



STATESBORO FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

"TO GLORIFY GOD AND LOVE OTHERS THROUGH WORSHIP, STUDY, AND SERVICE."

JAMES A. CASON SENIOR PASTOR
SCOTT HARRIS ASSOCIATE PASTOR

January 20, 2019

Worship Services:

Sanctuary:
8:30AM & 11:00AM

Fellowship Hall:
9:01AM & 11:00AM

Sunday School:

Classrooms:
10:00AM

Mission Trip to Brazil

Are you adventurous? Do you have a heart for serving God's people around the world? If you answered "yes," we have just the opportunity for you! The Missions Committee is sponsoring a mission trip to northern Brazil in early June. While there, we will do some type of construction (no skills required) and some interaction with children. The trip will take approximately 8 days. If you're interested in hearing more about this opportunity, please contact team lead, Debbie Walker, at 912-682-9703 or lwalk@frontiernet.net.



UMM Meet & Greet - TONIGHT - January 20

The United Methodist Men will hold their Meet & Greet tonight, Sunday, January 20 at 6PM. The meeting will be held at the Glen Oaks Subdivision clubhouse and the menu is low country boil. All men of the church are invited and encouraged to attend. For more information and/or directions please contact Charles Eunice, 912-294-4404.

Sunday, January 20, 2019

8:30 & 11:00AM Traditional - Rev. Jimmy Cason

9:01 & REVIVE - Rev. Scott Harris

Romans 12:18; Matthew 18:15; 5:23-24

"Bad Blood: A Confrontation or a Conversation"

Our Faithfulness in Worship (Sunday, January 13, 2019)

Morning Worship: 523

Sunday School: 243

8:30AM: 55

9:01AM: 143

11:00AM: 242

REVIVE: 83

Offering Received: \$23,349.00

Our Church Family

The **flowers** in the **Sanctuary** on January 20 are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of *Sybil G. Johnston, S. Lindsey Johnston, Mary S. Johnston, James W. Johnston* from *Julia Johnston Cowart & Bud Johnston and Alicia J., Sam & Mellie Trager*.

The **flower** on the **Altar** on January 20 is given to the glory of God and in honor of *River John Thornton* who was born January 8, 2019, son of *John & Sabrina Sikes Thornton*, and grandson of *Charles & Cynthia Sikes*.

Christian sympathy and prayers are extended to *Mr. and Mrs. Joe (Susan) McGlamery* upon the death of Joe's sister, *Mrs. Betty Ellis* of Hopeulikit who died on Sunday, January 13.

Prayer Concerns

Hospital: *John Gould - Rehab in Augusta*
Gene Neville - St. Joseph
Judy Strickland - University Hospital Augusta
Roxie Remley - EGR
Mary Adams - EGR

Ongoing: *Rawls Neville, Gillis Davis, Mary Mincey, Charles Millican, Joel Martin, Mary Emmye Lewis, Peggie Herrington, Yvonne Redden, Maggie Collins, Laura Beasley, Ellie Hubbard, Bill Mathis Jr, Arthur Howard, Jean Deal, Fred Maddox, Brian Harrison, Steve Piazza, Marilyn Turner, Jim Long, Shirley Connell, Inman Hodges, Charlie Christmas, Alice Christmas, Marshall Thigpen, Lloyd Jones, Diane Deloach, Frances Humphrey, Rev. Carter Berkeley, Bobbie Coursey*

Care Facilities: *Willow Pond - Janette Johnson, Willie Coleman, Bobby Deal, Carolyn McCarty, Jan Johnston* *Southern Manor - Jean Braswell, Libby Hutcheson* *Bethany - Khaki Herrington*

Thank you for the many expressions of sympathy on the death of my husband, Gene Deal and for the outpouring of love from so many during this difficult time. - *Jean Deal*

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Lanier Lee Circle Meeting - January 21

The Lanier Lee Circle will meet at the home of Alice Christmas, 1817 Old Carriage Trail, on Monday, January 21 at 1:30PM.

SFUMC Security Team

The Security Team has been growing and meeting as they work to improve security and hospitality for the church. You may notice additional volunteers on the team working together with our on-site law enforcement to maintain a safer and more welcoming environment for all to *Worship Without Worry*. If you feel led to get involved please contact Charles Sikes (682-2758) or Nick Propps (225-1950) for more information.

Volunteers for January 20, 2019 (Third Sunday of January)

Prayer Warriors: Jim & Pam Campbell

8:30 Lay Liturgist: Betty Hodges

8:30 Ushers: Mike Beasley, Daryl Harrison

9:01 Ushers: Jason Parker, Lyndia Akins, Ed Akins

11:00 Lay Liturgist: Brian Thomas

11:00 Ushers: Si Waters, Hughes Williamson, Edwin Hill, David Johnson, Tommie Rushing, Fred Shearouse, John Lee (Balcony: Olin Lovett, Ronnie Hodges, Earl Dabbs Jr., Brad Shiels)

Greeters: Anne Allen, Anne Williamson, Lisa Lee, Pam Smith, Nita Waters

Meals On Wheels (January 22): Anita Hill, Karen David



SFUMC Students News

Combined Sunday Night Surge - January 20

Middle School and High School students will meet from 6:00PM-7:30PM in the Youth Room. This is our weekly large group meeting where students participate in games, food, worship, and a message. Cost for dinner is \$2.

NO Breakfast Club - January 21

There will be NO Breakfast Club Monday, January 21 due to the MLK holiday. See everyone next Monday, January 28.

