# Weekly Activities

#### Sunday, October 4

9:00am Worship Service, Sanctuary (\*Nursery Available)

10:00am Sunday School/Small Groups:

> Children, Youth and Adult (\*Nursery Available) Worship Service, Sanctuary (\*Nursery Available)

11:00am 5:30pm MYF- Methodist Youth Fellowship, Thorpe Bldg.

\*Nursery is Birth to 4 years old

### Monday, October 5

9:00am Prayer Team, Zoom Meeting 11:00am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.

7:00pm Men's Bible Study, Gholson Room

#### Tuesday, October 6

7:00am 707 Bible Study- Youth Room 8:00am Biscuit Eaters Reunion Group, Parlor

9:30am Staff Meeting, Youth Room

7:00pm Boy Scouts- Troup 248, Thorpe Bldg.

#### Wednesday, October 7

707 Bible Study- Thorpe Bldg. 7:00am

8:00am Prayer Hedge, Parlor 11:00am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg. 4:00pm Disciple Bible Study, Zoom

VBS Wednesday Nights, Thorpe Bldg. 5:30pm 6:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

#### **Thursday, October 8**

11:00am John Wesley in St. Simons:

Rev. Dave Hanson, Chapel

#### Friday, October 9

11:00am Chair Yoga, Thorpe Bldg.

#### Saturday, October 10

9:00am Pumpkins Arrive: Come help unload and shop!

### **Communion Sunday:**

Remember to bring food for Sparrows Nest!

#### Reminder:

**UMW Momentum Box items are due this Sunday!** 

### Our Staff

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### WELCOME TO ST. SIMONS United Methodist Church

Where Love is Unconditional, Service is Celebrated Enthusiastically, So The Mission of Christ is Advanced Consistently.



Sunday, October 4, 2020 9:00 AM and 11:00 AM Nursery Available

## Standards for Living

Exodus 20:1-17

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This is a Stephen Ministry Church

## The Worship of God

9:00 AM

Prelude For the Beauty of the Earth

Kevin Lamb Arr. Anna Laura Page

Rev. Tom Jones

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Invitation to Communion Rev. Richard Soper

Confession and Pardon

\* Songs of Praise

Greeting

How Can I Keep From Singing Ed Cash, Christ Tomlin, Matt Redman

CCLI #4822372

Fellowship Time

Behold the Lamb Keith and Kristyn Getty

CCLI #5003372

**Morning Prayer Richard Soper** 

Heather Keefer Children's Message Broccoli

Scripture Exodus 20:1-17 Rev. Tom Jones

**STANDARDS** Morning Message Tom Jones

For

LIVING

Litany—Ten Commandments

The Great Thanksgiving Richard Soper

The Lord's Prayer

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

**Trust and Obey** \* Invitation Hymn TRUST AND OBEY

Verses 1

\* Benediction Tom Jones

\* Postlude

\*Worshippers, please stand as comfortable

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11:00 AM

For the Beauty of the Earth Prelude Kevin Lamb

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Greeting Rev. Tom Jones

Call to Worship World Communion

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\* Hymn **How Firm A Foundation** FOUNDATION Verses 1,2 & 4

Invitation to Communion Rev. Richard Soper

Confession and Pardon

\* Passing the Peace

Children's Message Broccoli Heather Keefer

\* Hymn For the Bread Which You Have Broken FOR THE BREAD

**Morning Prayer** Richard Soper

Scripture Exodus 20:1-17 Rev. Tom Jones

I Stand Redeemed Message in Music arr. James Koerts

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Morning Message **STANDARDS** Tom Jones

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### "We are One"

This Sunday we celebrate World Communion Sunday. The various ways of serving this holy meal will be as diverse as the people who receive it. Different types of bread and fruit of the vine will be used. Different methods of serving the elements will be put into practice. Different languages will be used as the words of the ritual are spoken.

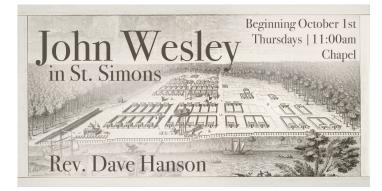
On World Communion Sunday we are reminded that though we may be different and live out our faith in different ways, we are one as the community of believers. We share the same name – Christian. We worship the same God. We come to the table that Jesus has prepared for us; a table where we remember that Christ gave himself for all of us. God's love for his people unifies and binds us together as one.

