

# MULBERRY STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

May 14, 2017

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## Infant Recognition



On Sunday, May 14, we will recognize during the 11 o'clock worship service all the children who have been born into the Mulberry Family who are under 18 months of age.

Harris Matthews Allen  
Margaret Reeves Carroll  
Magnolia Lynn Culpepper  
Hunter Elizabeth Hines  
William Sherwood James  
Parker McHan Jones  
Gabriel Bruce Respass  
William August Rogers  
McKenna Joy Smith  
Hattaway Elizabeth Vaughn

# Sunday Worship

May 14, 2017

9:00 am Chapel

10:00 am NewRoom/Library Ballroom

11:00 am Sanctuary

**"It's Our Job"**

1 Peter 2:2-5, 9-10 (NIV)

Rev. Jimmy Towson



## Assisting with Worship

### Nine O'clock Ushers

Warren Dunn & Scott Wangen

### Eleven O'clock Ushers

Charlie Bridges, Austin Carter,  
Jason Hawkins, Baxter James, David  
Mann, Don Ream, Brett Toles, Bob Veto &  
Jim Wilson

### Children's Church

Jeremy & Brandi Hinshaw (2K/3K)  
Caroline Perkins (4K/5K)



## Altar Flowers



The flowers in the chapel are given to the glory of God and in honor of Hannah Greene by Denny & Julie Julius.

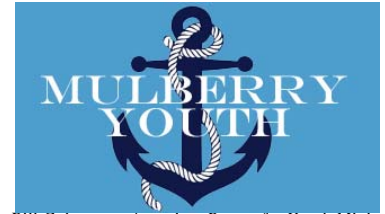
The flowers in the sanctuary are given by Mrs. Virginia Witherington to the glory of God and in loving memory of her family.

### Attendance Last Week

Nine O'clock Worship	30
NewRoom Worship	46
Eleven O'clock Worship	242
Total Worship Attendance	318
Sunday School	126



Sunday, May 14, 2017



Rev. Bill Culpepper, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministries

### Anchored

Sundays – 5:00 pm

### Wednesdays

Youth Fellowship – 6:15 pm

## Mother's Day Offering for Magnolia Manor This Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup> Supporting the League of the Good Samaritan

Please give generously this Mother's Day to support the League of the Good Samaritan at Magnolia Manor. 100% of this offering goes to resident support. About one-third of our (2000) residents depend on the compassionate support of the South Georgia Annual Conference for the housing and care they need in retirement years. Your concern and support means everything to these precious saints. The lives of thousands of older adults are depending on you. Your donations will ensure they can remain in a loving, Christian environment where they feel safe. Thank you in advance for your continued generosity and support towards this ministry.



"AS THE FATHER HAS SENT ME, I AM SENDING YOU."  
JOHN 20:21, NIV



**Mission Project**  
**Wednesday, May 10, 2017**  
**5:30 pm - Fellowship Hall**  
**Come help us pack 10,000 meals at the**  
**Mulberry Intergenerational Rise**  
**Against Hunger event.**

Many in our world are unbelievably hungry. Studies show that **792.5 million** people in the world don't get the food they need to live a healthy life. We want to do something about that! So, we have partnered with **Rise Against Hunger** to pack meals that will feed men, women and children around the world.

We have a goal to pack 10,000 meals on Wednesday, May 10 at 5:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall, and we want you to help pack them! All you have to do is show up with a willing heart and we'll provide everything you need to pack meals.

## 2017 UMW Quiet Disciple Award Winners

Congratulations to the 2017 UMW

Quiet Disciple Award winners:

Harold & Freeda Chapman

Sam & Barbara Henley

These two couples exemplify the wonderful lay people at Mulberry, quietly working behind the scenes as well as in leadership roles, making a difference to this church and to God.

Also recognized were outgoing

UMW officers: Anna Waters,

Roberta Johnstono and Carol Pope after long years of service by each.

*Mary Hurt, President UMW*



Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries



June 19-23

8:45-12 Noon

Come meet Flame and have a blast at Hero Central!

Go online to register!

Your kids will encounter God's heroes and learn how they embody qualities that make us shine like Him!! Through drama, music, crafts, snacks, science lab, recreation and a morning assembly time, we will introduce your kids to 5 Bible stories that will link the Old and New Testaments to our lives today. They will begin each morning in our courtyard, proceed inside to a morning praise time, and have a blast all day long. Below is a list of important information for you to remember.

Want to volunteer? Let Pam know!

