

The Soundings

February 5, 2020

Invite Grow Serve

Fantastic Fabulous February Fundraise St. Simons United Methodist Preschool

PLEASE JOIN US SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9 FOR BREAKFAST AND OUR AWESOME SILENT AUCTION!!! 9AM-12:30PM



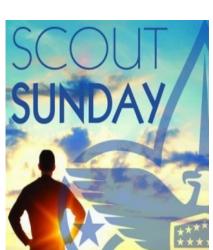
On behalf of St. Simons United Methodist Preschool, THANK YOU!!! Thank you for your generous donations of items and sponsorships to our silent auction this Sunday, February 9th. Thank you for not missing Sunday morning donuts and, instead, coming over to Thorpe to enjoy a pancake breakfast with sausage, bacon, fruit, juice, and coffee. Thank you for coming to check out the items for the auction and putting in a bid. This year, we have 4 upgraded RSM 2020 tickets with caps and cups! A four person air tour of the Golden Isles. We have restaurant gift certificates, art, fitness items and packages, portrait packages, décor items, and so much more! Most of all, thank you for loving this preschool ministry and the families that it serves.

- Mary Brittain









Scouting Ministry Sunday is on February 9. As a part of our celebration of this special day our Troop 248 members will be conducting an After School Snack Food Drive to benefit Safe Harbor Children's Center. This includes items such as small juice boxes, granola or energy bars, snack pack sizes of Goldfish, cheese cracker or peanut butter cracker packages, etc. Please support our Boy Scouts in this effort by bringing your donations to the Gholson Room this Sunday, February 9. The Boy Scouts are very appreciative of your support!



February 9, 2020

Be Prepared

1 Sam. 17:41-50a

Traditional Worship 8:30 & 11:00 Sanctuary

Contemporary Worship 9:45 Chapel

Rev. Tom Jones Senior Pastor Rev. Richard Soper Associate Pastor

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MENUS

February 12: Low country mac & cheese w/smoked sausage, shrimp, corn & green beans

February 19: Chicken and rice & sautéed broccoli

February 26: Angel hair pasta w/chicken, mozzarella & pesto with mixed veggies

Each meal includes a salad, dessert & beverage (\$8/adult, \$4/child, \$28 family)

**(Please specify if you want to be on the <u>permanent RSVP list</u>)

**RSVP by noon Monday if you are coming 638-3317 or joann@stsimonsumc.com

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, Diana Bailey, John Barton, Caldwell Family, Jeff Carmichael, Rev. Gene Cariker, Kathleen Coody, Mary Corbitt, Larry Daugherty, Janice Dumas, Rev. Glenn Ethridge, Pat Gossage, Connie Hallowes, Elwanda Hopkins, Kevin Kuhl, Holly Lamb, Drew Lawrence, Shannon Lemmon, Stan Lindgren, Kathy Lupo, Ann Nermoe, Bob McCredie, Nathan Meadows, Tad Meeks, Mildred Moore, Laura Moulton, Marie Neel, Mathew North, Jimmy & Barbara Orr, Sandy Peterson, Bill & Ann Pickard, Dick Pipe, Don & Mable Proctor, George Raiford, Helen Schroder, Rick Siegmann, Bill Sisco, Nick Spates, Mary Stivers, Cora Stoltzman, Charles Taylor, Ted & Bunny Teale, Lori Thomas, Weldon Thalacker, Jonathon Vice, Erica Viscano, Stephanie Watson, Susan Webb, Judy Whelan, Michael Whelan, Paul Wilska, Dick Wilton, Bobbé Wooldridge, Beverly Zeller, and our Nation.

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

Addington Place: Carolyn Lovell, 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, 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.

MEMBERS IN MINISTRY - February 9, 2020

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: Traditional Worship Committee **ALTAR ANGELS:** Lyle & Vickie Bandy, Faye Moore

STEWARDSHIP - February 2, 2020				
Tithes & Offerings Received			\$29,104.41	
Received YTD			\$115,836.92	
Expenses YTD			\$74,399.19	
Difference			\$41,437.73	
Building Fund YTD			\$830.00	
OUR PRESENCE - February 2, 2020				
8:30 Worship Service	121	Membership		1072
9:45 Worship Service	71	New Members in 2020		5
11:00 Worship Service	217			
TOTAL	409			



FYI- Newsletters will be sent by E-blast (thru email) ONLY starting February 19th. If you want a copy mailed to your residence, please contact the church office by February

14th at 912-638-3317 to request one. (You can always access the newsletter on our web page also).



Learn Where You Can Fit In!

All guests, including those who are considering membership in our church, are invited to an Orientation Class led by Tom Jones. The class will be held on Sunday,

February 16, during the Sunday School hour, from 9:45 to 10:45. The class will meet in the church library located on the second floor of the adult education building. Topics to be covered in the class will include United Methodist history, United Methodist beliefs, and an overview of the ministries of our church. Please contact Tom Jones at tom@stsimonsumc.com if you have any questions about the class.



