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Worship God
Grow in Christ

Build Community
Bless the World



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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A Word from the Pulpit

I Peter 5:7 — *"Cast all your cares on Him for He cares for you."*

God will mend a broken heart
If you give Him all the pieces.



LET GO AND LET GOD



As children bring their broken toys
with tears for us to mend,
I brought my broken dreams to God,
because He was my friend.

But then, instead of leaving Him
in peace, to work alone,
I hung around and tried to help,
with ways that were my own.

At last, I snatched them back and cried,
"How can you be so slow?"
"My child," He said, "What could I do?
You never did let go."

Pastor Christy

ALTAR FLOWERS:

The flowers on the altar today are placed there in loving memory of **MRS. PATRICIA (PAT) MANNY** by the family.

CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY:

The pastor and members of Cairo First UMC extend their deepest sympathy to the family and friends of **MR. DAVID LAWRENCE FLOORE**; to the family and friends of **MRS. GLYNNELL LEE**.

MEMORIALS:

Have been given to the church in loving memory of

MRS. EVELYN BISHOP

By: Mr. & Mrs. Philip Almon

MRS. LAVONNE CHILDERS

By: Mrs. Carolyn Trawick
Claire Chason and Al Harrell
The William W. Childers Family
Mr. & Mrs. Philip Almon
Mr. & Mrs. Gene Smith
Ms. Peg Thomas

MR. DAVID L. FLOORE

By: Mr. & Mrs. Gene Smith

MRS. JEANETTE GANDY

By: Mr. & Mrs. Wayne Wray
Mr. & Mrs. Philip Almon

MR. BOBBY MITCHELL

By: Mr. & Mrs. Philip Almon

UPPER ROOMS DEVOTIONAL BOOKS:

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

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.



Birthday Greetings

August 15: Kevin Chason, Abby Coker, Myra Easom, Susan Perkins

August 16: Mark Phillips, Carrie Stanaland, Peg Thomas, Ethan Williams

August 18: Sandra Clark

August 19: Diane Bishop, Wade Hunziker

August 20: Opal Anderson, Judy Whitfield

August 21: Cate Hopkins, Diane Jones

PLEASE PLACE THE FOLLOWING ON YOUR CALENDAR

- **Monday, Aug 30th** – 6 pm – Laity Council (All Charge Conference business will be voted on at this time)
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- **Sunday, October 3rd** – 3 pm – Ochlocknee and Cornerstone Cluster Charge Conference

DISTRICT AND CONFERENCE MEETINGS:

- **Saturday, September 25th** – 10 am - South Georgia Conference United Methodist Women's meeting at Blakely First UMC
- **Saturday, October 9th** – South Georgia Conference meeting in Tifton at the UGA Conference Center – Time – TBA
- **Friday-Saturday, November 5th-7th** – United Methodist Men Conference at EBTS

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES:

Aldersgate/Fellowship: Older adult class with Chris James the teacher.

Burleigh Law: Mostly couples that have grown children and grandchildren. Kaye Helms teacher

Azalee Wight: Mostly couples, some retired, others still working. Various members rotate teaching

Pairs and Spares: Mixed group of singles and couples

New Hope: Young adults (35+ with teenage children)

Cephas: Young adults with small children

LOFT: Ladies of all ages and stages in life (teacher Mrs. Carol Lehman)

OFFERING IDENTIFICATION:

If you put cash in the offering basket/plate on Sunday morning and wish to have it posted to your giving record, please make sure that you put the cash in an envelope and put your name either on the outside or inside of the envelope. Thanks for you doing this so we will know for whom to give credit.. The money placed in the bucket goes to the bucket brigade and goes for missions. The money that goes in the plate or basket goes for general operating expenses.



