



# First United Methodist Church of Pine Mountain

*Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the  
Transformation of the World with loving hands and  
grateful hearts through inviting, reaching, serving,  
growing & learning, and worshipping our  
Lord Jesus Christ!*

## September 3rd, 2023



206 McDougald Avenue, PO Box 246, Pine Mountain, GA 31822

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Church Office Hours: M-Th 8:30-1:30

[www.fumcpinmountain.org](http://www.fumcpinmountain.org)

**September 3** 8:30 & 11:00 Worship  
**September 4** Labor Day—Office & Pastor’s Pantry Closed  
**September 6** 5:30-6:30—Wednesday Night Supper  
6:30—Choir Practice  
6:30-7:30—Youth meet in the Youth House  
**September 9** Dinner Mixer  
**September 10** 8:30 & 11:00 Worship  
5:30-7:30—Youth meets in the Youth House



The United Women in Faith will be collecting empty pill bottles. Please bring us your empty pill bottles washed out and with labels removed. Our district will send them to Cincinnati Ohio and from there they go where they are needed the most.



If you are interested in being part of a team that will make gift bags for first time visitors, please see Becky Gaar.

### Sunday Servants

Altar Guild Servants—September		Kathy Crye and Frankie Mabry	
<b>September 3</b>		<b>September 10</b>	
8:30	Ushers— Bob Chrzanowski Chuck Taylor	8:30	Usher— Dean Mabry Greeter—Amy Mabry
	Greeter—Bambi Taylor	11:00	Ushers—Morgan May Joe Piga
11:00	Ushers— Michael Willey Jim Bob Bryant		Greeters—Jane Lawson Winky Parker
	Greeters—Becky Gaar Lorraine Berry		

Attendance 08/27/2023: 8:30– 20 11:00– 97 Total— 117

### FINANCIAL REVIEW - MONTHLY— AUGUST

Budgeted \$31,326.96 - Received \$29,193.18= Difference \$-2,133.78

### YEAR TO DATE—as of 06/30/2023

GENERAL BUDGET INCOME \$226,318.43 - EXPENSES \$209,470.19 = BALANCE \$16,848.24

Articles for the October newsletter are due to the office by September 20th.

### PRAYER CARD

Please add/remove (circle appropriately)  
the following on the prayer list

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Requested by

\_\_\_\_\_

Add to Bulletin prayer list \_\_\_\_\_

Add to Pastor prayer list \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I’m new here! Please reach out!

\_\_\_ change of address/phone

NAME(s) \_\_\_\_\_

CHILDREN (PLEASE INCLUDE BIRTHDATES )

ADDRESS

PHONE

EMAIL

\_\_\_ Add me to the email list

**DECISION CARD** I would like to:

\_\_\_ Receive Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.

\_\_\_ Be baptized.

\_\_\_ Recommit my life to Jesus Christ.

\_\_\_ Become Member of Pine Mountain

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\_\_\_ Talk with the pastor

DROP THIS FORM IN THE OFFERING BOX AT THE ENTRANCE

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**BELL OPENING**

**PRELUDE** *“Presto”* ROSE SLONAKER  
ORGAN CONCERTO NO. 5

**WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, & INVOCATION**

**\*OPENING HYMN** *“All Creatures of Our God and King”* UMH #62  
(Verses 1,2 & 5)

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Apostles’ Creed

**\*GLORIA PATRI** UMH #70

**SCRIPTURE READINGS** ROMANS 12:9-21

**CHILDREN’S MESSAGE** MARY KING KURRASS

**BLESSING OVER THE OFFERING**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**ANTHEM** *“In This Moment of Remembrance”* CHANCEL CHOIR  
DALE WOOD

**SCRIPTURE READINGS** EXODUS 3:1-15

**SERMON** *“FIND YOUR HOLY GROUND”* REV. KAYLEN SHORT

**SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION** UMH #12

**\*HYMN OF INVITATION** *“Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone”* UMH #424

**\*BENEDICTION**

**POSTLUDE** *“Become to Us the Living Bread”* ROSE SLONAKER  
Setting by Diemer

\*Please stand as you are able

**THE APOSTLES’ CREED, TRADITIONAL VERSION**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**New Bible Study beginning Sunday, September 17th!**



Mary King Kurrass and Sonja Metcalf will be facilitating an adult Bible Study Sunday nights from 5:30-7:30 in the FLC. Our first study will be on Spirit Gifts by Patricia D. Brown. We invite you to join our group as we discover and understand our spiritual gifts given to us by God. If you would like to purchase a book for the study, you can find it on Amazon “Spirit Gifts” by Patricia D. Brown (participant resource) or other media outlets. We hope to see you on September 17th!

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

Michael Bishop (Member)  
Frank Cox (Member)  
Blanche Clements (Member)  
Vern & Linda Johnson (Member)  
Melba Daniel (Former Member)  
Diane Timmons (Matt McDade)  
Henry Steele (Becky Gaar)  
Jay Turner (Member)  
Tina Cliff Family (Caroline Scarbrough)  
Herman Carrier (Morgan May)  
Ed & Chris Brady (Winky Parker)  
Ann Rutland (Hazel Scott)  
Sam Abernathy (Martha Story)  
Diane Hudson Walker (Ed Hudson)  
Marc Marshall (Rick Marshall)  
Billy & Bobbie Whitten (Terry Cobb)  
Linda Story Daw (Anne Story)

**Service Members**

Justin Frazier (Debra Bayona)  
Brett Hargis (Schaeffer)  
Joshua Tunnell (Dawson)

**Homebound**

Betty Parrish (Member)  
Minnie Whitaker (Member)  
Lois Wilson-Boyd (Member)

**First Responders**

John Sweat

**Please add or update any Prayer concerns on the bulletin flap. Please indicate if you would like the name added to the bulletin prayer list and/or to the Pastor’s personal prayer list.**



**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS ARE BACK!!!**

- If you want to make a standing reservation for the year, please indicate below that you would and for how many people.
- If you need your order to go, please indicate the number of to go plates you need.

**PLEASE REGISTER FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER SO WE CAN PREPARE ENOUGH FOR EVERYONE!**

September 6, 2023 5:30-6:30 pm

**MENU:**

Grill Night

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**FAMILY NAME and # OF PEOPLE**

ADULTS \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$5.00

YOUTH \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$3.00

CHILDREN \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$2.00

\$20 max/family

FIRST TIME GUESTS ARE FREE!

PLEASE MAKE THIS A STANDING RESERVATION \_\_\_\_\_ FOR \_\_\_\_\_ PEOPLE.

I NEED \_\_\_\_\_ PLATES TO GO..