



THE BULLETIN

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June 14, 2020

No. 23

**Worship God
Grow in Christ**

**Build Community
Bless the World**



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (1867-2020)

Celebrating Our 153rd Year

318 South Broad Street • Cairo, Georgia 39828-2717

Rev. Christy Bandy, Pastor

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📍 Cairo First United Methodist Church ☎ Upper Room Prayer Line 1-800-251-2468

A Word from Pastor Christy

Matthew 6:34 – *“Therefore, do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own.” (NIV)*

{With two (2) months of planning, let's take one day at a time as we reopen.}

One Day at a TIME! An old gospel song resonates every time I hear those words. The chorus goes: “One Day at a time Lord Jesus, is all I’m asking from you. Lord give me strength to do everyday what I have to do. Yesterday’s gone sweet Jesus and tomorrow may never be mine. Lord, help me today, show me the way, one day at a time.”

In reopening the church, we too are taking One Day at a Time. Below is the June 2020 rolling restart. Remember, our first goal is to Do NO Harm. In keeping you and others safe, what seems like extreme measures will aid in the most loving response to one another we can express.

A full scope of the measures that will be taken and that you will be asked to adhere to will be in next week’s bulletin. In a reader’s digest fashion, the front door to the sanctuary will be the only door in and out, your temperature will be taken before you come in the sanctuary, masks and social distancing will be required. NO Sunday school, nursery, children, youth, or other groups will meet at all until the end of July.

This is a sketch of dates and times of how Cairo First UMC will have a rolling start and Phase I of in-person Worship in the Sanctuary.

June 14th – 9:00 am – Worship on the front lawn of the Cairo First UMC {Bring your own chair and Social/Physical Distancing is a must}

10:30 am – Traditional service – LIVE STREAMED ONLY

{NO ONE BUT THE MUSIC TEAM & SOUND TECHS WILL BE IN THE SANCTUARY}

June 21st – FIRST IN THE SANCTUARY IN-PERSON WORSHIP

since Sunday, March 15th.

8:30 am – Contemporary Service

10:30 am – Traditional Service

{NOTE: strict guidelines will have to be adhered to in order to keep everyone safe. Those guidelines in detail will be included in the bulletin the week of our reopening}

June 28th – 8:30 am – Contemporary service

10:30 am – Traditional service

{Until the end of July when Phase I is over, strict guidelines must be adhered to.}

God Bless Us All as we take One Day at a Time.

MEMORIALS:

Memorials have been given to the church in loving memory of

MR. JOHNNY CARROUTH

By: Mr. & Mrs. Keith Campbell
First UMC Chancel Choir
Mr. & Mrs. Prentiss Mitchell
Mrs. Jackie Jankowski
Mr. Ray Butler

MR. PHILIP ALMON, JR.

By: Mr. & Mrs. Philip Almon

CHURCH OFFICE IS OPEN:

Due to the Covid-19, the church office is open from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm. If you have an immediate need after those hours, please do not hesitate to call 478-662-0328, 377-1017 or 403-0428.

Bills will continue even though we are not physically meet at the church together for worship or other activities. You may still mail your contributions to 318 S. Broad Street, Cairo, 39828 or use the on-line giving option.

Remember to go to the church website, www.cairofumc.org for live streaming or to view previous service.

CONGRATULATIONS:

To Howard Thrower upon being elected mayor for Cairo in this week's election.

NURSERY DIRECTOR POSITION

AVAILABLE:

If you are interested in the position of nursery director at the church, please contact Rev. Bandy at cjbandy3@gmail.com or 478-662-0328 for a job description and further information.

CONVOY OF HOPE:

Food will be distributed on June 26, 2020, from 10:00 am – 1:00 pm. More information will follow next week.

INSTRUCTION LETTER:

With resuming in person worship on Sunday, June 21, there will be a letter enclosed in next week's bulletin with information concerning guidelines for returning to worship. Please make sure you read the guidelines prior to coming for worship. We want to keep everyone safe and well.

