



MULBERRY STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

June 28, 2015

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HAPPY TO BE HOME!

Debbie and I are so happy to be home! The old adage “absence makes the heart grow fonder” is absolutely true! We have greatly missed all of you, the beautiful music of Mulberry, the best traditional worship experience in the South Georgia Conference, and our amazing staff and volunteers!

But, God knew we would be back, and we are so glad He brought us back home! To serve as the Senior Pastor of this great, historic church is a deep honor and privilege. We firmly believe that Mulberry Street UMC is a great church with a great future! God is stirring the hearts of His people here, and has exciting plans for us all!

Thank you so much for all of your cards, notes, phone calls, texts, Facebook messages and more welcoming us to Mulberry! Thank you for standing out in the hot sun for our cookies and lemonade reception!

We have so much to be thankful for, and so much to look forward to. We hope you believe that too, and that you will join us on this journey as we follow Christ up close!

We love you!

Blessings,

Jimmy Towson



Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries

VBS Success!

We had over 110 kids and about 40 workers in our VBS this year – we put God’s love in action by making blankets and collecting food for Macon Outreach, and raising over \$700 toward the church’s water well mission trip to Nicaragua later this year. Thanks to Eric Hefner and Zaxby’s for providing a delicious lunch.



FroYo Pool Party
Wednesday, July 22
6:00- 9:00 pm
Location: TBA



Memorial Fund

*In memory of Henry “Pink” Persons, Jr. by
Mrs. Kathleen Mallory Van De Water*

Macon Outreach

*In memory of Frances Kite by
David and Lynn Bell Dr. and Mrs. Ty Ivey
Paul & Anne Riley George & Debbie Yetter*

In memory of Denise Saturna by

*Bill, Nancy, Amber and William Raines Allison Gatliff Sawyers
Lynn Rivenbark*

In memory of Wendell Barnes by Dr. J. W. Burnham, Jr.

In honor of Freeda and Harold Chapman by Albert and Kay Ray

In memory of Elsie O. Fowler by Barbara and George Hunnicutt

In memory of Pink Persons by

*Mr. and Mrs. James A. Berg Jr. Tommy & Becky Lee
Jamie Cockfield Dr. & Mrs. Edsel D. Davis*

In memory of Al Greenway by Dr. and Mrs. David Kalish

In memory of Mary Claire Macon by Stephanie Macon

In memory of Dr. C. W. “Handy” Hancock by

Ray and Carolyn Kennedy Dominy

In memory of George Jones by Ray and Carolyn Kennedy Dominy

In memory of Eunice E. Brown by Charlene Cotton

In memory of William Dorn by Jamie Cockfield

In honor of Tommy & Karen Mason by

Doris Mountjoy Paul & Anne Riley



In honor of Reilly & Wilson Brown by Mr. & Mrs. Chester A. Lowe, Jr.

In honor of Gordon & Pam Johnston by Mr. Harold Downs



Pantry Needs
Canned Tomatoes
Canned Fruit

Help Needed to Pick Up Deliveries

Pizza Hut – Zebulon Road

Mondays – 11:00 am – Pick up Pizza

Chipotle – Tom Hill Sr. Blvd.

Saturdays – 2:00 pm – Pick up food

The food can be stored in your refrigerator and be brought to Macon Outreach the next day or on Sunday at church.

If you’d like to volunteer call Robin or Debbie at 478-743-8026

or email dtowson@mulberrymethodist.org

DAYBREAK

There is a bucket in the atrium to receive donations to Daybreak.

Supply Needs:

*sugar powdered creamer spray deodorant
shower supplies toilet tissue paper towels*

Wear

Your dollar makes change.

Macon’s best kept secret for new and gently used clothing, designer brands, shoes and accessories!

Men’s, Women’s & Children’s

Monday-Saturday

11:00 am – 7:00 pm

Wear Location: 464 First Street

#DonateShopRepeat

Proceeds from Wear support DAYBREAK, Depaul USA’s day resource center for homeless men and women in Macon, GA.



Living Water Well

Mission Trip to Nicaragua

PRICE DROP Announcement! October 24-31 we are sending a team to drill a well and teach hygiene for a community in need. The cost is \$1000 + \$29 online LWI background check. Spots are currently available! Please contact Drew Mercer (478) 919-3842 or drewmercer@gmail.com and visit www.water.cc.



Congratulations to
Joe and Christina Stephens
upon the birth of their daughter,
Anna Jane Stephens
on June 18, 2015.

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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, June 28

9:00 am Worship/Chapel
 9:40 am KIDSPRAISE
 9:45 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary
 12:15 pm 4th of July Celebration Luncheon/F-Hall
 5:00 pm ANCHORED

Tuesday, June 30

8:30 am Prayer Group/Prayer Rm
 10:30 am Staff Meeting/Conf Rm
 12:00 pm Kiwanis/F-Hall

Wednesday, July 1

9:15 am CCM Chapel
 10:30 am M/O Worship
 12:30 pm Centering Prayer

Thursday, July 2

9:30 am Circle of Friends Sewing Group/Rm 232

Friday, July 3

Church Office Closed

Sunday, July 5

9:00 am Worship/Chapel
 9:40 am KIDSPRAISE
 9:45 am Sunday School
 11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary

Budget Report 2015

Month	Revenue	Expense	Net	Endowment	
				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
Total YTD	436,027	522,434	(86,407)	18,000	(68,407)



Wednesday Morning Bible Study at Riverside UMC

September 16 – October 28, 2015
 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.
 September 16 – October 28, 2015
 and January 13 – February 24, 2016.



Mulberry Street UMC Staff

Jimmy Towson, Senior Pastor
 Tommy Perkins, Associate Pastor
 Bill Culpepper, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministries
 Bruce Bishop, Church Administrator Camille Bishop, Music Director/Organist
 Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries
 Betsy Abbott, Director of Hospitality Erin Frazier, Director, Children's Center
 Ann Smith, Spiritual Director Johnny Hathcock, Director, Macon Outreach
 Sara Colvin, Financial Secretary Linda Parker, Administrative Secretary
 Doris Andrews, Church Cook/Custodian
 Custodians
 Clifton Carswell Jeffrey Smith