Providing homes, healing, hope to Alabama children





Dr. Blake Horne

On November 17, in the 8:55 & 11 a.m. worship services, Dr. Blake Horne, President & CEO of Embrace Alabama Kids, will join us to receive White Christmas offerings. Embrace Alabama Kids and Embrace Florida Kids began over 130 years ago as an orphanage. Today, they are one of the state's most comprehensive and vital resources serving babies, children, youth, teen mothers, college students and families.

The Embrace Christmas Campaign is the foundation for the support they raise to fulfill their mission statement: *In response to God's Word, we embrace and nurture vulnerable children and families by providing homes, healing and hope.*

This Sunday, during all three services of worship we will hear from Dr. Blake Horne, President and CEO of Embrace Alabama Kids (formerly named the United Methodist Children's Homes). After serving as the Executive Director of The Samaritan Counseling Center in Montgomery for 12 years, Dr. Horne found his calling in leading organizations to serve their mission.

In 2012, Blake joined the Embrace Alabama Kids team to help lead it in its mission to embrace and nurture vulnerable children and families by providing homes, healing and hope.

He will share a brief update from Embrace Alabama Kids and has asked to share a word of thanks for our congregation's support of the children in our community who have greatly benefited from our ministry.

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.

SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP & CHIMES 5-6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY & CHOIR 6-7 p.m.

FB: FUMC Dothan Children's Ministry

IG: fumc childrens ministry

TWEENS

SUNDAY SCHOOL 5th & 6th Graders

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

SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP & WORSHIP ARTS
5-6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

6-7 p.m.

FB: FUMC Dothan Tween Ministry

IG: Tweensfumcdothan

YOUTH

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Youth Cafe, Sundays, 10-10:45 a.m.

SUN. WORSHIP & SNACK SUPPER

6-7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY BREAKFAST

Each Tuesday, 7 a.m. at Chick-fil-A located at 3418 Ross Clark Circle

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDIES

7-10th graders - 6-7 p.m. 11-12th grade boys (off campus) -7-8 p.m.

IG: Fumcdothanyouth

JOIN THE FUMC STAFF

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

POSITIONS:

- Food Services Director
- Jr. High Ministry Director
 - PT Custodian
 - PT Nursery Worker
 - FT Daycare Worker

JOYS & CONCERNS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

Ray Dempster who celebrated his 93rd birthday Nov. 6.

Let us know if you, or someone you know, has concerns, joys, hospitalizations, upcoming surgeries, or is expecting a baby. Please call the church office at 334-793-3555, or email prayer@fumcdothan.org.

RESPITE CARE MINISTRY

RESPITE CARE MINISTRY CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP (Next meeting November 21)

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

VOLUNTEER & CAREGIVER TRAINING

(Next meeting December 11)

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

THIS WEEK IN WORSHIP

First Light Chapel Communion

1 Samuel 2:1-10 Hebrews 10:11-14 (15-18) Mark 13:1-8

Bridge and Sanctuary Worship

"Gratitude: Misplaced Gratitude"
Luke 18:9-14

MEMORIALS

Jan Foss

Augusta & Bill Forbes Toye & Herb Gannon

Linda McGhee

Elaine Sprayberry

Helen Newton

Cathy & Dan Denney

John Pender

Cathy & Dan Denney

55 FORWARD

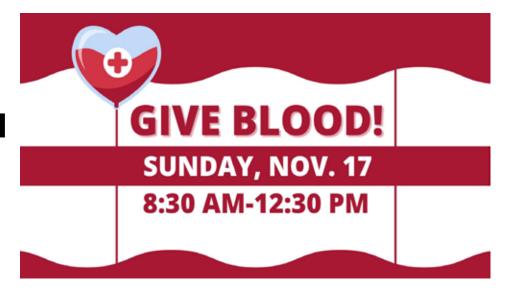
Movie Afternoon – Nov. 21, 2 p.m., Room 165. Join us for popcorn and the movie, Unsung Hero (2024). For more information, contact Ashley Brasington at ashley@fumcdothan.org.

Lunch Fellowship – Nov. 22, 11:30 a.m., at Newk's, located at 3468 Ross Clark Circle. To reserve your seat, please call the church office at 334-793-3555 by Nov. 18.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR & CHIMES

Children's Choir and Chimes rehearsal - Sunday, December 1, 5 p.m., Sanctuary - We will practice for the Hanging of the Greens and Lessons & Carols services. Afterwards, the children will attend a Christmas party in the children's wing. For more information, please contact

Erin Smith at erin@fumcdothan.org.







Catherine Ruth Ventress was baptized Sunday, November 10. She is pictured with her parents, Evee & Dan Ventress, brother, Wick, and grandparents, Carla & Bob Elswick, and Carla & Bill Ventress.



'Let the little children come to me ..."

Matthew 19:14

Daniel Quin Flowers was baptized Sunday, November 10. He is pictured with his parents, Meredith & George Flowers, brother, George, and grandparents, Laura & George Flowers.



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The Harbor

SERVE DAY

Saturday, Nov. 30 7:30-9:30 AM

A Church-wide Ministry Opportunity For details: Ryan@fumcdothan.org

Ways to Serve:

- Serving Breakfast
- . Completing intake forms
- · Praying with participants
- Organizing supplies
- Street ministry



