

A Festival of Carols and Readings

Ainsworth Choir with Brass & Strings Dr. C. David Keith, Conductor Camille Bishop, Director of Music & Organist

Sunday, December 13, 2015 Eleven O'clock

Christmas Eve Services

3 p.m. A Service for

Children & Families

5 p.m. Candlelight Communion

Music of the Season will begin at 4:30 p.m.

Sunday Worship

December 13, 2015

11:00 am Sanctuary (Joint worship service at 11:00 am only)

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Assisting with Worship

Usher for Nine O'clock
Clay Washburn

Ushers for Eleven O'clock

Russ Barber, Gregory Bushway, Gary Dunn, Emory Dunn, Jim Manley, Drew Mercer, Don Ream, Vaughan Smith, Bill Sparks, Joe Stephens & Lee Stevens

Children's Church

Tom & Elizabeth Fonner (2K/3K) Joel & Mandy Respess (4K/5K)

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I ne arrangement in the sanctuary is given to the glory of God and in honor of the Ainsworth Memorial Choir by the Flower Guild.



To Lil Cross and family upon the death of her sister, Sue Cross Savage.



Mark 15:42-47

Attendance Last Week

Nine O'clock Worship	<u> </u>
Eleven O'clock Worship	289
Total Worship Attendance	346
Sunday School	164



Cam Bishop, Director of Music

Sunday, December 13 at 11 AM

Ainsworth Choir Christmas Music with Brass & Strings



Service of the Longest Night Sunday, December 20

5:00 pm - Sanctuary

The death of friends, family, or the stresses of life can be discouraging during the Christmas season.

This service offers prayers,
music and Holy Communion.

And it is offered to all, especially those who may be struggling this season.



Celebrate the Season at Mulberry

Sunday, December 13

Ainsworth Choir Christmas Music with Brass & Strings
11:00 am Sanctuary
Family Caroling
4:00 pm

Wednesday, December 16

Macon Outreach Community Christmas Celebration 11:00 am Fellowship Hall

Sunday, December 20

Service of the Longest Night
5:00 pm Sanctuary

Thursday, December 24

Christmas Eve Services/Sanctuary

3:00 pm Family Christmas Eve Communion Service

4:30 pm Music of the Season 5:00 pm Christmas Eve Candlelight

Communion Service



Rev. Bill Culpepper, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministries

Anchored

Sundays - 5:00 pm

Youth Fellowship

Wednesdays – 6:15 pm

memorials gifts

Memorial Fund In memory of Hazel Couch by

Singing Sams Mr. & Mrs. Jack Head



Christmas Eve Homebound Communion

If you would like to either receive or serve homebound communion in the afternoon on December 24th please contact Tommy Perkins at 745-8601 or tperkins@mulberrymethodist.org no later than Monday,

Upper Rooms

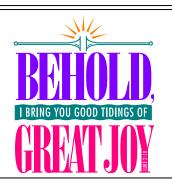
December 21st.

January/February issue of the Upper Room is available in the Atrium.



Openings for Flowers

The Flower Guild has the following openings for altar flowers:
Chapel – Sunday, January 10 & 24
Sanctuary – Sunday, January 24
If you would like to place flowers on one of these dates, please contact Carolyn Dominy at 361-1012 or cken@cox.net.





Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries



Family Advent at Mulberry

Family Caroling
December 13 - 4:00 pm

Children's Nativity

December 20 - 11:00 am Worship

Family Christmas Eve Service

December 24 - 3:00 pm Sanctuary



Wednesday Morning Bible Study at Riverside UMC

and January 13 – February 24, 2016 10:30-11:30 am

Edith Schwartz will lead the Wednesday Morning Bible Study at Riverside UMC in a study of The Gospels as depicted in the stained glass windows of Mulberry Street UMC.

