

Connection Card
October 19, 2025

☐ 1stTime Guest
Please Select ☐ Regular Attendee
☐ Member
☐ Emerge ☐ Traditions

Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone: _____ Cell: _____
E-Mail: _____
Spouse's Name _____
Children: _____

I Prefer Contact By: text call email
I would like to sign up for the e-mail news _____

Wednesday Night Supper October 22
____ Adult ____ Children ____ Permanent

How did you hear about Cordele First?

My Stage in Life is:
☐ College ☐ Twenty-something
☐ Single Adult ☐ Young Couple
☐ Family ☐ Empty Nesters

I am interested in:
☐ Baptism
☐ Joining the Church
☐ Info on Small Grps & Sunday School
☐ Getting involved and serving
☐ Contact from one of the Ministers
☐ Prayer: _____



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"I DO IT BY MYSELF!"

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.

Four Conditions for Abiding in God

- 1. We are to _____ ourselves**
- 2. We are to _____ and _____ for forgiveness**
- 3. We are to _____ His face and ways**
- 4. We are to _____ from our sin**

SUNDAY
10:00 am Sunday School
5:00 pm Renovate Youth/Sunday Funday
MONDAY
6:30 pm Handbells
TUESDAY
6:30 pm Celebrate Recovery
7:00 pm NP Bible Study
8:00 pm Emerge Band Rehearsal

This Week

WEDNESDAY
10:00 am AM Bible Study
5:30 pm WNO
6:15 pm Adult Bible Study, Youth & Kids sm grp
6:30 pm Chancel Choir
THURSDAY
8:00 pm NP Band Rehearsal
FRIDAY
SATURDAY

Get In Contact With Us...

Rev. Larry Rollins | Lead Pastor
Rev. Tania Montero | Associate Pastor
Deondria West | Director of Traditional Worship
Brandon Nipper | Emerge Worship
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Office Hours are Monday-Friday 8:30 am-4:30 pm
Appointments can be made by contacting the church office at 229-273-4586



The Week of October 19, 2025

9 AM Emerge Worship

"I Do It By Myself!"

Rev. Kody Franks

2 Chronicles 7:11-17

Songs being played in worship this morning

Praise | Elevation Worship

Safe in Your Arms | Josh Baldwin

King of My Heart | Bethel

Build Your Kingdom Here | Rend Collective

11 AM Traditions Worship 19th Sunday after Pentecost

***Welcome and Time of Fellowship**

Prelude

The Glory of Your Presence

Barbara Eschmann

***Hymn of Celebration**

Every Time I Feel the Spirit

No. 404

***Affirmation of Faith** (on the screen)

***Gloria Patri**

No. 71

Foundations Moment-*Because It's Our Turn*

***Morning Prayer/The Lord's Prayer**

Celebrating our Tithes and Offering

Barbara Eschmann

***Doxology**

No. 94

***Offertory Hymn**

It's Me, It's Me, O Lord

No. 352

Special Music

The Lord's Prayer

Dee Dee West

The Word Proclaimed

"I Do It Myself"

Rev. Franks

***Closing Hymn**

Sweet Hour of Prayer vs 1,4

No. 496

***Benediction**

Rev. Franks

Postlude

Barbara Eschmann

News & Events



October 29, 5:30 to 7:00 pm
Cake walk, candy, costumes, crafts
food, games, live music, trunk or treat
Volunteers are welcomed and needed to do a fall themed trunk, provide candy for games and baked items for the cake walk. Contact Brenda at the church or Ivy Pierce to volunteer.