As we gather at the Lord's Table this Sunday. I encourage you to respond to the words of Jesus when he said, "Come unto me." His invitation was not to a select few – his invitation was to all. We are called to celebrate with people around the world; people whose looks, actions, and words may be different from our own, but who through the power of God's love and grace are of one mind and spirit.

The sermon this week is based on the Ten Commandments. Just as we are bound together through the grace of Jesus Christ, these age-old rules connect us with God's people everywhere. They remain the guiding principles for honoring God and others; they are our standards for living.

I look forward to sharing in worship with you this Sunday either in-person or online. Even though we live in different times and many of us are still separated from one another, we remain the church connected and in community together. Holy Communion is a shared meal, filled with the love and grace of Jesus Christ, that reminds us of our connection. It is a shared meal that helps us to remember - we are one!

Tom



### **New Address**

Bunny Teale has moved, and would love to hear from her church family: 11190 Medlock Bridge Rd, Ashwood Meadows Rm 115, Jones Creek, GA 30097

### Honorarium

A gift has been given in Honor of **Pam Lewis** from:

Thomas Lewis, Jr.

### Financial Report

#### **TEXT TO GIVE:**

For your convenience you may send a text to the number 73265 with the message SSUMC to Give Online

thank you

#### September 27, 2020

Tithes & Offerings Received | \$16,869.03 Amount Given YTD | \$733,981.11 Budgeted Amount YTD | \$868,999.71 Expenses YTD | \$758,699.82 Building Fund | \$7,065.00

### Attendance

#### September 27, 2020

Sunday School/Small Groups | 129

### Members in Ministry

### October 4

#### **Ushers:**

9:00 Jimmy Beasley, Ranny Blount, Janice Lee, Tom Smith

11:00 Kevin Brandon, David Miller,

Don Varnadoe, Evans Williams

#### **Greeters:**

9:00 Pat Carmichael, Tish Searcy, Helen Baker11:00 Barbara Smith, Amelia Lasater, Juna Todd

#### Projection:

9:00 Ashley Swann 11:00 Robin Parmelee

### **Prayer Requests**

### **TEXT A PRAYER REQUEST:**

You may text a prayer request to us by sending a text to: 31996 with the message PRAYssumc

Please take time this week and pray for these individuals:

Dean Auten, Diana Bailey, John Barton, Lauren Belt, Lyn Bolling, Sandy Bottjer, Billie June Boyd, Elden Carmichael, Cecilia & Matt Chase, Mary Carol Cooney, Mary Corbitt, Hadley Cross, Lanier Dobrenic, Irene Drew, Barbara Duffey, Terri Dunkle, Glenn Etheridge, Lisa Fowler, Tom George, Pat Gossage, Connie Hallowes, Chuck & Robin Harwell, Jay Heymann, Brian Holly, Elwanda Hopkins, Barbara & Jim Jensen, Holly Lamb, Shannon Lemmon, Ivey McMillian, Judy McVey, Nathan Meadows, Lynne Mulligan, Joan Nelson, Jimmy Orr, Marilyn Pearson, Sandy & Jerry Peterson, Bill Pickard, Dick Pipe, Harriett Pope, Don Proctor, George Raiford, Bob Rewis, Nancy Reynolds, Len Riley, Lauren Rogers, Shawnee Rozier, Joe Songer, Greg Sperry, Joslyn Stinchcomb, Mary Stivers, Charles Taylor, Will Thomas, Katy Vice, Stephanie Watson, Greg Willliams, Mary Wilson, Bobbé Wooldridge, Hollis Youngner, Beverly Zeller, and our Nation.

Magnolia Manor: JoAnne Alford, Jack Jenkins, Marjorie Lawrence, Debby Lloyd, Pat Miller, Norma Mock, Joyce Parry, Charlotte Petty, Larry Varnadoe, Effie Walker

**Sr. Care**: Anne Pinson **Addington Place**: Nancy Reynolds

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

### Pumpkin Patch THIS Week!

# 5,000 PUMPKINS Arrive Saturday the 10th! Come Help us Unload!

Signup with Heather, or in the Gholson Room. heather@stsimonsumc.com
Saturday, October 10 | 9:00 am | Pumpkin Patch
If you have an Open Truck Bed on your pickup you are needed.

