

The Soundings

October 2, 2019

Invite Grow Serve



October 6, 2019

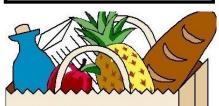
"The Bread Christ Offers" John 6:35, 51-58

Traditional Worship 8:30 & 11:00 Sanctuary

Contemporary Worship 9:45 Chapel

Rev. Tom Jones
Senior Pastor

Rev. Richard Soper Associate Pastor



SHOPPING LIST

Sparrow's Nest Needs

Soap

Shampoo

Tooth Brush/Tooth Paste

Detergent

Shampoo

Canned Vegetables

Canned Fruit

Canned Meat

Soup

Diapers, size 5 & 6

World Communion Sunday

This Sunday is a special day on the Christian calendar. It is World Communion Sunday. All around the world Christians will gather to receive Holy Communion. As a result various types of bread and fruit of the vine will be used. Different methods of serving the elements will be put into practice. Some will pray the Lord's Prayer in English; others in Spanish, Korean, and in many other languages.

But though we are different, we all pray the same prayer. We all worship the same God. We all come to the table that has been prepared for us. We come to remember that Jesus gave himself for all of us. It is God's love and sacrifice that binds us together – in our church and with Christians everywhere.

When we gather at the Lord's Table, we will be reminded of the words of Jesus when he said, "I am the bread of life. Whoever comes to me will never be hungry, and whoever believes in me will never be thirsty." (John 35:6).

Jesus is life-giving bread - to all who trust and believe in him. We are called to celebrate his presence among us with people around the world. Even though we may look different and speak different languages, through the gift of God's love and grace we are one body - the body of Christ!

I look forward to sharing in this special day of worship with you.

Blessings,

Tom

Communion Sunday Food Pantry Needs

In August Sparrow's Nest was able to provide food to 463 families with your help.

"We are so grateful for our generous food and monetary donations each month from all of you, as well as the community. We could not serve those in need without you!!"

Sabra Slade Sparrow's Nest Manager



Please remember, you may still mail your Estimate of Giving card, bring it by the church office, or place it in the offering plate on Sunday.

Thank you for your continued faithfulness!

PRAYER CONCERNS:

 New names for this week will be highlighted.

 If you would like to be removed from this list, please call the church Vicky Adams, Bud Avret, Diana Bailey, Rita Barford, John Barton, Amris Bedford, Paula Brown, Gene Cariker, John Childs, Mary Corbitt, Meg Cradduck, Janice Dumas, Pat Gossage, Connie Hallowes, Paul Heymann, Janice Horn, Rhonda Howton, Barbara Jensen, Jim Jensen, John Justice, Drew Lawrence, Shannon Lemmon, Ed McKenzie, Karen McLawhorn, Nathan Meadows, Meyers Family, Miller Family, Mitchell Family, Tom Morris, Murphy Family, Marie Neel, Jimmy Orr, Becky Outlaw, Betty Pierce, Dick Pipe, Jan Powell, Don Proctor, George Raiford, Debbie Slavik, Mary Stivers, Charles Taylor, Weldon Thalacker, Bonnie Tippett, Brooklyn Wagner, Stephanie Watson, Judy Whelan, Michael Whelan, Paul Wilska, Dick Wilton, Chandler Woods, Bobbé Wooldridge, Hollis Youngner, Beverly Zeller, and our Nation.

Magnolia Manor: JoAnne Alford, Jan Dorsey, Jack Jenkins, Marjorie Lawrence, Debby Lloyd, Pat Miller, Norma Mock, Joyce Parry, Charlotte Petty, Miriam Tucker, Larry Varnadoe, Effie Walker Sr. Care: Anne Pinson

Addington Place: Carolyn Lovell, Leonard Mann, Nancy Reynolds

Servicemen/Servicewomen: CPT Clay A. Alexander, LTC Tim Buehn, SGT Jonathon Carmichael, Master SGT David Hoffer, CPT Chris House, Mason K. James, Col Denise Mull, PO1 George Quigley, Maj. Susan C. Stahl, Lt Col Tad Woolfe, and all our service men and women.

To add or remove a name from our prayer list, please contact the church office.

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MEMBERS IN MINISTRY - October 6, 2019

USHERS:

8:30 Jimmy Beasley, Ranny Blount, Janice Lee, Tom Smith11:00 Kevin Brandon, Sonny Doehring, David Miller, Don Varnadoe

GREETERS:

8:30 Faye George, Bill & Tina Kirby
9:45 Carol Conner, Meg Cradduck
11:00 Stella Avret, June Smith

PROJECTION:

8:30 Robin Parmelee 11:00 Ashley Swann

HOSPITALITY: Set Up: Tom Holmes / Clean up: TBD

ALTAR ANGELS: Faye Moore, Lyle & Vickie Bandy

COMMUNION SERVERS:

8:30 Lee & Susan Watkins 9:45 Sandee & Bill Lukitsch 11:00 Clif & Debbie Pease

PRAYER ASSISTANTS:

8:30 Bill Pickard, Chuck Milliken 9:45 JR & Judy Wright

11:00 Betty Sharp, John Lindgren

Memorials & Honorarium

In Memory of my brother-in-law Walter Barton from Evelyn Murphy

In Memory of Steve Dixon and Chad Dixon (to Preschool) from Judith Dixon

In Memory of Patty Hostetler from Judith Dixon

In Memory of Jim Dixon from Seekers Sunday School Class

In Memory of Jim Dixon and Nancy Barnes from Pam Lewis

OUR PRESENCE - September 29, 2019				
8:30 Worship Service	97	Membership	1072	
9:45 Worship Service	66	New Members in 2019	32	
11:00 Worship Service	153			
Children's Church	10			
TOTAL	326	Sunday School	100	

