

## Staying Connected

**Photos for the Directory:** If you have not had your photo taken for our church directory, please read the following schedule!

### Today and January 24

After the 8:30am Service

After the 11:00am Service

All you have to do is show up!!!

Photographer located upstairs in the CEC.

**Biggest Loser Challenge:** Do you have a New Year's resolution to lose weight? Well, if you do, the Youth are calling on you to help us raise money for our upcoming trip to Camp Glisson. We're asking church members that are interested in dropping a few pounds to sign up for our Biggest Loser Challenge. Each youth will be paired up with a participating adult to get per pound pledges (example \$1/ pound lost) for their participant. So, the more pledges we get and the more weight we lose, the more money our youth group will raise. We'll update the congregation each week how much weight the group has lost. Be on the look out for more information and please help our youth raise money for our retreats this year.

## This Week at First United Methodist

A=Annex, CR=Choir Room, S=Sanctuary, FLC=Family Life Center, CEC=Christian Education Center

<u>Sunday</u>	<u>January 17</u>
8:30am	- Worship Service
9:30am	- Coffee/Light Breakfast Fellowship
9:45am	- Sunday School
11:00am	- Worship Service
4:30pm	- 3H Club
4:30pm	- Youth Choir (A)
5:30pm	- UMYF
<u>Monday</u>	<u>January 18</u>
9:30am	- Prayer Team (FLC)
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>January 20</u>
5:45pm	- Wednesday Night Supper (FLC)
6:00pm	- Youth Choir
6:15pm	- Kingdom Seekers
6:30pm	- Youth (FLC)
6:30pm	- Chancel Choir
6:45pm	- Children's Choir (FLC)
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>January 23</u>
5:00pm	- Children/Youth Family Fun Night

The Church Office will be closed Monday.

### Wednesday Night Supper and Fellowship

Spaghetti  
Bread ~ Salad  
Beverage ~ Dessert

### Next Week's Servants

	<u>8:30</u>	<u>11:00</u>
<b>Ushers/Greeters</b>	Michael Bishop, Jeri Bishop Bob Phillips, Sherry Phillips	Nikki Clepper, Chelsey Edgar Malinda Brooks, Peggy Elder
<b>Children's Church</b>	Jeri Bishop	Nikki Clepper
<b>Acolyte</b>	Leslie Ann Flynn	Harris Stinnette
<b>Nursery Helper</b>	Sally Clay Smith	Mary King Kurrass
<b>Altar Guild</b>		Jane Logan, Frankie Mabry

The Peace Lily is being used today in lieu of altar flowers by the Jo Holladay, who has made a generous contribution to the Debt Reduction Fund in memory of Hap Holladay



## The First United Methodist Church of Pine Mountain

### Second Sunday after Epiphany, January 17, 2010

This Morning We Welcome The Rev. Cindy Autry, Executive Director of the Georgia United Methodist Commission on Higher Education and Campus Ministry

In my absence this morning, we are blessed to have Rev. Cindy Autry with us. Though our ministry paths have not yet crossed, Cindy and I do share one very dear and special person in common: her aunt Mary Frances Ewing. Mary Frances was a member at a church my father served for nine years, the John Wesley UMC in Norcross. God rest Mary Frances' soul. She was gracious, fun-spirited, and above all, a great light for Jesus Christ.

Actually, that's what leads Cindy to be with us this morning: to talk about the great light of Jesus Christ that is in our young people in United Methodist colleges and universities all across the state of Georgia. Christian community and presence on our college campuses is a crucially important ministry field. Cindy knows how we can be a part of helping to keep the great light of Jesus Christ alive and burning throughout our Georgia campuses.

Cindy became the new Executive Director of the Commission in 2008. She came to the Commission from Epworth UMC in Columbus, Georgia. Previously she served as the Macon District Superintendent. While serving as the district superintendent, Cindy was instrumental in establishing the Wesley Foundation in Macon, which works with students from several local colleges. Cindy is a graduate of the University of Georgia and Candler School of Theology. She resides in Columbus with her husband Randy.

The Mission Statement of the Commission is:

*...to sustain the ongoing ministries of the United Methodist Colleges and Universities and Wesley Foundations and Fellowships located within the North and South Georgia Conferences, and continually to search for and implement new ways for the church to be in ministry in higher education settings.*

All of our high schoolers should go to [www.gahied.com](http://www.gahied.com) to check out scholarship resources and information about higher education ministry in Georgia. Also, there's a short survey to fill out on the website that is very helpful in informing campus ministers and Wesley directors of students' impending arrival at the school. Connecting with campus ministry will positively shape a student's college experience!

Many, many thanks to Cindy for leading this exciting and vital ministry of the United Methodist Church on college campuses in the state of Georgia. And thank you, Cindy, for coming to share the story with us this morning. Also, thank you Harold Tarpley, our church Lay Leader, for leading both our worship services this morning. You are a great blessing and asset to our church!

