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Children's Church - BIG changes coming! Be watching for details... It's gonna be out-of-this-world good!

Acolyte Training There will be a training session for all acolytes **Sunday, September 10th** from 2:00 - 4:00 pm. We will meet in the Sanctuary. This is an important ministry in the church and all children (3rd grade and up) are invited to be a part of it. If you have any questions please talk with Tracey Landreth.

KidzQuest - Hey Kids! Sign up for this year's KidzQuest retreat set for **September 22nd—24th** at Epworth By The Sea. This is definitely going to be a GAME CHANGER as we learn how Christ gives us a new life! Sign up and prepare to get wowed by Clayton Poland, speaker and game show entertainer. To register, fill out the registration form (located at the Welcome Station in the Narthex) and give to Tracey. Cost for the retreat is \$135 per person and includes meals, cabin lodging, t-shirt and an AWESOME weekend of fun!! KidzQuest is open to all children in the 3rd thru 6th grade. For more information, see Tracey Landreth.

Scarlet Movement (6th -12th) Director of Student Ministries: Ben Lee
923-3737, ext. 111 youth@fumcwrgea.org

Protect This House – We are in a six-week series focusing on the whole armor of God. This is a season of equipping young folks for day in, day out life. There's no better time to be intentional about inviting friends to come hang out!

New Sunday Evening Schedule – All grades (6th – 12th) meet together as one combined group again this school year. We meet each Sunday evening from 5:00—7:00 pm.

Wednesday Evening Bible Study – Wednesday Night Supper is at 6:00 pm (reservation required), with Bible study in the youth room from 6:30-7:30 pm. We will be exploring Paul's letter to the church at Rome.

Podcasts – We are pleased to announce that all of our Sunday evening teaching series are available. If a student has to miss a Sunday for any reason, she or he will be able to listen during the week and be right on track the following Sunday evening. We chose to go with SoundCloud for our publishing platform, with both desktop and mobile app available for free. Once in SoundCloud, search "Ben Lee Simplify," to find and subscribe to our channel.

The Space Between (18-25 yr. old) Director: Ben Lee
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Hope – We are in a series focused on examining our expectations and determining our desires through the lens of faith. This has been a revealing series so far, one that you do not want to miss the rest of!

Cheerful Cherubs Director: Denise Andrews
922-8448 cheerfulcherubs@fumcwrgea.org

We are so grateful for the support from staff and church members! We feel so Blessed!! (P.S. We still have some apples on the tree in the hallway!)

UMW President: Sharon Waugh
478-329-8082 swaugh@bellsouth.net

North Central District Annual UMW Meeting will be **September 16th** at Riverside UMC and the SGC UMW Annual Meeting on **October 21st** at Statesboro FUMC.

Financial Peace University What if you were following a plan for your money that you KNEW worked? With Dave Ramsey's class Financial Peace University, you CAN take control of your money, get out of debt, and create a plan for your future. If you're interested in learning more about the class contact Ken Morgan at the church. We are offering it beginning **Sunday, September 10th** from 4:00-6:00 pm with childcare is available The course will run for nine (9) weeks.

Monday Morning Ladies Bible Study All ladies are invited to a seven-week study entitled, *Wonder Struck: Awaken to the Nearness of God*, by Margaret Fienberg. This study will meet on Mondays at 9:30 am, beginning **September 11th**, led by Glenda Wallace.

Gaither Vocal Band in Concert on **October 28th** at 6:00 pm at the Macon City Auditorium. If you are interested in going to this concert please contact Gene Youmans at 747-2042.

Baby Shower There will be a baby shower on **Sunday, September 10th** from 3:00-4:00 pm for Charlie Grace, new baby daughter of Lyndon Meadows & Brittany Malone. Proud grandparents are Thomas & Arcia Reynolds. They are registered at Target.

Wedding Shower There will be a wedding shower on **Sunday, September 24th** from 3:00-4:30 pm for Michael Meeks and Emily Bailey. We will meet in the Joyful Noise SS Room. They are registered at Bed, Bath & Beyond, Target & Lowes

Wednesday Night Supper

September 6th @ 6:00 pm
Program: 1 John Bible Study
Menu: Lasagna, Salad, Bread & Dessert

Adults \$6.25/Children (3-12) \$4.25 /Toddlers under 3 - \$1.00 (Family max. of \$26). Reservations must be made/cancelled by 4:30 pm, Monday by completing the form located in the pew on Sunday morning or call Tracey at 923-3737, ext. 107. **If you do not cancel your reservations, you are responsible for payment.**



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New Sunday Morning Schedule

Oh come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker! ~Psalm 95:6

Sing to the Lord, for he has done wonderful things. Make known His praise around the world. ~Isaiah 12:5

God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth. ~John 4:24

For where two or three are gathered in My name, there am I among them. ~Matthew 18:20

We have been given the beautiful privilege of coming together to worship Jesus. Whether it is joined together in our worship services or in our Sunday School classes, we come with great expectation that we are about to be encountered by our Great God – Father, Son, and Holy Spirit!