#### **Pumpkin Patch Hours:**

 Monday - Thursday
 2:00pm-7:00pm

 Friday
 3:00pm-9:00pm

 Saturday
 9:00am-9:00pm

 Sunday
 10:00am-7:00pm

Come Support the SSUMC Youth and shop for Pumpkins: Cash, Credit or Check!

### Children's Church Returning

We will Resume hosting Children's Church on **October 11**, **2020**. All children Pre-K through 5th Grade are welcome to join the Children's Message during Worship and then attend Children's Church.

### **Music Ministry**

No Handbell Rehearsal This Week

Chancel Choir Rehearsal:
Wednesday, October 7 | 6:00pm | Sanctuary

### United Methodist Women's PECAN SALE

September 13-October 11 | Gholson Room \$11/bag with delivery before Thanksgiving. Proceeds of this sale will benefit Red Bird Mission and Local Missions!



Phone Orders: Stella Avret | 912-638-9825

### Rocky Railway VBS

Wednesday Evenings | Through October 7 5:30pm-7:00pm | Thorpe Building



912.638.3317 | heather@stsimonsumc.com



### Welcoming Our New Interim Pianist: Sondra Anderson

Sondra Anderson is the music teacher at C. B. Greer Elementary School. She is a graduate of The University of Georgia, and Piedmont College. Sondra has taught in several elementary schools in Barrow County, and was most recently the choral director at Apalachee High School for eight years, prior to moving to Saint Simons Island. While in Barrow County, Mrs. Anderson served as the church pianist of First Baptist Church, Winder, for twenty-six years. Sondra is married to DuWayne, with two grown children.

### Advent Bible Study

Rev. Richard Soper | Tuesdays | 10:00am November 17 - December 22

Incarnation: Rediscovering the Significance of Christmas

"His parents gave him the name Jesus. But the prophets, the shepherds, the wise men, and angels addressed him by other names. They called him Lord, Messiah, Savior, Emmanuel, Light of the world, and Word Made Flesh."

Books \$15, Contact the Church Office

# Be the Church

Please remember, you may still mail your Estimate of Giving card, bring it by the church office, submit on our website, or place it in the offering baskets on Sundays!

Thank you for your continued faithfulness to our church and for Being the Church!

### Connect With Us!

Open a new text message on your phone and send the words below to the listed phone number. Once you text in, you will be able to answer some follow up questions to share with us.

You may always reach out to our pastors and staff directly. 912.638.3317 | info@stsimonsumc.com

Send GUESTssumc to 31996 to Connect With Us

### Join the Church

If you would like to join St. Simons United Methodist Church you may do so by one of three ways:

- (1) Profession of Faith in Jesus Christ
- (2) Transfer from another United Methodist congregation
- (3) Transfer from another denomination

If you are interested in more information about becoming a member contact Rev. Tom Jones

678.343.3767 | tom@stsimonsumc.com









~ SUNDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2020 ~

### Ten Commandments

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### **Word Bank:**

Mother

Sabbath Lords Name Lie Idols **Father** Covet Commandments One Holy God Honor Steal Good Vain Ten Pure **Decisions**  TAKE TWO TABLETS... Exodus 20:1-21 The Challenge Fill in the words from the word list to linish the Ten Commandments. your mom and dad in what you do and say Don't anyone Respect God's day of rest There is only one\_\_\_\_\_ God, Don't lie about anyone He's the one to serve don't \_\_\_\_and all that jazzl Your bod's just for your mate. others stuff that's how to be be glad for what you havel Heg to a survey line idels throw you curvest Don't use God's name to Walk It the Words Town Say WORD LIST: Don't what isn't yours holy gossip take. Just what your money buys! first swear one envy murder Respect wise Oops! You may have realized the Ten Commandments are out of order. Put them in order and write down the corresponding The Super Challenge letter to discover where Moses was when God gave him the commandments.