### Part-Time Nursery Coordinator

Mulberry Street UMC seeks to hire a part-time supervisor over our church nursery staff. Hours vary, and require most Sundays. Duties include scheduling and overseeing nursery staff, making families and infants/toddlers feel welcome at the church, and maintaining safe and inviting nursery areas. Childcare and supervisory experience preferred. Please submit resume to [pjohnston@mulberrymethodist.org](mailto:pjohnston@mulberrymethodist.org)

### Budget Report 2017

Month	Gifts and Other Revenue	Endowment Revenue	Expense	Net
Jan	68,829	32,043	121,616	(20,744)
Feb	72,512	19,516	109,744	(17,746)
Mar	86,407	37,723	133,327	(9,197)
Total YTD	227,748	89,282	364,717	(47,687)



### Mulberry Community Garden



### Volunteer Gardeners

Mondays & Thursdays in the Garden – 8:00-11:00 am

## DAYBREAK

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

### Supplies Needed:

- Coffee
- Creamer
- Sugar
- Wipes (like Lysol or other disinfectant)
- Bar soap
- Belts – All sizes
- Body wash
- Spray cleaner (Lysol)



### South Georgia Annual Conference

June 4-7, 2017

Jekyll Island

Clergy members of Annual Conference

Jimmy Towson, Tommy Perkins & Bill Culpepper

Lay Members to Annual Conference

Andy & Louise Watson & Russ Barber



### Music Fund

In memory of Ruthie Jennings and Grey Brown by Mr. & Mrs. Byron Jones

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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, May 14

9:00 am Worship/Chapel  
9:30 Blue Room Kids  
9:45 am Sunday School  
10:00 am NewRoom Worship/Library Ballroom  
11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary

### Monday, May 15

1:00-3:00 pm Family Connections Mtg/Parlor  
1:00 pm Cottages on Wesleyan

### Tuesday, May 16

8:30 Prayer Group/Prayer Rm  
9:30 am Staff Meeting/Conf Rm  
12:00 pm Kiwanis/F-Hall  
5:30 pm Church Council Mtg/F-Hall

### Wednesday, May 17

9:15 am CCM Chapel  
10:30 am M/O Worship/Chapel

### Thursday, May 18

9:30 am Circle of Friends Sewing Group/Rm 232  
10:30 am DAR Mtg/Conf Rm  
12:00 pm DAR Luncheon  
1:00 pm Carlyle Place Communion  
6:30 pm CCM Graduation/Sanctuary

### Friday, May 19

5:30 pm Wedding Rehearsal/Thompson-Starling

### Saturday, May 20

6:00 pm Wedding/Thompson-Starling

### Sunday, May 21

9:00 am Worship/Chapel  
9:30 Blue Room Kids  
9:45 am Sunday School  
10:00 am NewRoom Worship/Library Ballroom  
11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary  
12:15 pm Reception for Cam Bishop, Rev. Bill Culpepper  
and Dr. David Keith/F-Hall  
5:00 pm Anchored  
6:30 pm Women's Bible Study



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**Church Council Meeting**  
**Tuesday, May 16, 2017**  
**5:30 pm**  
**Fellowship Hall**



When disaster strikes, the local church usually provides the first response. This basic understanding - that disaster response is local - helps form a foundation for UMCOR's national training and response. Early Response Teams (ERTs) fill a specific need in the early days after a disaster to clean out flood-damaged homes, remove debris, place tarps on homes, and otherwise help to prevent further damage, while providing a caring Christian presence.

Mulberry is in the process of forming our own ERT. The training for this will be held on **Saturday, May 13 from 9:00 am – 2:00 pm**. Participants must be 18 or older and have a current background check. The fee for the course is \$25 which includes ERT badge, t-shirt, textbook, and lunch. To register, please contact Sarah Inzetta at [sarahinzetta@gmail.com](mailto:sarahinzetta@gmail.com) or (478)960-9258.

## *Mulberry Street UMC Staff*

*Jimmy Towson, Senior Pastor*  
*Tommy Perkins, Associate Pastor*  
*Bill Culpepper, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministries*  
*Trevor Ward & Tyler Giles, Worship Leaders*  
*Bruce Bishop, Church Administrator*    *Camille Bishop, Music Director/Organist*  
*Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries*  
*Betsy Abbott, Director of Hospitality*    *Karen Carter, Connections Director*  
*Sara Colvin, Financial Secretary*    *Linda Parker, Administrative Secretary*  
*Doris Andrews, Church Cook/Custodian*  
*Clifton Carswell & Jeffrey Smith, Custodians*  
*Annette Avant, Interim Director, Children's Center*  
*Debbie Towson, Director, Macon Outreach*