



THE BULLETIN

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Worship God Build Community
Grow in Christ Bless the World



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH (1867-2020)

Celebrating Our 153rd Year

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A Word from the Pulpit

Hebrews 13:8 – “Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever.”

Many changes will be taking place in the next few days and weeks. The building team is preparing the sanctuary for the renovations that have been approved. Thank God that God does not, Jesus does not, and the Holy Spirit never changes.

God’s great Love and Presence never leaves or forsakes us. Even though people and even our own family may change and turn on us, God never does. Thanks be to God for His indescribable gift.

**Here are the changes in worship that will begin
this Sunday, October 18, 2020.**

- ❖ 8:00 am – Early Service in the Aldersgate Fellowship
Sunday school classroom nearest the elevator in
the main building.
- ❖ 9 & 11 am services – located in the Fellowship Hall (large room)

PLEASE BE PATIENT AND CONSIDERATE OF THE ADJUSTMENTS AND
PROGRESS IN THIS TIME OF RENOVATION.



This Sunday, October 18th is also a time in the life of the Christian Calendar that we celebrate the muscle behind the ministry and mission, you the laity and lay ministries. Blessings to EVERYONE who works up front and behind the scenes to see that the day to day and week to week mission and ministry is provided to the congregation, community, and world.

Pastor Christy

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY:

The pastor and members of Cairo First UMC extend their deepest sympathy to the family and friends of **MR. WYMAN H. RICHTER, JR.**

MEMORIALS:

Memorials have been given to the church in loving memory of:

MR. LAMAR BUTLER

MR. ALLIE BEN PRINCE, JR.

By: Dr. & Mrs. Gene Maddox

MR. RONNIE COX

By: Mr. & Mrs. Darrell Cliett

Cairo Eye Care

Mr. Wade Hunziker

Jeffrey and Demetrius Cox

Joe and Ann Knight

Marvin and Linda Bell

Doyle and Lynette Pumphrey

Wayne Harrell

Jerry and Faye Harrell

Keith and Kim Harrell

Suzanne and Sam Carnline

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Wind

Mr. & Mrs. Gene Smith

MR. DONNIE HAND

By: Mr. & Mrs. Dale Helms

MR. HAROLD RAGAN

By: Wyman and Anne Richter

MR. WYMAN H. RICHTER, JR.

By: Perkins UM Men

Suzanne and Sam Carnline

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Wind

Mr. & Mrs. Dale Helms

Dr. & Mrs. Gene Maddox

Mr. & Mrs. Gene Smith

MR. EDGAR B. SMITH, III

By: Mr. & Mrs. Chad Allen

Luther Lockwood

Cliff and Connie Kimsey

Robert and Jo Lovein

Suzanne and Sam Carnline

Barbara Watts

Mr. & Mrs. James Richardson

Mr. & Mrs. Herbert Wind

Mr. & Mrs. Dale Helms

Mr. & Mrs. Tom Lehman

Mr. & Mrs. David McCurry

Mr. & Mrs. Gene Smith

MR. DURWOOD STOKES

By: Mr. & Mrs. Gene Smith

HANDBELL FACEBOOK RECITAL:

The FUMC Handbells will present a virtual recital at 6:15 pm on Oct. 21. Due to the renovation schedule, there will no longer be an option of live attendance, but the recital will be broadcast on the FUMC Music facebook page.

UPPER ROOMS/DAILY BREAD

DEVOTIONAL BOOKS:

Are available at the church office. Please stop by to pick one up.

PICTORIAL DIRECTORY DATE CHANGE:

We will be having pictures made for a new pictorial directory in February 2021.

Photography dates have been set for Monday through Friday, February 22 - 26 from 1:00 - 8:00 pm., and Saturday, February 27, from 10:00 am - 5:00 pm.

All safety protocols will be in effect during photography sessions.