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION DATES:

2020-2021 School Year

Open Registration

Please remember all spots are filled on a first come first serve basis. You may pick-up registration packets in the Preschool Office M-F, 7:30-1:00. Please contact Jamie Allen for further information.

jamiellen1023@yahoo.com

LADIES' SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS:

LOFT - Ladies of Faith and Trust, A new Sunday school class for women will begin as soon as we are able to resume meeting together. Take the elevator to the third floor. The room is prepared and ready to be used. Be a charter member!

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED

LIVING RESIDENTS:

MAGNOLIA PLACE:

Mrs. Jeanette Gandy, Mr. Ronald Hall,
Mrs. Helen Williams

CAMELLIA GARDENS, THOMASVILLE, GA:

Mr. Ken Lindgren

GLENN-MOOR, THOMASVILLE, GA

Mrs. Betty Jones

PRESBYTERIAN HOME, QUITMAN, GA:

Mrs. Opal Prince

REMINGTON HEIGHTS, OMAHA, NE:

Mrs. Jane Wilkinson

DISCOVERY VILLAGES, SUWANNEE, GA:

Mrs. LaVonne Childers

CARLYLE PLACE, MACON, GA:

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Skinner

ST PETER, MO:

Mrs. Joyce VanLandingham

BRENTWOOD, TN:

Dr. Bob Kral



Birthdays

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS:

June 14: Sakiko Collins, Billy Oates,
Katie Parvis

June 15: Shirley Brown, Kristin Lee,
Kacey Oliver, Alea Simmons

June 16: Jon Johnson

June 17: Reagan Hartsell

June 18: Sylvia Carrouth, Keri Hartsell,
Billy Hester

June 20: Ashley Hand, Seth Higginbotham,
Clair McCaskill



Week of June 14-20 2020



Remember in Prayer

OUR KNOWN ILL: (AS OF TUESDAY)

Sunday, June 14:

9:00 am Contemporary Worship
on Front Lawn
10:30 am Live Stream
No Activities

Monday, June 15:

No activities at the Church

Tuesday, June 16:

No activities at the Church

Wednesday, June 17:

6:15 pm Virtual Choir Rehearsal
on Facebook
No activities at the Church

Thursday, June 18:

8:30 am Service on CNS Channel 6

Friday, June 19:

2:00 pm Service on CNS Channel 6
9:00 pm Service on CNS Channel 6

*Nursery for children, birth thru three

ON-LINE GIVING:

For those of you who have set up online giving, please check and make sure of the time line that was set up. If a certain number of times or a date was entered, then the transaction will void and no longer automatically done.

AN ACCOUNT OF OUR STEWARDSHIP - 6/7/20

10:30 Live Streaming/On-line139
Weekly Receipts\$11,860.00
Weekly Needed\$10,984.74
Received to Date - Op	...\$180,063.11
Designated\$580.00
Bucket Brigade\$0

BUCKET BRIGADE:

Offerings for June will go to the Help Agency. Thanks for your donations. Donations can be made by check designating that it is to go to the bucket brigade offering.

As you are not physically able to put money in the buckets each Sunday, you can include a little extra in your check and designate the amount you wish to go to the Bucket Brigade offering.

AT HOME:

Mr. Henry & Mrs. Annette Andrews
 Mrs. Angela Chastain (Daughter of Carolyn Trawick)
 Mr. A.B. Clark
 Mr. Arthur & Mrs. Belinda Clark
 Miss Sandra Clark
 Mr. Sammy & Mrs. Lynn Culver (Brother and sister-in-law of Randy Bearden)
 Mr. Ronnie Cox
 Mr. David & Mrs. Catherine Elkins
 Mr. Larry & Mrs. Dot Gainous
 Mrs. Gail Godwin
 Mrs. Sammie Harper
 Mr. Fred and Mrs. Rosemary Hetzendorfer
 Mrs. Deborah Hudson (Step-Mother of Robert Hudson)
 Mr. Bob Jones
 Kirbo Family
 Mr. Tommy Lackey (Brother-in-law of Nell Mitchell)
 Mr. Richard Manny
 Mrs. Gayle Martin
 Mrs. Maxie McAteer
 Mr. Jim McKinney (Son-in-law of Louise Anderson)
 Mr. Howell & Mrs. Eleanor McKinnon
 Mrs. Faye Miller
 Mr. Pat & Mrs. Susan Perkins
 Mr. Harold & Mrs. Marjorie Ragan
 Mr. Billy and Mrs. Sandy Rathel
 Mrs. Sandee Rinker
 Mr. Tom White, Jr.

