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First United Methodist Church of Greensboro

NINTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
July 25, 2010

MORNING WORSHIP
8:45 A.M., 9:30 A.M., 11:00 A.M.

THE PRELUDE Kim McClain/Lindsay Lipscomb/Dawn Ruppelt

THE WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

***THE OPPORTUNITY FOR CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**

Thanks for signing the attendance register book located on your pew.

THE INTROIT (9:30/11:00) *Hallelujah, By and By* Homeward Bound

***THE HYMN OF PRAISE** No. 545 *The Church's One Foundation* Congregation

***THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** No. 881 *The Apostles' Creed*

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

THE OFFERTORY SPECIAL (9:30) *Medley of Sacred Songs* Genevieve Coe, harpist

THE DOXOLOGY No. 95 Congregation

THE CHILDREN'S SERMON Rev. Chewning

SPECIAL MUSIC (9:30) *Be Still My Soul* Genevieve Coe, harpist

***THE HYMN** No. 369 (8:45/11:00) *Blessed Assurance* Congregation

THE PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

APPRECIATION MOMENT Jim Beard

THE ANTHEM (8:45) *Hallelujah, By and By* Homeward Bound

THE ANTHEM (9:30/11:00) *Song of Faith* (Martin) Choir

THE SCRIPTURE Luke 11: 1-13

SERMON (8:45) "Teach Us to Pray..." Rev. Garvin

SERMON (9:30 & 11:00) "Now Is the Time" Rev. Chewning

***THE HYMN** No. 368 *My Hope Is Built* Congregation

***THE BENEDICTION**

***THE BENEDICTION RESPONSE** No. 666 *Shalom to You* Congregation

***THE POSTLUDE OF PEACE**

*Congregation please stand.

Acolyte SC: Peyton Walker
Greeters 8:45 a.m.: Jim & Mary Mahan
Greeters 9:30 a.m.: Joan Swonger, Jay Dell, Carroll & Cuyler Kline
Ushers 9:30 – Hetzers and Malones
Greeters 11:00 a.m. – Sam & Susan Young
SC 9:30 Audio Visual Team: Antonia Garcia, John Woody, Richard McDaniel
Attendance for Sunday, July 18: 351

Flowers

*The flowers at the North and South Campuses are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Ann Ross Williams by the Curtis Williams family.

Welcome

We are excited that Bob and Debbie Burns joined our church this past Sunday after the 11:00 a.m. service. Their address is 1310 Pinehurst Drive, Greensboro, GA 30642.

Congratulations

Jonathan and Kristin Hill are the proud parents of *Maclaren Elizabeth Hill*. Maclaren was born at 3:13 a.m. on Thursday, July 15th weighing 6 lbs., 7 oz. 18 in. long. Emmy is very excited to be Maclaren 's big sister. The Hill's address is 1010 Sunset Drive, Greensboro, GA 30642. A pink rose is placed on the altar today at the south campus in celebration of Maclaren.

Adults

Administrative Council Meeting: Monday, August 2, 6:30 p.m. at the south campus fellowship hall.

Seekers: All young adults without children. Anyone welcome! Need more info? Contact Amanda amanda@fumcgreensboro.org or 706.453.7064. Check out our fan page on Facebook: Seekers-Greensboro, Georgia

Upcoming Dates: We're taking a break from our study this summer – but not from fellowship. To find out what we're doing: connect with us on Facebook or email Amanda for more information.

Adult Bible Studies: The Jonah Bible Study has been cancelled. Other information on upcoming adult Bible studies will be available in August.

Library News: The library committee is grateful for all your wonderful donations of books, resource materials, DVD's and Bibles. At this time we are no longer taking any donations. Our shelves are full and we invite you to come and see what we offer. If you are interested in working in the library for a 3 hour shift occasionally please e-mail Diane Moldenhauer at dmolden@plantationcable.net. Our hours are 9-3 Monday through Friday and before and after church.

