

Love Others



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Sign up for our text service where we you can get the latest updates happening at FUMC.

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Grow In Small Groups



At FUMC, we pray that everyone grows in their relationship with Jesus Christ and develops a deeper understanding of God's word. If you are interested in finding out more about the Christian Faith, discipleship in the Wesleyan tradition, or membership at First UMC, please contact the pastor, Dr. Bob Shield at 936-639-3141 or email ckindred@lufkinfirst.com.

Gather Together



Upcoming Services

May 12 10am - Worship Center - Mother's Day/Senior Sunday

May 19 10am - Sanctuary - Day of Pentecost

May 26 10am - Sanctuary

Senior Blankets - The handmade prayer blankets are draped over the front rail of the sanctuary today. Please take time after the service to pray over these blankets for our youth as we prepare to celebrate their journey next Sunday.

Hannah's last day - Sunday, May 12th will be the last Sunday for Hannah Verhalen Holmes to lead us in worship with her beautiful voice. Please join us in thanking her with cards, gifts, well wishes, and appreciation.

Senior Sunday - May 12th we will celebrate the class of 2024. If you would like to bring a card or gift of congratulations, the seniors will have their own decorated tables displayed for you to stop by and congratulate them.

Let's Do Lunch - Thursday May 9, at 12pm in the Fellowship Hall. RSVP by May 6, to ckindred@lufkinfirst.com or call the church office 936-639-3141.

Join Us In Prayer

Alta Ruthe Jack
Ann Stewart
Gene Stewart
Beth Jones
Bo Hoffman
David Bowers
Dawn Davis
Dot Brookshire
Eugenia Valez
Evie Lovell
Sherry McClung
Gwen Cunningham
Jim Kalhoefer
Liz Wilkie
Carolee Brink

Sandy McEntire
Seth M Wheeler
Sheridan Romack
Sherry Roper
Skye Wyckoff
Tammie Fleming
Tripp Friesen
Roy Knight
Kyle Miller
Virginia Campbell
Monika Vincent
Bob Adams
Rev. Clint Jordan
Katherine Saunders
Patsy Lawrence

Mack Carnes
Hannah Thompson
Keith Varga
Joan Martin
Brian Spore
Lori Quinn
Marcy Luzinski
Thalia Tierney
Johna Trahan
Michael Lee
Janet Squires
Andie Carrizales
R.H. Miller
Steve Homann
Marianela Homann

Bill Jacobs
Floyd Marsellos
Miranda Family
Gary Beth Baggett
Elizabeth Witherspoon
Letha Solether
Janice Oreal

Our Military...

David Webb
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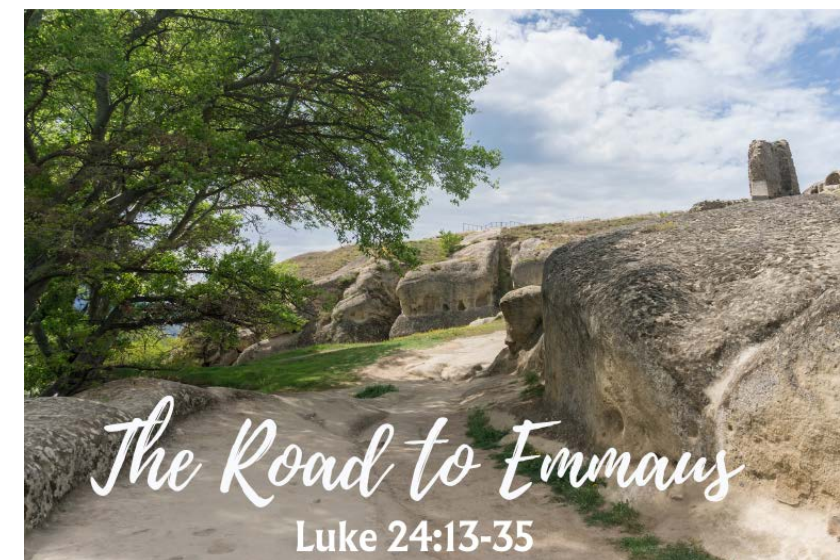
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Sunday Worship

May 5, 2024

10AM in Sanctuary



WELCOME

Welcome to First United Methodist Church! We are glad you chose to worship with us today, and we pray that you experience the love and power of Jesus Christ. Please fill out our Connection Card, or use our mobile app or the QR code below. Let an usher know if we can assist you in any way. FUMC Lufkin currently offers our weekly worship service in-person or on Facebook Live at 10 AM.

Scan this QR code to mark your attendance on your phone!



FREE WIFI

Feel free to connect to **FUMC Guest WiFi**
Use the password: **CharlesWesley***

May 5, 2024 • 10 AM
6th Sunday of Easter

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

†Passing of the Peace

†Congregational Response

Majesty, worship his majesty; unto Jesus be all glory, honor, and praise. Majesty, kingdom authority, flow from his throne unto his own; his anthem raise. So exalt, lift up on high the name of Jesus. Magnify, come glorify Christ Jesus, the King. Majesty, worship his majesty, Jesus who died, now glorified, King of all kings.

†Opening Prayer

Almighty God, whose property is always to have mercy, deliver us from all presumption, pride, and the false sense of entitlement to your grace. Bless us with the humility to be in awe that you have shown us your love in Jesus Christ, and give us the faith to be changed into the likeness of Christ, who reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

†Hymn of Praise

UMH No. 316

He Rose

†Responsive Reading

Psalm 98

Leader: O sing to the Lord a new song, for the Lord has done marvelous things! God's right hand and holy arm have gotten the victory.

People: The Lord has declared victory, and has revealed his vindication in the sight of the nations.

Leader: The Lord has remembered his steadfast love and faithfulness to the house of Israel.

People: All the ends of the earth have seen the victory of our God.

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth;

People: break forth into joyous song and sing praises!

Leader: Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre, with the lyre and the sound of melody!

People: With trumpets and the sound of the horn make a joyful noise before the Ruler, the Lord!

Leader: Let the sea roar, and all that fills it, the world and those who dwell in it!

People: Let the floods clap their hands; let the hills sing for joy together before the Lord, who comes to judge the earth. The Lord will judge the world with righteousness, and the peoples with equity.

†Gloria Patri

Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer

Scripture

Luke 24:13-35

Sermon

Dr. Bob Shield

Invitation to God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Ways To Give

- Through our website at www.lufkinfirst.com
- On the Venmo App - our username is [@FirstUMC-Lufkin](https://www.venmo.com/@FirstUMC-Lufkin)
- By mailing your check to: FUMC, 805 E. Denman Ave. Lufkin, TX 75901



Offertory

†Doxology

UMH No. 95

†Hymn

UMH No. 617

I Come With Joy

Service of the Table

Invitation

UMH No. 12

Confession and Pardon

UMH No. 13

Words of Assurance

Hear the good news:

Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

**Response: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven.
Glory to God! Amen.**

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Breaking the Bread

Giving the Bread and Cup

†Hymn of Commitment

UMH No. 702

Sing with All the Saints in Glory

†Pastoral Benediction

Postlude

† Please stand as able