



SERMON TITLE:
“Disciples Path: Our Witness”
Romans 10:11-17 (The Message)
Sunday, November 9, 2025

SERMON NOTES:

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Mission: “To Make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world”

Services:
Sunday Schools - 9:30am, 9:45am
Traditional Worship - 11:00am in Wesley Hall

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Mission Moment
Continuing Our Legacy Campaign

Larry Martin

Offertory Prayer
Pastor Eric

Offering our Gifts to God
Gavin Taylor

*Doxology
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.

Scripture
Romans 10:11-17 (The Message)
Pam Taylor

Choral Anthem
“A Vision of You”
Chancel Choir

Sermon
“Disciples Path: Our Witness”
Pastor Eric

*Hymn of Dedication
“We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations”
(Verses 1, 3, 4)
Congregation
UMH #569

*Dismissal with Blessing
Pastor Eric

*Choral Benediction
“Give of Your Best to the Master”
Chancel Choir

*Postlude
Gavin Taylor

*Congregation please stand, as able

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Pre-Service Music
Gavin Taylor

Chiming of the Hour
Gavin Taylor

Choral Call to Worship
Chancel Choir
“Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Welcome & Invocation
Pastor Eric

Announcements
Pastor Eric

*Welcome Chorus
“Freely, Freely”
Congregation

*Opening Hymn
“Leaning On the Everlasting Arms”
(Verses 1 - 3)
Congregation
UMH #133

A Modern Affirmation
“UMH #885”
Pastor Eric

*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.

Choral Call to Prayer
Chancel Choir
“Bond of Love”

Prayer Time
Stephen Roberts

Prayer Room

Pray

Ruthann Abbey & Family
 Helen Board
 Jack Bernard
 Shirley Bernard
 Marisa Bernard (Jack Bernard's daughter-in-law)
 Browder Family
 Barbara Carter
 Anna Lou Entsminger (grandson)
 Marcella Graves
 Libby Holt
 Dorothy Humphrey
 Thomas Jeffers Family
 Betty Melcolm
 Joe & Connie Ragase
 Betty Schnitzer (Cheryl Claxton's Mother)
 Scott & Karen Schuler (grandson-Ben)

We will continue to pray for others not mentioned on the prayer list.

Names will be listed on The Prayer List for 30 days. After that time, please let the Church Office know if we need to continue to list a name.

Today's Worship Service Ushers are:

J C Claxton
 Marvin Bailey
 Ross Reardon
 Harold Elkins
 Pam Taylor
 Russ Taylor



Service Ushers November 16th

J C Claxton
 Marvin Bailey
 Susan Edgerton
 Patti Brown
 Dale Stewart
 Jim Stewart

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 Stephen Minister?



Contact the office
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 to request a
 Stephen Minister
 contact you

Stephen Ministers provide confidential one on one care for people in the congregation or our community experiencing difficulties in life, such as grief, job loss, divorce, major illness, spiritual struggles, and so on.

EVENTS

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES & EVENTS at AUMC

Sunday	November 9, 2025	9:45am 11am	Sunday School, WH Church Service
Monday	November 10, 2025	10:30am 1pm	Aldersgate Mtg - WH Literacy English Class - WH
Tuesday	November 11, 2025	5pm 5pm 6pm 7pm	OFFICE CLOSED Veteran's Day Recognition Dance Class, 5 - 6.5 yrs Finance Committee Mtg - CR Dance Class, 6.5 - 8 yrs Dance Class, 8 - 12 yrs
Wednesday	November 12, 2025	1pm 3pm 5pm 5:30pm 5:45pm	Literacy English Class - WH Food Pantry Dance Class, 3 - 4 yrs Celebration Singers Dance Class, 8 - 12 yrs
Thursday	November 13, 2025	3pm 5:30pm 6pm 6pm 6pm 7:15pm 7:15pm	Singing Seniors Yoga Class, CANCELLED Trustee Board Mtg - CR Asbury Ringers Dance Class, 9 yrs & Up Chancel Choir Dance Class, Teen/Adult
Saturday	November 15, 2025	8:30am	Emmaus



Thank you for your support of Launching Hope Food Pantry.

We continue to serve our community with basic staples to supplement food needs. During the month of October 2025, we greeted 96 clients and provided food for 223 individuals. The month of October reflects our number of clients and number of individuals served to be showing some increases.

Our basic pantry needs continue to be: chicken, chili, beans, and rice.

Our top client choices from Dollar Tree are laundry detergent, dish detergent, bar soap, and toothpaste. These client choice donations are extremely important, as we only use monetary donations for food and milk.

Cash donations are always accepted and appreciated. Gift card donations will also be accepted during the next two months.

This month I would like to thank our volunteers serving in the pantry area. These volunteers greet the clients, give the appropriate bags, and offer the client choice items available for the day. Your kind words and your smiles are so appreciated.

Pantry volunteers are always welcome and needed. Please contact Elaine Bailey if interested.

THANK YOU for your continued generous support.



We encourage you to: “Remember to Gift (AUMC) in your Will and Estate Planning”.



Giving to the Church is an opportunity to examine our priorities and values, to express our thankfulness, to give of ourselves and to grow in grace. Through a charitable gift, you can have a significant positive effect on the ministries of the Church and those people whose lives are changed because of them.

Please know that the staff in the church office are available to assist you in any way possible.

Please show your continued support to Linda Jenkins and the Dance Ministry. Thanks to Larry Martin we will not need to put out a Sign-Up Genius. Larry now covers 90% of the times. Thank you!

THE FLORIDA BALLET AND AUMC DANCE PROGRAM

Thank you for your continued support for The Florida Ballet and AUMC Dance Program. We will begin Fall Session, September 2 – November 20, 2025 (12 weeks). The schedule is as follows:

Tuesdays \$85 (12 weeks)
5:00-6:00pm Primary A Ballet (5 - 6.5 years)
6:00-7:00pm Primary B Ballet (6.5 - 8 years)
7:00-8:00pm Beginning Ballet (8 - 12 years)

Wednesdays Free Classes (12 weeks)
5:00-5:45pm Pre-Primary, (3-4 years)
5:45-6:45pm Let's Dance, (8-12 years)

Thursdays \$85 (12 weeks)
6:00-7:00pm Performance Dance Class, 9 years & Up
7:15-8:15 pm Teen/Adult Beginning Ballet

Follow our Facebook page FLB & AUMC Dance Program and/or share the information by telling your family and friends, encouraging them to contact The Florida Ballet, info@floridaballet.org for information.



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