Thank you: Margaret and I wish to thank and give praise for our church family. The pager calls, cards, and words of encouragement have been the key in aiding many tough days. I covet your continued prayers as I wait on the Lord to help me work through this cycle of my life.

Chemical depression has plagued my life for some time, but God has remained true to his word in that He would stand by me in all circumstances. My church family and Christian friends have been there for us, and again I give praise to God for You.

Love, Richard and Margaret Cousins

It's time to pray

In situations where we don't know what to do – God calls us to join together in prayer. Join us today immediately after Put's covered dish luncheon (approximately at 1:45) at the South Campus – we'll carpool over to the Nicholas' home to surround the house in prayer. For more information please contact Amanda: amanda@fumcgreensboro.org
Please sign the care poster for the Nicholas family. The posters are located right outside the sanctuary at both the north and south campuses.

Kid's News

Thanks to all that helped with the fun and service day at the South Campus last Wednesday. It was truly a COOL adventure for our Kids! We especially thank our children for weeding the flower beds as their service project.

August is "Back to Sunday School Olympics". For the month of August we will have a new look for our Children's Sunday School. The kids will be placed on a team each week and play Bible games and do cool activities. At the end of each day they will put their score on their own "score card" and at the end of the month the top 4 kids with the most points will win a very cool prize! This will be at the North and South Campuses.

Kids, get here each week for fun and prizes!!!!!!! Our regular classes will resume after Labor Day.

F.I.S.H. will kick off with a HUGE celebration on Wednesday, September 8th. Mark your calendars now, and invite all of your friends when you go back to school. Make your plans now for a great year with *Friends In the Father's House* each Wednesday at 4:00 at the South Campus. If we need to arrange car pools for the North Campus and schools – that is if your child/children need a ride or if you are willing to drive from a location, please contact Merry. Together we will make this an awesome experience for our kids!

NURSERY: Today will be Polly Cawthon's last day in our Nursery at the South Campus. She will be leaving for Piedmont College in the near future. Polly has served officially as a Nursery Worker for the last 2 years but volunteered many times before that. She has a deep love for our babies and young children and has done a wonderful job for us. She will be greatly missed by all of us. "Thanks Polly for a job well done!"

Church Happenings

The Adult Sunday School classes would like to invite all the members and visitors of our church to participate in our covered dish luncheon to honor Put LaBarre today at the South Campus. We are grateful to Put for his wonderful work with our choirs and the music that we've enjoyed for the last seven years. This is a small way for us all to say *thank you*.

Contribution statements are available to be picked up at each campus. Please call Kathy at the church office if you find any discrepancies. Thank you!

Missions: The Missions Committee will meet August 9th at the North Campus at 10:00 A.M. This will be a very important meeting so we need all members present.

Youth

North Campus - Xtreme: Sunday's from 4:00-5:30

South Campus – Impact: Sunday's from 6:00-7:30

Tonight:

No Youth – Have fun at Camp Glisson!

Sunday School: South Campus: 11:00

Amanda Garvin: Associate Pastor

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Opportunities for Service

Flower Calendar: Flowers needed for worship services at both campuses for the following dates: NC - Aug. 29; SC - Aug. 8, 22, 29. If you would like to volunteer, please contact Lynn Dover at the church office.

Care Packages for College Students

Our college students are about to return to school. Let's shower them with goodies! Suggested goodies include:

Pens, Pencils, Gum, Mints, Snacks, Sticky notes.

There will be a collection box located at the North Campus in the Lower Vestibule and at the South Campus located in the Gathering area. You can also drop any goodies off at the office during the week.

Assembly of these packages will be done in early August – contact Amanda to help with assembly:

amanda@fumcgreensboro.org.

*Please submit the name and address of any college student to Amanda.

Celebration

Mrs. Helen Withrow will be celebrating her birthday tomorrow – 96 years young. Happy Birthday, Ms. Helen! If you would like to send her a birthday card, her address is P. O. Box 262, Greensboro, GA 30642.

Opportunities at Greensboro F.U.M.C.

