

Guest Information

Thank you for joining us for worship! Prattville First Methodist Church is a vibrant, caring, and active community of faith, affiliated with the Global Methodist denomination. We are committed to making Disciples of Jesus Christ who make an impact on our community and world by sharing Christ's love through worship, spiritual growth, service, and outreach. We offer two traditional worship services in the Sanctuary each Sunday morning at 8:30am and 11:00am.

Nursery and Children's Worship

A nursery is available for children ages 4 and younger. Following the "children's moment," children in Kindergarten through 6th grade are invited to join our team of children's worship leaders for a special time of age-appropriate worship. Children may be picked up following the service in Epworth Hall in room 206 (EPW 206). The first Sunday of each month, the children remain in the sanctuary for communion. If you need assistance in locating the nursery, please ask a member of our hospitality team.

Children's Activity Bags

New activity bags for children are available at the rear of the sanctuary. The bags include quiet games, puzzles, and coloring sheets for our youngest worshipers. Please ask a member of the hospitality team to assist you.

Sunday School

Sunday School is offered for children, youth, and adults at 10:00 each Sunday morning. Classes are offered for all ages 2 and older. Adult classes are in Wesley Hall and Epworth Hall. Children & Youth classes are in Epworth Hall. All are welcome. Please ask a member of our hospitality team for the location of classes.

Adult Sunday School and Weekly Small Groups

Scan this QR code for more information about the Adult Sunday School classes and our weekly Small Groups for adults



This Week at Prattville First Methodist

Today: 10:00am Genesis Singers Homecoming Concert (Sanctuary)
2:00pm Greensprings Serve Event (Greensprings)
Monday: 5:00-8:00pm VBS Decorating (Pratt Hall / Gym)
6:00pm SPRC Team (Wesley 101)
Tuesday: 9:00am-12pm VBS Decorating (Pratt Hall / Gym)
6:00pm Church Council (Wesley 104)
Wednesday: 5:00-8:00pm VBS Decorating (Pratt Hall / Gym)
6:30pm Chancel Choir (Choir Room)
Thursday: 10:00am-2:00pm VBS Decorating (Pratt Hall / Gym)

Announcements

Greensprings Serve Event today at 2pm
Join us at Greensprings today and share God's word with others.

VBS Work Days

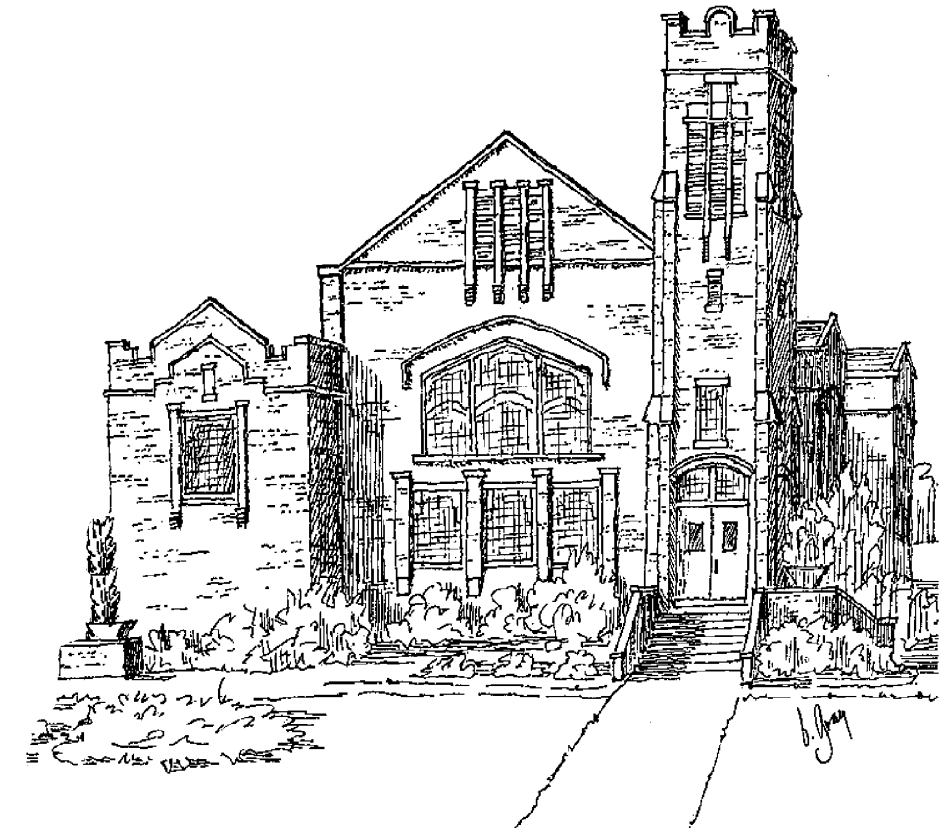
Monday & Wednesday June 8th & 10th, 5-8pm (Dinner Provided)
Tuesday June 9th, 9:00am - 12:00 pm
Thursday June 11th, 10:00am - 2:00pm (Lunch Provided)
Sunday June 14th, Lunch at 12:00pm, Volunteer Training at 12:30pm
Decorating until 5:00pm
For more information, contact Stacey Lewis at 334-221-9508 or slewis@prattvillemethodist.org.

