

## General Announcements

### Wednesday Night Supper

Menu: Pasta Supper  
Program: Easter Basket Auction  
Fundraiser for the Youth

### UMCOR Health Kit Donation & Packing Event

The North Georgia Conference has called for more UMCOR Health Kits after all of the natural disasters we have experienced recently. Our church will be responding by assembling 200 of these kits. If you would like to donate to the cause, write a check with "UMCOR Health Kits" in the memo. Any extra money will be given directly to UMCOR. To join in the assembling of the kits, come Friday April 28th at 6:30pm for a family friendly mission and free pizza.

### Youth Easter Basket Auction March 29

#### Wednesday Night Supper Program

The Youth Easter baskets will be auctioned on Wednesday March 29 to help fund our River of Life Mission trip July 5-9th. If you would like to fund a scholarship for a youth, the price is \$175 per person and we currently have 12 youth and 6 adults registered to attend. Contact Rev. Winford at [lwinford@chambleeumc.org](mailto:lwinford@chambleeumc.org) for more details.

### Children Make Easter Crafts March 29 at 6:30pm

The children will be making a variety of amazing different Easter Crafts while the Youth are auctioning their Easter Baskets. Meet in room #223 at 6:30pm.

### New Building Open House - April 2

We at Chamblee First United Methodist Church are almost ready to show off our brand new buildings! Following worship on April 2nd we will be having an open house to let church members and community members alike explore our long awaited new construction. Please come help us celebrate our new buildings by joining us for worship at 8:45 or 11am and stay afterwards for the big reveal.

### Vacation Bible School Registration Now Open And Available on the Website!

### Reception for Dolly Stratton Sunday, April 2 After 11am Service

There will be a cookies and punch reception after the 11:00am service on April 2 to honor Dolly Stratton who has served here as our Administrative Assistant for the past 6 years. She will be leaving us at the end of this month to enjoy retirement and spend time with her family.

### Sing Handel's *Messiah*!

This year marks the 275th anniversary of the premiere of Handel's musical masterpiece, *Messiah*. We will host a joint performance of the Easter portion on May 7 at 3:00 with the Choirs of Simpsonwood, Sandy Springs, and St. James UMC's. Want to be a part? Come to our special rehearsal Saturday, 4/1 at 10:00-11:30. Contact Allen Barbee at [abarbee@chambleeumc.org](mailto:abarbee@chambleeumc.org).

### South Carolina Mission Trip - Sign Up Deadline April 2nd

Please submit your \$100 deposit and complete the necessary forms for the mission trip by April 2nd to secure your spot. The dates are July 19-23, and the cost is \$200. There is more info you can take home in the breezeway, or contact Rev. Rogers for details.

### Stuffed Eggs Needed for Easter Egg Hunt

Please help us stuff eggs with wrapped candy, stickers, gum, small toys, etc., for the egg hunt on Saturday, April 8. Drop off your stuffed eggs by Wednesday, April 5 in the designated collection box in the breezeway. Empty eggs are also available for pick up in the breezeway. Please remember, no unwrapped candy.

### Easter Egg Hunt - Saturday April 8

All are invited to Chamblee First's annual Easter Egg Hunt on Saturday, April 8. Come enjoy crafts in the side meadow from 9 to 11am, and the egg hunt starts at 10am. Feel free to bring a picnic lunch to enjoy after the hunt. There will be a special appearance by the Easter Bunny, so don't forget your camera!

## Announcements Continued

### Beginner Fly Tying Class - Friday, April 21, 7pm

Come join us for the beginner fly tying class on April 21. All equipment and materials will be provided. The class instructor is Steve Hudson and the cost of the class is \$30. Class size is limited so sign up now in the breezeway. Payment is due April 21.

### Order Easter Lilies in Honor or Memory of Loved Ones

See Insert for Details

### Palm Sunday Children's Procession

All children are invited to join in the Palm Procession held at the beginning of the 11am worship service on Palm Sunday, April 9. Children's choirs will be singing the prelude. All children who would like to be a part of the Palm Procession can gather in the new narthex at the back of the sanctuary. We do ask that children under the age of 4 years old walk with an adult.

### Pastor's Fund

Due to several utility bills and housing issues paid out of the pastor's discretionary fund, the balance could use some donations. Please contribute this extra mile giving and mark it Pastor's Fund.

## Holy Week and Easter Services

✠ Maundy Thursday April 13:

✠ Supper at 5:45pm

✠ Maundy Thursday Service at 7:00pm

✠ Easter Sunday April 16:

✠ Sunrise Service—7:00am in amphitheater

(A light breakfast will be served in serving area after sunrise service—  
if there's inclement weather the service will be in Fellowship Hall.)

