The Methodist Message

A Newsletter from the First United Methodist Church , Hawkinsville, Georgia
August 22, 2011

Something New For Wednesday Evenings

Are you ready for some mid-week fellowship? It is that time again! I hope that you will take note of the wonderful opportunities for church family fellowship and mark your calendar with plans to attend. These programs we have planned are intended to draw us closer to the Lord and to each other. I think we have many blessings in store for us as we participate in "FAMILY NIGHT SUPPERS" followed by special programs at 6:45P.M.

This Wednesday night August 24th, we start up our Fall Family night supper with some good Christian fun. We will experience an entertaining game of Church-style Family Feud following supper. This is a wonderful way for us to kick off our Wednesday evening activities. So plan to join in the fun and fellowship this Wednesday in our church social hall!

Please note the following schedule of planned Wednesday evening after supper programs:

Aug. 31- Paul and Linda Williams will be sharing with us their latest Mission experience to the Dominican Republic.

Sept. 7 – We will have a Service of Remembrance for September 11th – Daddy Rick from the Methodist Home will be speaking and our Law Enforcement, Firemen & First Responders will be our guests.

Sept. 14 – A Baptist Clergy sharing the Baptist Faith with us.
Sept. 21 – An Episcopal Clergy sharing the Episcopal Faith with us.
Sept. 28 – A Catholic Clergy sharing the Catholic Faith with us.
Oct. 5 - Rev. Dennis Stalvey – Sharing Tales from the Okefenokee.
Oct. 12 - Charge Conference – Dr. Wayne Moseley
Oct. 19 – Dr. Ted Coleman and His Music group.
Oct. 26 – Mrs. Jane Credle –Pulaski Co. Christian Learning Center.
Nov. 2 – Trick or Eat – Blessing of the Food
Nov. 9 – Name That Tune Night (Hymns, Classics, Modern Songs)
Nov. 16 – Children's Home in Americus – Ms. Tracey Hall – Dir.
Nov. 23 – Thanksgiving Holidays
Nov. 30 – Younger Children's Christmas Program
Dec. 7 – Older Children's Christmas Program

***** The first "Becoming Disciples through Bible study" class will begin this Sunday at 6:00 in the Social Hall.***

Bro. John

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

1st Lt. Joshua Campbell
Jay Childs
Spc. Nick Coloma
Rev. Buddy Conway
Nano Corona
Robert Harper
Johnnie Mae Helms
James Hicks
Ronnie Hoss
Bobby Iannuzzi
Sarah Janelle
Cpl. Tony Mullis
Billie Ormsby
Dale Payne
Cindy Pritchett
Carrie Schaarschmidt

The United Methodist Women are sponsoring a Mission Study on Saturday, September 24th from 10:00am-12:00 pm.
The leaders are Paul & Linda Williams and they will be discussing mission trips with an emphasis on the Dominican Republic.
Light refreshments will be served.

Bishop's Hour for 2011
Cordele First United Methodist Church
Sunday, September 11, 2011
4:00 PM

Bishop King and Dr. Wayne Moseley cordially invite the leadership of Hawkinsville First United Methodist Church to join them for a time of enrichment and teaching by our bishop. The bishop is asking that everyone serving in a leadership capacity in the local church be present for his presentation. I hope that you will mark your calendar with plans to attend this very important session on September 11th. If you would like to ride on the church van we will leave at 3:15P.M. from the church parking lot.

The Trustee committee meets this Sunday at 5:00

This will be the last meeting before finalizing the plans of the Lollis Youth project. All are welcome to attend and present any ideas or suggestions you may have.

Acolytes

Sep. 4 Jon & Valerie Otto
Sep. 11 Jack & Mae McClain
Sep. 18 Ben Arnold & Mary Wesley Conner
Sep. 25 John Swick & Emily Obert-Thorn

Greeters

Sep. 4 Alton & Vickie Dykes
Sep. 11 Ray & Nell Mixon
Sep. 18 Evelyn Dunagan
Sep. 25 Steve & Laura Studstill

Children's Church

Sep. 4 Candi Dokey
Sep. 11 Melinda Swick
Sep. 18 Jane Whittier
Sep. 25 Tiffany Michael

Ushers

Dennis Vickers, Captain
Randy Coody, Ben Cravey, Harley Lawson
Mac Morrison, Eric Vickers, Wayne

Nursery

Sep. 4 Nichole Lawson
Sep. 11 Teresa Wall
Sep. 18 Sheril Green

Youth Snack Supper

Sep. 4 Labor Day—no activities
Sep. 11 Jim & Mary Gibbs
Sep. 18 Youth Sunday—no evening activities
Sep. 25 Denise Fisler

Wednesday Night Supper

Sep. 7 Scott & Laurie Obert-Thorn
Sep. 14 Larry & Lynn Harper, Lynn Turner
Sep. 21 Hugh & Barbara Lawson, Kara Bearer
Sep. 28 Lee & Samantha Arnold, Maye Gentry

1	Andrew Arnold
	Eric Cowart
2	Johnny Bembry
	Greg Spears
9	Charles Daniel
11	Walker Cely
	Kane Rolison
12	Amanda Rigg
	Justin Tripp
14	Jake Sloan
15	Laverne Kilgore
17	Evelyn Dunagan
	Jenna Obert-Thorn
	Morgan Harvey
18	Justin Dykes
	Steve Studstill
	Shawn Tripp
19	Jim Gibbs
	Wayne Wetherington
20	Megan Dopson
	Morgan Dopson
22	Jack Ryan
	Christy Vickers
23	Hugh Lawson
	Garrison Lawson
	Madelyn Studstill
24	Anna Taylor
	Sarah Wall
25	Kay Bergh
	Maddie Grace Wall
	Neil Wall
27	Scott Fisler
	Adam Turner
29	Larry Faulk

MEMORIALS

In Memory of
Mae Anderson
By Nancy & Scott Wall
By Rena & Johnny McCune

In Memory of
Robert Coody
By Charles L Ellison, Jr.
By Wanda & Rodney Collins

In Memory of
Brandice Dawson
By Derrie & Tommy Grinstead
By Rena & Johnny McCune
By Maye Gentry

In Memory of
Wendell Dunaway
By Rena & Johnny McCune
Bops & Mike Henry
By Maye Gentry

In Memory of
Julia Evans
By Corinthia E. Greenway

In Memory of
Tiffany Herman
By Linda & Nicky Cabero
By Maye Gentry
By Derrie & Tommy Grinstead

In Memory of
Mike Turner
By Joan & Jimmy Tripp
By Nicky & Linda Cabero
By Vicky & Grady Griffin
By Vickie & Alton Dykes
By Caroline & Royce Conner
By Maye Gentry
By Betty Stembridge
By Bops & Mike Henry
By Laurie & Scott Obert-Thorn
By Lynn & Larry Harper
By Elaine & Bill Dent
By Linda & Johnny Holland
By Derrie & Tommy Grinstead

OUR STAFF:

John A. Walker, Pastor
Barbara Lawson, Choir Director
Grace Daniel, Organist
Kara Bearer, Director of Children & Youth
Laurie Obert-Thorn, Office Manager
Pearlie Mae West, Nursery Attendant
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