

# Welcome!

## We are so glad you are here!

### NEW GUESTS:

Attending worship here for the first or second time today? Text **NEW** to (229) 459-4646 so we can connect with you better!

### MEMBERS/REGULAR ATTENDEE:

Are you a member and/or regular attendee of Valdosta FUMC? Text **HERE** to (229) 459-4646 so we know you are present!

### ONLINE:

Joining worship online today? Text **ONLINE** to (229) 459-4646 so we know who is worshipping online!

You may be prompted to fill out a brief "digital connection card" with basic contact information to help us connect with you better. Thanks!

### GIVING:

We have a variety of ways to give:

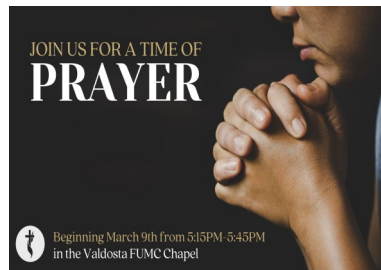
- ◇ Through the mail and online options by going to [valdostafirstumc.org/give](http://valdostafirstumc.org/give).
- ◇ Through the weekly offering drop-off baskets in The Loft and offering plates in the Sanctuary.
- ◇ Through stock transfers and charitable gifts from IRAs, such as designating a Required Minimum Distribution from an IRA to the church in order to avoid tax liability on the RMD (talk to your IRA administrator to explore this option).

### PRAYER REQUEST:

Visit [www.valdostafirstumc.org/prayer-request-form](http://www.valdostafirstumc.org/prayer-request-form) or call the church office at 229-242-4050 for any prayer request.

### MARCH CALENDAR EVENTS:

- Mar. 1:** Ladies Bible Study (Becky Anthony) (every Tuesday)  
Precept Ladies Bible Study (Wesleyan) (every Tuesday)  
Mobile Midweek (every Tuesday @ 6 PM)
- Mar. 3:** Loft Rehearsal (every Thursday)
- Mar. 4 - 6:** Confirmation Retreat (Epworth)
- Mar. 9:** Handbells at Noon (each Wed.)  
Time of Prayer (Parlor each Wed.)  
Church Night Supper (each Wed.)  
Bible Study Classes (each Wed.)  
Kids Mission Possible (each Wed.)  
Choir Rehearsal (each Wed.)
- Mar. 11:** Men's Breakfast (Fellowship Hall)
- Mar. 14:** Circle 12 (Wesleyan Classroom)
- Mar. 25:** Preschool Donuts for Dad!



### HOSPITALITY in the Loft:

- March 6:** Kelly & Angie McCard
- March 13:** Trey & Lindsey Odom
- March 20:** Hansell & Katherine Watt
- March 27:** Lake & Leigh Jordan

### YOUTH MINISTRY EVENTS:

#### Sunday Night Youth

5:00PM - 7:00 PM | YOUTH ROOM | 108 W CENTRAL AVE  
PICK UP FELLOWSHIP HALL PARKING LOT

FOOD \* GAMES \* SMALL GROUPS \* JESUS

#### MARCH 2022 Youth Schedule

5:00 - 7:00 PM

- Mar. 6:** No Sunday Night Youth
- Mar. 13:** Sunday Night Youth
- Mar. 20:** Sunday Night Youth
- Mar. 27:** Youth Movie Night \*(5:00 - 7:30 PM)\*\*

March 6	March 4-6	Confirmation Retreat	(OFF)	Epworth By The Sea
March 13	Week #6	Worship & Sacraments	Diane Shedd	The Sanctuary
March 20	Week #7A	Renounce, Accept & Confess	Emily Reaves	Fellowship Hall
March 27	Week #7B	Renounce, Accept & Confess	Emily Reaves	Fellowship Hall

Registration is now OPEN!

See link in Youth News!  
Contact Emily Reaves  
For more information  
[epreavss@valdostafirstumc.org](mailto:epreavss@valdostafirstumc.org)

### MUSIC MINISTRY:

#### Praise Team for: SINGERS

Maggie Tarpley | Judy Varnado | Shelby Felts  
Kasey McQuitty | Tori Maxwell | Emma McPhail

#### MUSICIANS

Mike Godwin | Matt Mullis | Leslie Smith

Wednesday at 7:00 PM: Choir Rehearsal  
Thursday at 6:15 PM: Praise Team Rehearsal  
Interested in joining the Praise Team at 9:00 AM or the Choir at 11:00 AM, contact Kenji Bolden, Music Minister at [kbolden@valdostafirstumc.org](mailto:kbolden@valdostafirstumc.org)

### PRESCHOOL/MMO EVENTS:

Preschool and MMO registration dates for the 2022-2023 School Year:



We still have 1-2 spaces available for the 2022-2023 School Year in Toddler MMO, 5 Day 2 Year Old, 3 & 5 Day 3 Year Old and 4 Year Old Per-K Classes.

For more information contact Mallory Thompson at [mthompson@valdostafirstumc.org](mailto:mthompson@valdostafirstumc.org)

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- March 16:** Leprechaun Day!
- March 25:** Donuts with Dad
- April 4 - April 8:** Spring Break!

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:

Every 2nd through 5th Sunday:

**9:00 AM** in the Loft | Children's Moment  
**10:00 AM** ROCK Music with the ROCK Sunday School immediately following in The Rock.

**11:00 AM** Children's Church

**NOTE:** There are sermon pads and crayons/pictures at both entrances of the Loft and Sanctuary for children during service time.

**\*\* "Kids" Mission Possible** every Wednesday, immediately following Church Night Supper at 6:15 PM!

Come join in the fun and fellowship and learning about Jesus!

### FINDING STRENGTH

#### SERMON SERIES:

- Mar. 6:** Talking the Right Game Luke 4:1-13
- Mar. 13:** Listening to the Right Advice Luke 9:28-36
- Mar. 20:** Pushing through Challenges Luke 13:1-9
- Mar. 27:** Getting Your Heart in It Luke 15:11-32