✠ Services at 8:45am & 11:00am

## Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are placed to the glory of God and in memory of Ed Schulz's 97th Birthday on March 24.



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# Chamblee First United Methodist Church

March 26, 2017

*UMCOR Sunday: One Great Hour of Sharing*

### Three Things You Need to Know:

1. Youth Easter Basket Auction, March 29
2. S.C. Mission Trip Deadline to Sign Up: April 2
3. Easter Egg Hunt, April 8 at 9am



## Welcome Home!

*Welcome! We are so glad you have decided to worship at Chamblee First United Methodist Church on this Sunday morning. Members and visitors alike, would you sign the attendance register and then pass it to your neighbor. If you would like to join the membership of Chamblee First, please step forward during the last verse of the last hymn. We want you to become an official member of the family! Please remember to turn your cell phone back on as you leave the sanctuary. Welcome!*

## 8:45 am Order of Worship

<b>Greeting</b>	Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe
<b>Announcements</b>	Rev. Jeff Rogers
<b>Call to Worship</b>	Dr. Stowe
<b>Prelude</b>	<i>Pastorale</i> Powell Mrs. Nancy Sharpe Edison, organist
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light</i> UMW 206
<b>*Affirmation of Faith</b>	UMW 881
<b>*Gloria Patri</b>	UMW 70
<b>Prayer Concerns &amp; Celebrations</b>	Dr. Stowe
<b>Prayer of Hope</b>	Rev. Rogers
<b>The Lord's Prayer</b>	
<b>Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen</b>	
<b>Offertory</b>	<i>O Sacred Head, Now Wounded</i> Mrs. Edison, organist Bach
<b>*Doxology</b>	UMH 77
<b>*Prayer of Dedication</b>	Rev. Rogers
<b>Time of Fellowship</b>	
<b>Children's Sermon</b>	Rev. Rogers
<b>Special Music</b>	<i>Abide With Me</i> Archer Mr. Allen Barbee, flutist with Mrs. Edison, organist
<b>New Testament Lesson</b>	Ephesians 5:8-14 Rev. Rogers
<b>Sermon</b>	"Rise and Shine" Dr. Stowe
<b>Invitation to Christian Discipleship</b>	
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought</i> UMH 128
<b>*Benediction</b>	Dr. Stowe
<b>Postlude</b>	<i>Carillon</i> Young Mrs. Edison, organist

\*Please stand as able

- Hearing Devices and Large Print Hymnals are available
- Please see an Usher if you need any assistance

## 11:00 am Order of Worship

<b>Choral Call</b>	<i>Lemmel</i> Chancel Choir
<b>Greeting</b>	Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe
<b>Announcements</b>	Rev. Jeff Rogers
<b>Call to Worship</b>	Dr. Stowe
<b>Prelude</b>	<i>Pastorale</i> Powell Mrs. Nancy Sharpe Edison, organist
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us</i> UMH 381
<b>*Affirmation of Faith</b>	UMH 881
<b>*Gloria Patri</b>	UMH 71
<b>Prayer Concerns &amp; Celebrations</b>	Dr. Stowe
<b>Prayer of Hope</b>	Rev. Rogers
<b>The Lord's Prayer</b>	
<b>Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen</b>	
<b>Offertory</b>	<i>Look to the Rose</i> Martin Chancel Choir with Mrs. Becky Sanders, pianist
<b>*Doxology</b>	UMH 94
<b>*Prayer of Dedication</b>	Rev. Rogers
<b>Time of Fellowship</b>	
<b>Children's Sermon</b>	Rev. Rogers
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light</i> UMH 206
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### Invitation to Christian Discipleship

**\*Hymn** *He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought* UMH 128

**Choral Response** *Lattimer*  
Chancel Choir

**\*Benediction** Dr. Stowe

**Postlude** *Carillon*  
Young  
Mrs. Edison, organist

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## New Testament Lesson

### Ephesians 5:8-14 (NRSV)

<sup>8</sup>For once you were darkness, but now in the Lord you are light. Live as children of light—<sup>9</sup>for the fruit of the light is found in all that is good and right and true. <sup>10</sup>Try to find out what is pleasing to the Lord. <sup>11</sup>Take no part in the unfruitful works of darkness, but instead expose them. <sup>12</sup>For it is shameful even to mention what such people do secretly; <sup>13</sup>but everything exposed by the light becomes visible, <sup>14</sup>for everything that becomes visible is light. Therefore it says, 'Sleeper, awake! Rise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you.'

