

## General Announcements

### Wednesday Night Supper

Menu: Bourbon Street Chicken, rice, steamed or roasted vegetables and cake

Program: Combined Handbell Choirs—St. James UMC & Chamblee First UMC

### Day Light Savings Time Begins - Spring Forward 1 Hour!

Don't forget to set your clocks ahead one hour before you go to bed Saturday night, March 7th.

### Six Week Lenten Study

The Journeys Sunday School class invites you to join them for a six-week Lenten study. The study will be on Sundays from February 22 through March 29. We will be studying the book *Final Words* by Adam Hamilton which explores the final words spoken by Jesus to those who stood near the cross. Class begins at 9:45am in room 205.

### Operation Oreo is a Go!

During Lent we encourage you to bring in packages of Oreos, along with \$5 per package for shipping so that we can send Oreos to U.S. soldiers serving on active duty overseas. Help us fill the chancel with Oreos this Lenten season. If you have questions, please see Dr. Stowe or Rev. Roberts.

### 2015 Offering Envelopes

If you have not picked up your 2015 offering envelopes, you may pick them up in the accounting office.

### B.U.G. Basketball Tournament & Cookout - March 15, 4-6pm

#### All Proceeds Benefit Imagine No Malaria

Come Sunday, March 15, to the B.U.G. Basketball Tournament in the gym. All ages are invited to come donate and play the game of B.U.G. (like the game of "H.O.R.S.E."). All proceeds benefit Imagine No Malaria. See Josh McDaniel for details. There will be a cookout after the tournament.

### MG Walk - Saturday, March 14 at Chamblee First UMC

The MG Walk will be here at the campus of Chamblee First UMC. Registration for the MG Walk is at 9:00am followed by the Walk at 10:00am. Come join us for a fun morning. Visit [www.mgwalk.org](http://www.mgwalk.org) to donate for the Georgia Walk. Myasthenia Gravis = MG is a chronic autoimmune neuromuscular disorder that is characterized by fluctuating weakness of the voluntary muscle groups.

### 2nd & 3rd Grade Sunday School Class

Beginning Sunday, March 1 the 2nd & 3rd grade Sunday School Class will be doing a special study on the Christian calendar, John Wesley, Methodist Beliefs, Worship and using their Bible. This 13 week study will help them prepare for a more meaningful experience and understanding of worship. Come join us! Contact Chris Tench for more information: [ctench@chambleeumc.org](mailto:ctench@chambleeumc.org).

### Volunteers Needed to Deliver Communion to Homebound Members

We need volunteers to deliver communion to our homebound members. We deliver twice a year, Easter week and the week after World Communion Day in October. If you are interested, please call Mary Lou Dennisson at 770-457-6652 or Jean Lingle at 770-457-4446.

### Save the Date - 2015 Women's Retreat September 25-27

This year's women's retreat is September 25-27. We are excited about returning to beautiful [Cohutta Springs Conference Center](#)! The cost is \$225. Details and registration information will be provided by the end of March so be on the lookout. Please see Cheryl Atkins or Susan Montgomery if you have any questions.

### Boy Scout Camp Cards Available

Troop 268 is selling camp cards until the end of April – these \$5 cards offer discounts to Publix, Dick's Sporting Goods and a number of other businesses. Half of the money raised stays directly with the troop to fund their summer camp from June 28 to July 4. If you would like to purchase cards, please contact Scott Gillispie at [404-723-2072](tel:404-723-2072) or Mike Fancher at [404-787-7642](tel:404-787-7642), or look for us at Wednesday night supper or at Sunday worship.

## "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

### Sunday March 1, 2015

Men's Breakfast Fellowship Hall	7:30 am
Worship Services	8:45 & 11:00 am
Sunday School	9:45 am
Youth Confirmation Class Room 223	9:45 am
Basketball Banquet Fellowship Hall	12:00 pm
UM Youth Fellowship Fellowship Hall	6:00 pm
Atlanta Metro Youth Flute Choir R204	6:30 pm

### Monday March 2, 2015

Kindergarten	9:00 am
Teaching Parish Room 204	9:00 am
Alma North UMW Circle Kitchen & Serving Area	6:30 pm
Chancel Ringers Sanctuary	6:30 pm
MG Support Group Fellowship Hall	6:30 pm
Trustees Room 204	6:30 pm
Boy Scouts Scout Hut	7:00 pm
First Five Practice Sanctuary	7:45 pm