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED

LIVING RESIDENTS:

MAGNOLIA PLACE:

Mrs. Jeanette Gandy

Mr. Ronald Hall

Mr. Dan Jones

Mrs. Doris Rehberg (Mother of Nell Owens)

Mrs. Helen Williams

CAMELLIA GARDENS, THOMASVILLE, GA:

Mr. Ken Lindgren

GLENN-MOOR, THOMASVILLE, GA

Mrs. Betty Jones

SOUTHERN PINES, THOMASVILLE, GA

Mrs. Rosemary Hetzendorfer

PRESBYTERIAN HOME, QUITMAN, GA:

Mrs. Opal Prince

REMINGTON HEIGHTS, OMAHA, NE:

Mrs. Jane Wilkinson

DISCOVERY VILLAGES, SUWANNEE, GA:

Mrs. LaVonne Childers

CHESTNUT RIDGE, CUMMINGS, GA

Mrs. Vivian Childs

CARLYLE PLACE, MACON, GA:

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Skinner

BRENTWOOD, TN:

Dr. Bob Kral



Birthdays

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS:

October 18: Don Nickerson, Susan Prince

October 19: Sherri Andrews

October 21: Joe Porter

October 22: Howard Thrower

October 23: Jamie Allen

October 24: Lynn Branch, Carroll Hopkins



Week of Oct. 18-24 2020



Remember in Prayer

OUR KNOWN ILL: (AS OF TUESDAY)

Sunday, October 18:

8:00 am Traditional Informal
in Aldersgate / Fellowship Classroom

9:00 and 11:00 in Fellowship Hall

9:00 am †Contemporary Worship

11:00 am †Traditional Worship

Monday, October 19:

No activities at the Church

6:00 pm Laity Council on Zoom

Tuesday, October 20:

No activities at the Church

Wednesday, October 21:

No activities at the Church

4:00 pm Handbells (Sm. Fellowship Hall)

6:15 pm Handbell Recital
via Facebook Live

7:00 pm Ensemble / Recording

Thursday, October 22:

8:30 am Service on CNS Channel 6

Friday, October 23:

2:00 pm Service on CNS Channel 6

9:00 pm Service on CNS Channel 6

† Live streaming

GRADY GENERAL:

Mr. Mike Thornton

AT HOME:

Mr. Henry & Mrs. Annette Andrews

Mrs. Sylvia Carrouth

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. David & Mrs. Catherine Elkins

Mr. Larry & Mrs. Dot Gainous

Mr. Bobby & Mrs. Gail Godwin

Mrs. Sammie Harper

Mr. Fred Hetzendorfer

Mrs. Deborah Hudson (Step-Mother of Robert Hudson)

Mr. Bob Jones

Mr. Tommy Lackey (Brother-in-law of Nell Mitchell)

Mr. Randy & Mrs. Dawn LaCombe (Daughter, son-in-law
of Barbara Barrineau)

Mrs. Maxcy McAteer

Mr. Jim McKinney (Son-in-law of Louise Anderson)

Mr. Howell & Mrs. Eleanor McKinnon

Mrs. Mary Meill

Mrs. Faye Miller

Mr. Pat & Mrs. Susan Perkins

Mr. Dan & Mrs. Shirley Poff

Mrs. Marjorie Ragan

Mr. Billy & Mrs. Sandy Rathel

Mrs. Anne Richter

Mrs. Sandee Rinker

Ms. Becky Rushin (Sister of Cynthia Nickerson)

Mr. Jimmy Sellers

OCALA, FL:

Mrs. Chris Voyles

DACULA, GA:

Mrs. Emily Gandy

TALLAHASSEE, FL:

Mr. Robert Garment

BOISE, ID:

Mr. Doug Ricks (Brother of Marilyn Ricks)

LYNCHBURG, VA:

Mrs. Lyn Robinson

CLEVELAND, OH

Mr. Tom Fasco (Father of Marissa Maloy)

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

LAITY COUNCIL:

Will meet Monday, October 19, on
ZOOM, at 6:00 pm.

AN ACCOUNT OF OUR STEWARDSHIP - 10/11/20

8:15 Worship14

9:00 Worship31

.....live stream 24

11:00 Worship34

.....live stream 60

Weekly Receipts\$2,880.00

Weekly Needed\$10,984.74

Received to Date - Op ...\$294,252.11

Designated\$6,510.00

Bucket Brigade\$49.68

BUCKET BRIGADE:

The bucket brigade offerings (loose change in buckets) goes to mission projects that the church sponsors throughout the year.

Offerings for October 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.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT CAIRO FIRST

October 18, 2020

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost (Kingdomtide)

Christian Color: Green

Aldersgate/Fellowship Classroom

Informal Traditional

8:00

THE SCRIPTURE READINGRev. Christy Bandy
Matthew 22:15-22

THE SERMON“Whose Is It Anyway?”Rev. Bandy

Contemporary – Fellowship Hall (with Live Stream)

9:00

THE CHILDREN’S MOMENTVideo

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Children’s Church (in person worship) will be available in the Children’s Building

THOSE WHO SERVE: 9:00 AM: SS Greeters/Ushers: Carol, Tom Lehman

WORSHIP TEAM: Brian Morgan - vocals, guitar; Stacey Morgan - vocals, keys;

TECH: Randy Bearden - audio & streaming; - video;

WELCOME BACK TO WORSHIP:

As we return to in person worship, please remember the following:

- To wear a mask
- To allow your temperature to be taken before entrance
- To wait to be seated
- To exit sanctuary at the direction of the pastor and ushers
- To practice social distancing
- To NOT shake hands OR HUG
- To stay home if you have a fever or do not feel well.

