

## FLOWERS



The altar flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God and honor of Katie and Ben Smith's 60<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary and in memory of her sister Mary Sue Hill Harris.

The flowers on the communion table this Sunday are given to the glory of God and to honor Mrs. Wanza Jones by her daughter, Dr. Sharon Jones.

## STEWARDSHIP



Year to date Requirements (thru June 2017)	\$ 258,710.
Year to date Receipts	\$ 226,061.
May Requirements	\$ 43,118.
Month to date Receipts	\$ 19,068.

## SUNDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

8:15am Traditional Worship/Chapel  
9:00am Contemporary Worship/F.Hall  
11:00am Traditional Worship/ Sanctuary



## SUNDAY June 25th ATTENDANCE June 18

<b>11:00 AM GREETERS</b>	8:15	NA
Service SS Class	9:00	71
	<u>11:00</u>	<u>72</u>
<b>11:00AM USHERS</b>	Total	143

Ronald Johnston and Don Jimerson

**YOUTH CHAPERONES & CHEFS**

Jeff and Amy Kelly

## THANK YOU



Many thanks to all the many people who have worked so hard to ready the parsonage for our new pastoral family and to spruce up the grounds of the church, update our church signs, and ready the inside of the church for the

Welcome Brunch on Sunday: Walter Brown, and his wonderful Parsonage Committee, Mark Cotney and his great Staff Parish Relations Committee, Martha Ellerbee and the Buildings and Grounds Committee and the Family Life Committee and all the others who have served.

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## CALENDAR— June 21-June 25, 2017

### THURSDAY 22

10:00am-Youth-Paint Ball-meet at The Ridge, cost \$25. Each

### SUNDAY 18

8:15am Traditional Worship/Chapel  
9:00am Contemporary Worship/FH  
10:00am Welcome Brunch in Fellowship Hall  
11:00am Traditional Service/Sanctuary  
5:00pm Youth Activities  
6:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!!!!



**BIRTHDAYS to Celebrate**  
JUNE 25: Max Holliman; 26: Jason Weems, Wes Eckert; 27: Benjamin Smith; 28: Ben Daniel, Chase Daniel; 30: Shirley Ann Cotney, Emma Daniel

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Wednesday, June 21, 2017



*WELCOME TO OUR NEW PASTOR  
Rev. Eddie Herring and his wife, Renee.  
They join us from Calhoun First United Methodist  
Church in Calhoun, Georgia.*

*We will welcome them this  
Sunday along with their  
children and family  
with  
a 10:00am brunch  
Sunday in the Fellowship Hall.*

## COMING EVENTS

*JOIN US ON  
JUNE 25<sup>TH</sup>, 2017  
10:00 AM-FELLOWSHIP HALL  
FOR BRUNCH  
AS WE WELCOME OUR NEW PASTORAL FAMILY,  
EDDIE AND RENEE HERRING.  
WE ARE EXCITED TO HAVE THEM JOIN OUR FAMILY OF  
FAITH.*



## PRAYER CONCERNS



### OUR MILITARY PERSONNEL, & LEADERS MISSIONARIES

**CURRENT REQUESTS:** Jeremy Daniel family (loss of his grandmother Doris Daniel); The Bickley family (loss of Randall's mother- Mrs. Desmal Estelle Bickley, Kathleen Short-Riverside Rehab., Patricia Majors, Mary Annis Watkins, Faye Garrett, Katherine Williams

**FRIENDS AND FAMILY:** - Jay Orr, Sue Speer

**AT HOME:** Jimmy Ellerbee, Margaret Tench, John Logan, Juli Greivell, Hilda Andrews, Bernice Smith

**OUT OF TOWN:** Martha Mallory, Gertrude Taylor, Jane Salter

**WEST VILLAGE:** Betsy White, Ann Britt, Libby Ingram, Mavis Kelly, Jim Esco, Sonny Peacock

**PROVIDENCE HEALTHCARE:** Peggy Straughan

**HARBOR VIEW:** Mary Owen

**RIVERSIDE NURSING CTR.** Elsie Penny, Max Holliman, Florine Harper

**CAROUSEL HOUSE, FORSYTH, GA-** Norma Brown

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY JODY AND TINA

### Marvelous Mondays

### WILL BEGIN Monday following VBS.

This year we will all meet at specified areas at 10am each Monday for a play date with our friends!

June 26: Greatest Generation Park (Playground/Splash Pad)

July 03: Park Street Park (Playground)

July 10: (TBA)

July 17: Crystal Springs (Perk's Pool)

July 24: End of Summer SPLASH @ TFUMC (Bring your water guns and Super Soakers!)

## ADULT MINISTRY PAT DODSON

### ADULT TRIP: LaGRANGE

Check your schedule for JULY 18 for a trip to

**HILLS and DALES GARDENS**

Leaving 8:45am -

Guided tour of house and gardens- \$15

Lunch at *Taste of Lemon* \$10

Return approx. - 4:00pm

Reservation DEADLINE: July 13.

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Thanks to our Girls who are our **HOSPITALITY TEAM** for their many hours of service, love and warmth.

If you ever wish to volunteer to help, please call Freida Ellington or Barbara Ragan. They and their team are the greatest.

## IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM BOARD OF TRUSTEES

The Board of Trustees is contemplating the liquidation of 2 pianos (Baldwin in the Service Class and Sterling in the FH) due to disrepair and cost prohibitive repair. If there are any objections or comments, please forward to Sherry Rawls to be forwarded to Board of Trustees. If there are no objections, then sealed bids will be contemplated in the future with proceeds to be used for a new piano.

## YOUTH MINISTRIES JASON WEEMS

### BELIEVING, LIVING OPENLY FOR GOD

June 21, 2017

Paint Ball June 22nd (Thursday)... 25.00 for gun/shield, & 500 balls. MEET at THE RIDGE CHURCH at 2:50... **We start playing at 3:00 and will be done by 5:00**

NEXT WEEK we have a mission trip opportunity over in Barnesville... Info is on this website..

<http://www.centennialbaptistassociation.com/equipmissions/>

As we walked the beach this week hunting for shells, I got caught up in the "ever chasing after the wind," as Solomon puts it. I got caught up looking for the BIGGEST shell, yet I would pass so many smaller, but still impressive shells. As I stooped to pick up a shell of darker color, it hit me, I had just proved the Bible right once again with my sinful flesh. Each shell no matter the size is a true wonder of beauty and design, each color combination and each shape so detailed and a privilege to hold in your hands. I was missing the true beauty and wonder of it all; caught up in the chasing of something greater! When in actuality, greatness was surrounding me the whole time. I hope you are better than me, I hope you have a better grasp on the flesh and its desires to have more and more and bigger and bigger than I do. I hope that through the wonderful interaction of prayer and the life giving Spirit that is in me that I will chase the wind less and less, that I will see the majesty in the small things as much as the big. I will settle my heart upon the only thing that matters, and that I will be content with what I have in hand. Ecclesiastes 4:6 states it like this, "*Better one handful with tranquility than two handfuls with toil and chasing after the wind.*"

Take a moment to really ponder that last verse, are you like me? If so seek the Father and ask Him to show you the GREATNESS of the "least of these"

jason

MISSION TRIP... Barnesville June 26-28... More info to come!!!!

TAKI eat out night June 29th( Thursday) 4:30-8:00