

## Opportunities to Connect and Serve Today

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

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- **Monday, Sept. 30**  
Serve at Food Pantry 4PM at South Hall Community Food Pantry (Jackie Buchan 678-313-8893, jackiebuchan@charter.net)  
  
Second Psalm Prayer Partners, 7PM at the home of Anita and David Sweet (770-539-4411, sweet062602@gmail.com)
- **Tuesday, Oct. 1**  
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)  
  
Bible Study, 7PM in the Dogwood Room below the Sanctuary (Chris Hester 678-936-5127, chrishester23@gmail.com)  
  
Good News at Noon, 7PM at Good News at Noon (Jean Prezel 678-720-6945, jeanprezel@gmail.com)  
  
Narcotics Anonymous 7:30PM, Dogwood Room (Brandon 770-534-7282)
- **Wednesday, Oct. 2**  
Highsteppers to Mercer Orchards 9AM by bus (Lynne Tryon 470-290-8686)  
  
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, Oct. 3**  
Women's AA 9AM Dogwood Room located beneath the Sanctuary (Sonya, 678-283-6129)  
  
Highsteppers to Food Factory 4:30PM by bus (Lynne Tryon 470-290-8686)  
  
Young Wesley Small Group 7PM at the home of Jennifer and Johnny Sepulveda (678-989-8779, jsep41914@gmail.com)

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- **Thursday, Oct. 3**  
Wesley Small Group 7PM at the home of Jackie and Ben Buchan (678-313-8893, jackiebuchan@charter.net)
- **Saturday, Oct. 5**  
Serve at Food Pantry 10AM at South Hall Community Food Pantry (Jackie Buchan 678-313-8893, jackiebuchan@charter.net)
- **Sunday, Oct. 6**  
Beautiful Gate prayer and healing service, 7PM in the Sanctuary (Rob Bruce 404-906-8276, rob.bruce@ngumc.net)

## Beautiful Gate Service Next Sunday

Join us next Sunday (10/6) at our Beautiful Gate prayer and healing service. It will be at 7PM in the Sanctuary. We encourage you to bring your prayers and concerns to the service.

## Oakwood Faith Community Trunk-R-Treat

Thursday, Oct. 31

5:30-7:30PM

Downtown Oakwood

*Free, safe and fun  
for the whole family!*

- \*Free hot dogs
- \*Face painting
- \*Bouncy house
- \*S'mores
- \*Chili cook-off
- \*Over 50 trunks

We will need volunteers to make this event even better than it was last year.. ***We will also need candy—lots of it!!! So please start collecting candy and thinking of creative ways to decorate your trunk.***

This is a great opportunity for us to serve our community. Let's show our community that we care!



## Highsteppers: Two Events This Week

Join the Highsteppers (senior adults) on their annual bus trip to Mercer Orchards in Blue Ridge this Wednesday, Oct. 2. The bus will leave the church at 9AM. We will stop for lunch on the way. To reserve your seat on the bus, please contact Lynne Tryon at 470-290-8686.

Then on Thursday, Oct. 3, we will take off again on the bus, to the Food Factory in Cornelia. Come and enjoy a buffet dinner (\$12) and hear one of our favorite gospel groups, Georgia. Please contact Lynne Tryon at 470-290-8686 or Lloyd Smee at 770-967-3207 or l.smee@charter.net.

SOUTH HALL



COMMUNITY  
FOOD PANTRY



Help serve at the SHCF Pantry on Monday, Sept.30 from 4-6 & Saturday, Oct. 5, from 10-12.



## This October Help fill the black boxes with Rice & Beans

What do you like better Rice or Beans?  
VOTE by donating pound bags of Rice &/or Beans.  
Place your "VOTE" in the "Item of the Month" Boxes in the Narthex & Stewart Hall

## Christmas Card Ministry Expands

Thanks to a generous donation and cards left over from last year, we already have enough Christmas cards for the Country Heritage nursing facility and Wakulla Prison.

We would like to provide cards for the 1800 inmates at Lee Arrendale Prison this year. We need lots of donations of Christmas cards to make this happen.

Please keep in mind that references to home or family are not appropriate for the prison, so select cards with generic or (preferably) religious messages.

Also, your donations of get well, thinking of you, birthday, and blank note cards are welcome any time.

Please bring your donations in as soon as possible, so we may begin preparing them to send. You may give them to Dee Pearson or leave them in the church office or Library.

Thank you for helping brighten the holidays for some who so often are forgotten!

## Our Service to Others

Last week we had 3 people active in service to 134 individuals, including Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, Kairos Prison Ministry (Lynne Tryon), mentoring (Lynne Tryon, Dick Fleming), and home visits (Jill Glenn).

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

**McEver Road UMC is Praying For:**

Jess Armour, Trisha Cooper, Pennie Eddy, Kyle Ervens, Bella Epsilantis, Paul and Nan Hagerty, Family of David Hewell, Carolyn Lindsley, James Merenda, Teresa Wheeler



**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, Mark Mobarry, Paul Mobarry, Miguel Molina, Celeste Mullins, Jeff Palulis, Jean Pool, Martha Shay, Shelly Simpson, Lloyd and 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](mailto:ljordan4751@charter.net)) for updates to the prayer list.**

**Today's Worship  
16th Sunday after Pentecost  
September 29, 2019**

One of the teachers of the law came and heard them debating. Noticing that Jesus had given them a good answer, he asked him, "Of all the commandments, which is the most important?"

Mark 12:28-34

**Today's Message:** Love God. Love People. Chris Hester

**Today's Scripture:** Mark 12:28-34 (NLT)

**9AM Hymns:** #545 "The Church's One Foundation" vs. 1, 2, 4, 5  
#714 "I Know Whom I Have Believed"  
#328 "Surely the Presence of the Lord"

**Today's Servants**

**9AM Counters:** Dee Pearson and Nan Hagerty  
**11:15 Counters:** Paul Durrence and Renee Brown

**9AM Greeters:** Max and Judy Chosewood, Carolyn Burkhalter

**9AM Tech Booth:** Ben Buchan (10/6 Nancie Daugherty)  
**11:15 Tech Booth:** Ben Buchan (10/6 Lynda Price)

**9AM Prayer for Illumination:** Hector Barrera (10/6 Livvy Cotton)

**9AM Exhorter:** N/A (10/6 Judy Jordan)  
**11:15 Exhorter:** N/A (10/6 Chris Hester)

**Next Week's Spirit Café:** Renee Barnette, Linda Kern, Heather Taylor, Tracey Wimpy

**Next Week's Sermon:** Magnifique  
1 Timothy 6:17-19



**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**  
David Prezel 10/4  
Les Smee 10/4  
Paul Thieken 10/4

**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**  
Brian and Christine Cave 10/4

**Church Wi-Fi**  
*In the Sanctuary Building* Name: ATTyqPCpPi Password: jc#zub6gs8m2  
*In Stewart Hall* Name: NETGEAR83 Password: 7705323160

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