North Campus Sunday Worship Services 8:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

Gathering Time: 9:45 a.m.

Church nursery available for infants – 3 years

Children's Church: 4 years – 3rd grade after Children's Sermon

South Campus Sunday Worship Service 9:30 a.m.

Gathering Time: 9:00 a.m.

Church nursery available for infants through 3 years

Kid's Worship: 4 years – 3rd grade after Children's Sermon

Children & Adult Sunday School Classes

North Campus: 9:45 a.m. each Sunday – Nursery provided

South Campus: 10:45 a.m. each Sunday – Nursery provided

Youth Sunday School meets at the South Campus only.

Youth Group

Xtreme - Youth group for students in 6th-12th grades

Meets every Sunday 4:00-5:30 at North Campus

Impact - Youth group for students in 6th-12th grades

Meets every Sunday, 6:00-7:30 at South Campus

Adult Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal - September – May at South Campus

Each Monday from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. in the Hand Bell Room

Adult Chancel Choir Rehearsal at South Campus

Each Wednesday from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the Choir Room

Monthly Wednesday Night Mission Dinners

September – May every 3rd Wednesday of each month

Campus Location TBA each month

Small Group Bible Studies

September – May; North and South Campuses

JOY Club – (Just Older Youth)

September – May: Second Wednesday @ 11:30 North Campus

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Meets every 2nd and 4th Monday at 4:00-5:30 at the North Campus

Our ministers are the congregation, those that assist them are:

Richard T. Chewning, Senior Pastor

Gary M. Nicholas, Associate Pastor

Amanda Garvin, Associate Pastor of Youth

Merry Grayson, Minister of Programs

Ira McKeever, Minister of Senior Adults

Put LaBarre, Minister of Music

Kathy Cawthon, Administrative Assistant

Lynn Dover, North/South Campus Facilities Coordinator

Dawn Ruppelt, Organist

Lindsay Lipscomb, pianist

Kim McClain, 8:45 a.m. pianist

Remember in Prayer

Prayer Pager

Heather Nicholas: #1-877-213-3125

Richard Cousins: # 1-877-213-2899

Continue praying for:

Albert Crosby	Jan & Del Francis
Aliana Cloud	Janis Byrd
Alex Rusak	Jayne Kersey
Allison W. Sineath	Jean Merritt
Anne Wilbanks	Jerome Martin
Betty Jordan	Jessye "Cissie" Johnson
Betty Trotter	Joan Homan
Bill Bryant	Joe & Mary Walker
Bill & Sue Deakins	John Reid Morse
Bob McCurdy	John Woody, Sr.
Brent McGill	Josh Batson
Brent Ogletree	Joyce VanAusdall
Bub Nipper	Larry Dulli
Buddy Evans	Linda & Jim Bay
Catherine Bonifay	Linda Disosway
Cecile Thibault	Lisa Smith
Claude Light	Lou Bryan
Curt Luttig	Maggie Bradley
Darren Helmly	Mark Allgood
David Ashley	Mason Brook
Debbie Lee	Mike Lamb
Dewey Lindsey	Nancy Masters
Dick Cornell	Nona Southers
Don & Bonnie Cook	Pat Barton
Donna Lou Hixenbaugh	Peggy Courtemanche
Doug & Helene Romine	Phyllis Eckert
Dylon Martin	Phyllis Greenbaugh
Elaine Hollrah	Ray Swonger
Frances Sturgis	Rev. Gary Nicholas
Gene Thompson	Ruth Holy
Gladys Morris	Sarah Sammons family
Gloria Hughes	Tammy Burgess
Grace Cook	Timothy McCannon
Greg Toth	Tom Chillemi
Hamp McWhorter	Tom Greenwood
Hank Arvanities	Tom Mayers
Harmon Proctor	United States of America
Helen Withrow	United States Military Forces
Hoyt Kearns	Virginia Brook
Jake Nicolopolus	Wanda Kelly
Jackie Adams	Wanda and Wallace Templin