Welcome new members Dan & Heather Keefer





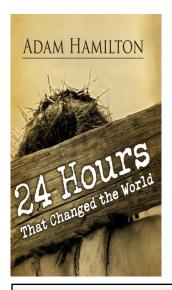
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Tell your Harris Teeter cashier this number at check-out and help the Preschool receive a percentage on Harris Teeter brand items. Thank you!



Our sincere condolences to Melissa Sellers on the death of her brother, Meredith Reid Granger on January 25, 2020 in Chiefland, FL. Cards can be sent to Melissa at

339 Lantern Walk, St. Simons Island, GA 31522.



Thursday Lenten Bible Study

February 27—April 9 10:00 AM

7 Week Bible Study Led by Richard Soper Books available in the church office for \$12.00

Walk with Jesus on his final day. Sit beside him at the Last Supper. Pray with him in Gethsemane. Follow him to the cross. Desert him. Deny him.

Experience the Resurrection.

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST

Join us **Tuesday, February 11 from 6:45-7:45am in the Thorpe Bldg.** for food, fellowship and faith.

Speaker: Tab Miller



Online Registration

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Luncheon on Tuesday, February 11 at Noon

Cost is \$4.00

Entrée: Hamburgers with Trimmings RSVP to Church Office by Monday, Feb. 10 NOON



You are invited to
Join the Anchor Sunday School Class for a
NEW Study starting on February 23rd
"The CURE & Parents"

by Bill & Grace Thrall, John & Stacey Lynch, and Bruce and Janet McNicol

No, this is NOT another parenting "how-to" book. Personally, I won't read parenting "how-to" books. Too often they promise more than they deliver. There is something here for each of us, no matter where you may be on your parenting journey, or even if parenting has not and may not be a part of your journey. The authors write, "Whether we are reacting to our parents, planning to be parents, overwhelmed at being parents, or learning to stand with our kids as they now parent, we need to know there is a way home. A way to be convinced God is in the middle of every stage of our family.

"The CURE & Parents" follows a family of four as they travel together on summer vacation...and we all know what road trips can be like. As they drive up and down the west coast the experiences they share interpersonally are as varied as the scenery outside their car windows. And, in time, we will find our own parenting journey intersect with theirs as they learn to find each other.

Purchase your book today! Available online at many sites!



GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

February 19 2:00 pm

Moore Methodist Museum

Nancy Graybael will lead a workshop designed to introduce newcomers to the world of genealogy and advance those who are already conducting their own family research. This workshop is open to everyone. Please call to reserve your spot (912)-638-4050. Admission is free, but donations are accepted.



Volunteers needed for the first Thursday or 4th Sunday of each month to prepare, serve and clean at manna house.

- Contact Joey Baldwin: baldwinproduction@hotmail.com
- Linda Newberry: zberry26@gmail.com

Memorials & Honorariums:

In Memory of Annette Chamberlin Given by Barbara Meadows

Robert K. Pease Given by Gregory & Stephanie Pease

In Honor of Marcia Cochran Given by James and Amanda Williams





The Chronic Illness Support Group will meet Thursday, Feb. 13 at 3:00pm in the parlor.
Group Contact:
Susan Hoshall at 912-399-5454.



Reading Group

Tuesday February 18, Parlor "The Hidden Life Awakened"



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Upcoming Events

FEBRUARY 7 - FEBRUARY 13, 2020

Friday, February 7

7:30 am Men's Bible Study, Room 207 11:00 am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.

12:00 pm Preschool Auction Preview Day till 6:00 PM

Sunday, February 9

8:30 am Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary

9:00 am Preschool Breakfast and Auction till 12:30 PM, Thorpe

9:45 am Contemporary Worship Service, Chapel

9:45 am Sunday School Classes

11:00 am Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary

5:30 pm MYF, Youth Room

Monday, February 10

9:00 am Prayer Team, Parlor 11:00 am Chair Yoga, Thorpe 7:15 pm Men's Bible Study, Gholson This is a Stephen Ministry Church



Tuesday, February 11

6:45 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

10:00 am Men's Life

12:00 pm Saints and Sinners Luncheon 1:00 pm Missions Meeting, Room 203

1:30 pm Women's Life

6:00 pm Cub Scouts, Thorpe Bldg. 7:00 pm Boy Scouts, Thorpe Bldg.

Wednesday, February 12

7:00 am 707 Group, Thorpe Bldg. 8:00 am Prayer Hedge, Parlor 11:00 am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.

12:15 pm Senior Adult Council, Youth Room

5:00 pm Wednesday Night Dinner, Thorpe Bldg.

5:45 pm Children's WOW 6:00 pm Adult Classes

6:30 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday, February 13

11:00 am Traditional Worship Cmte. Meeting, Parlor 3:00 pm Chronic Illness Support Group, Parlor