In our ongoing efforts to offer an inviting ministry environment for people to worship the Lord, we are changing the start times for our worship services and Sunday School. The new schedule will begin on **September 3rd** and go as follows:

- ◆ 9:00 am – Traditional Service
- ◆ 10:00 am – Sunday School
- ◆ 11:00 am – Blended Service (As we currently worship at 10:50am)
- ◆ 12:30 pm – The Table – Simple Worship – Building C

This is an excellent time to invite family and friends who may not be involved with a church family to come and worship Jesus with us at First! All three worship services provide different ways for us to joyfully come into the presence of Jesus and praise His Great Name!

In Christ,

Ken

Sunday Servants

TV Crew: Producer: Terry Landreth; Camera: Steven Landreth; TV Sound: Donna Bartoe; Sanctuary Sound: Eric Churcher; Character Generator: Bill Meilinger; Powerpoint: 8:30: Ellen Griffith & 10:50: Lori Gorny

Ushers: Captain: Jack Culpepper; Ted Clements, Ed Harris, Mark Hess, Ken McCall, James Phillips

Greeters: Helen Echols, Tracey Wright, Daniel Aaron

Shepherds: Patrick Barber & Terry Price

Acolytes: Chloe Moore & Tess Rollins

Children's Church: Kylin Poth; Mary Davidson, Laura Brown

Nursery: Bruce Gorny, Liz Waits, Danielle Gooch

Flowers in the Sanctuary have been placed by Lex & Jenny Stokes to the glory of God and in celebration of their grandson Walker's baptism & Liam's 3rd birthday!

News of Our Members

Birthdays this Week: **Aug. 31:** Carlton Driskell, Walter Ranew; **Sept. 1:** Jon Tallet; **Sept. 3:** DC McDowell, Joel Brock; **Sept. 4:** Blanche Bounds, Jim Saddler; **Sept. 6:** Anna Schmitz

In the Hospital:

Houston Healthcare: Pat Hartley

Home from the Hospital:

Ann Ray

Independent, Assisted Living & Nursing Home Residents:

Antebellum Grove: Joan Warren, Carolyn Reeves

Southern Heritage: Barbara Jansky

Summer's Landing: Mary Duke, Marie Nelson, Clarence Channell, Sr.,

Marjorie Girmsey, Bill Wight

The Lodge: Betty Lowe, Walter Ranew

Magnolia Manor: Odessa McMinn

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President: Mark Phillips

mark.phillips233@gmail.com

Our next men's meeting will be **Tuesday, September 5th** at 6:00 pm in Carter Hall. Steve French will be speaking about the TruckStop Ministry where he serves as chaplain. Reservations are \$6. Contact Joe Wunderlin at 284-1813.

Disciple Fast Track is a 24-week intensive, engaged study of the entire Bible. Participants will encounter 12 weeks of the Old Testament and 12 weeks of the New Testament spanning the entire Bible. Sessions will be offered on Tuesday morning from 10:00 to 11:30 and Tuesday evening from 6:00 – 7:30. The study requires a commitment from each participant to read 3-5 chapters of the Bible daily and to attend the study sessions each week. The study will be facilitated by Nancy Lee Cater, Gerald Boyd, and Carole Carson. Classes will begin with an orientation session on **September 12th**. Join a group of committed friends in this Bible study. Deadline for registration is **Sunday, September 3rd**. Call Dottie in the Church Office (923-3737, ext. 101) to sign-up.

