then caravan to Murfreesboro for an Escape Game. Dinner in Murfreesboro will follow (all game costs are covered, bring money for food). Contact Lucinda in the church office to let us know if you're coming!

Sunday, 7/28 (both worship services) — Back to School Prayer & Blessing All school students, faculty, staff, and families are invited to come and be blessed as we spend time in prayer over them for peace, health, and success in the coming school year.

Sunday, 7/28 at 3:30 PM — Youth Council Meeting in the FLC Café All youth are invited to attend and use their voices as we begin planning for some of our biggest events of the year including Fall Kick-Off, fundraisers, and the Enchanted Forest. **Meeting will be followed by dinner and an Instagram Scavenger Hunt!**

Monday, 7/29 — Grief Group will NOT meet on this day. We will be back on our normal schedule on 8/5.

Saturday, 8/10 at 8:00 AM — Community Food Giveaway at Pickett Rucker UMC Sign up at the Events Board to serve as we partner with Lebanon Special School District and Pickett Rucker UMC for another free food giveaway. The first 150 families to arrive will receive one week's worth of food; share this event to get the word out!

For the complete Church Calendar, visit our website at LebanonFUMC.com/events.

Follow us on Facebook, Instagram, and/or Twitter and visit us at lebanonfumc.com for more details, live updates, and other upcoming special events!

WORSHIP NOTES & SERVERS

Flowers are placed today in loving memory of Lynn Teal
by John & Barb Huheey and Julie MacLean

***Please stand** as you are able, in body or in spirit.

****Holy Communion is open to people of all ages and denominations.** We observe Communion through *intinction*, meaning we receive the wafer, dip it into the chalice, and eat. (*Gluten-free wafers are available in the right-hand line. Simply request them from your server.*) Afterwards, feel free to kneel for prayer at the rail, or return to your seat by using the side aisles.

Liturgist Lucinda Sutton **Acolytes** (8:30) Lydia Deffendall, Isabelle Harville (11:00) Brady Ballard, Mariella McDonald **Cross Bearer** (8:30) Emily York (11:00) Caleb Butts **Ushers** (8:30) Ed & Eddie Smith, Terry & Christine McDonald (11:00) Billy Cotten, Al & Beverly Babich, Jim Harding **Greeters** (8:30) Danny & Jan Snider, Harold & Gwen Kuhn (11) Clint & Whitney Swain, Jody & Dickie Brooks **Communion Stewards** Beth Goodner, Vicki Hines **Communion Servers** (8:30) Leigh Ann and Paul Tribble (11:00) Scott & Kamber Butts **Welcome Desk** (8:30) Barb Huheey (11) Julie Reynolds