

Welcome to
Tifton First
Methodist Church
Contemporary Worship Service • 11:00am
March 8, 2026

Welcome & Announcements

Promises

Worthy Of It All

Prayer Concerns & Offering

Children's Moment

Message

Take You At Your Word

Closing Blessing



Christian Love and Sympathy is extended to:

Missy Norman in the death of her father, Jimmie Norman.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to Dale & Sunny Pflug on the birth of their 2nd great-grandson, Charlie Andrew Dutoit, born on 1/24/26. Parents are Wynand and Hannah Dutoit of Pace, FL.

Join the Church

At Tifton First Methodist Church, we invite you to join our church at any of our services. You may do so by:

- (1) Profession of Faith in Jesus Christ
- (2) Transfer from another church

If you are interested in more information about becoming a member, contact Rev. Chip Grantham (706) 570-3330 or seniorpastor@tiftonfirst.org. | Rev. Trevor Ward (478) 607-9003 or associatepastor@tiftonfirst.org. We gladly welcome you to our church family!

Prayer Requests

Members: Lea Harvin, Lamar Martin, Steve Pearman, Michelle Hunt, Dale & Sunny Pflug & family, William Byrd, Ron Evans, Sheila Carson.

Long-Term Prayer: Charlie Griffin, Roger Hobgood (Lavonia's son), Christine Kennedy.

Shut-In: Mary Nola McCrea

Maple Court: Eleanor Giles, Christine Hannon, Holly Hall, Dale & Sunny Pflug, Maureen Cook, Pat Mark

Legacy Village: Roy Walker, Jack & Ann Stone

Cypress Pond: Hoyt & Becky Vance, Vikki Vance, Faith Williamson

FRIENDS & FAMILY: Rebecca Ray (Carolyn Kightlinger's niece), Biddie Vance (Christie Vance's daughter), Dr. Thomas Shepherd (Caylor & Turner Orr's friend), Steve Cadwell (Steve & Rhonda Pearman's friend), Dennis Bloodworth (Vicky Orr's friend), David Payne (Jimmy Carson's cousin), Tripp Burgess (Mona Mathews' friend), Ryan Kinnard (Dale and Sunny Pflug's friend), Floyd Shoup (Tom Shoup's uncle), Tricia Henderson (Dale & Sunny Pflug's friend), Gena Green (Tammy Dean's cousin), Evelyn Connell (Donnie and Linda Connell's granddaughter), Wendy Collins (Ann Taylor's niece), Reece Watson (Jerri Davis' grandson), Nicholas Horne, Amy Meeks (Carolyn Kightlinger's friend), Elena LaFave (Carolyn Kightlinger's great niece).

PLEASE REMEMBER to call the church office with an update on those you've placed on the prayer list **OR** if you are admitted to the hospital so we are aware of your hospitalization and to keep our prayer list accurate.

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, Church Pianist

Becky Rogers, Church Organist

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THE WORSHIP OF GOD

March 8, 2026
Sanctuary • 9:00am & 11:00am

- Prelude** Becky Rogers
- Chiming of the Hour** (11:00) Becky Rogers
- Welcome & Announcements**
(Please fill out attendance Pew Pads)
- *Hymn** MH #380 *"There's Within My Heart a Melody"*
- *Affirmation of Faith**
- *Gloria Patri** (#70)
- *Greeting Time** *"The Family of God"*
- Morning Prayer / Lord's Prayer**
Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.
- *Hymn** (11:00) MH #377 *"It Is Well with My Soul"*
- Offertory** (9:00) *"It Is Well"* Chancel Choir
(11:00) Becky Rogers
- Doxology** #95
*"Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."*
- Children's Moment**
- Choral Anthem** (11:00) *"It Is Well"* Chancel Choir
- Scripture** Luke 24:30-32
- Sermon** Alison Evans
"Three Suppers, Three Questions"
- *Hymn** MH #369 *"Blessed Assurance"*
- *Benediction**
- *Postlude** Becky Rogers
- *Please stand as able**



The flowers are placed on the altar to the Glory of God and to honor our church staff by the Joy Sunday School Class.

Ways to Give

Text to Give

TIFTONFIRST \$(any dollar amount) to 73256
Messages and Data rates may apply.
For example, a \$50 gift would look like this:
TIFTONFIRST \$50

Give Online at:

www.tiftonfirst.org/give

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Tifton First Methodist Church
107 12th Street W
Tifton, GA 31794

Sunday, March 8 (3rd Sunday in Lent)

9:00am Traditional Worship / Sanctuary
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Contemporary Worship / SH
11:00am Traditional Worship / Sanctuary
5:00pm Youth Worship / AC

Monday, March 9

12:00pm Ladies Bible Study / Parlor
5:45pm Wesley Ringers Rehearsal / Bell Room

Tuesday, March 10

8:30am Fitness Class / AC
10:00am Circle 7 / Parlor

Wednesday, March 11

12:00pm Lenten Lunch / Leroy Rogers Center
3:30pm Children's Choir (Pre-K-5th Grade) / AC
4:15pm Children's Activities (Pre-K-5th Grade) / AC
5:15pm Wednesday Night Supper / SH
6:00pm Bible Study on Revelation with Chip / Chapel
6:15pm Youth Activities & Bible Study / AC
6:15pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal / Choir Room

Thursday, March 12

7:10am Youth Prayer Breakfast & Jesus / AC
8:30am Fitness Class / AC
6:30pm Orchestra Rehearsal / SH

Sanctuary Servant for March: Barbara Coburn

Monthly Activities

Club 55 - 1st Tues. at 11:30am in the SH.
Circle 7 - 2nd Tues. at 10:00am in the Parlor.
Circle 2 - 3rd Tues. at 10:00am in the Parlor.
Senior Lunch & BINGO - 3rd Thurs. at 11:30am in the SH.
Red Cross Bloodmobile - 3rd Tues. from 12:30pm-5:30pm in the SH.
Alzheimer Support Group - 2nd Tues. at 10:00am Leroy Rogers Center.

Welcome Alison Evans!

We're delighted to welcome Ms. Alison Evans, the President/CEO of The Methodist Home for Children and Youth, as she comes today to share in the traditional services. I first met Alison at Wesley Glen, right as she had been hired into her new position. She was walking around the campus with Dr. Billy Oliver, and I knew that if she was making connections with other ministries to those with needs – we had the right person in her job! She has proven me right again and again.

Alison is a wonderful speaker and a great ambassador of the Home and the ministry it provides to the children, families, churches, and communities. When Marlyn let us know she had to schedule Jet's dedication on short notice, because he was about to outgrow his outfit, I knew the first person I was going to call. I'm so glad that Alison was available to come and speak today! Tifton First has a long history with the Home, and has been a great supporter. And Alison Evans has been the same for us!

Welcome Alison and Thank you!

In Christ,
Chip



COMMUNITY LENTEN LUNCHES

Bring your lunch and drink and join us Wednesday, March 11 from noon until 1:00pm at the Leroy Rogers Center.



Wednesday Night Supper
5:15pm in the Social Hall
Menu for March 11th:

Grilled Pork Loin, Macaroni & Cheese,
Turnip Greens, Black-Eye Peas, Fruit Salad,
Cornbread & Desserts

Note: Please call church office for TO GO plates