

WELCOME

TO FOREST HILLS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH!

We are glad you are here to worship God with us today. If you are looking for a church home or have questions about Forest Hills, contact Rev. Baxter Hurley at the church office, (478) 477-1161. You may also contact the office if you would like to receive informational emails and newsletters, have questions about Christian faith or becoming a Christian. Any of our pastoral staff would be glad to speak with you.



We encourage you to sign the PEW PAD or register by scanning the QR CODE on the right so that we may have record of your attendance.

Notes: _____



Join us for our monthly worship service **tonight, March 11th at 6:00 p.m.** at our One Step campus (3187 Ridge Avenue) as we take One Step closer to racial reconciliation in Macon and One Step closer to Christ.

COLLEGE & CAREERS MINISTRIES

Do you have a college age student? Are you a college age student? Forest Hills is starting a card ministry which will periodically send encouraging cards to our college students. Please help us collect information for this ministry by sending the name, year, and address of any Forest Hills college student to Carolyn Hurley at loyley@gmail.com if you would like him or her to receive some of these notes.

This Week At FHUMC

- Sunday, March 11**
 - 8:30 AM: Blended Worship (Music Suite)
 - 9:45 AM: Modern Worship (Ministry Center)
 - 11:00 AM: Traditional Worship (Sanctuary)
 - 3:00-5:00PM: GriefShare (Conference Room)
 - 4:00 PM: Jr. High Youth (Ministry Center)
 - 5:30 PM: Youth Snack Supper (Ministry Center)
 - 6:00 PM: Sr. High Youth (Ministry Center)
- Monday, March 12**
 - 6:30 PM: Trustees Meeting (Conference Room)
- Tuesday, March 13**
 - 6:30 AM: Men's Prayer Breakfast
 - 11:00 AM: Singing Saints (Music Suite)
 - 12:00 PM: GoodTimers Game Day (Ministry Center)
- Tuesday, March 13**
 - 4:00 PM: 10 Women of the Bible (Brides Room)
- Wednesday, March 14**
 - 5:00 - 6:00 PM, Kids Connect (Kids Hall)
 - 6:00 PM: 17:11 Youth (Youth Room)
 - 6:30 PM: Wesley Challenge Leader: Joe Hoogstad (Conference Room)
 - Leaders: Tyler & Sondra Hinson (Room 99)
 - 6:45 PM: Chancel Choir Practice (Music Suite)
- Thursday, March 15**
 - 6:30 PM: College & Early Careers Dinner/Wesley Challenge Group (The Hurley Home)
- Friday, March 16**
- Saturday, March 17**

Church Office Hours:
Monday - Thursday: 9:00 AM-5:00PM // Friday: 9:00 AM-12:00PM
Saturday-Sunday: Closed
We are closed from 12-1 PM Monday-Thursday for lunch.

EASTER EGG HUNT
Sunday, March 25 // 4:00 - 6:00 P.M.
Home of Jim & Brenda Lambert (8775 Zebulon Rd, Macon)

All kids, ages birth to 5th grade and their families are invited to our Church-wide Easter Egg Hunt at Jim and Brenda Lambert's. Join us for a fun afternoon as we celebrate Easter together! There will be food, friends, hay ride, zip line, games, calk walk, egg hunt and so much more!!! Register your family today at foresthillsmacon.com/children under upcoming events.



UPCOMING EVENTS

- March 9-11**
*Youth Retreat: The Edge
- March 25**
4:00-6:00 PM, The Lamberts
*Easter Egg Hunt
5:30 PM, Garden Room
Come to the Garden
- March 26**
2:00-7:30 PM, Ministry Center
Lenten Prayer & Labyrinth Walk
- March 27**
12:30 PM, Ministry Center
*Good Timers Holy Week Luncheon
- March 29**
6:30 PM, Sanctuary
Maundy Thursday Worship Service

*Registration required at: www.foresthillsmacon.com

LENTEN PRAYER & LABYRINTH WALK
March 26, 2018 // 2:00-7:30 P.M. // Ministry Center

Take time for quiet prayer, meditation and centering as you consider the gift and sacrifice Jesus makes for us in love this Holy Week. You can pray, walk the labyrinth, light a candle or simply sit in the quiet space and breathe.

GOOD TIMERS HOLY WEEK LUNCHEON
Tuesday, March 27th // 12:30 P.M. // Ministry Center
Speaker: Dr. Matt Woodbury

The Goodtimers invite you to a time of fellowship, food, and devotion during this holiest of weeks. We are thrilled to welcome Dr. Matt Woodbury, an ordained elder who served as an army chaplain and now serves as Director of Connectional Ministry in our annual conference. Please sign up at the Goodtimer registration table in the main hallway.

