



# First United Methodist Church of Pine Mountain

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## MAY 2024 NEWSLETTER



I would like to take this opportunity to brag on our youth.

- 23 active youth that are very active in HC softball, HC soccer, HC wrestling, HC football, HC basketball, FBLA, FFA, Beta Club, Shot Gun Team, Jujitsu, Boy Scouts, Dance, 4H and the Rodeo
- Several participate in HC recreation league and travel ball.
- Most of them at honor students and are in Beta Club. Several plan to take or are taking AP courses or Dual enrolled in a college or technical college.
- We have officers in FBLA and 4H and a State Board member for 4H.
- The youth volunteer to help members of the congregation that are in need.
- Help with VBS, children's church, and the nursery.
- You will find several of them running the AV booth on Sunday mornings.

We have weekly meeting on Sunday and Wednesday, a monthly high school meeting and monthly middle school meetings as well as special events like Lock-ins and Holiday parties.



Team 316 is our yearly fundraiser for the PMFUMC Youth. Team 316 provides us funds for special events and retreats. Many of our families have multiple youth so it allows us to offset the cost for the families.

To be a member of Team 316, commit to donating \$3.16 per person per week. It can be paid weekly, \$13.69 monthly, or one check for \$164.32; simply put Team 316 in the memo line of your check. We ask that you would prayerfully consider joining Team 316 and help us financially as well as be in prayer for our youth group.

We appreciate the support and love you have given and continue to give the youth of our church! We wanted you to become more familiar with our youth and the type of young people they are and why I love being a part of their lives.

Blessings,  
Laura Willoughby  
Youth Director

### MAY EVENTS

5/1, 5/8 & 5/15—Wednesday Night Youth - 6:15-7:30  
5/5 & 5/19—Sunday Night Youth—5:30-7:00

5/10—Middle School - Nacho & Movie Night—5:30-8  
5/13—High School Dinner Night—6:30  
5/22—End of School Celebration—5:30-7:30

### JUNE EVENTS

6/5, 6/12, 6/19—Youth 6:00-7:30  
6/2, 6/9—Lessons by the Lake 5:30-7:00

6/7—Robin Lake Beach—10-2  
6/23-6/25—Vacation Bible School  
6/26—Liberty Bell Pool—6:00-8:00  
6/29—Movie Night—5:30-8:00



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LOUISE MILLER CIRCLE

## NEXT MEETING FOR UWF

**MAY 13th—12:00—1:00**

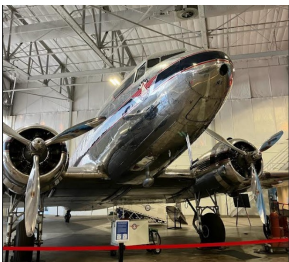
We will have a Garden Party and Dedication Ceremony. Meet in the FLC Backyard around Louise Aldridge Memorial Garden. Light refreshments will be served. Afterwards, we will have a brief meeting.



In April, Barbara Moushon, Circles in Columbus Coordinator, was our guest speaker. The Circles Program is part of the Open Door Community House in Columbus, Georgia. Circles in Columbus is a comprehensive program for people who are willing and ready to move out of poverty. After Barbara's presentation, she was presented with needed paper products that had been collected by our UWF members.

## YOUNG AT HEART NEWS

We had a high flying time at the Delta Museum in April! Then, we enjoyed a great meal afterwards!



We will be going to see “Beautiful, the Carole King Musical” at Emily Woodruff Hall on May 5th. For those who have signed up, we need to be at the Springer Opera House in Columbus at 1:30 to get our tickets and will be seated at 2 o’clock. The play starts at 2:30. The play is approximately 2 1/2 hours long with a 15 minute intermission included in that time. The show gets out approximately at 5 o’clock , we will be going to eat dinner together afterwards. If you have any questions, please contact Becky Gaar.

