

**Weekly Calendar
Schedule**

Sunday 01/23/21

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

Monday 01/24/22

4:30p Handbell Practice

Wednesday 01/26/22

3:00p Prayer Shawl Group
5:45p Church Night Supper
6:15p Children's Choir
6:30p Jump for JOY
7:00p Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Stewardship

Budget	\$	511,192.00
YTD Received	\$	28,746.00
Monthly Need	\$	42,600.00
Monthly Received	\$	28,746.00

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 912-283-2077.

*Waycross First United Methodist
Church Staff*

Senior Pastor *Rev. Mike Brown*
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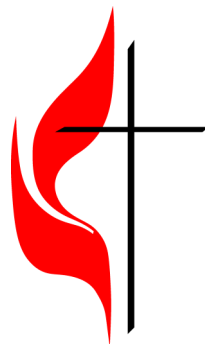
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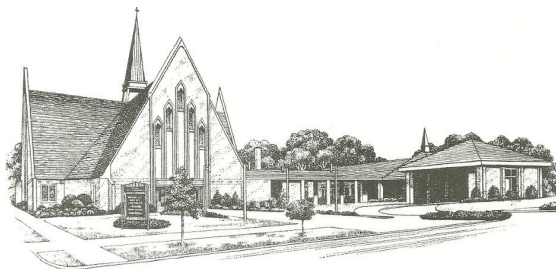
Secretary *Jennifer King*
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Looking Ahead...

- **Methodist YOUTH Fellowship TODAY at 5:30p**
- **Parent's Night Out is January 28th, 6-9 p.m. \$10/child.**
- **Fifth Sunday Breakfast on January 30th during SS hour.**
 - **JAM 345 will meet in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, January 30th, at 2:30 p.m.**



*First United
Methodist Church*

410 Williams St.
Waycross, Georgia
(912)283-2077
January 23, 2022
10:30 a.m.
www.waycrossfirst.com

January 23, 2022

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:

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Michael Brown

***Hymn UMH 191**

"Jesus Loves Me"

JESUS LOVES ME

***Affirmation of Faith**

"A Statement of Faith of the Korean Methodist Church"

**We believe in the one God,
creator and sustainer of all things, Father of all nations,
the source of all goodness and beauty, all truth and love.**

**We believe in Jesus Christ,
God manifest in the flesh,
our teacher, example, and Redeemer, the Savior of the world.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit,
God present with us for guidance, for comfort, and for strength.**

**We believe in the forgiveness of sins,
in the life of love and prayer,
and in grace equal to every need.**

**We believe in the Word of God,
contained in the Old and New Testaments
as the sufficient rule both of faith and of practice.**

**We believe in the church,
those who are united in the living Lord
for the purpose of worship and service.**

**We believe in the reign of God
as the divine will realized in human society,
and in the family of God,
where we are all brothers and sisters.**

**We believe in the final triumph of righteousness
and in the life everlasting. Amen.**

***Gloria Patri No. #71**

GREATOREX

**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.**

***Passing of the Peace**

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

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



**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.

Church Night Supper

Wednesday, January 26, 2021

Line opens at 5:45p

MENU

**Baked Chicken, Wild Rice,
Salad, Dessert, and Sweet Tea**

**Reservations due by Noon on
Monday, January 24th.**

Cost is \$5/plate or \$20/family.

**Please drop this in the offering
plate, call (912)283-2077,
or email
activities@waycrossfirst.com
to add your name to the list.**

Name _____

Adults _____ Children _____

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 tempta-
tion, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, and the
power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

Children's Moment

Ivy Kratzer

*Hymn UMH 599

"Break Thou the Bread of Life"

BREAD OF LIFE

Special Music

"Speak, O Lord"

McDonald

*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

Martha Fey

Scripture

Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10

Sermon

"Encountering the Word, Encountering God"

Rev. Brown

*Hymn UMH 600

"Wonderful Words of Life"

WORDS OF LIFE

*Benediction

Rev. Brown

*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

"March Heroique"

Lemmons

*Please stand as you are able.

**Christian love and sympathy are extended to
Ryan and Tiffany Hankla and family in the death
of Tiffany's father, Mr. Jody Roe. Please keep Tiffany
uplifted in prayer.**

**Christian sympathies are extended to Dr. Rick and Tillie
Lynch in the death of his mother, Mrs. Nora Josephine
Lynch. Please keep their family uplifted in prayer.**



Magan Barnhill, Grace Bell, Marsha Bishop, Patsy Blalock, Wanda Boyd, Claire Boyle, Curtis Brantley, Tammy Brown, Gerry Broyles, Becky Poland Campbell, Summer Clark, Penn Clark, Norman & Jean Cover, James Crouch, Seleta Culpepper, Savannah Deal, George Dulin, Jim Eaton, Landon Felix, Jennifer Fesperman, Rick Fey, Terra Good, Olive Griffin, Ruth Groover, Rhonda Hart, Tina Henderson, Tommy Herrin, Kathleen Jackson, Rev. Jim and Barbara Jensen, Matthew Jernigan, Leon Johns, Frances Landrum, Cheryl Lott, Rev. Kirk Loyless, Military Service Members, Larry Norman, Lucie Putala, Johnny Register, Rentz Family, Jody Roe Family, Pat Rouse, T.J. Rouse, David Grey Russell, Don Scott, John Shipes, Nita Skerratt, Jerry Sloan, Melissa Tyre Smith, Mimi Smith, Kevin Steedley, Jim "Papa" Stewart, Jim Sweat, Adam Swindell, Jamar Taylor Family, Brock Thrift, Connie Tucker, Ellen Voigt, Alvin Walker Jr, John Raymond Westberry, Patti White, Kenny Williams, Henry Williamson, Lanie Alex Williamson, Randy Williamson, Amanda Winge, Madeline Wood, Rev. Bill & Lynn Woodson, Sharon Worton, and Serrell Zeigler

How Can I Become a Member of Waycross FUMC?

Waycross First United Methodist Church welcomes anyone who wishes to be a part of the worshipping and serving faith community, but church membership provides a higher level of commitment and service. There are three ways you can become a "professing" member of this church:

1. **If you have not previously made a profession of faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, you will be invited to receive the Sacrament of Baptism and to take the vows of membership.**
2. **If you are currently a professing member of another United Methodist church, we will request a Certificate of Transfer.**
3. **If you are currently a member of a church of another Christian tradition, we will accept your profession of faith and baptism as valid--we do not re-baptize. We ask that you take a vow to uphold the church by your prayers, your presence, your gifts, your service, and your witness. We will inform your former church that you have united with us.**

If you have questions, need more information, or wish to join the church, please call or text Pastor Mike at 229-539-9114 or email him at seniorpastor@waycrossfirst.com.