WEEK OF August 15-21 2021



Remember in Prayer

OUR KNOWN ILL: (AS OF TUESDAY)

Sunday, August 15:

8:15 am	Worship (Chapel)
9:00 am	†Contemporary Worship
9:45 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	†Traditional Worship

Monday, August 16:

10:00 am	Ladies Sewing Group
10:00 am	Chair Yoga
11:00 am	Floor Yoga

Tuesday, August 17:

7:30 am	Men's Prayer Group
10:00 am	Ladies' Prayer Group

Wednesday, August 18:

5:00 pm	Youth
6:00 pm	Committee on Nominations

Thursday, August 19:

8:30 am	Service on CNS Channel 6
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Friday, August 20:

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

† Live streaming

AT HOME:

Mr. Henry & Mrs. Annette Andrews
Mr. Keith Campbell
Mrs. Sylvia Carrouth
Mr. A.B. Clark
Mr. Arthur & Mrs. Belinda Clark
Mrs. Betty Clark
Miss Sandra Clark
Mr. David & Mrs. Catherine Elkins
Mrs. Dot Gainous
Mr. Bobby and Mrs. Gail Godwin
Mrs. Betti Jean Gray (Mother of Kevin Gray)
Mrs. Sammie Harper
Mr. Fred Hetzendorfer
Mrs. Deborah Hudson (Step-mother of Robert Hudson)
Mr. Neal Johnson
Mr. Bob Jones
Mr. Randy & Mrs. Dawn LaCombe (Daughter, son-in-law of Barbara Barrineau)
Mr. Freddie Lyle
Dr. Melissa Lyle
Mrs. Maxcy McAteer
Mr. Howell & Mrs. Eleanor McKinnon
Mrs. Faye Miller
Mrs. Naomi Oliver
Mrs. Marjorie Ragan
Mrs. Sandee Rinker
Ms. Becky Rushin (Sister of Cynthia Nickerson)
Mrs. Joye Sandefur
Mrs. Debra Smith
Ms. Olivia Wind

DACULA, GA:

Mrs. Emily Gandy

GULF BREEZE, FL:

Mr. J. Hood & Mrs. Charis Powell
(Brother & Sister-in-law of Ike Powell)

QUINCY, FL:

Mr. Gene Allen (Father of Judy Wray)

VALDOSTA, GA:

Mrs. Jane Ellen Bass

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

AN ACCOUNT OF OUR STEWARDSHIP - 8/8/21

8:15	.....19
9:00	.....46
	.....Live Stream 20
11:00	.....42
	.....Live Stream 30
Weekly Receipts	.....\$4,930.00
Weekly Needed	.....\$10,984.74
Received to Date - Op	..\$227,154.00
Designated for Missions	.....\$55.00
Memorials/In Honor	.....\$455.00
Bucket Brigade	.....\$17.35

BUCKET BRIGADE:

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

Offerings for August will go to the Back Pack Ministry for food for the fall beginning school year.

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

YOGA CLASSES:

With Lucretia Roddenberry will meet in the fellowship hall on Mondays with chair yoga at 10:00 am and floor yoga at 11:00 am.

WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT CAIRO FIRST

August 15, 2021

Twelfth Sunday after Pentecost (Kingdomtide)

Christian Color: GREEN

Traditional – Chapel

8:15 am

+THE SCRIPTURE READINGMr. Chris James
I Samuel 1:9-17

THE SERMONRev. Christy Bandy
"Let Go & Let God"

Contemporary – Sanctuary (with Live Stream)

9:00 am

THE CHILDREN'S MOMENTRev. Christy Bandy
+THE SCRIPTURE READINGRev. Bandy
I Samuel 1:9-17
THE SERMON "Let Go & Let God"Rev. Bandy

THOSE WHO SERVE: 9:00 AM: SS Greeters/Ushers: **Bradley Jones, Tony Sheffield**

WORSHIP TEAM: Brian Morgan - vocals, guitar; Stacey Morgan - vocals, keys;
Myra Easom - vocals; Scott Easom - bass guitar;

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

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

email: jnlee06@gmail.com
text: 229-224-4554

NEWS FROM...JESSICA

- **9:00 Children's church - (3 years old - 1st grade)** we are back in the sanctuary and will leave after the childrens moment!
- **10:00 Sunday School** - all 3 classes will meet!
- **August 15th** - acolyte training for rising 2nd graders and anyone that missed last year's training during Sunday School!
- **August 22nd** - acolyte training continued during Sunday School!
- **August 29th** - blessing of the backpacks, and promotion Sunday!
- **September 12th** - first Sunday night (more details to follow)
- Snacks needed - goldfish, vanilla wafers, small (4 oz) bottled waters

YOUTH MINISTRY

email: easom316@windstream.net
cell/text: (229) 977-2247

NEWS FROM...SCOTT

Come join us and bring a friend!

