

## Opportunities to Connect and Serve Today

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

One Worship Service 11AM in Stewart Hall (Rob Bruce  
404-906-8276, rob.bruce@ngumc.net)

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- **Thursday, Sept. 5**  
Bible Study 10:30AM, Dogwood Room below the Sanctuary  
(Rob Bruce 404-906-8276, rob.bruce@ngumc.net)  
  
Young Wesley Small Group 7PM at the home of Jennifer and  
Johnny Sepulveda (678-989-8779, jsep41914@gmail.com)  
  
Wesley Small Group 7PM at the home of Sherry and Rob  
Bruce (404-906-8276, rob.bruce@ngumc.net)
- **Sunday, Sept. 8**  
Worship Team 5:30PM via internet (Rob Bruce  
404-906-8276, rob.bruce@ngumc.net)

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- **Monday, Sept. 2**  
*Labor Day—Church Office Closed*  
  
Second Psalm Prayer Partners, 7PM at the home of Anita and  
David Sweet (770-539-4411, sweet062602@gmail.com)
- **Tuesday, Sept. 3**  
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)  
  
Good News at Noon, 7PM at Good News at Noon  
(Jean Prezel 678-720-6945, jeanprezel@gmail.com)  
  
Bible Study, 7PM in the Dogwood Room below the Sanctuary  
(Chris Hester 678-936-5127, chrishester23@gmail.com)  
  
Narcotics Anonymous 7:30PM, Dogwood Room  
(Brandon 770-534-7282)
- **Wednesday, Sept. 4**  
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 )
- **Thursday, Sept. 5**  
Women's AA 9AM Dogwood Room located beneath the  
Sanctuary (Sonya, 678-283-6129)  
  
Highsteppers to Yellow Daisy Festival 9AM on the church bus  
(Lynne Tryon 470-290-8686)

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## JOYFUL NOISE

The Joyful Noise small group fall schedule resumes on Sunday, Sept. 8. We meet on Sunday mornings at 10 am, in our room downstairs, under the sanctuary. We offer an opportunity to discuss current topics, using music as a catalyst for contemplation and understanding of our spiritual journey.

Our September schedule:  
Sept 8 - "Summer Vacation"  
Sept 15 - "Chains"  
Sept 22 - "War"  
Sept 29 - "Paradise"

We invite you to join us this fall. All are welcome.

For more info, contact John Wright, johnwright1950@bellsouth.net ,  
770-967-1950.

## Our Service to Others

Last week we had 13 people active in service to 426 individuals, including Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, Country Heritage (Dee Pearson, Charlotte Breese, Susan Ward, Rose Lively, Doris Tiley, Jeannette Christman, Sue Terwilliger), Good News at Noon (David Sweet), Good News Clinic (Dorothy Carter, Kaye Herth), home visits (Jill and Garry Glenn, Rose Lively), and Lee Arrendale Prison (Lynne Tryon).

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

## No Prayer and Healing Service This Month

Our next Beautiful Gate Prayer and Healing Service will be Sunday, Oct. 4th at 7PM in the Sanctuary. We encourage you to bring your prayers and concerns to the service.

## New Lay Servant Courses Announced

A list of the Lay Servant Courses for the Fall is available in the church Narthex and on the Connection table in Stewart Hall. Please take a look if you are interested in becoming a lay servant (Basic Course) or if you are already a lay servant interested in an advanced course.

## Is The Lord Calling You?

We have reached that time of the year when we put our Leadership Team together for the next year. If you are interested in serving on the Leadership Team, please let Rob know. If you do not know what is available or even what the Leadership Team does, Rob will be in the Sanctuary during the Sunday School hour on September 8 for questions and answers.

## Benevolence Fund Needs a Boost

The Benevolence Fund is low, so we are asking for your help to build it back up. Donations may be made via weekly offering envelope or online. Please designate Benevolence Fund.

The Benevolence Fund is used to assist those in need for essentials. Each request is reviewed and approved by committee.

## Golf Tournament Scheduled

The 8th Annual Golf Tournament sponsored by the McEver Road UMC Men's Club will be held Thursday, Sept. 26th at Chicopee Woods.

Pick up a flyer in the narthex or in Stewart Hall for information on how to enter a team and/or donate a prize. If you have questions or would like to help at the event, contact Lloyd Smee (770-967-3207, l.smee@charter.net).

## Highsteppers Heading to Yellow Daisy Festival



Join the Highsteppers (Senior Adults) as we take the church bus to the Yellow Daisy Festival in Stone Mountain on Thursday, Sept 5. The bus leaves the church at 9:00 am and will leave the festival between 2 and 2:30 pm.

This is one of the best festivals and arts and crafts shows in the country. Please call Lynne Tryon (470-290-8686) for your reservation.

**McEver Road UMC is Praying For:**

Jess Armour, Trisha Cooper, Livvy Cotton, Cindy Day, Bella Epsilantis, Ethan, Paul and Nan Hagerty, Family of Danny Hill, Lamar Jordan, Family of Jeane McDonald, James Merenda, Lloyd Smee, Susan Ward



**Continued Prayers For:**

Bill and Liz Anderson, Jim and Claudia Barr, Noel and Betsy Bassett, Beth Beecher, Jim Burton, Kimiko Carlson, Bill Carman, Brandon Cartledge, Wayne Colston, Tom Cooper, Wayne Davidson, Natalie Donatelli, Martha Farr, Shari Gwaltney, Linda Hewell, Jill Johnson, Michele Lecorchic, Thomas Lindsley, Tony Maddox, Mark Mobarry, Paul Mobarry, Miguel Molina, Celeste Mullins, Jeff Palulis, Jean Pool, Martha Shay, Shelly Simpson, Florence Smee, Andrea Step-toe, 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.**

**Today's Worship  
12th Sunday after Pentecost  
September 8, 2019**

**Today's Message:  
How Great Thou Art**  
Pastor Karen Hoyt

**Today's Scripture:**  
Mark 9:30-37



**Hymns:** #701 "When We All Get to Heaven"  
#622 "There Is a Fountain"  
#77 "How Great Thou Art" chorus only

**Today's Servants**

**Counters:** Paul Durrence and Renee Brown  
Nan Hagerty and Ron Clements

**Greeters:** Max and Judy Chosewood, Carolyn Burkhalter

**9AM Tech Booth:** N/A (9/8 Nancie Daugherty )  
**11:15AM Tech Booth:** Ben Buchan (9/8 Lynda Price)

**Next Week's Spirit Café:** Pat Adams, Heather Barrera,  
Cathy Cudd, Rose Owen

**Next Week's Sermon:** **Zero Mostel**  
Mark 10:17-31



**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**

Ben Buchan	9/01	Don Cooper	9/05
Darlene Smith	9/02	Linda Holliman	9/07
Will Jones	9/02		

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

Wayne and Lynda Price	9/02
Garry and Jill Glenn	9/03
Mike and Linda Holliman	9/04

**Church Wi-Fi**

<b>In the Sanctuary Building</b>	<b>In Stewart Hall</b>
Name: ATTyqPCpPi	Name: NETGEAR83
Password: jc#zub6gs8m2	Password: 7705323160

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