



TUNICA METHODIST CHURCH

E-News

Week of August 9, 2026

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

“Go Back”

This Sunday’s sermon, from Exodus 3 — the story of Moses and the burning bush.

- 1 The church office has moved to the parsonage — come there for anything you need.
- 2 School supplies collection continues in the Narthex through **August 16**.
- 3 T-shirt and Tunica Bible Study sign-ups are open now — see Announcements.

FROM PASTOR TIM

God called Moses by name, and told him to go back.

This Sunday's sermon, "Go Back," finds Moses at the burning bush in Exodus 3 — a shepherd running from his past, called to return to the very place he fled.

Most of us know what it is to want to leave something behind. God's call to Moses wasn't gentler for being urgent: go back, and I will be with you.

That promise still holds. Whatever ground you'd rather not revisit, you don't walk into it alone.

— *Pastor Tim*

THIS SUNDAY

August 9, 2026

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost · Green

SERMON

“Go Back”

Exodus 3 — the story of Moses and the burning bush.
Only one reading this week.

SCHEDULE

9:30 a.m.	Donuts on the Porch
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10:00 a.m.	Sunday School
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11:00 a.m.	Worship Services
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Flowers today are given by Ann McKinlay, in memory of Pat Boyd.

SERVING

Every Member In Ministry

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9

Flowers	Ann McKinlay
Children's Church	Erica Garrett
Sound Tech	Cherie Owen
Acolyte	Amelia Robinson
Crucifer	Georgia Bibb

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

Flowers	M/M John Carson
Children's Church	Laura Withers
Sound Tech	Daniel Shannon
Acolyte	Russell Boyd
Crucifer	Bo Manning

LAY READERS, AUGUST

Aug 9	No Lay Reader
Aug 16	No Lay Reader
Aug 23	Lynn Ryals
Aug 30	Norma Leigh Perry

COUNT TEAM FOR AUGUST

Ben Melton · John Morris

DEWEY'S DOORKEEPER FOR AUGUST

Lee Turner

ANNOUNCEMENTS

What's coming up

Office Move

The church offices have moved to the parsonage. If you need anything, come to the parsonage. — Pat

School Supplies

We collect school supplies each year to help supplement our teachers' needs. A box will be in the Narthex for the next two Sundays for dropping off. Thanks, Pat Bibb.

T-Shirts For Sale



"Go Make Disciples of All Nations"

\$20 apiece — proceeds go to the youth group.

Order forms are in the Narthex — turn in your form with your check by **August 24**.

Tunica Bible Study

A 10-week study of Hebrews by Lydia Brownback begins August 25 at 5:30 p.m. and August 26 at 9:30 a.m. Get your book before the first lesson. Contact Lou Erwin if interested — the evening session provides nursery.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, CONTINUED

Save the dates

TUESDAY

Administrative Board / Council on Ministries

The team meets at 5:30 p.m. at the FLC.

ANNOUNCED SOON

Christian Conversations

Real People, Real Faith, Real Talk

The August meeting will be announced.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

Wedding Shower for Izzy Dulaney

The Fellowship Committee hosts a shower for Izzy at 2:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center. Mark your calendars and join us!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Email office@tunicamethodist.church to add a name to the list.

Church Directory is available in the office upon request.

NEW HYMNAL



“Our Great Redeemer’s Praise”

The first major Wesleyan hymnal in thirty years — an 800-page collection of 675 hymns, liturgies, and prayers for the entire church year.

- Classic hymns and contemporary songs from the breadth of church history
- Baptism and Holy Communion liturgies, service music, creeds, prayers, and benedictions

JOIN US IN PURCHASING NEW HYMNALS

Sponsor a hymnal for the church for **\$35.**

PURCHASE FORM

Number of hymnals × \$35

Name

Address

Email

Mobile

This gift is in honor/memory of

Please make checks payable to Tunica Methodist Church and indicate for “hymnals”.

Return the form with your check in the basket in the narthex. Orders must be made by August 31, 2026.

CALENDAR

The week ahead

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9

9:30 a.m. Donuts on the Porch

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship Services

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12

6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

7:30 p.m. Pastor's Bookshelf (FLC)

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

1:00 p.m. Mahjong in the FLC (1st, 3rd, 5th week)

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

9:45 a.m. Coffee & Donuts on the Porch

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

BIRTHDAYS

Aug 10 Mary Kate Bost, Dan Pierce, Stephanie Vinzant

Aug 14 Karen Dilatush, Ann Parker Meyers

Aug 15 Beau Battle

PRAYER

Please pray for

One another, and those beyond the walls of our church, in the community and world around us.

Chuck Austin

Chris Baggett — brain tumor

Lisa Burke — wife of Gordon Burke, awaiting a kidney

John Carson — deep vein thrombosis

Keith and Rhonda Gaughf

Frank Klimek — Lindsay Jones's uncle

Jim Kelly Miles

Lee Miller — friend of Mike Boyd

Monty Nolan — friend of Tommy Baine, Clarksdale

Marianette Reed — Bobby Reed's wife

Anna Tully Seely

Jessica Sigwerth

PRAYER

Long-term list

Jimmy Boyd

Mattie Carter

Kevonte Caston

Dick Flowers

Blaine Goodson

Mary Ann Griggs

Clarence Pegram

Bill Stearnes

Kate Thomas

David Vinzant — memory care

We keep names on this list for four weeks, then remove them. Email the office to add someone back.

To submit a prayer request, email office@tunicamethodist.church

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