Budget Report 2015

				Endowment		
Month	Revenue	Expense	Net	Revenue	Net	
Jan	65,946	96,592	(30,646)	0	(30,646)	
Feb	83,166	105,627	(22,462)	0	(22,462)	
Mar	102,146	113,483	(11,337)	6,000	(5,337)	
Apr	86,112	107,031	(20,919)	6,000	(14,919)	
May	98,658	99,700	(1,042)	6,000	4,958	
Jun	74,263	113,841	(39,578)	6,000	(33,578)	
Jul	80,661	104,878	(24,217)	6,000	(18,217)	
Aug	97,141	106,791	(9,650)	6,000	(3,650)	
Sep	96,572	120,975	(24,403)	6,000	(18,403)	
Oct	81,881	112,297	(30,416)	6,000	(24,416)	
Total YTD	866,545	1,081,215	(214,671)	48,000	(166,671)	





Macon Outreach Community Christmas Celebration Wednesday, December 16 11:00 am Fellowship Hall

memorials gifts

Macon Outreach Fund

In memory of Hattie Belle & Aubrey Elliott by Mrs. Marion Lewis

In memory of Denise Saturna by Robert & Sharon Nickels

In memory of Betsy Lewis by

Hank & Lori Martin Cloydia Dixon

In memory of Paul R. Basilico and Verna Mae Basilico by Alton Basilico

In memory of Jo Henry Baker by Sid & Susan Middlebrooks

In memory of Frank Edwards by

Elaine Williams Ray & Carolyn Kennedy Dominy

In honor of Johnny Hathcock by

Esther Circle Paula Motes Circle Stan & Pat Hathcock

In memory of Marie Williams by Becky Donovan Janice Nordan

In memory of Hazel Couch by Harold & Freeda Chapman

In honor of Rev. Creede Hinshaw by Dr. & Mrs. Rush Peace

In honor of our grand-daughters, Carys & Calissa Fonner by Dr. & Mrs. Daniel O. Fussell

In memory of Mr. & Mrs. Horace Burgamy by R. Carlton & Rosemary Dumas

DAYBREAK

There is a bucket in the atrium to receive donations to Daybreak.
Supplies Needed:
Paper Towels
Bathroom Tissue
Spray Deodorant
Disinfectant/deodorizing Spray (Lysol)
Baking Soda
Men's Crew Socks

Men's Crew Socks Disposable Razors



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Our 11 a.m. service is broadcast live over Radio Station AM 940 WMAC.



Rev. Jimmy Towson (538-9067) Rev. Tommy Perkins (615-691-3171) Rev. Bill Culpepper (803-673-7860)

This Week at Mulberry

Sunday, December 13

9:00 am Worship/Chapel
9:40 am KIDSPRAISE
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary
1:00 pm Nutcracker Cast Party/F-Hall
3:00 pm Mercer Choir Concert/Sanctuary
4:00 pm Christmas Caroling for Children & Families
6:00 pm Youth Christmas Party

Monday, December 14

12:00 pm Bibb Accountability Court Luncheon/F-Hall

Tuesday, December 15

8:30 am Prayer Group/Prayer Rm 10:30 am Staff Meeting/Conf Rm 12:00 pm Kiwanis/F-Hall 7:00 pm Young Adult Bible Study

Wednesday, December 16

9:15 am CCM Chapel
11:00 am Macon Outreach Community Christmas
Luncheon/F-Hall
12:30 pm Centering Prayer

Thursday, December 17

9:30 am Circle of Friends Sewing Group/Rm 232
110:30 am DAR Mtg/Conf Rm
11:30 am Fuller Housing Mtg/Rm 323
12:00 pm CCM Board Christmas Luncheon/Parlor
12:00 pm DAR Luncheon/F-Hall
1:00 pm Carlyle Place Communion
5:00 pm Wesley Glen Christmas Party/F-Hall

Friday, December 18

12:00 pm Heart of GA Ambassadors Luncheon/Parlor

Sunday, December 20

9:00 am Worship/Chapel 9:40 am KIDSPRAISE 9:45 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary 5:00 pm Service of the Longest Night/Sanctuary





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