Your Pastor and Friend, Mark

*Dr. Mark Outlaw, Pastor  
John Manseau, Minister of Music  
Mary Ellen Roberts, Church Secretary  
Shannon Emerson, Minister of Children  
Roger Bryant, Minister of Youth  
Karen Williams, Noah's Ark Director  
Mike Duncan, Minister of Facilities  
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Mon - Fri. 9:00-1:00pm*



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The Welcome and Announcements Mr. Harold Tarpley

The Prelude "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" Mr. John Manseau  
Lois R. Hill (1924-2003)

The Procession of the Acolyte

†The Opening Hymn "Come, Christians, Join to Sing" UMH 158

†The Congregational Response "The Apostles' Creed" UMH 881

**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.**

†The Gloria Patri UMH 70  
**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.**

†The Moment of Fellowship  
*(Please meet those seated around you. Welcome someone you do not know. If you are a visitor, WELCOME! Please take a moment to fill out a yellow visitors slip located in the attendance pad at the end of each pew. We would love to know more about you. Members please remember to record your attendance as well.)*

The Time of Prayers, Praises and The Lord's Prayer

The Offertory "As the Deer" M. Nystrom Chancel Choir

†The Doxology UMH 95  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below: praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

The Children's Message Ms. Shannon Emerson  
*(Children age 3-1st grade are now dismissed for Children's Church)*

†The Hymn of Preparation "Something Beautiful" UMH 394

The Scripture

The Sermon Rev. Cindy Autry  
Executive Director of the Georgia United Methodist Commission  
on Higher Education and Campus Ministry

†The Closing Hymn "Lord of the Dance" (1,3,5) UMH 261

†The Benediction

†The Congregational Response "O, How He Loves You and Me"  
**"O, how He loves you and me. O, how He loves you and me; He gave His life, what more could He give? O, how he loves you; O, how he loves me; O, how He loves you and me."**

†The Postlude "Postlude Conspirito"  
Henry Smith (1898-1916)

†Please Stand As You Are Able UMH United Methodist Hymnal

**Planning Day Next Sunday, 12:00-2:30PM, Lunch Included** Next Sunday will provide an important opportunity for all of our 2010 Ministry Teams and Committees to meet together to plan ministry and programming for the year. All Ministry Team Chairs and members are asked to attend. Planning papers will be provided. A light lunch and a nursery will also be provided.

**LaGrange District Training Event Next Sunday at LaGrange First UMC, 3PM** Immediately following our own Planning Day, our LaGrange District leaders are holding a Training Event for the churches in the district. Everyone interested in attending this annual training event is welcomed. There will be time to leave our Planning Day to get to LaGrange First by 3PM.

**Baby Gifts to be received on January 17 and 24:** There are baskets located in the Narthex and in the Office for gifts for Shannon Emerson. She is expecting another little girl!!! This will be our way of welcoming our newest arrival from Heaven!

### This Week's Servants

	<u>8:30</u>	<u>11:00</u>
<b>Ushers/Greeters</b>	Bob Chrzanowski, Blanche Clements	Doug Barge, Melba Daniels
	Jessie Saint, June Saint	Bob Swanson, Dawn Swanson
<b>Children's Church</b>	Page Flynn	Dean Mabry
<b>Acolyte</b>	Lee Willard	Skye Loftin
<b>Nursery Helper</b>	Nancy Meares	Dawn Swanson
<b>Altar Guild</b>		Jane Logan, Frankie Mabry



Vanita Boulware  
Louise Burlton  
Pat Brooks  
Terry Chandler  
Jane Claire Culverhouse  
Evelyn Davis  
Marion Edwards  
Allen Hagler  
Bubba Holmes  
Terry Holmes  
Nelson Jones  
Ann Kozee

Dathan Mabry  
Emma Mabry  
Martha Morgan  
Mike Morgan  
Alf Mullins  
Janet Mullins  
Lexie Paulk  
Nick Peterson  
Dimple Strother  
Don Taylor  
Fran White  
Minnie Whitaker  
Our Church  
Our Country &  
All Nations  
The Men & Women of  
our U. S. Military

The rose on the Altar is in celebration of the birth of a son to Jacob and Tracie Parker on January 8, 2010  
Cooper Bowen Parker

**A new prayer group** has been formed that meets in the Family Life Center every Monday mornings at 9:30 a.m. Anyone interested in praying in a small group is invited to join the group. If you have a special prayer request, please complete the purple prayer card (located on the back of the pews) and place it in the offering plate. May God bless our church and congregation.

**Dear First United Methodist Church of Pine Mountain,** Many thanks for all of your thoughts, cards and prayers during my time of illness. I am improving daily but continue to covet your thoughts and prayers,. Sincerely, Evelyn S. Davis & Family

### **Financial Information**

#### **General Budget to date:**

Budgeted:	\$15,594.00
Received:	\$14,872.85
Attendance last week:	137

#### **Exercising the Faith**

In order to reach our Vision 2020 Goal to be debt free by 2020 we need to average \$48,000 per year above and beyond our General Budget. [Campaign year from May 2009 to May 2010]  
Received to date: \$69,816.81