

*First United Methodist Church
Waycross, Georgia May 8, 2011*

*Mother's Day
&
U.M.W. Baby Recognition Day*

I Samuel 1: 27-28

For this child I prayed; and the Lord has granted me the petition that I made to Him. Therefore, I have lent him to the Lord; as long as he lives, he is given to the Lord. She left him there for the Lord.



**Blood Pressure Check
this Sunday in the
Fellowship Hall
9:30 & 10:30 a.m.**

Sunday Worship May 8, 2011
 Mother's Day
 U.M.W. Baby Recognition Day

Welcome and Events in the Life of the Church		Rev. Bob Norwood
Prelude	"Glorify Thy Name"	Adkins / Bettcher
*Hymn No.	"Faith of Our Mothers"	see insert
UMW Baby Recognition (11:00)		June Coleman
Recognition of Mothers		Rev. Norwood
The Apostles' Creed (in unison)		Rev. Michael Davis
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>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.</i></p>	
*Gloria Patria No. 71		GREATOREX
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Glory be to the Father And to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, Is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.</i></p>	
Pastoral Prayer		
The Lord's Prayer (in unison)		
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen</i></p>	
*Greeting		
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Jesus loves me! This I know for the Bible tells me so. Little ones to him belong ; they are weak, but he is strong. Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me! For the Bible tells me so.</i></p>	
Children's Sermon		Ivy Kratzer
	(Children Kindergarten age and below may leave for Children's Church)	
*Hymn No. 445	"Happy the Home When God Is There"	ST. AGNES
Offertory Prayer		
Offertory		George Fesperman
Presentation of Tithes and Offerings		Ushers
*Doxology		
	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.</i></p>	
Anthem	"The Lord's Prayer"	Mallotte / Dobrin- ski
Scripture	I Samuel 1: 27-28	Rev. Michael Davis
Laity Prayer		
Sermon	"A Faithful Mother"	Rev. Norwood

Benediction

Rev. Norwood

Benediction Response

"Here I Am, Lord"

HERE I AM, LORD

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.

Postlude

"Classic Postlude"

Denton

*Please stand as you are able

The new Handbell robes have been given in loving memory of Libby Parrish by Billy and Jane Gillis. They are being worn for the first time today. "The Lord's Prayer" is in memory of Libby.

Welcome to Our Newest Members!

On Easter Sunday, April 24th, there were eight confirmands who join the Church on their Profession of Faith, and are now members. They are Haley Cannon, AnnaBeth Hatfields, Katie Kratzer, Meleah Morton,

This Sunday's Volunteers:

Ushers: (Team #4): Lowry Merck, Captain; Alan Morton, Dennis Rollins, Jack Saussy, Bob Miller

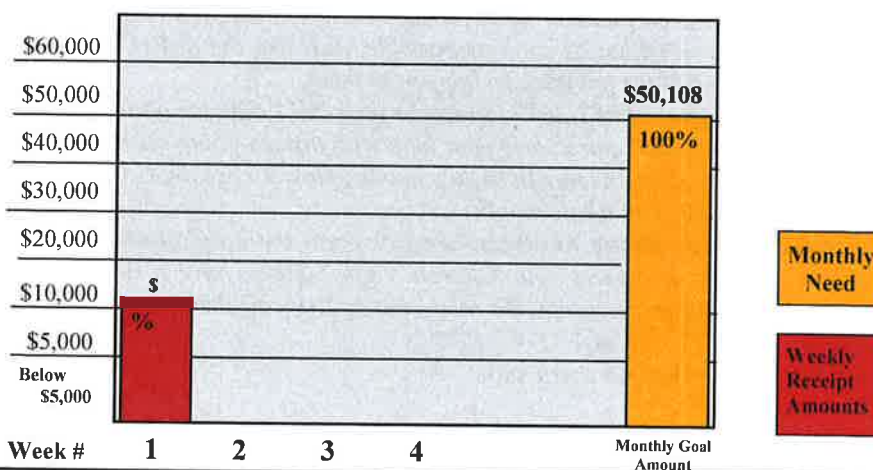
Greeters: Mark & Lee Hatfield, John Mark & AnnaBeth

Flower Captain for May: Shannon Stewart

Congratulations to Leigh and Glen Vinke on the birth of their daughter, Hannah Kathryn. She was born on April 30, 2011. Hannah was welcomed by her brother Issac, her grandfather John Drough III and her Aunt Brooke.