STEWARDSHIP - September 29, 2019			
Tithes & Offerings Received	\$31,345.20		
Received YTD	\$783,398.05		
Expenses YTD	\$801,534.19		
Difference	-\$18,136.14		
Building Fund YTD	\$4,554.00		



Our Christian love and sympathy are expressed to these families on the loss of their loved ones:

..To Evelyn & Wayne Murphy, whose brother-in-law, Walter Barton from Buford, GA died on September 24

..To David Miller, whose mother Martha N. Miller died on September 27. Her memorial service will be at 11:00am on Saturday, October 5 at

Brunswick First United Methodist Church.

..To Jennifer & Dan Meyers family on the death of Jennifer's grandmother, Sara Lynn Milton, who died Saturday, September 28.

.. To Sharon Mitchell on the death of her daughter-in-law, Lori Mitchell, who died on Saturday, September 28 at Tampa, FL.

Please keep these families in your prayers.

INVITE

CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES



JOIN US ON WEDNESDAYS AT 5:30PM
5:30PM CHILDREN'S CHOIR
6:00PM PIZZA DINNER
6:20PM CHILDREN'S BIBLE FUN
7:00PM PICK UP UPSTAIRS

SAM \$10 buck dinner and entertainment featuring "Muleskinner Mike" has been rescheduled to Thursday 10/24/19.

Please call the church office if you can join us for dinner and an amusing performance by the very talented Mike Culver.

Dinner menu includes roasted chicken, green beans, macaroni and cheese, green salad, rolls, & apple pie.

Saints & Sinners Luncheon

Tuesday, October 8 at Noon in the Thorpe Bldg.

Presentation by Georgian author Tom Denard.

He will tell us about his latest book

"In Defense of Murder".

Entrée is Mild Italian Sausage w/Peppers & Onions. Cost is \$4, bring a side dish to share.

Please RSVP to the church office to let us know you are coming.



Church Clean Up Saturday, October 5 @ 9am Call the church office if you can help!

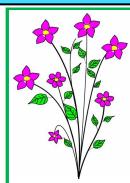
UNITED METHODIST WOMEN'S PECAN SALE

Pecans can now be ordered in the Gholson Room every Sunday until October 13.

We will be selling halves, pieces, salted and roasted, chocolate, and glazed pecans. Cost is \$11.

Proceeds of this sale benefit several local missions.





Footprints (Widows Support Group) will meet on Tuesday, October 8 at noon at the Westin on Jekyll Island

The Chronic Pain Support Group will meet Thursday, October 10 at 3 pm in the Parlor.

For more information on these groups, please call Susan Hoshall at 912-399-5454



<u>Parent Meeting & Pumpkin</u> Patch Shift Sign Up

Sunday, October 6 at 9:45 in the Youth Room Upstairs



The UMW
Healthy Planet
Tip of the Month

Healthy 🗐 Planet

The following items cannot be recycled in Glynn

County's Single-Stream Recycling bin - diapers or biohazardous waste, electronics, scrap metal or auto parts, frozen food boxes, waxed cardboard such as milk cartons, caps and lids. For information on what to do with some of these items, call (912) 554-7111.



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OCTOBER 3 - OCTOBER 11, 2019

Thursday, October 3

7:00 am 707 Group, Thorpe Bldg. 9:30 am Staff Meeting, Youth Room

6:00 pm Long Range Planning Meeting, Room 207

Friday, October 4

7:30 am Men's Bible Study

6:00 pm Worship Concert, First Baptist, Brunswick

Saturday, October 5

9:00 am Church Clean Up (9-Noon)

Sunday, October 6

8:30 am Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary
 9:15 am Coffee & Donuts, Gholson Room
 9:45 am Contemporary Worship Service, Chapel
 9:45 am Parent Meeting & Patch Sign Up, Youth Room
 9:45 am Sunday School Classes

5.45 dill Sullday School Classes

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary

5:30 pm MYF First Sunday Meal

Monday, October 7

9:00 am Prayer Team, Parlor
11:00 am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.
4:00 pm Stephen Ministry, Room 202
5:30 pm Trustee Meeting, Room 203
7:00 pm Men's Bible Study, Gholson area



Tuesday, October 8

7:30 am Men's Reunion Group, Room 203

10:00 am Men's Life, Room 203

10:30 am Circle 2, Parlor

12:00 pm Saints & Sinners, Thorpe Bldg.

12:00 pm Footprints Group, Westin on Jekyll Island

1:30 pm Women's Life, Room 204
5:30 pm Handbells, Choir Room

6:00 pm Cub Scouts, Thorpe Bldg.

7:00 pm Boy Scouts, Thorpe Bldg.

Wednesday, October 9

7:00 am 707 Group, Thorpe Bldg. 11:00 am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.

5:30 pm Children's Choir, Dinner & Bible Study

6:30 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday, October 10

7:00 am 707 Group, Thorpe Bldg. 3:00 pm Chronic Pain Group, Parlor

Friday, October 11

7:30 am Men's Bible Study Pumpkins Arrive!!