

The Soundings

October 9, 2019

Invite Grow Serve



October 13, 2019

Guest Preacher: Rev. Dr. John Stephens

"Christian Simplicity: Unplug and Connect"

Colossians 3:12-14 Ecclesiastes 4:9-10

Traditional Worship 8:30 & 11:00 Sanctuary

Contemporary Worship 9:45 Chapel

> Rev. Tom Jones Senior Pastor

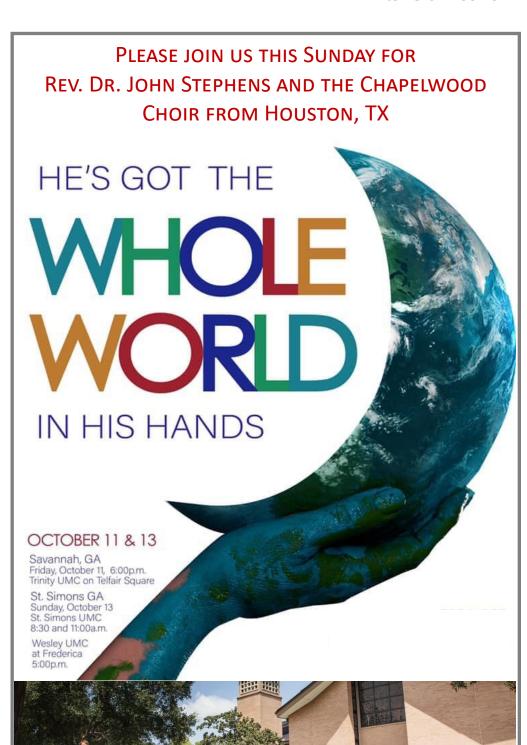
Rev. Richard Soper Associate Pastor



Through your generous support, we have received 139 Estimate of Giving cards, totaling \$625,986.00 as of October 7, including 17 new cards.

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 to our church!



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, **Avret Family**, Diana Bailey, Rita Barford, John Barton, Amris Bedford, Gene Cariker, **Sherri Chambless**, Mary Corbitt, Meg Cradduck, **Lanier Dobrenic**, **Mary Ann Douglass**, Janice Dumas, Pat Gossage, Connie Hallowes, Janice Horn, Rhonda Howton, Barbara Jensen, Jim Jensen, **Jim Knepp**, Drew Lawrence, Shannon Lemmon, Karen McLawhorn, Nathan Meadows, Tom Morris, Marie Neel, **Jeremy Nottingham**, **Jimmy Orr**, Becky Outlaw, **William Perry**, Dick Pipe, Jan Powell, **Don Proctor**, George Raiford, **Claire Roush**, Mary Stivers, Charles Taylor, **Ted Teale**, Weldon Thalacker, **Thomas Family**, Bonnie Tippett, 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.

SERVE

MEMBERS IN MINISTRY - October 13, 2019

USHERS:

8:30 Steve Tucker, Ed Gossage, Richie Sipe, Carolyn Vann
11:00 Mike Fitzgerald, Bill Hansen, Robert Jenkins, Jeff Parker,

Randall Rehberg, Phil Shinall, Charles Taylor

GREETERS:

8:30 Tim & Edie Vinson

9:45 Wayne & Mary Rentz, Pam Rehberg11:00 Sherry Pickett, Cyndy Franklin, Jamie Wiles

PROJECTION:

8:30 Robin Parmelee 11:00 Ashley Swann

HOSPITALITY: Worship Committee

ALTAR ANGELS: Faye Moore, Lyle & Vickie Bandy



Our Christian love and sympathy are expressed to these families on the loss of their loved ones. We are praying they will sense God's peace in a way that brings rest to their heart during this difficult time.

..To the family of Betty Pierce, who passed away on September 29, 2019 at Hospice House in Greenwood, SC. There will be a memorial service at St. Mark's UMC in Greenwood on October 19, 2019

at 11:00am with visitation at 10am. If you would like to send a card to the family, please send to Holly Mock, 249 Oak Ridge Dr. Greenwood, SC 29649-3430

..To Judi & Buddy Thomas on the death of her father, John M Crichton, who died on October 2, 2019 at Hospice Satilla Hospice House in Waycross, GA.

