

Connection Card
July 20, 2025

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Prayer:



Small group/class discussion guides and lesson plans for this series are available on the church website at cordelefirst.com/sermons. The 9:00 Emerge Service is live streamed and available to watch on YouTube at youtube.com/@cordelefirst5426.

"Entire Prayer" is a process in which we Pause, Rejoice, Ask and Yield as God works to reshape us.

1. Prayer is about God us in- to the wants us to be

"For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, 'Abba!- Father!' it is that very Spirit bearing witness- with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ"-Romans 8:15-17

2. Prayer is how we begin to and

"Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes* with sighs too deep for words. And God, who searches the heart, knows what is the mind of the Spirit, because the Spirit* intercedes for the saints according to the will of God."- Romans 8:26-27

Table with 2 columns: Day/Time and Description. Rows include SUNDAY (10:00 am Sunday School), MONDAY (6:30 pm Celebrate Recovery), TUESDAY (7:00 pm NP Bible Study, 8:00 pm Emerge Band Rehearsal), WEDNESDAY (Youth Theology Class), THURSDAY (Youth Theology Class), FRIDAY (8:00 pm Nuevo Pacto rehearsal), and SATURDAY.

Get In Contact With Us...

Table with 2 columns: Name/Role and Email. Rows include Rev. Larry Rollins (Lead Pastor), Rev. Tania Montero (Associate Pastor), Dee Dee West (Director of Music), Brandon Nipper (Emerge Worship), Kody Franks (Youth Pastor), Brenda Farrow (Director of Children's Ministries), Cindy Ellis (Admin), Tricia Joiner (Finance), and Michael Barnes (Facilities).

Office Hours are Monday-Friday 8:30 am-4:30 pm
Appointments can be made by contacting the church office at 229-273-4586

Cordele First Church logo and header: The Week of July 20, 2025

9 AM Emerge Worship "The Casual Reply" Luke 9:23-24 Rev. Larry Rollins

Songs being played in worship this morning: Battle Belongs | Phil Wickham, Run to the Father | Cody Carnes, Fear is Not My Future | Maverick City Music, Bigger Than I Thought | Passion

11 AM Traditions Worship 6th Sunday after Pentecost

Welcome and Time of Fellowship

Prelude Eddy Castellanos, violin No. 150

*Opening Hymn O Happy Day

Morning Prayer/The Lord's Prayer

Celebrating Our Tithes and Offerings Barbara Eschmann

*Doxology

*Cokesbury Hymn sing

Special Music Eddy Castellanos

The Word Proclaimed "The Casual Reply" Rev. Rollins

*Celebrating Holy Communion No. 12

*Closing Hymn I Surrender All vs 1,4 No. 148

*Benediction

Postlude Barbara Eschmann

*Please stand, if able

** Offerings left on the altar after communion will go to our benevolence fund.

News & Events



Tomorrow is the newsletter deadline for those who have something to place in the August First-News.



Prayer Concerns

New Prayer Concerns

Leon Odom-kidney
Russ Clark-having tests run

Previous Weeks

Rodney Coleman-continuing issues. Waiting to see another doctor.
Carolyn Adams-staff infection in the blood

Pray for Our Shut Ins

At Home
Joe Cook Melody Whitaker
Angie Greer Carla Payne (at Kimberly's)
Cordele Health & Rehab
Patti Hunt Rm 109 ; Eddie McLemore Rm 403;
Cordelia Manor-Fellowship Home
Sandra Windham
Oaks at Oakland Plantation-Arleeta
Henry-166 Oakland Pkwy, Leesburg, GA 31763
Carlyle Place | Tish Haley Stafford Suites Rm 102
The Phoenix @ Lake Joy
Sandra Duckworth
Military members serving
Pilcher Thornton

Daily Devotions & Scriptures

Monday, July 21 Read Psalm 16

One way to define a ‘god’ is to say it is something or someone with a claim to the best of your time, talents and energy. What are the “gods” in your life and where does the one God fall in that list? Look closely at vv.2 and 11. Do these truly reflect your understanding of God and how is that understanding made evident in your life?

Tuesday July 22 Read Proverbs 28:4-9

The proverb declares that it is only with God that our lives make sense and have proper direction. Anything else is fruitless and, ultimately, insulting to God! According to this passage, what are the prerequisites for God to hear and respond to us? Why?

Wednesday, July 23 Read Romans 8:15b-17; 26-28

How does God make himself and his love for you known? Take a moment to list some of the evidence you have experienced. What is the role of the Holy Spirit in keeping us connected to God and giving us confidence for living? What consolation does this passage give you when you feel you are not close to God?

Thursday, July 24 Read Matthew 19:16-30

What Jesus asked of the young man in this passage was absolute and total commitment. As the disciples rightly noted, few if any of us are able to do that all the time! What comfort does Jesus offer (see v. 26) in our struggle to be faithful? What role does a life of prayer play in this?

Friday, July 25 Read Colossians 4:2-6

Reflect on your reading from yesterday as you read Paul’s guidance for the Colossians. How does “devoting” ourselves to prayer equip us for the tasks of proclaiming the gospel, being full of wisdom and gracious to all?

What would a *devotion* to prayer look like in terms of time, attitude and practical application in your own life?

Saturday, July 26 Read Psalm 113

Read this through several times and share it with God as your own personal prayer today. Is this an accurate understanding of God’s workings in your own life and experience? Why or why not? Discuss this with God today and be sure to listen for His answer!

By The Numbers

EMBRACE 295

Total Attendance in Worship

Emerge: 198 | Traditions: 64
Nuevo Pacto: 33

Total Missions Attendance

SOUL Food:
Outreach Communion:

INVEST 317

Total Groups and Classes

Adults: 246
Youth: 33 | Children: 38

ADVANCE

Given this week:	\$21,433.00
Budget Receipts:	\$21,123.00
Weekly Needs:	\$21,538.00
Designated Gifts:	\$310.00

Year to Date

Non-Budget Giving	\$18,809
Budget Needs	\$387,684
Budget Giving	\$372,318

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