

11:00 am Worship  
August 13, 2023 - 11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

*The altar is open for personal prayer time prior to the beginning of our service.*

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**Welcome & Announcements**

**Prelude** Kelley Hill

**Invocation** Marilyn Durham

**Call to Worship** Joyful Noise Chancel Choir

**\*Hymn of Praise** Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing Hymn #37

**\*Responsive Reading**

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the lands! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into His presence with singing!

People: **Know that the Lord is God! It is He that made us, and we are His; we are His people, and the sheep of His pasture.**

Leader: Enter His gates with thanksgiving, and His courts with praise! Give thanks to Him and bless His name!

People: **For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and His faithfulness to all generations.**

**\*Affirmation of Faith: The Apostle's Creed**

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting, Amen.*

*\*means universal*

**\*Gloria Patri**

*Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.*

**Pastoral Prayer**

**The Lord's Prayer**

**Hymn** My Faith Looks Up to Thee Hymn #351

**Children's Moment** Hillary Eckstein

**Offertory Prayer**

**Offertory Music** Grace Alone Chancel Choir  
Elizabeth Ames, Cello

**\*Prayer of Praise**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen*

**Message** "Assurance in God's Promises"  
(Romans 9:1-33) Rev. Clint McBroom

**\*Hymn of Invitation** Through It All Hymn #384

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude** Chandler Ogles

*\*please stand as you are able*

*The flowers on the altar are dedicated by Marsha Lyle Price & Bill Price, in memory of Edith Crockett Lyle.*

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**Did You Know**

**Family Fun Night on Wednesday, August 23rd at the Montgomery Biscuits**

Our own Sarah Jane Patterson has been chosen to sing the National Anthem at the Montgomery Biscuits game on Wednesday, August 23. So for our Wednesday Night activities that night, we will have a Family Fun Night at the game to cheer on Sarah Jane. To sign up to be a part of the group, go to <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/70A0D4DA4AB2EA2FB6-family> or call (334) 283-2195. You can also pay online by going to [fmctallassee.com/giving](https://www.fmctallassee.com/giving) and clicking on the drop down arrow by the "fund" box, and choosing "Montgomery Biscuits Tickets".

We'll take the church van and leave the church parking lot at 5 PM on Wednesday the 23rd.

**Sign-Ups**

Name(s):

**Hymnals**

I would like to purchase

\_\_\_\_\_ Hymnal(s) in

honor/memory(circle one) of

\_\_\_\_\_

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If you would like your name listed donated by, please check here \_\_\_\_\_

Hymnals are \$35 each. Make check out to FMC and in memo line put "hymnal"

Deadline is Aug. 31<sup>st</sup>.

**Mission House**

\_\_\_\_\_ Check if interested in volunteering

**ITEMS NEEDED**

- Food - Canned vegetables & meats, fruit cups, soups, powdered milk, peanut butter, mac & cheese, oatmeal, crackers & tea bags
- Student Bibles

Welcome!  
We're glad you're here!

Name(s):

Email (optional):

## Prayer Requests

## Announcements

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### This Afternoon

4:00 pm - Handbell Rehearsal, *bell room*  
5:00 pm - Choir Rehearsal, *choir room*  
5:00-6:30 pm - Youth & Kids - dinner provided, *fellowship hall*  
6:30 - The Well, *mission house*

### Monday, August 14

6:00 pm – Church Council Meeting, *fellowship hall*

### Tuesday, August 15

9-11:00 am - Chrismons, *fellowship hall*

### Wednesday, August 16

6:00 pm - Food & Fellowship - meal provided by *Men's Group*  
6:30 pm - Small Groups, Youth & Kids Classes

### CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING - MONDAY AUGUST 14 @ 6:00 pm

We encourage everyone to attend our Church Council meetings. This is the best way to hear directly from the church leadership. The meeting will be held in the fellowship hall.

### LAMP

We are in dire need of teachers to help with our Wednesday night LAMP program (5th and 6th graders). If you would be willing to help, contact the church office at 283-2195 or talk to Peyton or Hillary.

### REFRESHMENT SIGN UP

Our fellowship time will take place between Encounter Service and Sunday School in the fellowship hall. If you are willing to supply light refreshments for this, a sign-up sheet will be posted by the coffee station on the bulletin board.

### NEW HYMNALS

If you would like to purchase a hymnal in honor or memory of someone, please fill out the information on the insert in the bulletin. The deadline is Augst 31<sup>st</sup>. The cost is \$35. Make check payable to FMC Tallassee and write Hymnal on memo line. If you have any questions, contact the office.



## Romans

"Assurance in God's Promises"  
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