..To Stella & Bud Avret on the death of their daughter, Catherine Berrie, who died on October 4, 2019 in Brunswick. A memorial service will be held in the chapel of St. Simons UMC on October 20 at 3:00pm. Cards can be sent to the Avrets at 105 Vassar Point Dr, SSI.

OUR PRESENCE - October 6, 2019				
8:30 Worship Service	101	Membership	1071	
9:45 Worship Service	82	New Members in 2019	32	
11:00 Worship Service	212			
Children's Church				
TOTAL	395	Sunday School	85	

STEWARDSHIP - October 6, 2019	
Tithes & Offerings Received	\$23,166.00
Received YTD	\$806,464.05
Expenses YTD	\$843,210.79
Difference	-\$36,746.74
Building Fund YTD	\$4,769.00

Memorials

In Memory of Jim Dixon
from Gerry Egger
Arthur Pittman

In Memory of Martha Miller

from Pam Lewis

We've lost track of some members. If you have a <u>valid address</u> or phone number for any of them, please contact the church office.

Sandra Armour, Carolyn Borem, Bobbi Jo Ethier, Elizabeth Hildebrand, Forester & Cyndi Scarboro, Robert H. Taylor.

INVITE



Wednesday, Oct. 30th!



Join us in decorating a car or donating candy!

Don't forget to sign up in the Gholson Room to reserve your trunk space for our night of fun, costumes, treats and dinner!!

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

Please call the church office if you can join us for dinner & fun!



Jacksonville Symphony Holiday Pops Coffee Concert featuring the Symphony choir, guest singers & dancers performing favorite holiday classics is scheduled for Friday, December 6. Cost is \$55pp for tickets and transportation. This event is always sold out, make your reservation today!

save the date

- Friday, October 11— Help UNLOAD PUMPKINS for Pumpkin Patch!
- Thursday, October 17— Eugenia Price Trip
- Sunday, October 20—
 Pancakes in the Patch (9am-Noon)
- Thursday, October 24—10 Buck Dinner with Muleskinner Mike
- Sunday, October 27—
 Church in the Park, Neptune Park at 10:30pm
- Sunday, October 27—
 Charge Conference at College Place UMC at 3pm
- Wednesday, October 30—
 Trunk or Treat at 5:30pm
- Saturday, November 9—
 Angela Primm in Concert at 7pm,
 SSUMC Sanctuary

Church Council Meeting

The Church Council will meet on Monday, October 14, 6:30pm, in room 201. Please note the change in time from 6:00 to 6:30. Several items related to the business of our annual Charge Conference will be conducted at this meeting. All Church Council members are encouraged to attend this important meeting.

Have you cancelled your landline for a cell #? Did you change your email address? Please forward your updated information to the Church office (912-638-3317) so we can keep our records current.



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OCTOBER 10 - OCTOBER 17, 2019

Thursday, October 10

7:00 am3:00 pm707 Group, Thorpe Bldg.3:00 pmChronic Illness Group, Parlor

MYF, Youth Room

Friday, October 11

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

Sunday, October 13

5:30 pm

8:30 am Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary, Chapelwood Choir
9:15 am Coffee & Donuts, Gholson Room
9:45 am Contemporary Worship Service, Chapel
9:45 am Sunday School Classes
11:00 am Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary, Chapelwood Choir
5:00 pm Circle 5, Room 207

LAST CHANCE TO ORDER PECANS FROM UMW LOOK FOR THE TABLE IN THE GHOLSON ROOM

Monday, October 14

9:00 am Prayer Team, Parlor
11:00 am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.
5:30 pm Finance Committee Meeting, Room 203
6:30 pm Church Council, Room 201
7:00 pm Men's Bible Study, Gholson area

Tuesday, October 15

7:30 am Men's Reunion Group, Room 203
10:00 am Men's Life, Room 203
12:30 pm Circle 5, ECHO Restaurant
1:30 pm Women's Life, Room 204
6:00 pm Cub Scouts, Thorpe Bldg.
7:00 pm Boy Scouts, Thorpe Bldg.
7:00 pm Circle 1, Parlor

Wednesday, October 16

7:00 am 707 Group, Thorpe Bldg. 8:00 am Prayer Hedge, Library 11:00 am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg. 5:30 pm Children's Choir, Dinner & Bible Study

6:30 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday, October 17

7:00 am 707 Group, Thorpe Bldg. 9:30 am Trip to Eugenia Price's Home No Women's Bible Study today