



*Respite
Care
adds
Leisha Hayes
to the ministry team*



FUMC Family,

We are thrilled to introduce you to the newest member of our team, Leisha Hayes, who has recently taken on the role of Director of Caregivers and Community at Respite Care Ministry and Rosemary House. Leisha brings with her a wealth of knowledge and a passion for enhancing the lives of those within our community.

With a master's degree in early childhood education and years of experience in the classroom, Leisha's creative spirit really shines during a Respite programming day!

Leisha will also be supporting our caregivers and helping coordinate our beloved community choir, Heart to Heart Singers. She is enthusiastic about connecting us with meaningful community service projects that align with our mission of filling the day with purpose.

Having joined our team in December, Leisha is eager to immerse herself in our Respite Family

and get to know each member personally. Her commitment to building strong connections and making a positive impact in the lives of those we serve is evident in her approach.

Please join us in extending a warm welcome to Leisha Hayes. We are confident that her expertise and genuine passion will contribute significantly to our Respite Care community. We look forward to the wonderful journey ahead with Leisha as a valued member of our Respite Care and Rosemary House family.

Warm regards,

Katie Holland
Respite Care Ministry Director

This week 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.

C.R.E.W. & CHOIR
(Christians Ready, Equipped & Willing)
Returns Jan. 21.

B.L.A.S.T.
(Bible Learning And Sharing Together)
Returns Jan. 17.

FB: FUMC Dothan Children's Ministry

IG: fumc_childrens_ministry

TWEENS

SUNDAY SCHOOL
Rising 5th & 6th Graders
Tween Rm. 266, Sundays, 10 -10:45 a.m.

C.R.E.W. & CHOIR
(Christians Ready, Equipped & Willing)
Returns Jan. 21.

CONFIRMATION
6th Graders, Sundays, 5-6 p.m.

S.W.A.G.
(Saved With Amazing Grace)
5th & 6th Graders
Returns Jan. 17.

FB: FUMC Dothan Tween Ministry

IG: tweensfumcdothan

YOUTH

SUNDAY NIGHT YOUTH
Youth Snack Supper - 6-6:30 p.m.
Youth Worship - 6:30-7:30 p.m.

IG: fumcdothanyouth

THIS WEEK IN WORSHIP

First Light Chapel Communion

Genesis 1:1-5
Acts 19:1-7
Mark 1:4-11

Bridge and Sanctuary Worship

"Remember Your Baptism"
Mark 1:4-11

JOYS & CONCERNS

OUR SYMPATHY TO:
Mark & Susan Warren and family due to
the death of Mark's father, Bert Warren,
Dec. 30. Bert is Hannah Chapman &
Emily Bailey's grandfather.

Ashley & Jason McGhee and family due
to the death of Ashley's mother,
Judy Childers Brown, who died Dec. 30.

IN THE HOSPITAL:
Merritt Carothers - S.E. Health

RELEASED FROM HOSPITAL:
Sharon Williams

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:
Jim Hall who celebrated his 92nd
birthday, December 30.

55 FORWARD

**Jan. 11 - Lunch Fellowship 11:30
a.m., Cactus Flower.** Meet us at
5412 Montgomery Highway, for fun,
food, and fellowship! Reserve your seat
by 1/9! Call the church office
at 334-793-3555.

**Jan. 25 - Movie Afternoon -
2 p.m., Room 165.** Join us for
popcorn and the movie, *Sense
and Sensibility (1995)*. For more
information, contact Ashley Brasington
at ashley@fumcdothan.org.

RESPIRE CARE MINISTRY

**VOLUNTEER & CAREGIVER
TRAINING**
(Next meeting Jan. 10)
The training group meets on the 2nd
Wednesday of each month in
Rm. 158.

CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP
(Next meeting Jan. 18)
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

HONORARIUM

Nancy & Ron Harrell
Rosalyn Timbie
Dr. & Mrs. Jim Holland
Cindy & Clay Torbert
Katie Holland
Hazel Patton
Katie & Bill Holland
Cindy & Clay Torbert
Judi Kelley
Martha & Bo Thagard
Susan & Alan Livingston
Rosalyn Timbie
Steve & Elizabeth McCarroll
Martha & Bo Thagard
Nancy & Charlie McDaniel
Rosalyn Timbie
Sean Peters
Hazel Patton
Elizabeth & David Saliba
Olivia & Frank Crockett
Erin Smith
Hazel Patton
Art & Jeanie Solomon
Martha & Bob Cooper
Jane Shelor
Rosalyn Timbie

MEMORIAL

Gene Adee
Daniel Adee
Dot Brannon
Pam & Jim Paxton
Martha & Bo Thagard
Furnie Johnston
Paula & Merritt Carothers
Pam & Jim Paxton
Martha & Bo Thagard
Furnie & Jo Johnston
Mary Saxon Adams
Jo Johnston
Sue Byrd & Family
Paula & Merritt Carothers
Carol & Robert Flowers
Pam & Jim Paxton
Denise & Ronnie Pippin
Merian Saliba
Martha & Bo Thagard
Jimmy Watford
Jo & Furnie Johnston
Susan & Mark Wilson
Joe Miller
Lenore Hilbert
Bob Patton
Hazel Patton
Wheeler Whitlow Price
Beth & Ed Price
Neil Shelor
Rosalyn Timbie
Sandra & Top Bishop
Judy Harris
Carol & Forrest Jones
Loyd Smilie
Martha & Bo Thagard

Welcome new members to FUMC Dothan



Melissa & Chris Warren joined our church December 24, 2023. They are pictured with their daughter, Aubrey.

Strengthen and Stretch

Senior Ladies exercise class

Resumes Jan. 9
at 8:45 a.m. in the Gym

Due to remodeling efforts beginning January 8, foot traffic to the church office will be rerouted through the Weekday Daycare/Children's Ministry entrances until further notice. The main office is now located in Room 131, the former Open Door Sunday School Classroom.

Logos is now in Room 157 | Open Door will meet in the Parlor
Emmaus is now in Room 165 | New Beginnings is now in the Conference Room 134
Cornerstone will meet in Room 263

UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH

United Women in Faith

MEETING Invitation

→ JANUARY 9 ←

11:45 AM

PARLOR LUNCH: \$6

Speaker: Betty Helms

To make lunch reservations, call (334) 793-3555 or email betty@fumcdothan.org

55 FORWARD

LUNCH @CACTUS FLOWER

January 11
11:30 AM

55 FORWARD SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

MOVIE Day



2 PM ROOM 165

JANUARY 25

CALL ASHLEY FOR MORE INFO: (334) 350-1088



Board of Stewards

- A called Charge Conference will take place Wednesday, January 10, at 5:45 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall.

Dinner will be provided starting at 5 p.m. *Please RSVP for dinner by emailing karla.jackson@fumcdothan.org.* A nursery will be provided. The meeting will end promptly at 7 p.m.

ABIDE. JOHN 15:5

For more information, email anneclaire@fumcdothan.org.

MIDDLE SCHOOL WINTER RETREAT

JANUARY 12TH-14TH 2024

JOIN US FOR A TIME OF FELLOWSHIP AND SPIRITUAL RENEWAL AS WE LEARN TO ABIDE IN CHRIST

LAGUNA BEACH CHRISTIAN RETREAT
20016 FRONT BEACH RD, PANAMA CITY BEACH, FL 32413

9TH-12TH GRADES

HIGH SCHOOL WINTER RETREAT

Ski Trip to Beech Mountain, North Carolina



COST: \$400, DEPOSIT OF \$200
DUE DEC. 10 TO SAVE YOUR SPOT

FEBRUARY 16-19

FOR MORE INFO: ROBBIE@FUMCDOOTHAN.ORG

Fellowship Hall

Parent RECHARGE



January 26: 6-8:30 PM
January 27: 9 AM-Noon

For more information, contact ryan@fumcdothan.org.