### Tuesday March 3, 2015

Kindergarten & PMO	9:00 am
Kindergarten Parent Speaker Fellowship Hall	9:00 am
Staff Meeting Hospitality Room	1:30 pm
Georgia Brass Band Fellowship Hall	6:30 pm
Cub Scouts Scout Hut	7:00 pm
Missions Committee Room 204	7:00 pm
Youth Council Room 223	7:00 pm

### Wednesday March 4, 2015

Kindergarten & PMO	9:00 am
Pickle Ball Gym	9:30 am
Book of Mark Bible Study Room 204	12:30 pm
Youth Broadcast Room 224	5:15 pm
Wednesday Night Supper Fellowship Hall	6:00 pm
Children's Choirs & Activities Rooms 215 & 204	6:30 pm
Wednesday Night Bible Study Hospitality Room	6:30 pm
Youth Bible Studies Rooms 223 & 225	6:30 pm
St. James UMC & Chancel Ringers Sanctuary	6:45 pm
Chancel Choir Sanctuary	7:30 pm

### Thursday March 5, 2015

Kindergarten & PMO	9:00 am
Group Fitness Class Lawn	3:30 pm
Girl Scout Troop 12568 Room 227	5:30 pm
Peachtree Symphonic Winds Fellowship Hall	6:30 pm
Women's Retreat Committee Room 207	6:30 pm
AA Meeting Gym	8:00 pm

### Friday March 6, 2015

Kindergarten & PMO	9:00 am
Youth Trip Leave for Camp Glisson	5:30 pm

### Saturday March 7, 2015

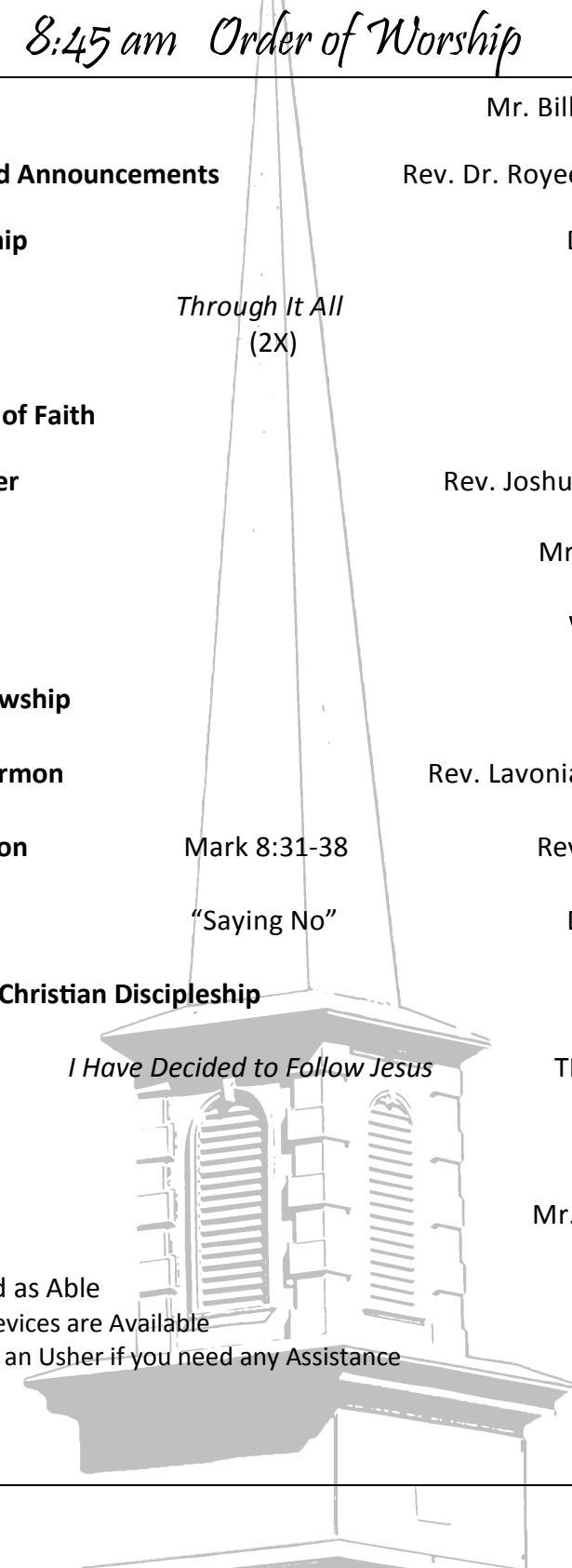
Youth at Camp Glisson	All Day
AA Meeting Gym	8:00 pm

