

General Announcements

Wednesday Night Supper, 6:00pm

Menu: Hot Dogs, Chips & Cookies
\$ Donation

Program: Trunk 'O Treats (6:30pm)

Blessing of the Animals Today at 3pm

The other members of our family that do not get to come to worship service are invited to attend this service. We will honor pets that have passed and bless those that are attending the service. Please leash or crate your pet. In case of rain this service will be rescheduled.

UM Youth Fellowship Will Not Meet Today

See You at Trunk 'O Treats, Wednesday, Oct 26, 6:30pm

Chamblee First UMC Stewardship Campaign

We have begun our Stewardship Campaign. Next Sunday, October 30th is Consecration Sunday and you will have an opportunity to turn in your pledge cards that you have prayerfully considered.

Attention Veterans

Chamblee First UMC would like to recognize you for your service the Sunday after Veterans Day, November 13. Please provide us with the branch served, your rank and if you retired. Email your information to Dolly Stratton at dstratton@chambleeumc.org by this afternoon.

Church Conference is Wednesday, November 9, 7pm

Make plans to attend Church Conference Wednesday, November 9 at 7pm following Wednesday Night Supper.

Thanksgiving Food Drive - Item of the Week Collection

Starting next Sunday, we will be collecting specific "Items of the Week." Please bring your canned goods to the collection barrel located in the atrium.

October 23 - Canned Chicken (12.5oz)

October 30 - Flour (2 or 5 lbs.)

November 4 - Sugar (2 or 4 lbs.)

Alma North UMW Circle Holiday Wreath Fundraiser

The Alma North UMW Circle invites you to purchase a live wreath and/or swag for the coming Advent season. Pricing: wreath or swag: \$25 / Gift wreath to mail direct: \$40. You may place your order Sunday mornings or at Wednesday Night Suppers until October 30. The profits all go to worthy projects. If you have questions please see a member of the Alma North Circle or email Becky Craven at rmcraven@bellosouth.com or call her at 404-405-6719.

All Saints Day, Sunday November 6

Sunday, November 6th is All Saints Day and we want to remember those we have lost by scrolling their names on the screen. We will read the names of those who have died in the last year (November 2015—November 2016). Please fill out insert form in this bulletin and drop it in the offering plate or by the church office. The deadline to submit names is Monday, October 31 by 12:00pm.

Blessings

As we approach our 50th anniversary at this location, the committee planning the celebration would like to compile a little book of blessings which we will give to visitors. If you would like to participate, we have placed a box at the reception desk for you to do so. Please use one of the 5x7 cards (plain side only please) to share how this Church has blessed your life. It can be something as simple as *the support I received during a family crisis, etc.* You may also e-mail your blessing to Kathy, kbrannon@chambleeumc.org. We will collect these until the last week in October. The celebration is planned for 1/8/17 so save the date!

Come Sing in our Christmas Cantata!

Can't make Wednesday rehearsals? No problem! Come to a special Saturday rehearsal in the Fellowship Hall on November 12, 10:00-11:30. Our performance is Sunday, December 4, at 3:00. Come make a Joyful Noise! Contact Allen Barbee with questions at abarbee@chambleeumc.org.

Camp Glisson Work Day on Nov 5 - Sign Up in Hallway

Thank You

Thank you everyone for your thoughts, prayers and cards on the death of my sister, Sharon. They were very much appreciated. Shirley Pirnie.

Mark Your Calendars

Sunday October 23, 2016

Children's Church Rooms 104,105,
223 & 225 8:45 & 11 am

Worship Services F.H. 8:45 & 11 am

Sunday School 9:45 am

Children's Choirs Room 215 9:50 am

Brownie Troop 15233 Room 229 1:30 pm

Daisy Troop 15233 Room 227 1:30 pm

Blessing of the Animals (Amphitheater) 3:00 pm

Girl Scout Troop 15529 Scout Hut 3:00 pm

Atlanta Metro Youth Flute Choir R204 6:30 pm

Monday October 24, 2016

Kindergarten 9:00 am

Teaching Parish Room 204 9:00 am

Boy Scouts Scout Hut 7:00 pm

Girl Scout Service Unit Meeting R200 7:00 pm

SPR Committee Room 204 7:00 pm

Tuesday October 25, 2016

Kindergarten & PMO 9:00 am

Staff Meeting Room 204 1:30 pm

UMW Executive Board Room 204 6:30 pm

Cub Scouts Scout Hut 7:00 pm

Wednesday October 26, 2016

Kindergarten & PMO 9:00 am

Fall Bible Study—John Room 204 12:30 pm

Wednesday Night Supper F.H. 6:00 pm

Trunk 'O Treats Parking Lot 6:30 pm

Chancel Choir Fellowship Hall 7:30 pm

Thursday October 27, 2016

Kindergarten & PMO 9:00 am

AA Meeting Gym 8:00 pm

Friday October 28, 2016

Kindergarten & PMO 9:00am

Saturday October 29 2016

AA Meeting Gym 8:00 pm

Restore II Report

Several of you have asked regarding the new construction on going in the Garden of Remembrance. This report will update you concerning the Garden.