VBS 2026 - Rainforest Falls!! - June 15-18

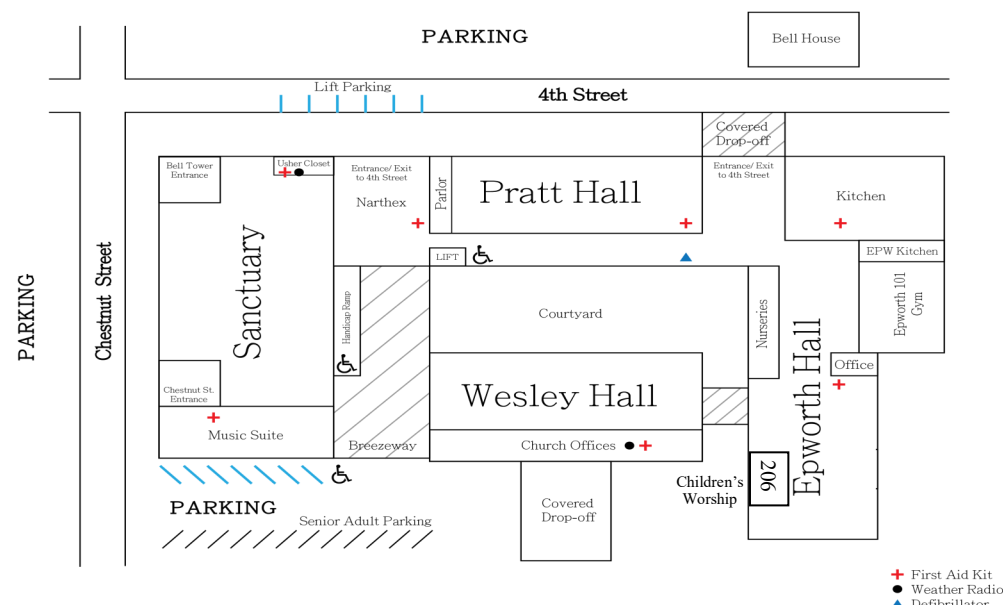
Register on our website by May 24, 2026 for a free T-shirt! Let's keep praying for a great work of God through VBS!

Volunteers needed!

We are looking for volunteers to provide yummy snacks for our adult VBS volunteers during VBS week. We need snacks for all nights of VBS. Please follow the QR code to sign up or contact Sara Stewart if you have questions. Signup sheets are also on the bulletin board at the bottom of the stairs if you prefer to sign up on a physical sheet.



Prattville First Methodist Campus Map



Restrooms are located outside the church office in Wesley Hall, near the kitchen in Pratt Hall, and to the right of the elevator upstairs in Epworth Hall.

Summer Reading Club - 6:00pm in Wesley 102

Our July summer reading selection is "Surprised by Joy" by C.S. Lewis. This is the autobiographical work about Lewis's early life and spiritual journey from atheism to Christianity. This promises to be an inspiring and thoughtful read! Our July meeting date is July 14, 6pm in Wesley 102.

"Lunch & Learn" with Pastor Larry - June 16 - 12noon

Focus this week will be on Wesley's Three Simple Rules for Living. Contact the church office, 334-365-5977 to make your reservations.

College & Career Sunday School Class - Sundays at 10 AM

Welcome home college students! Come and join the College & Career Sunday School Class! We meet at 10 AM in Sanc 202 above the choir loft.

Summer Sermon Series (May 31 - August 2)

Wisdom Teachings of Scripture - "Pray for Wisdom" (James 1:5)

Genesis Singers Homecoming Concert

June 7, 2026
10:00 AM

The mission of Prattville First Methodist Church is to develop faithful disciples of Jesus Christ who passionately worship, generously serve, and unselfishly love, all for the glory of God.

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MORNING WORSHIP

June 7, 2026

Genesis Singers Homecoming Concert

Before the service, speak to God; during the service, let God speak to you; after the service, speak to others.

Chiming of the Trinity

The three chimes signify the presence of the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

Prelude *Trumpet Fanfare on "Rescue"* arr. Hustad

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Larry Patton

We welcome each of you to this service! Please register your attendance on the attendance pads that are located at the end of your row. Let us know if you are new, would like to become a member, or are interested in more information about Prattville First Methodist. We pray that this time together will bless and inspire you.

