

This Week's Events

Sunday, November 7

Day Light Savings Time Change

All Saints Day

8:30 AM - 9:30 AM Traditional Worship Service **Sanctuary***
 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Preschool Cookie Dough Sale **Gholson Room**
 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM Sunday School and Small Group Classes*

Various Locations

9:45 AM - 10:45 AM Contemporary Worship Service **Chapel***
 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Traditional Worship Service **Sanctuary***
 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM UMW Board Meeting **Room 201**
 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM MYF Thorpe Building

*Nursery Available: Birth to 4 Years

*All Services Streamed Live

Monday, November 8

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM Prayer Team **Parlor**
 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Chair Yoga- \$5.00 **Thorpe Building**
 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM Trustee Committee Meeting **Room 207**

Tuesday, November 9

8:00 AM - 9:00 AM Biscuit Eaters Reunion Group **Parlor**
 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Men's Life Group **Room 203**
 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM Worship Meeting **Youth Room**
 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM UMW Circle 2 **Parlor**
 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM Saints and Sinners Lunch **Thorpe Building**
 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM Aging Seminar- Hosted by Magnolia Manor
Thorpe Building

5:30 PM - 7:00 PM SPRC Meeting **Room 201**
 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Oglethorpe Point Elementary Program **Sanctuary**

Wednesday, November 10

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Chair Yoga- \$5.00 **Thorpe Building**
 5:30 PM - 6:30 PM WOW - Worship on Wednesdays **Choir & Youth**
 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal **Sanctuary**
 6:30 PM - 7:45 PM Disciple Fast Track- Zoom Bible Study **Zoom**

Thursday, November 11

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM Mini Motions **Thorpe Building**

Friday, November 12

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Chair Yoga- \$5.00 **Thorpe Building**

TIME CHANGE WEEKEND!



**FALL
BACK**

Don't forget to set
your clocks
back an hour on
Saturday Night!
Time Changes:
November 7, 2021

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November 7, 2021

Traditional Worship
8:30am & 11:00am • Sanctuary

Contemporary Worship
9:45am • Chapel


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 This is a Stephen Ministry Church

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

CHAPEL • 9:45am

WELCOME

Rev. Richard Soper

PRAISE AND WORSHIP

Touching Heaven Changing Earth

CCLI #2317779

2014

FELLOWSHIP TIME

Goodness of God

CCLI #7117726

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ALL SAINTS REMEMBRANCE

Shari Luken

PRAYER TIME

Glorious Day

CCLI #5638022

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MORNING MESSAGE

In the Father's House

John 14:1-3

Rev. Tom Jones

CELEBRATION OF HOLY COMMUNION

Scars in Heaven

CCLI #7176982

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INVITATION

RESPONSE SONG

I Will Rise

CCLI #5183450

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CLOSING PRAYER

Tom Jones

The Worship of God

SANCTUARY • 8:30am • 11:00am

Greeting Rev. Richard Soper

Prelude *Meditation on THAXTED* Kevin Lamb
Arr. Callahan

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Confession & Pardon Richard Soper

* Congregational Hymn #711
For All the Saints William How, 1864
verses 1,3 & 4 SINE NOMINE

All Saints Remembrance Helen Baker

Special Music *Go Rest High On That Mountain* Men's Choir

* Passing the Peace *My Tribute* Andrae Crouch, 1971
MY TRIBUTE

Children's Message Heather Keefer

* Congregational Hymn #77
How Great Thou Art Stuart Hine, 1953
verses 1 & 4 HOW GREAT THOU ART

Offertory Prayer Richard Soper

Offering Sondra Anderson

* Response **DOXOLOGY**

Message in Music *LORD OF THE SMALL* Chancel Choir
Dan Forest

Scripture John 14:1-3 Rev. Tom Jones

Morning Message **IN THE FATHER'S HOUSE** Tom Jones

Sacrament of Holy Communion

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Sharing of the Bread and Cup

* Invitation #370 *Victory in Jesus* Eugene Bartlett, 1939
verses 1 & 3 HARTFORD

* Benediction Tom Jones

Postlude

*Worshippers, please stand as comfortable



All Saints Day

On All Saints Day we honor the memory of those in our church who have entered into the glorious company of the saints of light. The names of our members who have died since November 2020 will be read during the morning's services.