Prayer Concerns: Lylburn Booker, Jim Brewer, Deborah Brooks, Tommy Christian, Joyce Crawford, Bob Davis, Doris Douglas, Mack Dunbar, Mary Hamilton, Becki Hines, Tommy Herrin, Timmy Lowman, Joyce Masee, Harriette & John May, Jim & Anna Mae McDonald, Lisa Melton, Bonnell Memory, Carl Mills, Ethel Mohan, Bett Pigge, Wesley Rentz, Michael Rushing, Garry Russell, Steve Rydalch, Preston Settle, Bob Smith, Mac Spangenberg, Trena Smith, , Lottie Vanhoy, Joy Woodard, Julie Tomlinson, Blake Cannon, Sharon McCall.

May Pledge Receipts Accrual Scale
Monthly Needs=\$50,108



United Methodist Women's
Baby Recognition Day
May 8, 2011

Makala Monroe Colberg

June 2, 2010

Parents: Ellen & Brandon

Honored By:

Pheryl & Moi Monroe, grandparents

Benjamin Murphy Hines

August 4, 2010

Parents: Loni & Taylor

Honored By:

His Parents

Prescott McRae Duane

November 1, 2010

Parents: Amy & Scott

Honored By:

Rai & Larry Duane
grandparents

Brayden James Davis

January 25, 2011

Parents: Anna & Michael

Honored By:

Sharon & Chip Seal,
grandparents

Patrick Lawrence Velloff

January 26, 2011

Parents: Heather & Richard

Honored By:

Rai & Larry Duane
Grandparents

Allie Jo Mobley

April 11, 2011

Parents: Britney & Jake

Honored By:

Jane & Jerome Crawley
great grandparents

Jackson Moore Hopkins

March 3, 2011

Parents: Lindsay & Brent

Honored by:

Dennis, Ginger, & Sutton Rollins
Billy & Dot Hopkins

Hutson Garrett Harvey

July 13, 2010

Parents: Garrett & Carly

Honored By:

Danette Dial, grandmother

Quinn Charlotte Brantley

October 16, 2010

Parents: Tracy & Val

Honored By:

Purtis & Peggy Brantley,
grandparents

Kadence Adalaide Hale

January 12, 2011

Parents: Jennifer & Tyler

Honored By:

Charlene & Mike Hale
grandparents

Playton Bowers Velloff

January 26, 2011

Parents: Heather & Richard

Honored By:

Rai & Larry Duane
grandparents

Violet Faye Schwartz

April 10, 2011

Parents: Hannah & Jonathan

Honored By:

Venita & Paul Schwartz
grandparents

Jamison Neil Bridgen

April 20, 2011

Parents: Emily & Jason

Honored By:

Pheryl & Moi Monroe
grandparents



“ Wave Good-bye ”
to a boring summer when you
participate in these
exciting youth activities!

May 29th—Sunday night ***Giant Water Slide*** to welcome newcomers to UMYF.

June 12th—Starting this Sunday we will head to the ***Gathering Place*** at Epworth once a month with an option of going more if interest grows.

June 23rd-26th— Tentatively set for ***White Water Rafting*** in Tennessee.

July 10th—Once a month trip to ***Gathering Place*** at Epworth.

July 13th—Tentatively set for tubing down the ***Ichetucknee River***.

July 21st-24th—Possibly a two day ***mission trip*** scheduled through Epworth.

July 31st—Sunday night ***Giant Water Slide*** to wrap up summer activities.

Please sign up today for the rafting trip, the mission trip, & the Ichetucknee trip on the Youth Bulletin Board located in the back hall of the Church!!

We are in need of Chaperons for these events! Please volunteer by signing up on the Youth Bulletin Board!

Looking Forward at Upcoming Summer Events

~South Georgia Annual Conference in Tifton,
June 5th - 9th

~Girl Scout Twilight Camp June 5th—9th, 6:00-9:00

~Vacation Bible School June 13th—17th, 9-12 Noon

The Book of Luke study will held on *Wednesdays* at 5:00 p.m. in the
Adult Bible Classroom.