## Mark Your Calendar

### Sunday March 26, 2017

<b>Sunday Morning Prayer</b>	Hospitality Room	8:35 & 10:30 am
<b>Worship Services</b>		8:45 & 11 am
<b>Sunday School</b>		9:45 am
<b>Children's Choirs Rehearsal</b>	Room 215	9:50 am
<b>Brownie Troop 15233</b>	Room 229	1:00 pm
<b>Daisy Troop 15233</b>	Room 227	1:00 pm
<b>Huntley Hills Neighborhood Association</b>	Fellowship Hall	2:00 pm
<b>UM Youth Fellowship</b>	Fellowship Hall	6:00 pm
<b>Atlanta Metro Youth Flute Choir</b>	R204	6:30 pm

### Monday March 27, 2017

<b>Kindergarten</b>		9:00 am
<b>Boy Scouts</b>	Scout Hut	7:00 pm
<b>Family Life Committeeen</b>	Room 123	7:00 pm
<b>Girl Scout Service Unit</b>	Room 200	7:00 pm
<b>SPR Committee</b>	Room 204	7:00 pm

### Tuesday March 28, 2017

<b>Kindergarten &amp; PMO</b>		9:00 am
<b>Staff Meeting</b>	Hospitality Room	1:30 pm
<b>Cub Scouts</b>	Scout Hut	7:00 pm
<b>GA Brass Band</b>	Fellowship Hall	7:00 pm

### Wednesday March 29, 2017

<b>Kindergarten &amp; PMO</b>		9:00 am
<b>Pickle Ball</b>	Gym	9:00 am
<b>Kindergarten Chapel</b>	Fellowship Hall	9:15 am
<b>Wednesday Night Supper</b>	F.H.	6:00 pm
(Program: Youth Easter Basket Auction)		
<b>Chancel Choir Rehearsal</b>	Sanctuary	7:30 pm

### Thursday March 30, 2017

<b>Kindergarten &amp; PMO</b>		9:00 am
<b>Kindergarten Chapel</b>	Fellowship Hal	9:15 am
<b>Lenten Bible Study</b>	Room 204	6:30 pm
<b>Women's Retreat Meeting</b>	Hospitality Room	7:00 pm
<b>AA Meeting</b>	Gym	8:00 pm

### Friday March 31, 2017

<b>Kindergarten &amp; PMO</b>		9:00 am
<b>Girl Scouts—Chamblee Service Unit</b>	Room 223	4:00 pm

### Saturday April 1, 2017

<b>Rehearsal for Spring Concert</b>	Fellowship Hall	10:00 am
<b>AA Meeting</b>	Gym	8:00 pm

## In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Ron Clyne, family of Vivian Garvey, Elle Gieselmann, Kelli Gonyea, Ron Gonyea, Daisy Hall (Patti Sheffield's friend), Candice Kortovich, Terri Kromer (Marie Glover's niece), Brittany Lingle, Russ Mayo, Dean Nichols, Susan Nichols, Joan Reuben (Micah Turner's grandmother), Bill Robinson, Steve Rubino, Dan Schiedel (Madelyn Rodriguez's godfather), Barry Thrasher (Mike Veal's friend), Ron Van Note, Leslie Ward and Kent Williams. Please remember those serving in the military, our shut-ins, caregivers in our congregation and all those battling cancer.

**Prayer List Policy:** If your prayer request has been in the bulletin for more than two months, it will automatically be removed. If you wish for it to be re-added please email Dolly at [dstratton@chambleeumc.org](mailto:dstratton@chambleeumc.org) and let her know. Thank you.

### **Year-to-Date Financial Reports - February 28, 2017**

Total Tithes & Income: \$244,697.04  
 Total Expenses: \$240,503.19  
 Variance: \$ 4,193.85

**Note:** Church and Kindergarten statements are now combined.

### **Restore II Capital Campaign**

We have 139 pledges for Restore II.

Cash on Hand: \$ 121,931  
 Pledges outstanding: \$ 245,848  
 Borrowed from Bank: \$(115,905)  
 Total funds available for project: \$ 251,874

**Note:** In order to present the most accurate information to the congregation, the Finance Committee has decided that reports will be published on a monthly basis after the books are closed each month. Full financial statements as presented to the committee are available upon request from Kathy Brannon, [kbrannon@chambleeumc.org](mailto:kbrannon@chambleeumc.org).

### *If You Need Us!*

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