

**Weekly Calendar
Schedule**

Sunday 08/22/21

8:45a The Depot in Fellowship Hall
9:30a Sunday School
10:30a Traditional Worship

Wednesday 08/25/21

5:00p Choir Rehearsal

Sunday 08/29/21

8:45a The Depot in Fellowship Hall
9:30a Sunday School
10:30a Traditional Worship
11:30a Lemonade on the Lawn

Stewardship

Budget	\$	523,959.00
YTD Received	\$	336,548.72
Monthly Need	\$	43,663.00
Monthly Received	\$	25,779.00

**Online Giving is available.
Go to www.waycrossfirst.com
and click the tab for "online giving."
Several methods of payment are now available for your convenience.
If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact the church office at**

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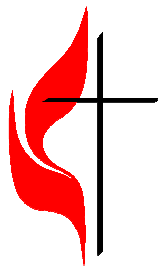
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Methodist Church*

410 Williams St.
Waycross, Georgia
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August 22, 2021
10:30 a.m.

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We're glad you're here!!

We are delighted that you joined us to worship today! So that we may know you better, please take a moment to complete the following and place in the offering plate.

Also, please **update** any information that we may already have on file.

This connection card helps the office keep attendance that is turned in to the conference on a monthly basis.

Your attendance is important!

Please Print. Thanking you in advance!

Name _____

Children _____

Address _____

City, St., Zip _____

Contact# _____

E-mail _____

1st time guest _____

Regular Attender _____

Member _____

Prayer Request:

***Greeting**

God is good
All the time!

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Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Mike Brown

*Hymn (insert) "The Church in the Wildwood"

*Hymn (insert) "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer"

***Passing of the Peace**

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Brown

The Lord's Prayer

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Children's Moment

Ivy Kratzer

*Hymn #723 "Shall We Gather at the River" HANSON PLACE

*Hymn #701 "When We All Get to Heaven" HEAVEN

Special Music "Fly Away Medley" Hayes

***Doxology**

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

Laity Prayer

Chris Wysong

Scripture Psalm 133

Sermon "Unite Us, O Lord, in Love" Rev. Brown

Looking Ahead...

- **Lemonade on the Lawn** with the Children's Book Club, **Sunday, August 29th.**



**No need to miss a worship service!
Here's how to stay connected:**

1. On Vyve Cable TV: Channel 15
2. Online: Go to waycrossfirst.com. Choose "Sermons" then "Watch Live Sundays." You may watch live or recorded Sundays.

Notes to the Church Office...

Please place in the offering plate.

***Benediction**

Rev. Brown

***Response**

"Love, Mercy, and Grace" (chorus only)
It was Love that took my place on the cross of Calvary;
It was grace, redeeming grace, that paid my ransom full and free.
Over sin, without, within, I have the victory,
Thro' grace, marvelous grace, that lives in me.

***Postlude**

"Since Jesus Came into My Heart"

Gabriel

***Please stand as you are able.**

Due to concerns about the rising number of COVID-19 cases, the beginning of the seven-week study, ***Elijah-Faith and Fire***, by Priscilla Shirer **has been postponed**. If you would like to join this study or have questions, please contact Cindy Coppage at 912-550-1787 or dccoppage@gmail.com. When the study does begin, the sessions will last from 9:30 until 11:30 each Wednesday. Each participant is asked to order their own copy of the Bible study workbook which is available from several outlets including Amazon and Lifeway at a cost of \$16.99.

Join the kids for **Lemonade on the Lawn** and book discussion, Sunday, August 29th, following traditional worship. We will have finished our Summer book "Lemonade War" and want to share our insights with you all. Please plan to drop some change in our collection cups to support the

Registration is now open for **KidzQuest**, the Conference's annual fall children's retreat for students in third through sixth grades, and **Encounter**, the Conference's annual youth retreat for students in sixth through twelfth grades.

KidzQuest is scheduled for October 15-17, 2021, at Camp Jekyll 4-H Center on Jekyll Island, Georgia for 3rd-6th grade students and is limited to 250 participants.

Encounter Youth Retreat, for 6th-12th grade students, will take place November 19-21, 2021, at Epworth By The Sea on St. Simons Island.

Contact Ms. Ivy for more information!

Early Registration is encouraged!



Betty Barber, Grace Bell, Marsha Bishop, Wilda Bishop, Wanda Boyd, Claire Boyle, Tammy Brown, Gerry Broyles, Becky Poland Campbell, Zack Chalker, Chris Clark, Summer Clark, Penn Clark, Oliver Clemmons, James Crouch, Seleta Culpepper, Savannah Deal, George Dulin, Jim Eaton, Kensie Edwards, Landon Felix, Rick Fey, Rick Fletcher, Coralyn Gaston, Olive Griffin, Ruth Groover, Rhonda Hart, Tina Henderson, Tommy Herrin, Kathleen Jackson, Rev. Jim and Barbara Jensen, Matthew Jernigan, Leon Johns, Frances Landrum, Grace Lee, Cheryl Lott, Rev. Kirk Loyless, Jessie Mealar, Military Service Members, Rev. Wes Moye, Sarah Jolly Murray, Amy Nordelo, Larry Norman, Lucie Putala, Johnny Register, Rentz Family, Barbara Rodgers, Pat Rouse, David Grey Russell, Don Scott, Nita Skerratt, Jerry Sloan, Melissa Tyre Smith, Mimi Smith, Jim "Papa" Stewart, Forrest Sweat, Jim Sweat, Adam Swindell, Jamar Taylor Family, Brock Thrift, Connie Tucker, Van Osdol Family, Ellen Voigt, Alvin Walker Jr, Johnny Westberry Family, Kenny Williams, Lanie Alex Williamson,

Collection is underway to fund the Ware County Gator football meal. This year we will feed approximately 160 students and provide Bibles for 28 Seniors. We will deliver the food on Friday, September 17th, at the WCHS Cafeteria. Donations can be mailed/dropped off at the church or given to Mr. Billy Gillis. Thank you for supporting this community outreach project!

Church Night Supper will be postponed until after Labor Day. Be on the lookout for more info!

M & M's luncheons will be postponed until further notice. Stay tuned for reschedule dates!