

General Announcements

Open House Today at Dr. Stowe's Retreat Home In Covington, 3-5pm

You are invited to an open house at Royeese Stowe's retreat/retirement (a long way off) home in Covington this afternoon, 3-5pm. Her address is 4116 Hunt Street, Covington, Georgia 30014.

Attention Committee Chairpersons 2015 Budgets Due September 17

Email your 2015 budget to Kathy Brannon at the church office (kbrannon@chambleeumc.org) no later than September 17th.

Atlanta Roswell District Fall Lay Servant Ministries Course Offerings

See insert for course offerings for Fall 2014 - September 13th and September 22nd.

August is Church Music Roots Month!

During the month of August, we will be exploring our church music roots. These roots come from Southern Gospel, Bluegrass, Spirituals, and European Classical music styles. These influences and composers have impacted our hymns and special music. There will be something for everyone during this month to enjoy, and you may even find something new to like!

Women's Retreat

Thank you to all who participated in the Women's Retreat this year. We had a wonderful time! Photos of the retreat are available in the atrium for you to take home. We have already booked next year's women's retreat for Sept. 25-27, 2015. Please save the date!

Sign Up for Fall Bible Studies

It's time to sign-up for Fall Bible Studies. Please see the Fall Bible Studies Information Sheet insert for details on each of the studies. To register for a bible study you can fill out the sign-up sheet in the breezeway or register online at our website (www.chambleeumc.org) under events and registration. If you need childcare please make sure you check it off on the sign-up form in the breezeway. If you register online and need childcare please contact Dolly Stratton at the church office at 770-457-2525. For those who will be taking the Christian Believer class, please be prepared to discuss lesson 21 the first day of class, September 10th.

Nominations Committee Meetings

The nominations committee will be meeting August 26 and September 2 at 6:30pm. If you would like to serve on any of the church committees please let Royeese know right away by giving her a written note or by email at royeeses@bellsouth.net. The members of the nominating committee are John Davenport, Crystal Dunahoo, Sheila Gillispie, Marie Glover, Debbie Hall, Mark Hickman, Jo Anne Lawson, Al Sanders and Beth Scarbrough.

Fly Fishing Warm Water - Saturday, September 6 at 9am

A one day class on Fly Fishing Warm Water will be held Saturday, September 6, in the Fellowship Hall. The class will be limited to 8 participants and will be taught by author Steve Hudson. The class will start at 9am and will have instruction in the morning on fishing and fly tying for warm water fish (bass, brim, etc). The afternoon will consist of fishing at a local stream, 30-40 minutes away, weather permitting. There will be a \$20 fee for materials. Sign up in the breezeway or contact Charlie Lynch in the church office at 770-457-2525.

UMW Mission Project

The UMW Social Action Project for 2014 is to collect and assemble UMCOR Health Kits. To participate please see the display in the breezeway for a list of items needed. Wednesday night September 10 Deaconess Jo Sheetz, District Social Action Chairperson, will present our program and will explain how UMCOR uses these kits. The kits will be assembled that night. All items need to be turned in by September 7th. A box for this purpose is provided in the breezeway. For questions, contact Penny Rose at 770-457-3354 or Mary Lou Dennisson at 770-457-6652.

Stop Hunger Now - Saturday, September 13 10am-12 Noon in Gym

Mark your calendars and come out to help us pack 10,000 meals that will be shipped throughout the world. This is a family friendly event, and children are welcome to come. Also, feel free to bring a friend. For more information about Stop Hunger Now please visit www.stophungernow.org, or for more information about this event please see Rev. Roberts.

"We're So Glad You're Here!"

Welcome! We are so glad you have decided to worship at Chamblee First United Methodist Church on this Sunday morning. Please pardon our progress as we are in the very early stages of the renovation of our sanctuary. 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! If you have your cell phone and need to keep it on, please turn it to the silent or vibrate mode and leave quietly if you receive a call. Welcome!

Mark Your Calendars

<u>Sunday August 24, 2014</u>	<u>Tuesday August 26, 2014 (continued)</u>
Worship Services 8:45 & 11:00 am	Nominations Committee Room 204 6:30 pm
Sunday School 9:45 am	UMW Executive Board Room 200 6:30 pm
UM Youth Fellowship Lunch in 12:30 pm	Cub Scouts Scout Hut 7:00 pm
Fellowship Hall - Laser Tag offsite	GA Brass Band Rehearsal Sanctuary 7:00 pm
Open House at Dr. Stowe's 3:00 pm	Kindergarten New Parents' Orientation
In Covington (see announcement for address)	Fellowship Hall 7:00 pm
<u>Monday August 25, 2014</u>	<u>Wednesday August 27, 2014</u>
Boy Scouts Scout Hut 7:00 pm	Kindergarten Open House 9:00 am
Girl Scout Service Unit Meeting 7:00 pm	Chancel Choir Sanctuary 7:30 pm
Room 200	<u>Thursday August 28, 2014</u>
SPR Committee Room 204 7:00 pm	AA Meeting Gym 8:00 pm
<u>Tuesday August 26, 2014</u>	<u>Friday August 29, 2014</u>
Staff Meeting Room 108 1:30 pm	No Scheduled Meetings/Activities
	<u>Saturday August 30, 2014</u>
	AA Meeting Gym 8:00 pm

If you Need Us!

Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe, Senior Pastor - royeeses@bellsouth.net cell 404-317-3233
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Chamblee First United Methodist Church

August 24, 2014
11th Sunday After Pentecost

8:45 am Order of Worship

Prelude		Mr. Bill Callaway
Greetings and Announcements		Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe
Call to Worship		Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe
*Hymn	<i>In the Garden</i>	Cokesbury 62
*Affirmation of Faith		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	
*Hymn	<i>Bringing in the Sheaves</i>	Cokesbury 165
Time of Prayer		Rev. Joshua Roberts
Offertory		Mr. Bill Callaway
*Doxology		W&S 3016
	What a mighty God we serve. What a mighty God we serve. Angels bow before you, heaven and earth adore you. What a mighty God we serve.	
Time of Fellowship		
Children's Sermon		Rev. Joshua Roberts
*Gospel Lesson	Matthew 16:13-20	Rev. Joshua Roberts
Sermon	"Who Do You Say That I Am?"	Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe
*Hymn	<i>We've a Story to Tell</i>	Cokesbury 158
Benediction		Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe
Postlude		Mr. Bill Callaway
*Please Stand as Able		
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11:00 am Order of Worship

Chiming of the Hour

Greetings & Announcements Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe

Call to Worship Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe

Prelude *Mansion On The Hilltop*
Bluegrass Ensemble

***Hymn** *In the Garden* Cokesbury 62

Affirmation of Faith UMH 881

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Prayer Concerns & Celebrations Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe

Prayer of Hope Rev. Joshua Roberts

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 *Doing My Job*
Bluegrass Ensemble

***Doxology** *Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow* 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

***Prayer of Dedication** Rev. Joshua Roberts

Passing of the Peace
Children's Sermon Rev. Joshua Roberts

***Hymn** *Bringing in the Sheaves* Cokesbury 165

Special Music *A Living Prayer*
Bluegrass Ensemble

***Gospel Lesson** Matthew 16:13-20 Rev. Joshua Roberts

Sermon "Who Do You Say
That I Am?" Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe

***Hymn** *We've a Story to Tell* Cokesbury 158

Benediction Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe

Postlude *Gospel Medley*
Bluegrass Ensemble

**Large Print Hymnals and Hearing Devices are Available
(Please see an usher if you need any assistance.)**

We wish to thank our Bluegrass Ensemble musicians for their worship music this morning: Leah Calvert, Warren Calvert, Tommy Sauter, Michael Smith and Jared Womack.

Gospel Lesson

¹³ Now when Jesus came into the district of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that the Son of Man is?' ¹⁴ And they said, 'Some say John the Baptist, but others Elijah, and still others Jeremiah or one of the prophets.'

¹⁵ He said to them, 'But who do you say that I am?' ¹⁶ Simon Peter answered, 'You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.' ¹⁷ And Jesus answered him, 'Blessed are you, Simon son of Jonah! For flesh and blood has not revealed this to you, but my Father in heaven.

¹⁸ And I tell you, you are Peter, and on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of Hades will not prevail against it. ¹⁹ I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.' ²⁰ Then he sternly ordered the disciples not to tell anyone that he was the Messiah.

Matthew 16:13-20 (NRSV)

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Homa Archer, Don Baker, Mildred Berry, Joan Boyer, Jerlyn Brown, Larry Bryant, Jane Burke, Frances Drummond, Ron Gonyea, Kathy Graham, Claudia Hammond, Jo Hoffer, Alena Jacobs, Mark Lemerman (Barbara Roberts' nephew), Cameron Maitz, Sheree Mayo, Tom Mims, Moi Monroe, Mary Osgood, Garland Phelps, Roberta Phelps, Charlene Rankin, Gail Redmond, Dottie Riviere, Sarah Jane Robinson, Leighton Rowell, Janet Butler Shenep (Donna Psalmonds' cousin), Carolyn Sherrill, Kenneth Sims (Melissa Holt's father), Greg Thomas, Mary Tidwell, Bill Usher, Dorothy Waits (Josh Roberts' grandmother), Debbie Warburton, Bill Watterson (Dean Nichols' nephew), Dave Winters, our shut-ins and all those battling cancer.

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers are given to the glory of God and in honor of Jane and Ray Manus' 51st anniversary today.

Financial Report *General Fund*

33rd: 8/18/14

Total Tithes & Income: \$568,678.58

Total Expenses: \$575,336.28

Variance: \$ (6,657.70)

Restore Campaign Closed *Loan Paid in Full*