

Opportunities to Connect and Serve Today

Youth Fellowship, 10AM in the Youth Room
(Chris Hester 678-936-5127, chrishester23@gmail.com)

Leadership Team 2PM, Dogwood Room
(Debbie Durrence 678-333-1214, debbie.durrence@gmail.com)

Love on Tap, 4PM at Left Nut Brewing Company
(Rob Bruce 404-906-8276, rob.bruce@ngumc.net)

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Monday, May 20

Power of Positive Perspective Support Group, 1PM in the Church Library off the Sanctuary
(Susan Ward 678-617-0425, babysusan61@gmail.com)

Second Psalm Prayer Partners, 7PM at the home of Anita and David Sweet (770-539-4411, sweet062602@gmail.com)

Tuesday, May 21

Women's AA 9AM, Dogwood Room located beneath the Sanctuary (Sonya, 678-283-6129)

Crafting Squad 11AM, Dogwood Room beneath the Sanctuary
(Nancy Maddox, 770-536-9049, nancymad@yahoo.com)

Power of Positive Perspective Support Group, 6PM in the Church Library off the Sanctuary
(Susan Ward 678-617-0425, babysusan61@gmail.com)

Good News at Noon, 7PM at Good News
(Jean Prezel 678-720-6945, jeanprezel@gmail.com)

Bible Study "John" 7PM, Dogwood Room beneath the Sanctuary
(Chris Hester 678-936-5127, chrishester23@gmail.com)

Narcotics Anonymous 7:30PM, Dogwood Room
(Brandon 770-534-7282)

Wednesday, May 22

Women's AA 9AM in the Dogwood Room beneath the sanctuary
(Sonya, 678-283-6129)

Fellowship Devotion Group 9:30AM Curt's Restaurant (Lamar Jordan 770-536-9043, ljordan4751@charter.net)

Psalm Prayer Partners 5PM, Church Library off the Sanctuary
(Lamar Jordan 770-536-9043, ljordan4751@charter.net)

Choir Practice 7PM in the Sanctuary (Lisa Crow 678-983-1620, lisaandmerm@yahoo.com)

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Thursday, May 23

Women's AA 9AM Dogwood Room located beneath the Sanctuary (Sonya, 678-283-6129)

Country Heritage Bingo and birthday party, 2:30PM at Country Heritage (Cathy Cudd 678-467-3070, cccduluth@ymail.com)

Highsteppers to Red House 4:30PM on the church bus
(Lynne Tryon 470-290-8686)

Sunday, May 26

UMM 7AM at Curt's Restaurant
(Jim Prezel 770-685-5945, jhprezel@gmail.com)



Love on Tap

Today, 4-6PM
Left Nut Brewing Co.
2100 Atlanta Hwy. Gainesville, GA

Join us for fellowship at Left Nut Brewing. Enjoy some casual time with new friends, and perhaps get some new insights on your old friends as well!



Upcoming Highsteppers Activities



Join the Highsteppers (Senior Adults) as we take the church bus on the following outings:

Thursday, May 23 **dinner at the Red House** in Jefferson . Bus will leave the church at 4:30PM.

Thursday, June 20 **trip to the Atlanta Cyclorama**. Ticket price is 10.00. Bus will leave the church at 9:30AM and we will eat lunch in Atlanta. We will return by 3 - 3:30PM.

If interested, please contact Lynne Tryon (470-290-8686) or Ruby Roberts (770-967-4039, roberts4245@att.net).

Our Service to Others

Last week we had 8 people active in service to 198 individuals, including Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, mentoring (Vinnie and Julie Delliponti, Lynne Tryon and Dick Fleming), Good News at Noon (David and Anita Sweet), Northeast GA Medical Center (Margaret Chaffin), and Good News Clinic (Dorothy Carter).

Please note your service to others this past week on your communications card and place it in the offering plate.

The Small Group and Mission Fair
is postponed until Sunday, June 9th

Calling All Flowery Branch Residents

If you live in the City of Flowery Branch, or you have friends or family members who do, the McEver Road UMC Building Committee needs you to contact them about our church's rezoning application and anticipated relocation to Flowery Branch.

Please contact any of the following Building Committee members:

Mike Hollimon (678-209-8412, mhollimon71@gmail.com)

Mike Stewart (770-530-4571, skydad1@bellsouth.net)

Linda Breese (770-287-4767, breeylinda@gmail.com)

Lloyd Smee (770-654-6558, l.smee@charter.net)



Rev. Karen Hoyt, Associate Pastor for Pastoral Care

Karen serves as a deacon for the United Methodist Church with the North Georgia Conference and will be commissioned in June 2019.

Karen is a native Brit, originally from Surrey in England, where her family still resides. She is a full time staff chaplain at Northeast Georgia Medical Center at Gainesville, and at Braselton and the chaplain for Women and Children's services.



Karen and David Hoyt

Karen's call to pastoral ministry began as a Stephen Minister in 2006 with the United Methodist Church before she became a Children's and Families Director at Hopewell UMC in Tyrone, GA and then at North Decatur UMC in Atlanta, GA.