We will gather to share in the grief and the emptiness of those who have lost loved ones. But we will also give thanks for the promise of eternal life and the assurance of our place in heaven through Jesus Christ our Lord.

We remember in a spirit of love and thanksgiving the following members of St. Simons United Methodist Church:

Mr. Tom George
September 6, 1944— November 8, 2020

Mrs. Irene Drew
July 12, 1916— November 20, 2020

Mr. Greg Green
December 25, 1954— April 2, 2021

Mr. John Barton
March 24, 1932— July 21, 2021

Mrs. Beth Adams
December 10, 1965— August 13, 2021

Mr. Jack Jenkins
April 9, 1925— August 15, 2021

Mrs. Patricia Miller
July 14, 1932— August 28, 2021

Mr. Jimmy Orr
November 28, 1942— September 4, 2021

Mr. Jerry Smith
August 21, 1935— September 5, 2021

Mrs. Mary Stivers
July 24, 1927— September 10, 2021

Mrs. Donna Alexander
August 27, 1947— September 18, 2021

Mrs. Shannon Lemmon
September 24, 1976— September 19, 2021

Mrs. Margie Varnadoe
September 1, 1949—September 25, 2021

Mr. Don Varnadoe
July 26, 1947— September 25, 2021

Mr. Jimmy Bankston
February 14, 1933— September 26, 2021

May God's comforting presence be with us this Sunday as we share in this special time of worship and in Holy Communion.
Blessings,
Tom

Financial Report

For your convenience you may give online by visiting our website at www.stimonsumc.com and click on the Giving tab.

October 31, 2021

Tithes & Offerings Received | \$19,462.27
Received YTD | \$870,544.35
Expenses YTD | \$925,637.89
Difference YTD | -\$55,093.54
Budgeted Amount YTD | \$982,565.86
Building Fund YTD | \$16,451.00

thank you

Attendance October 31, 2021

8:30 Worship Service: 84
9:45 Worship Service: 44
11:00 Worship Service: 142
Online Worship Views: 393
Sunday School/Small Groups: 106

Members in Ministry November 7, 2021

Ushers:

8:30 Janice Lee, Mac McLawhorn, Tom Smith, Pete Irby
11:00 Kevin Brandon, David Miller, Ed Reynolds

Greeters:

8:30 Faye George, Helen Baker
9:45 Craig & Casey Pace
11:00 Jolee Benoit, Cindy Simpson

Projection:

8:30 Robin Parmelee 9:45 Elizabeth Daniel
11:00 Neva Kaye

Communion Prayer:

8:30 Mike Martin, Sharon Blount
9:45 Judy Wright, Toni Metz
11:00 John Lindgren, Jim Fuller

Acolytes:

8:30 Croft Jones 11:00 Stiles Robinson

Prayer Requests

Please take time this week and pray for these individuals:

New Prayer Concerns:

Richard Bosh, Justin C., **Charlie Deer**, The Family of Tony Flagella, Lee Garrison, Shirley Gibbs, **Ava Grace Good**, Bessie Howell, Angie M., **Tom McConnell**, Major Gary Miller, Donald Rewis, **B.B. Shelander**, The Family of Evelyn Steele, **Alexander Tipton**, Margie V., Doug Van Eeckhout

Ongoing Prayer Concerns:

Diana Bailey, Lauren Belt, Tilman Blakely, Ranny Blount, Linda Blount, Marcia Boney, Billy June Boyd, Carolyn Bruce, Beth Carey, Madge Comer, Lanier Dobrenic, Terri Dunkle, Julia Epstein, Connie Hallows, Ginny Holt, Elwanda Hopkins, Amelia Lasater, Ellie Leroux, Sandee Lukitsch, Ken McCauley, Nathan Meadows, Spence Mullis, Kirk Nowery, Sandy & Jerry Peterson, Ann & Bill Pickard, Dick Pipe, Don Proctor, Mable Proctor, George Raiford, Bob Rewis, Irene Rohan, Dave Vandersall, Paul Wilska, Judy Whelan, Bobbé Wooldridge, Hollis Youngner, Beverly Zeller Hope 1312, Parkinson Support Group, Our Nation

Assisted Living Prayer:

Magnolia Manor: JoAnne Alford, Marjorie Lawrence, Norma Mock, Joyce Parry, Larry Varnadoe

Marsh's Edge Assisted: Judy Clifton, Nancy Reynolds

Senior Care: Anne Pinson

When a name is added to the New Prayer Concerns, they will remain for TWO weeks unless the office is notified of an ongoing prayer concern. BOLDDED names indicate a new addition or current concern.