AUGUSTA, GA

Rev. Henry Erwin

OCALA, FL:

Mrs. Chris Voyles

DACULA, GA:

Mrs. Emily Gandy

RICHMOND HILL, GA

Mrs. Battey Coffield (Mother of Frances Thrower)

TALLAHASSEE, FL:

Mrs. Marjorie Blair (Mother of Debbie Davis)
 Mr. Robert Garment
 Mrs. Doris Rehberg (Mother of Nell Owens)

BOISE, ID:

Mr. Doug Ricks (Brother of Marilyn Ricks)

BIRMINGHAM, AL:

Mr. Justin Sanders (Brother of Matt Sanders)

LYNCHBURG, VA:

Mrs. Lyn Robinson

The Church and its ministries, the Church Staff and all Church members. **New Additions in Bold**

TIPS TO REMEMBER DURING THIS TRYING TIME:

Coronavirus can be prevented by maintaining personal hygiene in a proper way and by doing the following things:

- Regular hand washing with high-quality hand washes, and using alcohol wet wipes (use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol).
- Covering mouth and nose when coughing and sneezing.
- Avoid the consumption of raw or undercooked animal products.
- Avoiding crowded places.
- Avoiding close contact with anyone showing symptoms of respiratory illness such as coughing and sneezing.
- Stay home when you're sick.
- Regularly and thoroughly clean surfaces, such as countertops and doorknobs, with a disinfectant.
- Monitor your symptoms. If signs are seen such as, cough and difficulty breathing seek medical care early and share previous travel history with your health care provider.
- Please wear a mask when out in public.
- Be safe and stay home as much as possible..

NATIONAL SYMBOL The flag is the symbol of our national unity, our national endeavor, our national aspiration. The flag tells of the struggle for independence, of union preserved, of liberty and union one and inseparable, of the sacrifices of brave men and women to whom the ideals and honor of this nation have been dearer than life. It means America first; it means an undivided allegiance. It means America united, strong and efficient, equal to her tasks. It means that you cannot be saved by the valor and devotion of your ancestors, that to each generation comes its patriotic duty; and that upon your willingness to sacrifice and endure as those before you have sacrificed and endured rests the national hope. It speaks of equal rights, of the inspiration of free institutions exemplified and vindicated, of liberty under law intelligently conceived and impartially administered. There is not a thread in it but scorns self-indulgence, weakness and rapacity. It is eloquent of our community interests, outweighing all divergencies of opinion, and our common destiny.

- Charles Evans Hughes



FLAG DAY - JUNE 14

Flag Day is celebrated by Americans on June 14 each year and commemorates the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as the official flag of the United States. Many Americans celebrate Flag Day by displaying the Red, White and Blue in front of homes and businesses.



You can make a difference in the lives of adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities!

Wesley Glen Ministries offers 24-hour residential care and a state-of-the-art day program.

If you would like to support Wesley Glen, make your check payable to our church with "Wesley Glen Ministries" on the "for" line and we'll route your gift through the conference to Wesley Glen.



Father's Day is Wesley Glen Day in United Methodist Churches across the South Georgia Conference.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT CAIRO FIRST June 14, 2020

Second Sunday after Pentecost

Christian Color: Green

ONLINE from the Sanctuary

10:30 am

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTSRev. Christy Bandy

THE OPENING VOLUNTARYMr. Ed Self and Mrs. Megan Lokey
O Worship the King - Billingsley/Braman

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

THE OPENING HYMNled by Dr. Ed LyonWords on Screen
No. 427, Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life

THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITHled by Dr. LyonWords on Screen

THE RESPONSEGloria PatriWords on Screen

THE CHILDREN'S MOMENTVideo

THE MORNING PRAYER AND OUR LORD'S PRAYERRev. Bandy

THE SCRIPTURE READINGRev. Bandy
(Romans 5:1-8)