†**Processional Hymn** *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* 36

†Call to Worship

April Jones

Leader: Praise God in his sanctuary! Praise God in his fortress, the sky!
Praise God in his mighty acts! Praise God as suits his incredible greatness!

People: Praise God with the blast of the ram's horn! Praise God with lute and lyre! Praise God with drum and dance! Praise God with strings and pipe!

Leader: Praise God with loud cymbals! Praise God with clashing cymbals!
People: Let every living thing that has breath praise the Lord!

†Opening Prayer

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us pray together.

All: We praise you O Lord with all that we have. We give you thanks for the ministry of the Genesis Singers and the impact they have made traveling this past week. Open our ears so that we may hear of your grace and love as they minister to us today. Bless us, O God, as they lead us in praising you! Amen.

†Passing of the Peace

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Let us greet one another with signs of peace and reconciliation.

Concerns and Celebrations of the Congregation Faith Patton

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Offering

Your tithes and offerings financially support the vibrant mission and ministries of PFMC. Thank you! The central part of worship is to consecrate each gift for the Lord. We are deeply grateful for your commitment to Christ, the church, and growing His Kingdom.

Anthem *How Beautiful*
Marianne Gamper, piano

†**Doxology** UMH 95

**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.**

†**Prayer of Consecration**
Gracious God, we give because you first gave to us - Life and Redemption. Fulfill our joy and expand our reach as we share in the work of your church on earth, by the power of your Holy Spirit. Amen

Genesis Singers Homecoming Concert

Jeremy Pyles, director

Marianne Gamper, accompanist

My Life is in You, Lord Gardner

Higher Ground arr. Goeller

Tour Testimonial

Psalm 139 Pote

Psalm 23 Sorenson

Tour Testimonial

Down to the River to Pray arr. Smith

LightShine Martin

Tour Testimonial

Oceans arr. Sorenson

Tour Testimonial

Shout Amen! Althouse

Live What I Believe arr. Allen

All Genesis Singers and Genesis One Alumni Invited to Sing

Draw Me Nearer arr. Rhodes

†**Benediction** Rev. Larry Patton

†Postlude

After the service, please turn and greet those nearest you.

†Please stand as you are able.

2026 Genesis Singers

Maddie Adams
Isabella Berch
Reid Berch
Belle Boyer
Jamie Boyer
Anna Claire Carroll
Chase Chandler
Reagan Chandler
Lucy Gregory
Bella Hallman
Brantley Hallman
Ford Hallman
Sophie Hallman
Sean Holmes

Ethan Humphrey
Ann Leigh Jones
Judson Jones
Ian Kennedy
Madelyn Kennedy
Peyton Kennedy
Carson King
Marion Lewis
Kate McCain
Caroline Miller
Callahan Minor
Anna Claire Murdock
Marlee Murdock
Mason Myers

Cameron Owens
Cam Page
Rachel Palmer
Lillian Robbins
Joseph Rome
Josie Roten
Braxton Rusk
Blake Wadsworth
Brennan Williams
Director:
Jeremy Pyles
Accompanist:
Marianne Gamper

Prayer Concerns

Church Family: Sabrina Colburn, Alice DeRamus, Jo Felio, Mike Harris, Anita Kasten, Betty Lamar, Barbara Lisle, Nancy Lovvorn, Louise Moody, Carol Pearson, Tom Risher (*new prayer needs*) **Andy & Sandy Hudman, Joe Mann**

Extended Family: Irma Alvarez, Brian Barnes, Libby Barrett, Randy Bryan, Albert Benninger, Austin Cochran, Richard Dudley, Lee Hanson, Whitney Hill, Angela Howell, Bill & Patricia Lee, Connor Mims, Charlie Pelham, Drew Peterson, Mary-Mac Roy & Family, Kathleen Rush, Beckie Stringfellow, Bill Tatum, Clayton Thompson (*new prayer needs*) **Buddy Mickler**

The flowers on the altar have been placed to the Glory of God in honor of the Genesis Singers Youth Choir and what it has done for our children. With love from Skip & Charlann Jones and Steve & Alison McCain

As of April 2026 the following data was reported by our finance committee:

YTD General Fund Budget: \$630,597
Total Tithes & Offerings Received: \$611,080
Total Expenditures YTD: \$604,491
Total Yet To Be Received 2026: \$1,261,194

Also Serving in Worship

Charlotte Nichols, Organist Christy Henson, Pianist
Blair Hunter and Mia Mitchell, Acolytes
Mary Ann Chambliss and Cheryl Myers, Altar Guild