Small Groups & Confirmation - January 23

Middle and High School students meet on Wednesday nights in the Youth Room for fellowship, food, and small group Bible study. Small groups are divided by age and gender. Youth Room opens at 6:00PM, games begin at 6:20PM, Bible study starts at 7:00PM, and students are dismissed at 8PM.

Winter Retreat - February 21-24

We are headed to Ghent, West Virginia to go skiing/snowboarding at Winter Place Ski Resort. It's an awesome trip full of fun and worship opportunities! Cost for the trip is \$300 which includes rentals, ski lift, transportation, lodging, and food while there. Sign ups are now open for this trip, with a limited amount of space available!

Snowbird - June 24-29

We will be going back to Snowbird Wilderness Outfitters this summer for camp! Sign ups are now open for this trip and we have limited space available. This is a Christian high adventure camp located in Andrews, NC. This camp will challenge your students to grow in their faith and to have a deeper relationship with Christ. If you would like more information, please let Becca know, bbrown@statesborofirst.com.

Our Church Calendar

Sunday, January 20

8:30AM - Traditional Service, Sanct.
9:01AM - 901 Service, FH
10:00AM - Sunday School, Classrooms
11:00AM - Traditional Service, Sanct.
11:00AM - REVIVE Service, FH
4:30PM - Youth Band Rehearsal, YR
5:00PM - Stephen Ministry Training Grp, 206
6:00PM - Combined Sunday Night Surge, YR

Monday, January 21

Preschool & Church Office Closed - MLK Holiday
10:00AM - Dreta Sharpe Circle Mtg, 306
10:00AM - Carol Carter Circle Mtg, 201

Tuesday, January 22

6:00PM - Al Anon, Grace House
6:00PM - 901 Band Rehearsal, FH

Wednesday, January 23

9:00AM - ACTS, Outreach Center(offsite)
5:15PM - Kids JAM, Choir Rm.
5:30PM - Wednesday Night Ministry, FH
6:00PM - Stephen Ministry Mtg, Lib.
7:00PM - Chancel Choir, Choir Rm.

Thursday, January 24

6:00PM - Chancel Ringers, 305
6:00PM - REVIVE Band Rehearsal, FH

Friday, January 25

9:00AM - ACTS, Outreach Center(offsite)

Saturday, January 26

11:00AM - Al Anon, Grace House
12:00PM - Soup Kitchen



Statesboro First Methodist
Children's Ministries

Sunday, January 20, 2019

Children's Moment (11:00 Traditional)

Neal Vickers

Kids Worship:

10:00: Sarah Akins, Jodie Hendrix, Lucy Hubbard

11:00: Sarah Akins, Jodie Hendrix, Lydia Cross

Children's Ministries News

Wednesday Night Ministry

5:15PM-6:00PM – Kids JAM (children's choir)

5:30PM-6:30PM – Dinner served in the Fellowship Hall

6:30PM-7:30PM – Small groups & activities for children in PreK-5th Grade

Statesboro First United Methodist Church

2019 List of Officers

Statesboro First's 2019 list of Officers can be found on the table in the Gathering Area. Please feel free to pick up a copy.

We Need Your Help!

We have a huge need for servers for Wednesday Night dinners! Several of our long-serving team members are no longer able to help so we are very short on volunteers. **Please consider joining our serving team.** Contact Ed Akins for more information, 912-531-1111.

Wednesday Night Menu - January 23 - 5:30PM

Uncle Shug's: BBQ, tossed salad, potato salad, baked beans, roll

Meals are \$6.00 for adults; \$4.00 for kids 12 and under

\$2.00 for pizza plate (kids & youth only)

Families of five or more (parents and children) pay a maximum of \$24.

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SUNDAY, JANUARY 20, 2019
LITURGICAL COLOR: RED

GATHERING
LIGHTING OF CANDLES
PRELUDE & MEDITATION
All Creatures of Our God and King
arr. Anna Laura Page

***CALL TO WORSHIP**
The Spirit is calling.
We will listen and learn.
The heavens are shining.
We will sing and rejoice.
The Spirit is moving.
We will live out the promises of God.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**
Hymn #98 *“To God Be the Glory”*

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH**
The Apostles' Creed #881 Hymnal
I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

***GLORIA PATRI** Hymn #71
Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen, Amen.

PASSING OF THE PEACE AND REGISTRATION OF ATTENDANCE

PROCLAIMING THE VISION
Why does Statesboro First United Methodist Church exist?
To glorify God and love others through worship, study, and service.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT (11:00AM Service)
NEAL VICKERS

(Following the Children's Moment, children in Pre-K through 4th grade are invited to Kids Worship in Room 306.)

ANTHEM (11:00AM Service)
Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation
arr. Dale Wood

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

GIVING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY PRAYER

8:30AM BETTY HODGES; 11:00AM BRIAN THOMAS

OFFERTORY

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

arr. John Payne

ALEX SMITH, SOLOIST

*DOXOLOGY HYMN #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below:

Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power up-lifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*HYMN OF PREPARATION

Hymn #474 *"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"*

*SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 12:18; Matthew 18:15; 5:23-24

MESSAGE

"Bad Blood: A Confrontation or a Conversation"

REV. JIMMY CASON

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT

Hymn #472 *"Near to the Heart of God"*

CHORAL BENEDICTION (11:00AM Service)

Amen

Peter Lutkin

POSTLUDE

March in G

Henry Smart

**Congregation standing if able during this portion of the service.*

Please ensure your cell phone is silenced during the service.

A **children's bulletin** with Bible puzzles and activities is available in the Gathering Area on the first floor and also in the back of the Sanctuary's balcony on the second floor.



The Sanctuary is equipped with a hearing assistance system.
Please ask an usher for a receiver.