



JAZZ SUNDAY

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY,
FEBRUARY 15TH, 2026 | 8:30AM & 11:00AM

✖ PLEASE STAND AS YOU ARE ABLE

PRELUDE *Down By the Riverside* ARR. COLLINS-DOWDEN

WELCOME & MINISTRY HIGHLIGHTS

CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

CALL TO WORSHIP PSALM 99

The Lord is king; let the peoples tremble!

He sits enthroned upon the cherubim; let the earth quake!

The Lord is great in Zion; he is exalted over all the peoples.

Let them praise your great and awesome name. Holy is he!

Extol the Lord our God; worship at his holy mountain.

For the Lord our God is holy!

✖ HYMN *What a Friend We Have In Jesus* UMH 526

BAPTISM (11:00) - ELLA RATLIFF

✖ APOSTLES' CREED (8:30) UMH 881

✖ GLORIA PATRI

OFFERTORY *Do Lord, Remember Me* ARR. THOMAS

✖ DOXOLOGY

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (11:00)

11:00- Children 5 years old through 6th grade can meet at the side door for Children's Church. They are to be picked up immediately following the service in the Pier Room upstairs in the Education Building. Nursery is available for children 4 years and younger in the Education Building.

SPECIAL MUSIC *Just a Closer Walk* ARR. COLLINS-DOWDEN

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

God of dazzling light, open our eyes to see your glory in Scripture and open our ears to hear your voice speaking through these holy words. Shine the light of Christ into our hearts that we may be transformed by what we encounter here today. Amen.

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| ⌘ SCRIPTURE | <i>Matthew 17:1-9</i> |
| SERMON | <i>The Transfiguration</i> |
| ⌘ PASSING OF THE PEACE | |
| PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE ~ THE LORD'S PRAYER | |
| ⌘ HYMN | <i>When the Saints Go Marching In</i> <i>(Traditional)</i> |
| ⌘ BENEDICTION | |
| POSTLUDE | <i>When the Saints (Reprise)</i> |

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP TODAY

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| STEPHEN MINISTER: 8:30 Suzan Christensen 11:00 Dr. Ann Pearson | PREACHER: Rev. Michael Precht | MUSIC Chancel Choir Director, Tom Hood Acccompanist, John Richardson |
| CHILDREN'S MOMENT: Emily Garner | LITURGISTS: Jan Pringle Carolyn Kidd | JAZZ BAND: Mike Brown, Anne Brooks, Pat Crowley, Chris McCrary, Blake Nolty, John Richardson, Josh Titford |
| USHER: Head Usher, Mark Woodrow | MEDIA: Cate Richardson Colin Richardson Toby Monckton | |

WHEN THE SAINTS GO MARCHING IN

*1 O, when the saints go marching in,
O, when the saints go marching in.
Lord, I want to be in that number
when the saints go marching in.*

*2 O when the sun refused to shine,
O when the sun refused to shine,
Lord, I want to be in that number
when the sun refused to shine.*

Instrumental Break

*3. O when they crown Him Lord of all,
O when they crown Him Lord of all,
Lord, I want to be in that number
when they crown Him Lord of all.*

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15- JAZZ SUNDAY
8:30am Traditional Worship
9:45am Jazz Brunch
11:00am Combined Traditional Worship

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 16
9:15am Walk & Talk with Jesus
10:00am Knit & Crochet for a Purpose
3:00pm Grief Support Group

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 17
9:30am Fruit of the Spirit Study
9:30am Caregiver's Support Group
5:30pm Handbell Choir
6:00pm Anchored in Hope Support Group

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18
9-11:00am TJ's Food Ministry
12:00pm Ash Wednesday Service
1:30pm Dr. Ann's Drop-in Bible Study
4:00pm Come & Go Ash Imposition at the Pier
6:00pm Ash Wednesday Service

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19
9-11:00am TJ's Food Ministry

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 20
11:00am-1pm Community Café

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 22
8:30am Traditional Worship
9:45am Sunday Schools
11:00am Traditional Worship
11:00am Gathering Worship

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ash Wednesday Worship Services | February 18th
Join us for worship and the imposition of ashes as we begin this sacred journey through Lent together. Services will be held at Noon and at 6:00pm in the evening, as well as a come-and-go imposition of ashes by the bay at 4:00pm. All are welcome to enter this season with reflection, humility, and renewal.

Please Note: Wednesday Night Supper and programming will not be held. Nursery available at the 6:00pm service for children ages 6 months to 4 years old.

Lenten Bible Study | Feb 25-March 25, 6:00-7:00pm
Join Pastor Kristen for a five-week Lenten Bible study as we journey through *Remember: God's Covenants and the Cross*. Together, we'll reflect on God's faithfulness, the meaning of covenant, and the cross during the season of Lent. Please register using the QR code if you would like a book (\$15). All are welcome!

Church-Wide Work Day | March 1st 1:00-5:00pm

Volunteers please come join in the fun! Meet in the Breezeway. Projects include: washing windows in Education building & light tree trimming. Sign up to let us know you will be there! Use the QR code to find the sign up, or call the church office 251-928-1148.

Easter Family Celebration | March 25th 5:00-7:00pm

Join for an evening off egg-citement, games, and hidden surprises. Dinner served at 5pm, activites and egg-hunt start at 6:00pm. All are welcome!

Palm Sunday | March 29th

Celebrate Palm Sunday with us as we begin Holy Week! Children will wave palms in all services, filling our worship with joy and praise as we remember Jesus' triumphant entry into Jerusalem. As we continue our Lenten theme, *The Temple*, we open our hearts to welcome Christ among us. Come worship and rejoice together at Fairhope UMC.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PASTORS & STAFF | THOSE WHO ARE GRIEVING | SINGLE PARENTS

HOSPITALIZED

Barbara Davis

SYMPATHY

Linda & Floyd Enfinger Jr. in the loss of her father, and Margaret Pace in the loss of her grandfather, Al Bruner.

Monthly Finance Report: Giving for 2025 came in just shy of our anticipated budget, but about \$15,000 ahead of our expenses, creating for a net surplus for the year. In addition, we received our Employee Retention Credit from the IRS, creating a \$400,000+ total surplus for the year. This allows us to plan for some overdue facility maintenance, including phase two of sealing our brick and masonry. We are still reconciling our expenses from January; giving for the month was about \$6,000 short of January expectation.

If you would like more information about church membership, contact one of our pastors or attend **Coffee with the Pastors on March 8th @ 9:45AM in the Christian Life Center Parlor**. Look for directional signs on Sunday morning.



ONE LINK. ALL THE INFO. Want to sign up? Volunteer? Register your kids? RSVP for an event? Scan the QR code to access all of Fairhope UMC's resources in one place! Stay in the loop...**SCAN NOW!**



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