Prayer Concerns

New Prayer Requests
Previous Weeks

Cathy Holmes broke her arm and her leg. She's staying with her sister: c/o Cherri Breland 105 Pond View Point, LaGrange, GA 30240

Cindy S. Miller-has moved to High Cotton Personal Care Home –307 Charles St, Vienna, GA 31092

Continue to pray for Chris & Anita in the death of his sister, and the family of Tish Haley



WEDNESDAY NIGHT

OUT

DINNER
STUDY
FELLOWSHIP
MUSIC

Dinner & Fellowship 5:30

Classes 6:15-7:00

Adults \$10 | Children (under 10) \$5 | Max family \$30

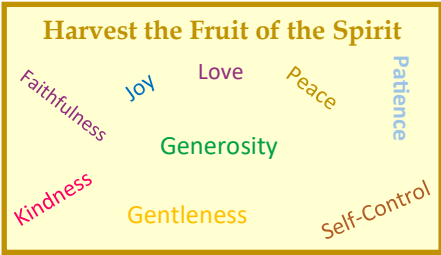


You can sign up for the suppers by scanning the QR code to the right or sign up on the connection card. It can be from week to week or a permanent reservation. All reservations need to be made by Monday afternoon.



“Rooted”

The Men's Tuesday lunchtime Bible study- 'Rooted' will not meet for the next two Tuesdays (Oct. 14 & 21) but will resume on Tuesday, October 28



Pray for Our Shut Ins

At Home
Joe Cook Melody Whitaker
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
The Phoenix @ Lake Joy
Sandra Duckworth
Military members serving
Pilcher Thornton, Jesus, Juarez, A. J. Rainey

Daily Devotions & Scriptures

Monday, October 20 Read 2 Chronicles 7:14
God’s invitation to His people is simple yet powerful: *“If My people... will humble themselves and pray...”* Revival begins not in a crowd, but in a heart that’s ready to be changed. Before God can heal a nation, He must first renew His people. The posture of our hearts determines the power of our prayers. What would it look like for you to humble yourself before God this week? Where do you sense God inviting you to personal renewal?

Tuesday, October 21 Read James 4:6–10
God resists the proud but gives grace to the humble. Humility isn’t thinking less of yourself, it’s thinking rightly about yourself in light of who God is. True humility bows before God, admitting dependence and surrendering control. When we humble ourselves, we make room for God’s grace to work. Are there areas where pride keeps you from depending fully on God? How can you practice humility in your relationships and daily choices?

Wednesday, October 22 Read Jeremiah 29:12–13
God promises that when we seek Him with all of our hearts, we will find Him. Seeking God is more than an occasional glance in His direction, it’s a pursuit that reshapes our priorities. When we seek God first, everything else falls into place. How can you make seeking God a greater priority this week? What tends to distract your heart from fully pursuing Him?

Thursday, October 23 Read Philippians 4:6–7
Prayer is the bridge between worry and peace. It is where we bring our needs, our sin, and our gratitude before the Lord. When God calls His people to pray, He’s not asking for empty words but for sincere dependence on Him. Prayer changes circumstances but even more, it changes us. What specific things do you need to bring before God in prayer today? How can you make prayer a rhythm, not just a reaction?

Friday, October 24 Read Psalm 51:10–12
David’s prayer for a clean heart shows that repentance is not just feeling sorry, it’s turning completely toward God. Repentance brings restoration. When we confess honestly, God doesn’t condemn; He cleanses and renews our spirit. Is there a sin or attitude you need to confess to God today? How have you experienced God’s mercy when you turned back to Him?

By The Numbers

EMBRACE 308
Total Attendance in Worship
Emerge: 211 | Traditions: 72
Nuevo Pacto: 25
Total Missions Attendance
SOUL Food:
Outreach Communion:
INVEST 461
Total Groups and Classes
Adults: 308
Youth: 59 | Children: 94
ADVANCE

Given this week:	\$196,222.28
Budget Receipts	\$16,691.01
Weekly Needs	\$21,615.00
Designated Gifts:	\$1,176.00
Renovation Gifts:	\$178,355.27

Year to Date

Non-Budget Giving	\$58,717
Budget Needs	\$883,058
Budget Giving	\$827,402

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