

**Weekly Calendar
Schedule**

Sunday 01/19/25

8:45am The Depot Service
9:30am Sunday School
10:30am Traditional Worship

Tuesday 01/21/25

5:30pm Church Council

Wednesday 01/22/25

2:00pm Prayer Shawl Group
4:30pm Missions Committee
5:00pm Handbell Rehearsal
5:45pm Supper Line Opens
6:30pm Choir Rehearsal

Thursday 01/23/25

10:00am Food Pantry Open
(Betsy & Reuben Flanders)



Remember to keep the blessing box stocked with non-perishable food items.



**Waycross First
Methodist Church Staff**

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Looking Ahead...

- There is a **Church Council** meeting scheduled for Tuesday, January 21st at 5:30pm in the Arthur Moore Chapel. Stay tuned for updates as there is the potential for inclement weather which could cause this to reschedule.
- **Missions Committee** Meeting on January 22nd at 4:30pm in the Chapel. Stay tuned in case inclement weather requires a reschedule.



First Methodist Church
410 Williams St.
Waycross, Georgia
(912)283-2077
January 19, 2025
10:30 a.m.
www.waycrossfirst.com

January 19, 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 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:

Prelude

Mrs. Michelle Skerratt

Welcome & Announcements

Rev. James Davis

Call to Worship

“Come Christians Join to Sing”
(Vs. 1)

p. 158 (Red Hymnal)

***Hymn**

“We Gather Together”

p. 131 (Red Hymnal)

***The Apostles' Creed**

**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.**

***Gloria Patri**

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 of Christ**

Children's Moment

Mrs. Lindsey Thomas

Morning Prayer

Rev. Davis

***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.

Family Night Supper

Wednesday, January 22nd

Line opens at 5:45 p.m.

MENU

Italian Subs, Homemade
Soup, Dessert & Sweet Tea

**Reservations due by
Noon on Monday,
January 20th.**

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

Name _____

Adults _____ Children _____

*Hymn	"Near to the Heart of God"	p. 472(Red Hymnal)
Special Music	"Family of Grace"	Chancel Choir
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		Mr. Phil Wysong
Scripture	Matthew 3: 11-15	Rev. Davis
Sermon		Rev. Davis
*Closing Hymn	"Precious Name"	p. 536(Red Hymnal)
Benediction		Rev. Davis
Benediction Response	"On Eagle's Wings"	p. 143(Red Hymnal)
Postlude		Mrs. Lee Hatfield

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

The women's Bible Study group will begin their study of "**Esther**" by **Kelly Minter** on **Wednesday, February 5 at 9:30** in the chapel. You can purchase your workbook from Amazon or Lifeway. There may be other outlets that also carry the workbook. If you think you want to participate, it might be a good idea to go ahead and order. If you know of others that might want to join us, please share this information with them.

I look forward to our time together in God's Word!

-Cindy Coppage

Missions Committee Meeting

January 22 at 4:30 in the Chapel.

If you are on a Missions team (A+ Team, Lambs Volunteer, Everyday with Love, Shepherding, Visitors/New Members and Prayer Shawl) please plan to attend.

Prayer REQUESTS

Flukie Dell, Rev. David Blalock, Claire Boyle, Tammy Brown, Kimberly Chapman, Penn Clark, Susannah Clark-Rhodes, Barbara Coggin, Layne Coleman, John Collins, Randy Cox, Pam Crews, Bess Davis, Savannah Deal, Wesley Edge, Faye Fletcher, Olive Griffin, Rhonda Hart, Bobby Hopkins, Jim Hull, Barbara Jensen, Matthew Jernigan, Kathy King, Buddy Knowlton, Janet Kull, Matthew Lee, Jeffery Maxwell, Nancy McBride, Jennifer McGhin, Brittney McIntire, Jackson Timothy McIntire, Thomas McIntire, , Ann McIntosh, Mack McKown, Kathy Metzger, Military Service Members, Sandy Mills, Sarah Jolly Murray, Chris Ober, Kenslee O'Berry, E. B. Price, Lucie Putala, John Rentz, Stephen Rogers, David Grey Russell, Don Scott, Saralyn Singletary, Nita Skerratt, Mimi Smith, Jim Sweat, Adam Swindell, Britney Taylor & Family, Brock Thrift, Clara Wamer, Carolyn Westberry Family, and Mary Woodruff



**Smiles for Miles! Join the
handbell choir for practice on
Wednesdays at 5pm.**