

Opportunities to Connect and Serve Today

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

Leadership Team Meeting 2PM, Stewart Hall
(Debbie Durrence 678-333-1214, Debbie.durrence@gmail.com)

Worship Meeting 5:30PM via internet
(Rob Bruce 404-906-8276, rob.bruce@ngumc.net)

Opportunities To Connect and Serve This Week

- **Monday, Jan. 20**

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
Church Office Closed

- **Tuesday, Jan. 21**

Women's AA 9AM, Dogwood Room below the Sanctuary (church office 770-532-3160, angelaivey986@gmail.com)

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

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

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

- **Wednesday, Jan. 22**

Women's AA 9AM, Dogwood Room below the Sanctuary (church office 770-532-3160, angelaivey986@gmail.com)

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

Psalm Prayer Partners 11:30AM, alcove of former Sanctuary
(Lamar Jordan 770-536-9043, ljordan4751@charter.net)

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

- **Thursday, Jan. 23**

Women's AA 9AM, Dogwood Room below the Sanctuary (church office 770-532-3160, angelaivey986@gmail.com)

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

Theology on Tap 7PM at Left Nut Brewing
(Rob Bruce 404-906-8276, rob.bruce@ngumc.net)

- **Sunday, Jan. 26**

UMM 7AM at Curt's Restaurant
(Lloyd Smee 770-967-3206, 770-654-6558, l.smee@charter.net)

Tuesday Night Bible Study to Resume

Our Tuesday evening Bible Study will get back under way on Jan. 28th with a study called "The New Testament You Never Knew." The study will be at 7PM in the Dogwood Room. It will be led by Chris Hester.

In this study, you will discover things you never knew about Jesus' baptism and journey into the wilderness, the meaning behind his parables and miracles, the significance of his death and resurrection, the incredible expansion of the early church into the Greco-Roman world, and how the transforming mission of Jesus can still turn the world upside down today.

Through reading the New Testament we continually discover that God indeed keeps his promises, but those promises don't always look like what people expected. Especially when it comes to Jesus. So, come join the journey with authors N.T. Wright and Michael Bird and they will help you understand the New Testament you never knew.

Attention "Lift Your Spirits Café" Servants

The new schedule (Feb-April) has been emailed to each of you who have email. A reminder is printed in the bulletin each week with the servants for the following Sunday. Also, a schedule is posted on the bulletin board. If you cannot serve on your designated date, please swap with someone else on the list.

If you would like to be added as a servant to help provide and serve food for our Sunday morning fellowship, please contact Paula Davidson (770-654-5083, psld89@bellsouth.net) or Sherry Bruce (770-598-3912, sherrybruce@gmail.com).

Our Service to Others

Last week we had 3 people active in service to 180 individuals, including Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, Northeast GA Medical Center (Margaret Chaffin), and Good News at Noon (Jim Prezel, David Sweet).

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

Sponsor Altar Flowers to Honor Loved Ones

Did you know that you can provide the altar flowers in honor or memory of a loved one? All you have to do is contact the church office at least a week ahead of time. You can choose to provide your own flowers, or simply contribute \$55 to pay for that week's standing purchase. Your name, the honoree's name, and the occasion will be listed in the church bulletin for the Sunday you select.

Come Celebrate "Love Is Alive"

Please plan to attend the "Love Is Alive" Celebration", hosted by the UMM. It will be on Friday, Feb. 14th, 6-8PM, at Loretta's Venue. Entertainment will be provided by The Junction Band.

Cost of the dinner and entertainment is \$15 per person. Please contact Lloyd Smee (770-967-3206, 770-654-6558, l.smee@charter.net) or Jim Prezel (770-685-5945, jhprezel@gmail.com) by Sunday, Feb. 9th with how many tickets you want.

New Disciple Bible Study Class

I will be leading a new Disciple I Bible study class beginning in February. This will be the fast-track version, with 12 sessions on the Old Testament and 12 more on the New Testament.

We are planning to meet on Sunday afternoons at 4PM. If you are interested, please contact me soon so I can order the study books.

I am looking forward to seeing you there!

Marty Bonim

Email martha.bonim@icloud.com
or text 678-617-7221

Thank You Note

My sister Michelle, brother Clay, mom Jeanette and I would like to thank everyone for the prayers, cards and support that you have offered our family during the loss of our Dad Bill Jamieson. We rejoice that we had him for Christmas and he left us the way he would have wanted to go. My church family means more to me than you will know.

In God's love,
Renee Barnette



Change Is Gonna Do You Good



McEver Road UMC is Praying For:

Dorothy Carter, family of Bill Jamieson, family of Chuck Smith, 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, Paul and Nan Hagerty, Linda Hewell, Jill Johnson, Michele Lecorchic, Carolyn Lindsley, Thomas Lindsley, Mark Mobarry, Paul Mobarry, Miguel Molina, Celeste Mullins, Jeff Palulis, Fern Patterson, Jean Pool, Martha Shay, Shelly Simpson, Lloyd and Florence Smee, Andrea Steptowe, Kya Strickland, Connie Towe, Hannah Turcotte, Sharon Walton, Ronnie and Kathy Wheeler, Teresa 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

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
January 19, 2020**



**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!

Message:
Scripture:

Come and See
John 1:35-42 (NRSV)

Rev. Dr. Rob Bruce

Hymns: #128 "He Leadeth Me"
#334 "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"
#393 "Spirit of the Living God"

Today's Servants

Counters: Nan Hagerty and Ron Clements
Debbie Durrence and Dorothy Carter

Greeters: David and Anita Sweet, Marty Bonim

9AM Tech Booth: Nancie Daugherty
11:15AM Tech Booth: Ben Buchan (1/26 Lynda Price)
9AM Prayer for Illumination: Nan Hagerty (1/26 David Sweet)

Next Week's Spirit Café: Jackie Buchan, Louise Bradshaw,
Debbie Durrence, Linda Hollimon

Next Week's Sermon:
Lisa Crow preaching

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Jan Christian	1/15	Mike Hollimon	1/20
Brenda Crow	1/19	Daniel Buchan	1/21
Linda Hewell	1/19	Paul Hagerty	1/21

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

John and Nelda Wright 1/20

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