The text book will be your “Bible.”

Please read Luke 2: 1-52 in preparation for our study.

Church Night Supper Reservation

Last regular supper will be May 11th until school starts

Fish Fry on May 18th

Name _____

Permanent _____ Weekly _____

How Many Adults _____ and/or Children (10 & below) _____

Costs: \$6.00 for those 10 & above; \$2.00 for 3-9 yrs; Below 3 yrs eat free

Reservations must be made by Noon on Tuesdays. Reservations not cancelled before Tuesday at Noon, are asked to be paid. All take-out plates are \$6.00.

Pastor's Schedule

MONDAY 05/09/11

9:00 a—12N Office hours
10:00 a Staff meeting
12 N Men's Prayer Luncheon
1:00 p Visitation
5:30 p Administrative Council in
Arthur Moore Chapel

TUESDAY 05/10/11

9:00 a-12 N Office Hours
1:00 p-5:00 p Sermon Preparation

WEDNESDAY 05/11/11

9:00 a-12 N Office hours
5:00 p Pastor's Bible Study
6:00 p Chapel Service
6:30 p Church Night Supper

THURSDAY 05/12/11

9:00 a Office hours
1:00 p-5:00 p Visitation

FRIDAY 05/13/11

Pastor's Day Off

United Methodist Men's Fellowship
meets on Mondays at Noon in the
Fellowship Hall. Tommy Fesperman
has the devotional this week.

Church Schedule

SUNDAY 05/08/11

9:00 a Early Service
9:30 a Blood Pressure Check in the
Fellowship Hall
9:45 a Sunday School
10:30 a Blood Pressure Check in the
Fellowship Hall
11:00 a Morning Worship (Nursery provided)

MONDAY 05/09/11

10:00 a Staff meeting
12 N Men's Prayer Luncheon
2:00 p Chapel Needlepoint Group (Lounge)
2:00 p Prayer Shaw Ministry Group (Library)
5:30 p Administrative Council in
Arthur Moore Chapel
6:00 p Cub Scouts
7:00 p Boy Scouts meet @ Scout Center

TUESDAY 05/10/11

4:30 p Adult Handbell practice
6:00 p Girl Scouts

WEDNESDAY 05/11/11

5:00 p Pastor's Bible Study
5:30 p Children's Choir
6:00 p Chapel Service
6:30 p Church Night Supper (Last Till Fall)
7:00 p Chancel Choir rehearsal

Knic-Knacs...

~Kids, remember this Sunday is Mother's Day, and we will be in charge of creating the flower cross in the Sanctuary. Please remember to bring fresh cut flowers to place on the cross. We will meet during Sunday School to create our masterpiece!

~Blood Pressure Checks, this Sunday May 8th, in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30 & 10:30.

~The Administrative Council will meet on Monday, May 9th at 5:30 p.m. in the Chapel. If you are on the Administrative Council, please plan to attend!

~Finance meeting, Thursday, May 19th at 5:00 p.m. in the Adult Bible Classroom. Reminder emails will be sent.

~Rev. John Rentz will be preaching at the 11:00 a.m. service on Sunday, May 22nd.

~On Memorial Sunday, May 29th, at 11:00 a.m., we will be recognizing those who have died in active service to our country through armed services, police or firefighting. The Church office will be closed on Monday, May 29th in observance.

~If you have "lost" some of your casseroles or other pieces of serving ware, please check in the kitchen for them. There are many pieces left from funerals, etc. and it would be a shame if they became misplaced or broken. Also, check the dishes when you pick them up and make sure you have yours.

~If you sent a "treasured picture" used for the recent events, please, please, pick them up in the Church Office as soon as possible. Just like the dishes mentioned above, it would be awful for anything to happen to them.

~Call the Church Office at 283-2077 to reserve your 2011 date for altar flowers. As always, the Altar Guild appreciates your help with this on-going memorial/honorarium ministry. Also, the month of July needs a flower captain. Call Genie Fesperman at 283-6202 to fill this month.

~If you move, change phone numbers, are sick or in the hospital, need a visit, need prayer, reserve or cancel your Church Night Supper, have a death in the family, or, oh so many more things too numerous to list, call the Church Office at 283-2077.

~If you don't tell us~ then we don't know.