Karen earned her BS in Counseling from Point University, and her M.Div. from Candler School of Theology at Emory University.

Karen currently lives in Gainesville, having relocated from Colorado in 2001, with husband, Dave and their four children. Outside of work, Karen enjoys spending time with her adult children and one grandchild, as well as hiking with her husband and their dogs in the mountains.

McEver Road UMC is Praying For:

Tony Pyle, family of Shirley Stauffer, David Sweet and family, Mary Watkins and family



Continued Prayers For:

Brecklynn Allgood, Bill and Liz Anderson, Jim and Claudia Barr, Kai Bassett, Noel and Betsy Bassett, Beth Beecher, Jim Burton, Kimiko Carlson, Bill Carman, Brandon Cartledge, Jonelle Cash, Wayne Colston, Tom Cooper, Wayne Davidson, Natalie Donatelli, Martha Farr, Shari Gwaltney, Linda Hewell, Danny Hill, Jill Johnson, Michele Lecorchic, Miguel Molina, Celeste Mullins, Rich Nuckolls, Jeff Palulis, Jean Pool, Martha Shay, Shelly Simpson, Florence Smee, Andrea Steptoe, Kya Strickland, Connie Towe, Hannah Turcotte, Sharon Walton, Ronnie and Kathy Wheeler, Linda Yocum, John Young

Our Service Men and Women:

Chris Anderson, Ryan Cantrell, Breanna Cantrell, Christian Edens, Maribel Edens, Robby Harrison, Travis Hutchinson, Kiernan Kane, Tim & Heather Megee, Jacob Miller, Zachary Peterson, Trevor Phillips

Missionaries:

Ashley Johnson, Christie & Rick Krueger, Ann Milligan

Please contact the church office (770-532-3160) or the Jordans (770-536-9043, ljordan4751@charter.net) for updates to the prayer list.

The rosebud on the altar is in honor of Lucas Chase Thompson, grandson of Paula and Wayne Davidson. Lucas arrived May 9 and joins his sister Emma and brother Jacob. Mom (Amanda Davidson Thompson) and dad (Jason) are doing well!

**Today's Worship
Fifth Sunday of Easter
May 19, 2019**



Today's Message: Garcon Rev. Dr. Rob Bruce

Today's Scripture: Matthew 20:25-28 (NRSV)

9AM Hymns: #133 "Leaning on the Everlasting Arms" vs. 1, 2, 3
#138 "My Hope Is Built" (Cokesbury)
#338 "Wherever He Leads" v. 1

Today's Servants

9:00AM Counters: Donnie Mathis and Laurie Souders

11:15AM Counters: Ben Buchan and Cathy Cudd

9:00AM Tech Booth: Nancie Daugherty (5/26 Heather Taylor)

11:15AM Tech Booth: Lynda Price (5/26 Ben Buchan)

9:00AM Reader: Tracey Wimpy

9:00AM Prayer for Illumination: Hector Barrera (5/26 Livvy Cotton)

9:00AM Exhorter: Lisa Crow (5/26 Anita Sweet)

11:15AM Exhorter: Debbie Durrence (5/26 Lydia Beach)

9:00AM Greeters: Mike and Linda Hollimon, Sue Terwilliger

Next Week's Spirit Café: Judy Chosewood, Elizabeth DiPrima, Nan Hagerty, Becky Tomlin

Next Week's Sermon: **Contemplating Navels**
Luke 10:25-38



McEver Road
United Methodist Church

Loving Christ Loving People Helping People Love Christ

Welcome! We're Glad You're Here!



We extend a special welcome to those who are single, married, divorced, filthy rich, dirt poor. We extend a special welcome to those who are crying newborns, skinny as a rail or could afford to lose a few pounds.

We welcome you if you can sing like Andrea Bocelli or like our pastor who can't carry a note

in a bucket. You're welcome here if you're "just browsing," just woke up or just got out of jail. We don't care if you're more Methodist than Asbury, or haven't been in church since little Joey's Baptism.

We extend a special welcome to those who are over 60 but not grown up yet, and to teenagers who are growing up too fast. We welcome soccer moms, NASCAR dads, starving artists, latte-sippers, vegetarians, junk-food eaters.

We welcome those who are in recovery or still addicted. We welcome you if you're having problems or you're down in the dumps or if you don't like "organized religion;" we've been there too.

If you blew all your offering money at the dog track, you're welcome here. We offer a special welcome to those who think the earth is flat, work too hard, don't work, can't spell, or because grandma is in town and wanted to go to church.

We welcome those who are inked, pierced or both. We offer a special welcome to those who could use a prayer right now, had religion shoved down your throat as a kid or got lost in traffic and wound up here by mistake. We welcome tourists, seekers and doubters, bleeding hearts and you!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Cathy Prince 5/21

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY
Richard and Doris Tilley 5/21

Church Wi-Fi

In the Sanctuary Building
Name: ATTyqPCpPi
Password: jc#zub6gs8m2

In Stewart Hall
Name: NETGEAR83
Password: 7705323160

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