An Angel Gift in 2003 from the Gerold and Blanche Ligon Estate provided the funds to construct the Garden of Remembrance located outside the east side of the sanctuary hall. Its purpose was, and is, threefold. First is a Tribute Tower where honorarium or memorial plaques can be placed by church family members as a tribute to family or others. Second is a garden floor of bricks that can be engraved as memorials or honorariums. Third is the Garden to provide a Columbarium where the cremains of church members and their families can be inurned. The Columbarium presently has 48 niches. Each Niche can hold two cremains.

The Garden was designed to be a peaceful worshipful place available to anyone anytime and illuminated at night. A number of brick and plaque tributes have been placed with space for more. Thirty-seven niches have been purchased by our church family. Money generated from tribute and niche sales are to be used for future expansions. Because of demand, 44 new niches are presently under construction in the Garden. This will bring the total niches to 92 when construction is completed by mid-November 2016.

There are set rule guidelines for placing tribute plaques or bricks and for the purchase and utilization of a Columbarium niche. The Garden of Remembrance committee consisting of Gaylen Ehrig and Ray Dunahoo is always available to answer questions and provide the applications to our church family

Submitted by: Ray Dunahoo

Announcements Continued

Time Change - Set Your Clocks Back 1 Hour

Saturday Night, November 5

Chamblee First United Methodist Church

October 23, 2016

Open Hearts, Open Minds, Open Doors

Three Things You Need to Know:

1. Today—Blessing of the Animals, 3pm in Amphitheater
2. Trunk 'O Treats, Oct 26, 6:30pm
3. Consecration Sunday, Oct 30
(Please pray about your pledge.)



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 & 11am Order of Worship

Greetings and Announcements		Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe
Call to Worship		Dr. Stowe
Prelude	<i>I Believe In One God</i> Mr. Bill Callaway, organist	Titcomb
*Hymn	<i>I Am Thine, O Lord</i>	UMH 419
Stewardship Moments: Barry Stafford		
Prayer Concerns & Celebrations		Dr. Stowe
Prayer of Hope		Rev. Jeff Rogers
The Lord's Prayer 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		
Offertory	<i>Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing</i> Chancel Choir with Mr. Callaway, organist	Martin
*Doxology	<i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	UMH 95
*Prayer of Dedication		Rev. Rogers
Time of Fellowship		
Children's Sermon		Ms. Chris Tench
*Hymn	<i>Leaning on the Everlasting Arms</i>	UMH 133
Special Music	<i>Elegy</i> Mr. Callaway, organist	Massenet
*Gospel Lesson	Luke 12:32-40	Rev. Rogers
Sermon	"Ready or Not"	Dr. Stowe
*Hymn	<i>Take Time to Be Holy</i>	UMH 395
Choral Response	<i>He Leadeth Me</i> Chancel Choir	

*Benediction		Dr. Stowe
Postlude	<i>My Heart Will Go On</i> Mr. Callaway, organist	Horner
*Please stand as able		
• Hearing Devices and Large Print Hymnals are available		
• Please see an Usher if you need any assistance		
CCLI #11137796		
Please remember to turn you cell phones back on as you leave the sanctuary.		

Gospel Lesson

Luke 12:32-40 (NRSV)

³² 'Do not be afraid, little flock, for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. ³³ Sell your possessions, and give alms. Make purses for yourselves that do not wear out, an unfailing treasure in heaven, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. ³⁴ For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

³⁵ 'Be dressed for action and have your lamps lit; ³⁶ be like those who are waiting for their master to return from the wedding banquet, so that they may open the door for him as soon as he comes and knocks. ³⁷ Blessed are those slaves whom the master finds alert when he comes; truly I tell you, he will fasten his belt and have them sit down to eat, and he will come and serve them. ³⁸ If he comes during the middle of the night, or near dawn, and finds them so, blessed are those slaves.

³⁹ 'But know this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. ⁴⁰ You also must be ready, for the Son of Man is coming at an unexpected hour.'

If you Need Us!

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In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Manny Albuquerque (Nez Crosby's father), family of Vickie Brown, Susan Burdick, Ron Clyne, Olin Craven (Becky Craven's brother), Kim Garrison, Kelli Gonyea, Ron Gonyea, The Reverend Chuck Hodges, Brittany Lingle, Glennis McCreary, A. J. Myers (grandson of Marcia Myers), Susan Nichols, family of Jackie Hyde (Jean Pierce's nephew), Charlene Rankin, and Dottie Thomas. Please remember those serving in the military, our shut-ins, 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 and let her know. You may do this as soon as you realize it has been removed. Thank you.

Memorial & Honorarium Gifts

In memory of Sharon Babb (Shirley Pirnie's sister): Harry Fancher, Bill Freese, Mary Osgood and Norm Plunkett

Financial Report - General Fund

42nd Week: October 16, 2016

Total Tithes & Income: \$663,197.62

Total Expenses: \$702,079.07

Variance: \$ (38,881.45)

Restore II Weekly Report

We have 137 pledges for Restore II.

Cash on hand: \$1,059,269

Pledges outstanding: \$ 419,002

Total funds available for project: \$1,478,271

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