THE SPECIAL MUSICDr. Lyon
The Prayer St. Francis of Assisi - Dungan

THE SERMON"Hope Floats"Rev. Bandy

THE INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

THE SONG OF RESPONSEled by Dr. Lyon Words on Screen
No. 368, My Hope Is Built

THE BENEDICTIONRev. Bandy

THE CLOSING VOLUNTARYMr. Self
Postlude - Lutkin

LIVE STREAMING INSTRUCTIONS:

The service streams from the FUMC Cairo Facebook page. Access should be available without a Facebook account.

DIRECTLY THROUGH FACEBOOK: Once you are on Facebook, please go to **CAIRO FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** (*capitals not necessary*) in the Facebook search bar. Once on the Facebook page, the service stream should be at the top of the posts list shortly before 10:30. Click on the play icon to begin the stream. The stream will remain available after the the service concludes, for viewing at a later time.

Alternatively you may type **CAIRO FUMC FACEBOOK** (*capitals not necessary*) in your internet searchbar (Google, Bing, etc.) in your web browser. The Cairo Facebook page should be the first link in the list. Once on Facebook, instructions are same as above.

THROUGH THE FUMC WEBSITE: The Facebook page is also accessible through the church's website (cairofumc.org). Once on the site, go to the "Communications" tab, mouse down to "Worship" and click on that; the next screen will have the word "Live Feed"; please click on that link to go to the Facebook page. Instructions for Facebook are as listed above.

You can test your access prior to the service by playing any of the previous posted videos.



Notices/Events

VIRTUAL CHOIR REHEARSAL:

Please join us as we make music preparations for worship. For Chancel Choir and *all* who will join:

Virtual Choir Rehearsal on FACEBOOK LIVE Cairo FUMC MUSIC. If you need an invitation to join the group please email to:

cairoFUMC2020music@gmail.com.

Join us. And if you have questions during the rehearsal you can post them and I will answer.

See you Wednesday night, 6:15 pm.

KEEP IN CONTACT:

Relevant messages about church activities may be found on our Facebook page. If anyone does not, or cannot, get the Facebook messages, please let us know.

If you are not getting the telephone messages from the church, perhaps we do not have a correct telephone number. Please contact the church office and give us the telephone number at which you wish to be contacted.

ADDRESS:

If you would like to send a card or note of encouragement to **Lynn Robinson**, this is the address:
1480 Valley Vista Lane
Forest, VA 24551

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

When activities resume, we will be in need of volunteers.

If you would be willing to assist in the church nursery on Sunday mornings or with other children's activities, please contact Cassie Hudson (229-327-6979) or Jessica Lee (229-224-4554).

Your assistance will be greatly appreciated by the other adult volunteers and you would have the opportunity to get to know our church family's children.

CHURCH NIGHT SUPPERS:

Have been suspended due to the health concerns of the coronavirus. When the ban is lifted, supper will resume.

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ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED
318 S. BROAD STREET
CAIRO, GA 39828

Directory

- Rev. Christy Bandy*Pastor*
- Mrs. Ruth Sims*Adm. Assistant*
- Mrs. Jamie Allen*Preschool Director*
- Mrs. Jessica Cox Lee*Children's Director*
- Mr. Ryan Coker*Youth Director*
- Mr. Brian and Mrs. Stacey Morgan*Contemporary Worship Leaders*
- Dr. Ed Lyon*Minister of Music*
- Mr. Ed Self*Organist*
- Mrs. Megan Lokey*Pianist*
- Church Office*229-377-3051*
- Emergency Number*229-377-1017*

EMAILS: When sending emails to the church office, please use one of the following addresses:

adm.cairofum@syrupcity.net
cairofum@syrupcity.net

E-MAILS ADDRESS/CELL PHONE NUMBERS: Contact with church members is very important. Please turn in email addresses and cell phone numbers especially if you no longer use a land line for your telephone. Thanks

Name _____

E-Mail _____

Cell Number _____

Thanks ever so much!