

Weekly Calendar  
Schedule

Sunday 12/28/25

8:45am Depot Service

9:30am Sunday School

10:30am Traditional Service

Monday 12/29/25

12:15pm Chapel Prayer Time

2:00pm Pray for WPMC

Wednesday 12/31/25

Office Closed

Thursday 01/01/26

Office Closed. Happy New Year!

Greeters:

Jay & Dotty Porter

Stewardship

Budget\$445,890.00

YTD Received\$440,546.00

Monthly Need\$37,157.50

Monthly Received\$29,942.00

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concerns, feel free to contact  
the church office  
at 912-283-2077.

Worship Attendance

12/21/25

Depot Service– 15

Traditional Service - 92

Waycross First  
Methodist Church Staff

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Family Night Supper returns on  
Wednesday, January 14th with a new  
Schedule.

Wednesday Schedule

Beginning January 14, 2026

5:00pm-5:30pm Toddler Time

5:00pm-5:30pm Children’s Playground  
Time

5:00pm-5:40pm Handbells

5:45pm-6:15pm Supper Line Open

6:15pm-6:25pm Announcements &  
Prayer

6:15pm-6:30pm Children’s Choir  
(Chapel)

6:25pm-6:55pm Adult Programming

6:25pm-6:55pm Youth in Parlor

6:30pm-6:55pm Children’s Programming

6:30pm-7:30pm Adult Choir Rehearsal

Prelude

Mrs. Michelle Skerratt

Welcome & Announcements

Ms. Ivy Kratzer

Call to Worship

Adult Choir

\*Hymn

“Emmanuel, Emmanuel”

p. 249(Hymnal)

\*The Apostles’ Creed, Ecumenical 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;  
he descended into hell.  
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.

\*Gloria Patri

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 of Christ

Ms. Ivy

Children’s Moment

Rev. James Davis

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. James Davis

\*Please stand as you are able.

December 28, 2025

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**.

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:

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

Online: Go to waycrossfirst.com.  
Choose "Sermons," then "Watch Live Sundays." You may watch live or recorded Sundays.

Facebook: Waycross First Methodist Church Page



Youth Progressive Dinner Fun!

### Special Music

"Christ is Born, Nowell!"

Choir & Handbells

### Offering

#### \*Doxology

**Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

### Laity Prayer

Amy Fletcher

### Scripture

Luke 1: 26-35

### Sermon

Rev. Davis

### \*Hymn

"Go Tell It On the Mountain"

p. 251(Hymnal)

### Benediction Response

"Go Tell It On the Mountain"  
(refrain only)

p. 251(Hymnal)

### Postlude

Mrs. Lee Hatfield

\*Please stand as you are able.

Christian sympathy and love are extended to the family and friends of Dr. Bob Packer. Dr. Packer and his family are former members of the Waycross First Methodist Church family, who had relocated to Texas. The family will hold a celebration of life service in Waycross at a later date. Please keep the Packers uplifted in prayer.



Great Fun  
with  
Great  
Friends!

**Prayer REQUESTS**

Lynn Allen, Adam Barnes, Cheryl Bennett, Don Berryhill, Claire Boyle, Tammy Brown, Kimberly Chapman, Penn Clark, Susannah Clark-Rhodes, Barbara Coggin, Carolyn Coleman, Layne Coleman, John Collins, Randy Cox, Tony Cravey, Pam Crews, Savannah Deal, Meri Dean, Flukie Dell, Faye Fletcher, Mikinna Flint, Olive Griffin, Rhonda Hart, Bobby Hopkins, Sylvia Huggins, Jim Hull, Edmund Jacobs, Barbara Jensen, Matthew Jernigan, Stan Justice, Matthew Lee, Jack Lott, Nancy McBride, Missy McGee, Jennifer McGhin, Jackson Timothy McIntire, Ann McIntosh, Mack McKown, Debbie Murray-McQuaig, Kathy Metzger, Military Service Members, Sandy Mills, Johnny Murphy, Chris Ober, Kenslee O'Berry, E. B. Price, Lucie Putala, John Rentz, Stephen Rogers, Richard Rowell, David Grey Russell, Ezra Smith, Wayne Smith, Donnie Strickland, Jim Sweat, Adam Swindell, Brock Thrift, Liam Tuten, Lowell Williamson, Molly Williford, and Mary Woodruff



**Family Movie Trip!**

**We saw the movie  
"David."**

**We are ready to  
share our Light!**

Christmas  
Day Camp  
fun with  
Mrs.  
Sharon  
Beal!