Prayer List

Jim Arnett (fr. of Kelly Cofield)	Ben Lowery
Bo Arnold (cous. of Donald Rhodes)	Betty & John Massey (Mother & step father of Sharon Tallet)
Donna Barfield (fr. of C. Armstrong)	*Bill Meeks
Carleen Bishop (step-mom of Joann Price)	*Johnny Mitchell (s-i-l of Joyce Phillips)
Ricky Bishop (father of Joann Price)	Don & Shelia Morgan
Cheryl Blankenship (stepmother of Amber Blumenthal)	Jeremy Morgan
Gene Bowen (father of Donna Smith)	Ann Parsons
Diane Brown (fr. of C. Armstrong)	Donna Poche (mom of Donna Bartoe)
Rick Brusckke (son of Mary Brusckke)	Walter Ranew
Bob Byers (fr. of David Payne)	Ann Ray
Anne Carpenter (sister of Nancy Payne)	Mary Dale Reynolds (fr. Of Nancy Lee)
Jere Cater	Cater)
Leo Childers (nephew of Margaret Lanier)	Brandy Rusk (fr. of Donna Bartoe)
James Clements, Jr.	Sandy Scaggs
Charles Cofield (father of Paul Cofield)	Verna Scott
Sue Cuppett	Dean Smith (aunt of Patrice Strader)
Mac Derrick	Zell Stephen
Robert Grieco (b-i-l of Donna Bartoe)	Libby & Danny Surrency (family of Ann Ray)
*Paul Harrell (fr. Of Nell Isgates' daughter)	Steve Swimmer (fam. of Bill Lanier)
*Pat Hartley	Jon & Sharon Tallet
Justin Harter (fr. of Ann Ray)	Vicki & Pat Thomas (sis/b-i-l of Sharon Tallet)
Clayton Howard	Jack Warner (father of Karen Warner)
Mitzi Howard & Family	Karen Warner
Pam Ivey (fr. of Gillilands)	Gail Woods (fr. of Nancy Lee Cater)
*Oren Johnson (bro. of Mary Johnson)	Regina Vinson (fr. of Nancy Lee Cater)
Mildred Kitchens (g.mother of Donna Smith)	
Sue & Randall Landers (sis/b-i-l of Doris Meeks)	

Snax Sax If you are interested in helping with Snax Sax, please contact Nicole Rosser at nickiornicole@gmail.com. We need help preparing the bags on Wednesday at 9:00 am and also delivering the bags on Thursday anytime after 1:30 and before 4:00 pm. We will start delivering the Snax Sax the first week of September. If you would like to help with donations, we are in need of the following items: Raisins, juice, and crackers. Also, any monetary gifts would be greatly appreciated.

In Case of Emergency

In the event of an emergency after hours, you may call the church at 923-3737 and press 5 during the greeting. Follow the instructions to leave a message. The phone system will notify the pastors. You may also call them at home.

Prayer Chain:

Windy Smith 922-4923
Dot Moore 929-1348

Prayer Pager:

749-2200

Church Happenings

Sunday, September 3rd:
 9:00 AM Early Worship
 10:00 AM Sunday School
 10:20 AM Chancel Choir Rehearsal
 11:00 AM Worship Service
 12:30 PM The Table Worship in C/H
 3:00 PM Hispanic Worship
 4:30 PM Praise Band Rehearsal
 5:00 PM Scarlet Movement
 6:00 PM Sunday Bells

Monday, September 4th: LaborDay
 OFFICE CLOSED
 12:30 PM "The Kitchen"

Tuesday, September 5th:
 2-4:00 PM Food Pantry

Wednesday, September 6th:
 5:00 PM Bellatonix
 5:15 PM Little Angels (3-4 yr. olds)
 5:15 PM Cherub Choir (5K - 1st grade)
 5:15 PM Praise Kids (2nd-6th grade)
 6:00 PM Wednesday Night Supper
 6:30 PM Scarlet Movement
 6:40 PM 1 John Bible Study
 6:40 PM Solid Rock Ringers (3rd - 5th grades)
 6:40 PM Good Times Chimes (1st - 2nd grades)
 7:30 PM Chancel Choir

Thursday, September 7th:
 2-4:00 PM Food Pantry
 7:30 PM The Space Between

Friday, September 8th:
 12:30 PM "The Kitchen"

Saturday, September 9th:
 9-12:00 PM Flea Market Drop-off

Our Faithfulness

Attendance: Aug. 27th:

Early Worship	32
Sunday School	143
Worship:	219
The Table:	11

Our Tithes & Offerings:

Needed Monthly for Budget:	\$ 70,598.00
Receipts for 8/27:	\$ 60,512.56

Wednesday Supper Reservations

Name: _____ Permanent? Y N
 Adults _____ Children (3-12) _____ Toddlers (under 3) _____ If you have a permanent reservation and will NOT be at supper, you **must** cancel by **4:30 pm on Monday or you will be responsible for payment.** *First time visitors are free.*
Please make reservations.