# CONNECTIONS First United Methodist Church Dothan - May 9, 2024



The Fountain of Love Offering is a way for YOU to participate in caring for older adults in need living in a Methodist Home. Because of your support, no resident has ever been asked to leave a Methodist Home because of their inability to pay. Last year the Fountain of Love awarded more than \$383,000 to residents in need. We hope that you will again give generously in 2024 and be a blessing to those who depend on the Fountain of Love for help. Fountain of Love Offering Sunday is May 12.

If you prefer to make your offering gift online, visit www.methodisthomes.org and click on the "Fountain of Love" button. To learn more about the Fountain of Love Fund or Methodist Homes, visit www.methodisthomes.org.

FUMC Dothan will have a special offering for the Fountain of Love Foundation, Sunday, May 12,

in the 8:30, 8:55 and 11 a.m worship services.

#### Locations include:

Wesley Place -Dothan

Fair Haven -Birmingham

Wesley Gardens -Montgomery

Mathison Center -Panama City, FL

Wesley Haven Villa Wesley Scott Place Haven of Our Lady of Peace -Pensacola, FL

Epworth House -Selma

Wesley Acres Wesley Acres II Wesley Glen -Decatur

Wesley Apartments Wesley Park -Anniston

> Scan to give online now:



### This week & more at FUMC Dothan

#### **CHILDREN**

**J.A.M. Time (Jesus and Me Time)** Available during the 8:30 & 8:55 a.m.

worship services.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** 

Children's Bldg., 10-10:45 a.m.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** 

June 3-6, 9 a.m.-noon Register online now!

**CAMP ENERGIZE** 

June 24-28 Register online now!

FB: FUMC Dothan Children's Ministry

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#### **TWEENS**

SUNDAY SCHOOL 5th & 6th Graders

Tween Rm. 266, Sundays, 10 -10:45 a.m.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL** 

June 3-6, 9 a.m.-noon Register online now!

**CAMP ENERGIZE** 

June 24-28 Register online now!

FB: FUMC Dothan Tween Ministry

**IG:** Tweensfumcdothan

#### YOUTH

#### **THE PLUNGE**

June 3-4, 6 p.m. -Food, music & a message! June 5 - we'll join the VBS participants and the church family at Water World!

#### **ENGAGE**

June 14-16, 1 p.m. Join us as we Engage with our
community and with God! Sign-up at:
fumcdothan.org/ministries/youth

#### **OAKWOOD SUMMER CAMP**

June 24-28 Register online now!

#### TRIPLE PLAY GETAWAY

July 19-21

See the Braves play, go white-water rafting and a trip to Six Flags! Sign-up at: fumcdothan.org/ministries/youth!

IG: Fumcdothanyouth

#### **JOYS & CONCERNS**

#### **OUR SYMPATHY TO:**

Dan & Liz Talmadge and family due to the death of Dan's father, Joseph Talmadge who died May 2.

#### **RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL:**

Gloria Weeks

#### **CONGRATULATIONS TO:**

Chase & Yadira Paramore who announce the birth of a daughter, Camila Grace Paramore, born April 12. Grandparents are Traci & Michael Paramore.

Betty Helms who announces the birth of her great-granddaughter, Ellerie Mendee Johnson, born April 26.
Parents are
Samantha & Tanner Johnson.

Zac & Hayley Palm announce the birth of their daughter, Madeline Elizabeth Palm, born April 29.

#### **55 FORWARD**

#### **MOVIE AFTERNOON -**

May 22, 2 p.m., Room 165. Join us for popcorn and a movie. For more information, contact Ashley Brasington at ashley@fumcdothan.org.

SUMMER EXERCISE CLASS – The May 28, class is suspended until June 11. Classes will resume in the Fellowship Hall on June 11, 13, 18, 20, 25 & 27.

#### **RESPITE CARE MINISTRY**

### VOLUNTEER & CAREGIVER TRAINING

(Next meeting May 8)

The training group meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month in Rm. 158.

# RESPITE CARE MINISTRY CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP (Next meeting May 16)

The support group meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month in Rm. 165.

#### **JOIN THE FUMC STAFF**

For job descriptions, and how to apply for the positions listed below, visit fumcdothan.org/join-our-team

#### **POSITIONS:**

- PT Nursery Worker
- FT Daycare Worker
- FT Children's Ministry Director
  FT Worship Arts & Technical Director
  - PT Sports Camp Counselors

#### THIS WEEK IN WORSHIP

# First Light Chapel Communion Acts 1:15-17, 21-26

Acts 1:15-17, 21-26 1 John 5:9-13 John 17:6-19

#### **Bridge and Sanctuary Worship**

"Alive Together: We are Stronger" Ephesians 5:21-6:4

#### **MEMORIALS**

#### Alice Allred

Ann & Jim Ellis

**Bob Hall** 

Ann & Jim Ellis

**Mac Milner** 

Patsy Liveoak

Priscilla & Don Tucker

Kacy Whaley

**Clint Mitchell** 

Ann & Jim Ellis

#### **Mary Emma Smilie**

Brenda & Bobby Bottoms
Ann & Jim Ellis

#### **Art Solomon**

Mary Adams
Brenda & Bobby Bottoms
Ann & Jim Ellis
Kathy & Steve Lies
Maria & William Shelor
Charlotte Solomon

Chris & Clyde Wells



Scan this code
with your phone
to register for
Vacation Bible School
June 3 - 6!

## Welcome new members to FUMC Dothan



Tricia & Christian Margeson joined our church May 5.



Sean, joined our church May 5.



Judith Moore, joined our church May 5.



Vacation Bible School Safe Sanctuaries Trainings
If you are volunteering for Vacation Bible School and
have not yet completed Safe Sanctuaries training at our
church, we request that you attend one of the following
sessions: Sunday, May 19, 10:15-10:45 a.m., Wednesday,
May 22, 9-9:30 a.m., or Sunday, June 2, 2-2:30 p.m.
All VBS Safe Sanctuaries Trainings take place in
Kids Korner, Room 217.











YOU are invited to join us for FUMC Dothan's