- **August 15th, Sunday** – Sunday School – 10:00 am Sunday School

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Traditional Service — Sanctuary (with Live Stream)

11:00 am

- THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTSRev. Christy Bandy
- +THE OPENING VOLUNTARYMr. Ed Self and Mrs. Megan Lokey
Brethren, We Have Met to Worship - Hamlin/Lopez
- +THE OPENING PRAYERRev. Bandy
- THE HYMN OF PRAISEwords on screen
Leave It There
- +THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITHwords on screen
The Apostles' Creed
- +THE RESPONSEGloria Patriwords on screen
- THE VIDEO
- THE MORNING PRAYER and OUR LORD'S PRAYERRev. Bandy
- +THE HYMN OF PREPARATIONwords on screen
We'll Understand It Better By and By
- +THE SCRIPTURE READINGRev. Bandy
I Samuel 1:9-17
- THE SPECIAL MUSICMrs. Cheryl Mills
The Majesty and Glory of Your Name - Fetter/Johnson
- THE SERMONRev. Bandy
"Let Go & Let God"
- THE INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP
- THE HYMN OF INVITATIONwords on screen
Softly and Tenderly
- THE BENEDICTIONRev. Bandy
- +THE CLOSING VOLUNTARYMr. Self
Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him - Page

Singing is now permitted, but the words will continue
to be projected on the screen.

THOSE WHO SERVE: 11:00 AM — Greeters/Ushers: Herbert Wind, Dale Helms

Altar Guild: Charlene Powell, Anne Richter

Please sign the attendance register.

+ Out of respect to all worshipers, we ask for a quiet, reflective time of prayer
during the Opening and Closing Voluntaries.

* Please stand as you are able.

^ Please come forward at this time if you wish to unite with this Christian fellowship. The doors are always open
for those desiring to become members.

BOOK CLUB:

Will next meet Sunday, August 29th at 5:00 PM to discuss *Appointments with Heaven* by Dr. Reggie Anderson.

DO YOU KNOW THEIR WHEREABOUTS:

In completing the year end statistical reports, we have a number of persons on our membership roll with whom we have lost contact. If you know an address for the person(s), or an address for a family member, or whether they are deceased, please let us know at the church office. I need contact information.

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| Nicholas Wehrmann | Jeremy Wellman |
| Emily Wellman | Patrick Lee White |
| Steve, Nancy, James, Alan Widener | |
| Ashley Wight | Michelle Wight |
| Heather Womble | Marti Womble |

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:

If you would be interested and willing to participate in the activities of the Altar Guild, please contact Charlene Powell or the Church office.

Altar Guild members prepare the altar for worship each Sunday and the elements for communion.

NURSING HOME/ASSISTED LIVING RESIDENTS:

MAGNOLIA PLACE:

- Mrs. Doris Rehberg (Mother of Nell Owens)
Mrs. Helen Williams

CAMELLIA GARDENS, THOMASVILLE, GA:

- Mr. Ken Lindgren

GLENN-MOOR, THOMASVILLE, GA:

- Mrs. Betty Jones

LEGACY VILLAGE, THOMASVILLE, GA:

- Mrs. Mary Meill

SOUTHERN PINES, THOMASVILLE, GA:

- Mrs. Rosemary Hetzendorfer

PRESBYTERIAN HOME, QUITMAN, GA:

- Mrs. Opal Prince

REMINGTON HEIGHTS, OMAHA, NE:

- Mrs. Jane Wilkinson

CHESTNUT RIDGE, CUMMINGS, GA:

- Mrs. Vivian Childs

CARLYLE PLACE, MACON, GA:

- Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Skinner

BRENTWOOD, TN:

- Dr. Bob Kral

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- 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*
Mr. Ed Self*Organist*
Mrs. Megan Lokey*Pianist*
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229-403-0428

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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!