

**Weekly Calendar
Schedule**

Sunday 06/30/24

8:45am The Depot Service
9:30am Breakfast in Fellowship Hall
10:30am Traditional Worship
1:00pm JAM 345

**Thursday 07/04/24
Church office Closed for
Independence Day**

The District Superintendent has set the date for our departure vote at 6PM on Tuesday July 23, 2024.

You will have to be present to vote.

If you have any questions for the Path Forward Committee, please email them at waycrosspfc@gmail.com

Stewardship

Budget \$ 557,314.00
YTD Received \$ 225,662.00
Monthly Need \$ 46,443.00
Monthly Received \$ 26,290.00

Give Online.

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
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Looking Ahead...

- **Church office closed for Independence Day, July 4th.**
- **Children's Pool Party** at Asher & Camden's house! Tuesday, July 9th, 1-3pm.
- **Parent's Night Out** is Friday, July 12th, 6-9pm.
- **Youth Pool Party** at the Pittman's! Saturday, July 13th, 1-3pm.
- **VBS** is July 15-18! Volunteers needed for Snack Station, Bible Story Leader, & Games.
- **M&M's Luncheon** is Sunday, July 28th. Contact Ivy to make your reservation. Cost is \$7/plate.
- **JAM 345** is Wednesday, July 31st, 3-6pm.

Worship Attendance

06/23/24

The Depot — 14

Traditional Worship — 127



**First United
Methodist Church**

410 Williams St.
Waycross, Georgia
(912)283-2077
June 30, 2024
10:30 a.m.
www.waycrossfirst.com

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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:

Prelude

Mrs. Cindy Taylor

Welcome & Announcements

***Hymn**

"America (My Country, 'Tis of Thee)"

p. 697 (UM 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**

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**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

Ms. Ivy Kratzer

Morning Prayer & Our Lord's Prayer

Rev. Jack Varnell

***Hymn**

"Near to the Heart of God"

p. 472 (UM Hymnal)

Laity Prayer

Mrs. Lisa Fesperman

*Please stand as you are able.

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

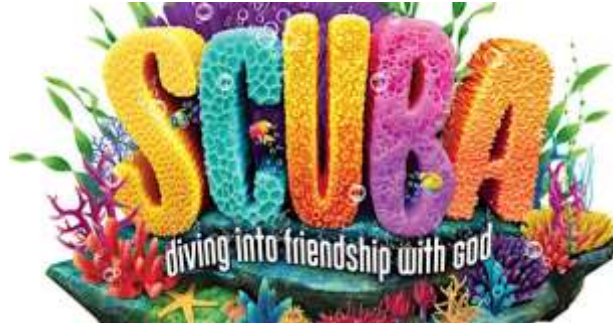
1. On Vyve Cable TV: Channel 15
2. Online: Go to waycrossfirst.com. Choose "Sermons" then "Watch Live Sundays." You may watch live or recorded Sundays.

Food on First is next Sunday, July 7th
Please donate non-perishable food items. Grab a blue cloth grocery bag on your way out the door this Sunday. Fill it up. Empty the bag in one of our Drop boxes and take your bag home to fill again. .



The LAMBS program donates hygiene items to Waycross Middle, Ware Middle & WCHS. As you travel this summer help us stock the hygiene box! Please donate any travel sized shampoo/conditioner, shower gel, soap, hand lotion, etc... Drop off outside the LAMBS room!

Special Music		Medema
Scripture Reading	"Down to the River" Galatians 5:1, 13-15	Rev. Varnell
Sermon	"Freedom To Love"	Rev. Varnell
*Closing Hymn	"America the Beautiful"	p. 696 (UM Hymnal)
Benediction		Rev. Varnell
Benediction Response	"Here I am, Lord"	p.593 (UM Hymnal)
Postlude		Mrs. Taylor
*Please stand as you are able.		



VBS 2024, where we are Scuba diving into friendship with God!

July 15-18

9am-12pm

Volunteers are signing up! Come on! You can volunteer too!

**Thank you Susan Haddock, Anna Davis,
Martha Paulk, Beverly Merck, Lindsey Thomas,
Patti White, Ally McIntire,
Emma & Lily Lastinger.**

Contact Ivy to volunteer!

Prayer REQUESTS

Flukie Dell, Patsy Blalock, Claire Boyle, Tammy Brown, Kimberly Chapman, Penn Clark, Salem Clark, Barbara Coggin, Layne Coleman, Cindy & Randy Conley, Norm Cover, James Crouch, Bess Davis, Savannah Deal, Brenda DeRoche, Wesley Edge, Jennifer Fesperman, Rick Fey, Faye Fletcher, Olive Griffin, Rhonda Hart, Bobby Hopkins, Jim Hull, Rev. Jim and Barbara Jensen, Matthew Jernigan, Kathy King, Betty Knowlton and Family, Jim Lesniak, Cheryl Lott, Rev. Sonny Mason, Jeffery Maxwell, Nancy McBride, Jennifer McGhin, Marsha McGhin, Ann McIntosh, Susie McTeer, Mack McKown, Kathy Metzger, Military Service Members, Sarah Jolly Murray, Chris Ober, Kensley O'Berry, E. B. Price, Tyreq Purcell, Lucie Putala, John Rentz, Tyler Ronan, David Grey Russell, Don Scott, Trent Scott, Saralyn Singletary, Nita Skerratt, Desiree Slaughter, Mimi Smith, Jim Sweat, Adam Swindell, Jamar Taylor Family, Brock Thrift, Carolyn Westberry Family, Tyrone Williams, Henry Williamson, Mary Woodruff, and Sharon Worton



Children's Summer Sunday School-Story Time

We have given our teacher volunteers the summer off.

We are meeting for Sunday School in a different surprise secret location each week. We read a story, connect the story to one of our Bible Memory Verses, and discuss.

We kick off each Sunday in the choir room with Mrs. Cindy at 9:30.