Memorials | Honorariums to SSUMC

A GIFT HAS BEEN GIVEN IN MEMORY OF :

Jimmy Bankston by:

Elizabeth & John Bird Daniel
Bonney & William Shuman

Evelyn Steele by:

John Lindgren

Margie & Don Varnadoe by:

Nancy & Robert Jenkins
Elizabeth & John Bird Daniel
Mary Gress
Mary & James Barger

Faithful: Advent Bible Study

Tuesdays, Nov 30 – Dec 21 | 10:00am | Room 201

Join us for an Advent bible study "Faithful: Christmas Through the Eyes of Joseph." From the beginning as a humble carpenter to his all-important role as an earthly father of Jesus Christ, Joseph's place in the Nativity story is sometimes overlooked. But Joseph's life contains valuable lessons for all of us. His courageous actions were crucial to the birth of Christ and God's salvation plan for humanity.

This is a four week study. Books are \$12.00 and can be purchased and picked up in the church office.

This study is facilitated by Rev. Richard Soper.



Saints and Sinners Luncheon

Tuesday, November 9 at 12 noon in the Thorpe Bldg.

The Saints and Sinners lunch will feature a presentation about Fort Frederica National Park by Mr. Bob Lummus.

Reservations by Thursday, November 4 | Menu: Soup and Sandwiches | Lunch at 12 Noon.

Sign up online or call the church office!
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Savannah Theater

Sunday, December 5 | 1:00pm

In its 20th consecutive year, "A Christmas Tradition" brings you holiday glitz and glitter with a 2-hour production. The theater is transformed into a perfect holiday picture, sharing all your Christmas favorites. Sprinkle in a little comedy and Santa and his dancing reindeer for the greatest event of the season. The bus will leave at 1:00pm from the church. The cost is \$38/person. **All are welcome! Your payment needs to be made by November 18 to reserve your seat.**

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Footprints-Widows Support Group

Please join us for our next gathering at Delaney's Restaurant on Wednesday, November 10 at 12:00 noon. Please contact Susan Hoshall at 912.399.5454 with questions. All are welcome!

Preschool Cookie Fundraiser!

The Cookies are coming! The SSUMC Preschool will be taking orders this Sunday, November 7, between and after services. Proceeds will go to update the playground, so come hungry!

Youth News for November

Harvest Escape Room

Nov. 7 | 5:30-7:00pm | Thorpe Building

MYF is an Escape Room TONIGHT. Feel free to bring friends! Small Groups compete for the fastest time!

No MYF Nov. 14

A Charlie Brown MYF | Nov. 21

Youth Friendsgiving

Sunday, Nov. 28 | 6:00-7:00pm | Youth Room

Bring a friend, a dish to share, and a canned food item for Sparrow's Nest.

Serve our Parents – Morning Out

Saturday Dec 4 | 9:00am – Noon

Youth, serve our Children's Ministry parents while they have a morning off! Part of our November "Great Big Thank You"!

Thanksgiving Lunch

Join us for our Annual Thanksgiving Lunch! This meal will be held on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 25, 2021, at noon in Thorpe Building. The church will provide Turkey, Dressing, Gravy and Tea. We will ask that those who are attending bring your favorite side dish/casserole or dessert. Please RSVP by Thursday, November 18.

Register here or call the church office at 912.638.3317.



Elevator

Thank you for your patience while we have been without a functioning elevator in our Stubbs Building to access our Youth, Children and Office spaces these past few months. The elevator will be repaired and updated in the near future, but supply delays are affecting our timeline. If you need any assistance, please contact our office at 912.638.3317 before using the stairs.

Welcome our Newest Members

Please join us in welcoming the newest members of our Church Family: **Anne, Max and Phillis Harrell.**

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

Connect With Us!

There are many ways to connect with SSUMC. Fill out a blue Prayer Card, a yellow Welcome Card, Sign the Pew Pad as they are passed (and pass it back when it reaches the end of your pew). Call or Email us to join REALM – our online community where you can stay connected. Thank you for joining us!

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