MAUNDY THURSDAY WORSHIP SERVICE
March 29, 2018 // 6:30 P.M. // Sanctuary

Come and share in this rich and thoughtful time of worship as we remember our Lord's last supper and share in communion with each other. Together, we will strip the altar and prepare the space and our hearts for the glory of Easter to come.

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP SERVICE - 11:00 A.M.

Lighting of the Candles

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude *Holy, Holy, Holy* Brant Snow
(arr. Smith)

Call to Worship

Welcome Chorus No. 298 *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross*

Greetings and Announcements

Pre-K Choir

*Hymn No. 378 *Amazing Grace*
(stanzas 1,2,3,6)

*Affirmation of Faith *Cross*

*Hymn No. 70 *Gloria Patri*

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

*Hymn No. 206 *I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light*
(stanzas 1,3)

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory *Wondrous Love* (arr. Nielson) Brant Snow

*Doxology No. 95

Anthem *Look for Me (Around the Throne)*
Forest Hills Mens' Quartet

Scripture Lesson Romans 12:3; Proverbs 21:2

Message *The Emperor's New Clothes* Baxter Hurley

*Hymn No. 399 *Take My Life, and Let it Be*
Benediction

Postlude *A Song of Redemption* Brant Snow

**Singing Together - Standing As You Are Able*

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given by **Gerald & Teresa Stuart** in honor of the church staff for their dedication and hard work.

IN HIS SERVICE - MARCH 11, 2018

Greeters - 9:45 a.m.

Narthex	Sara Johnson
Canopy	Bob & Linda Brown
Ministry Center	Tom & Ann Adkisson
Ministry Center Back Door	Barbara Wolfe

Greeters - 11:00 a.m.

Canopy	Gerald & Teresa Stuart
Narthex	Barbara Stefano & Carole Newberry

Ushers Gene Kinard, Tommy Sherwood, Robert Seay

Building Security - March Andy McKenzie

Missions Offering - March Macon Outreach

PRAYER CONCERNS

Asbury Stenbridge, Sr., Tina Singleton, Eloise McCullough, Shirley Pritchett, Dorothy Pickett, Dillon Lewis, Marty & Duane Yates, Jon Wingers, and Betty Farr.

Those serving in the military: Payton Smith (Army), Matt Parrish (Army), Chris Allen, Chris Belvin, Sgt. Daniel Brennan, Jeffrey Dyson, Rob Hunt, Justin Layman, Matthew Nylund, 1st Lt. Jamie Peacock, Kelley Sanders, SSgt. Stephanie Wammock, Bryan Caldon (Navy), Capt. Hunter Curl (Air Force) and Zachary Dickson (Army).

Names will be removed after four weeks.

YOUR RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS

February 25, 2018 Statistics		For the Month of January:	
Membership	755	January Revenue:	\$67,993.76
New Members in 2018	0	Monthly Budget:	\$91,211.15
Sunday A.M. Worship	535	January Expenses:	\$100,501.47
Sunday School Attendance	146	2017 YTD Surplus/(Deficit)	(\$32,501.71)
Offering	\$30,305.00		
Sunday School Offering	\$82.00	2020 Debt Elimination:	
		Original Bldg Loan Amt	\$1,834,899.90
2018 Apportionments		Monthly Bldg Loan Pymt	\$5,500.00
Apportionments paid		Total Bldg Loan Balance	\$90,151.96
for 2018	\$18,370.82	(3/1/18)	

TEXT TO GIVE: Text FHUMC to 73256 and follow the prompts.
Standard text messaging rates may apply.



March 11, 2018

MACON OUTREACH AT MULBERRY SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONS OFFERING

Macon Outreach at Mulberry is the focus of our April Missions offerings. Many of you Forest Hills folks are familiar with this organization. You may work at the Downtown Kitchen cooking or serving and hugging the homeless and hungry. You may bring peanut butter or grits or pork and beans to church to go to the Emergency Grocery Pantry. You may take your used clothing and books down to them for their Clothes Closet.

Since 1971 Macon Outreach has been Making a Difference on the Streets of Macon. Their largest asset is the Downtown Kitchen where they prepare and serve over 1,500 hot, balanced meals every week. Meals are prepared and served daily Monday thru Friday for lunch or breakfast by their part-time staff and community volunteers. Macon Outreach also responds to struggling families in the Bibb County area through the Emergency Grocery Pantry. From the Outreach Clothes Closet, guests receive clean, reliable clothes and shoes. They welcome your volunteer time and donations of food, clothing, shoes, Bibles and books.

Macon Outreach is a great place to serve! Please join them either by calling 478-743-8026 or emailing dtowson@mulberrymethodist.org. Thank you for giving.

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Helping each other take our NEXT STEP closer to Christ

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