CHILDREN’S MINISTRY

email: jnlee06@gmail.com

text: 229-224-4554

NEWS FROM...JESSICA

- **TRUNK or TREAT – Sunday October 25, 5:30 pm** — Watch for more details to come.

All children are invited to come to the children's building during church from 9-10 every Sunday! Temperatures are taken at the door and everyone is asked to wear a mask!

We are starting to collect items for the Navajo ministries! This week we are asking you to bring in personal hygiene items such as: combs, brushes, tooth brushes, hair haws, nail clippers, nail files, etc! Each week we will do something different and the kids will pack the boxes like we did last year!

YOUTH MINISTRY

email: easom316@windstream.net

cell/text: (229) 977-2247

NEWS FROM...SCOTT

SUNDAY NIGHT, OCTOBER 18, 5:30 PM

Come join us as we will meet, eat, have a devotion, play some games, play some music, and, of course, have some fun! We can't wait to see you and bring a friend!

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11:00 am

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTSRev. Christy Bandy

THE OPENING VOLUNTARYMr. Ed Self and Mrs. Megan Lokey
Great Is Thy Faithfulness - Raney

THE OPENING PRAYERRev. Bandy

THE HYMN OF PRAISEwords on screen
Holy, Holy, Holy (all verses)

THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITHDr. Ed Lyon
The Apostles' Creed

THE RESPONSE*Gloria Patri*words on screen

THE MORNING PRAYER AND OUR LORD'S PRAYERRev. Bandy

*THE SCRIPTURE READINGRev. Bandy
Matthew 22:15-22 - words on screen

THE SPECIAL MUSICsolo, Mrs. Patricia Mitchell
My Faith Looks Up To Thee - Wood

THE SERMON“Whose Is It Anyway?”Rev. Bandy

THE CLOSING HYMNwords on screen
I Surrender All (vv 1, 2, 4, 5)

THE BENEDICTIONRev. Bandy

THE CLOSING VOLUNTARYMr. Self
The Solid Rock - Bennett

————— (Please be dismissed at the direction of the greeters/ushers.) —————

*NOTE: You are asked NOT to sing during the service.
Please use the Hymns and Special Music
as a time to meditate on God's Sermons in Song.*

THOSE WHO SERVE: 11:00 AM

Greeters/Ushers: Herbert Wind, Dale Helms
Altar Guild: Karen Bishop, Lisa Oliver

Please sign the attendance register
* Please stand as you are able.

BOOK CLUB:

The Book Club will meet Sunday, Nov. 15, 5:00 pm to discuss. *42 Faith: The Rest of The Jackie Robinson Story* by Ed Henry.



NURSERY DIRECTOR POSITION

AVAILABLE:

Interviews for the nursery director position will be offered on Monday, October 26. Please contact Justin Amaro, Chairman of the Staff Parish Relations Committee, at justin.amaro@gmail.com

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

BIBLE STUDY ON SUNDAY EVENING:

Join Rev. Bandy for a Bible study, *Living In Truth* by Mary Jo Sharp, on Sunday evenings at 6:00 pm. It will be done virtually so you will need to go the church website to participate. Contact Rev. Bandy or the church office to pick up a study book.

ADDRESS CHANGES:

Sometimes this is the time of the year when families make changes in residency. If you are planning a move, please notify the church office so we can update our records.

CHURCH NIGHT SUPPERS:

Have been suspended temporarily due to the health concerns of the coronavirus. When the ban is lifted, suppers will resume. Watch the bulletin for details as plans progress.

Directory

- Rev. Christy Bandy*Pastor*
- Mrs. Ruth Sims*Adm. Assistant*
- Mrs. Jamie Allen*Preschool Director*
- Mrs. Jessica Cox Lee*Children's Director*
- Mr. Scott Easom*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 Office229-377-3051
- Emergency Numbers478-662-0328
229-403-0428

EMAILS: When sending emails to the church office, please use please use the following address:

adm.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!