

OCTOBER 25, 2026

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

***CALL TO WORSHIP** *Savior, Like a Shepherd* CH 688 (vs 1,2,4)

***OPENING HYMN** *I Surrender All* CH 596 (vs 1,2,4)

***SCRIPTURE** Matthew 22:34-46 Judy Kirby

***GLORIA PATRI** UM 70

SPECIAL MUSIC

SERMON Pastor Phillip Higginbotham

***REFLECTION MUSIC** *There's Something About That Name* CH 83 (2x)

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** *Apostles Creed* UM 881

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

***HYMN** *Majesty* CH 10

*BENEDICTION

***DISMISSAL** *Wesley's Rule of Life* Screens

**indicates to stand as you are able*

CH: Celebration Hymnal

UM: United Methodist Hymnal

If the Spirit is leading you to make this church your home through membership, we would love to talk with you. Please contact the pastor to learn more and take your next step.

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Good Morning Family!



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Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world

All Saints Day, November 1st, 2026

Weekly

Monday

Prayer Shawl Ministry
2nd & 4th Monday
of every month
10 am, Upper Room

Tuesday

Women's Bible Study
9:30 am - Upper Room

Wednesday

Pastor's Bible Study
10:00 am - RM 101

Ignite Kids & Youth
5:00 pm Choir
5:30 pm Dinner
6:00 pm Lesson

Thursday

Choir Practice
& Bell Choir Practice
5:30 pm - Sanctuary

Girl Scouts
6:30 pm - Ignite Kids RM

Mon, Wed, & Fri

Women's Workout
Buddies
10:00 am Monday
9:30 am Wed & Fri
FLC Building

Our tradition here at FUMC-Mount Vernon is to honor the names of those who have entered eternity in the past year by announcing their name, ringing a bell and having a representative of the family place a flower in a vase of remembrance on the altar. Those who were touched by this person's life will be invited to stand during the naming. Please help us prepare for this moment of remembrance by providing the following information about your loved one. **Full Name, Date of Birth, Date of Death, and A photo** to the church office. Please drop your information off at the office or email office@fumcmv.org before Oct 27 so we can have time to get everything prepared.

Reflection Moments

1. When have you struggled to admit that you didn't know something? What makes it difficult for you to acknowledge the limits of your own understanding?

2. Jesus tells us that all the Law and the Prophets hang on loving God and loving our neighbor. How might keeping those two commandments at the center of your life shape the way you respond to questions you cannot answer?

3. How comfortable are you with uncertainty in your faith? How might acknowledging what you don't know help you grow in your relationship with God and your walk as a disciple of Jesus?

Upcoming Events

Women's Ministry Meeting

Tues., Oct. 27 at 6 pm
Open to all ladies of the church

Bell Choir Practice

Thurs, Oct. 29 at 5:30 pm
Sanctuary

Teachers Luncheon

Fri., Oct. 30 at 12 pm
Family Life Center

Trunk or Treat

Sat., Oct. 31 at 6 pm
Church Parking Lot

All Saints Service

Sun., Nov 1
Daylight Savings Time Ends

Giving

Monthly target \$47,000
October to date \$40,902

Online Giving

Many of our Church Family are choosing to give electronically. This an easy way to support our church. Just scan the QR Code to get started.