# May Sunday Servants

	Ushers	Greeters
	<b>May 5</b>	
8:30	Bob Chrzanowski	
11:00	Michael Willey	Becky Gaar
	Jim Bob Bryant	Lorraine Berry
	<b>May 12</b>	
8:30	Dean Mabry	Amy Mabry
11:00	Joe Piga	Jane Lawson
	Larkin Cunningham	Winky Parker
	<b>May 19</b>	
8:30	Bob Phillips	Jane Logan
11:00	Dale Morrison	Tracy Morrison
	Lorraine Berry	Charlotte Zuerner
	<b>May 26</b>	
8:30	Roy Westbrook	Judy Westbrook
11:00	Ed Hudson	Josh May
	John Hasting	Morgan May



# MAY BIRTHDAYS

5/1	Tom Shaver	5/18	Peyton Willoughby
5/2	Brittany Carroll	5/23	Cole Riley
	Sally Cobb		Jim Trott
5/7	Lisa Champion		Roy Westbrook
5/8	Glenda Darley		Brenda Whitten
5/10	Christy Bryant	5/24	Warren Aldrich
5/12	Landy Thompson	5/27	Dean Mabry
5/13	Harper Carroll	5/29	Leigh Ellen Ertle
5/14	Diane Sweat	5/31	Laura Willoughby
5/15	Tommy Garrett		

Altar Guild Servants for the month of May are Frankie Mabry and Tracy Morrison

## PEW ART WINNERS

Our May Pew Art Winners are Lucy Kurrass, Harper Carroll, Bella Mabry and Jacob May! Congratulations and thank you for sharing your amazing creations! We hope everyone keeps submitting their art work! We love seeing them each week!

### Cancer Care Ministry Training

Make a Difference in Countless Lives

Over 1.5 million Americans are diagnosed with cancer every year (American Cancer Society).

Do you know someone who is battling cancer – a neighbor, friend or loved one? Is your heart moved with compassion and a desire to help these people?

Our church is excited to introduce Our Journey of Hope®, a biblically-based cancer care ministry open to anyone who is ready to make a difference in the lives of those affected by cancer. We want to bring practical support and the hope of Christ to every person in our congregation and community affected by this illness.

Register now for the Our Journey of Hope small group that will equip and commission you for this special outreach. Materials are provided free of charge.

*The King will reply, "Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me."*  
- Matthew 25:40 NIV



To learn more about this important ministry opportunity, please contact Becky Gaar or Faye Garrett.

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Please talk to Becky Gaar or Faye Garrett if you are interested in being a part of a Cancer Care Ministry at FUMCPM!

- Lucy: A drawing of a bird perched on a branch.
- Harper Age-10 years: A drawing of a cat named Smudge.
- Bella Mabry: A drawing of a house, a crab, a flower, and a cloud.
- Jacob May Age 2: A drawing of a large, abstract shape.

4/28/24



Sun                      Mon                      Tue                      Wed                      Thu                      Fri                      Sat

			1 Wesley Ringers 4:30 WNS 5:00-6:30 Choir—6:30 Bible Study 6:30 Youth 6:15-7:30	2	3	4
5 Worship 8:30 & 11:00  Youth 5:30-7:30	6	7	8 WNS 5:00-6:30 Choir—6:30 Bible Study 6:30 Youth 6:15-7:30	9	10 Nacho & Movie Night at Youth House 5:30-8:00	11
12 Worship 8:30 & 11:00  MOTHER'S DAY!!  NO YOUTH	13 UWF-12:00-1:00 FLC  High School Youth Dinner 6:30	14	15 WNS 5:30-6:30 Youth 6:15-7:30 Choir 6:30 Bible Study 6:30  <b>LAST WNS!!</b>	16	17	18  Wedding Jasmine O'Hea
19 Worship 8:30 & 11:00  Council Meeting 4:00  Youth 5:30-7:30	20	21	22 Last day of school for Harris County  END OF SCHOOL YEAR CELEBRATION 5:30-7:30 Choir 6:30	23	24	25
26 Worship 8:30 & 11:00  NO YOUTH	27 MEMORIAL DAY OFFICE CLOSED	28	29	30	31	