



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 17th, 2023



September 17 8:30 & 11:00 Worship
5:30-7:30 Youth at Youth House
5:30-7:30 Bible Study—FLC

September 18 5:30-7:00—High School Dinner & Fellowship

September 20 4:30—Wesley Ringers Practice
5:30-6:30—Wednesday Night Supper
6:30—Choir Practice
6:15-7:30—Youth meet in the Youth House

September 22 5:30-7:30-Middle School Movie Night at Youth House

New Bible Study beginning this Sunday!



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. We will have some extra copies of the material so if you don't have the book, don't let that stop you from coming. We hope to see you tonight!

Sunday Servants

Altar Guild Servants—September	Kathy Crye and Frankie Mabry
September 17	September 24
8:30 Usher— Bob Phillips	8:30 Usher— Roy Westbrook
Greeter—Jane Logan	Greeter—Judy Westbrook
11:00 Ushers— Dale Morrison	11:00 Ushers—Ed Hudson
Lorraine Berry	John Hasting
Greeters—Tracy Morrison	Greeters—Josh May
Charlotte Zuerner	Berta Pylant

Attendance 09/10/2023: 8:30– 24 11:00– 103 Total— 127

FINANCIAL REVIEW - MONTHLY— SEPTEMBER

Budgeted \$31,326.96 - Received \$40,823.50= Difference \$9,496.54

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

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

FUMC

___ Talk with the pastor

DROP THIS FORM IN THE OFFERING BOX AT THE ENTRANCE

ORDER OF WORSHIP

BELL OPENING

PRELUDE *Chorale from "Finlandia"* ROSE SLONAKER
SIBELIUS/LYON REBECCA BUSH, PIANO

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, & INVOCATION

***OPENING HYMN** *"All Things Bright and Beautiful"* UMH #147

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Apostles' Creed

***GLORIA PATRI** UMH #70

SCRIPTURE READING PSALM 145:1-8

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE MARY KING KURRASS

BLESSING OVER THE OFFERING

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM *"Is There Room for a Sinner"* CHANCEL CHOIR
PEPPER CHOPLIN
REBECCA BUSH-FLUTE, BOBBIE TARPLEY-SOPRANO,
DON WILLOUGHBY-BARITONE

SCRIPTURE READING MATTHEW 18:21-35

SERMON MORE THAN OKAY: FORGIVING" REV. KAYLEN SHORT

***HYMN OF INVITATION** *"Jesu, Jesu"* UMH #432
(Verses 1, 2, 3)

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE *"Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"* ROSE SLONAKER
Setting by Johannes Michel

*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.



For the month of August, Pastor's Pantry served 50 families for a total of 128 people!

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God by Manford and Sonja Metcalf in celebration of their 44th anniversary!



Limited copies of the September Newsletter are available on the table in the back of the sanctuary.



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)
Phil Evans (Member)
Bob King Family
Tim Cash Family

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 20, 2023 5:30-6:30 pm

MENU:

Hamburger Beef Stroganoff
Pasta, Green Beans, Salad
Rolls & Dessert

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..