# Chamblee First United Methodist Church

March 1, 2015  
2nd Sunday in Lent

## 8:45 am Order of Worship

Prelude		Mr. Bill Callaway
Greetings and Announcements		Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe
Call to Worship		Dr. Stowe
*Hymn	<i>Through It All (2X)</i>	UMH 507
*Affirmation of Faith		UMH 881
Time of Prayer		Rev. Joshua Roberts
Offertory		Mr. Callaway
*Doxology		W&S 3016
Time of Fellowship		
Children's Sermon		Rev. Lavonia Winford
*Gospel Lesson	Mark 8:31-38	Rev. Roberts
Sermon	"Saying No"	Dr. Stowe
Invitation to Christian Discipleship		
*Hymn	<i>I Have Decided to Follow Jesus</i>	TFWS 2129
*Benediction		
Postlude		Mr. Callaway
*Please Stand as Able		
• Hearing Devices are Available		
• Please see an Usher if you need any Assistance		



# 11:00 am Order of Worship

<b>Chiming of the Hour</b>		
<b>Greetings and Announcements</b>	Rev. Dr. Royeese Stowe	
<b>Choral Call to Worship</b>	Chancel Choir	
<b>Prelude</b>	<i>Hymnus</i> Mr. Bill Callaway, organist	Liszt
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>Take Up Thy Cross</i>	UMH 415
<b>*Affirmation of Faith</b>		UMH 881
<b>Gloria Patri</b>	<i>Glory Be to the Father</i>	UMH 71
<b>Prayer Concerns &amp; Celebrations</b>		Dr. Stowe
<b>Prayer of Hope</b>		Rev. Joshua Roberts
<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>Celtic Prayer</i> Chancel Ringers	Brubaker
<b>*Doxology</b>	<i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	UMH 94
<b>*Prayer of Dedication</b>		Rev. Roberts
<b>Passing of the Peace</b>		
<b>Children's Sermon</b>		Rev. Lavonia Winford
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>Faith of Our Fathers</i>	UMH 710
<b>Special Music</b>	<i>Come, Christians, Join to Ring!</i> Chancel Ringers	Rawlinson
<b>*Gospel Lesson</b>	Mark 8:31-38	Rev. Roberts
<b>Sermon</b>	"Saying No"	Dr. Stowe
<b>Invitation to Christian Discipleship</b>		
<b>*Hymn</b>	<i>And Are We Yet Alive</i>	UMH 553

<b>*Benediction</b>		Dr. Stowe
<b>Postlude</b>	<i>Festival March</i> Mr. Callaway, organist	Becker

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

## *Gospel Lesson*

<sup>31</sup> Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. <sup>32</sup> He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. <sup>33</sup> But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, 'Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

<sup>34</sup> He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. <sup>35</sup> For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. <sup>36</sup> For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? <sup>37</sup> Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? <sup>38</sup> Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.' **Mark 8:31-38 (NRSV)**

## *If you Need Us!*

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## *In Our Thoughts and Prayers*

Homa Archer, Don Baker, Larry Bryant, Paul Fancher, Eugenia Foster, Milla and Elle Gieselmann, Kelli Gonyea, Maria De La Paz Gomez (Lisa Clarke's mother), Ron Gonyea, Ann Hammond, Claudia Hammond, Claude (Buster) Hodges, Jo Hoffer, Mark Lemerman (Barbara Roberts' nephew), Linda Manus (Joann Gibson's friend), Tom Mims, Jean Mims, Moi Monroe, Luz Nicaragua (JoAnn Lynen's sister-in-law), family of Garland Phelps, Roberta Phelps, family of Dottie Riviere, Gordon Rowell, Helen Schneeberger, Carolyn Sherrill, Kenneth Sims (Melissa Holt's father), Don Skender, Donnie Skender, Greg Thomas, Lisa Tink, Ron Van Note, Eva Veale, Leslie Ward, and Carolann and Bill Zebrowski (Godparents of Esteban Rodriguez). Also, please remember those serving in the military, our shut-ins, and all those battling cancer.

## *Financial Report General Fund*

8th Week: 2/22/15

Total Tithes & Income: \$144,335.36

Total Expenses: \$134,694.06

Variance: \$ 9,641.30

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