

Welcome to
**CHAMBLEE FIRST UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH**

A photograph of a woman wearing a Santa hat, looking down at an open book. A lit candle in a foil holder is in the foreground, casting a warm glow. The background is dark with some blurred lights.

many voices
one story

advent
2020

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Order of Worship

Welcome Rev. Eric Lee

Prelude Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee Dykes and Berry
Mr. Bill Callaway, pianist

Hymn Come Ye Thankful People Come UMH694

1. COME, YE THANKFUL PEOPLE, COME, RAISE THE SONG OF HARVEST HOME; ALL IS SAFELY GATHERED IN,
ERE THE WINTER STORMS BEGIN. GOD OUR MAKER DOTHTH PROVIDE FOR OUR WANTS TO BE SUPPLIED;
COME TO GOD'S OWN TEMPLE, COME, RAISE THE SONG OF HARVEST HOME.

4. EVEN SO, LORD, QUICKLY COME, BRING THY FINAL HARVEST HOME; GATHER THOU THY PEOPLE IN,
FREE FROM SORROW, FREE FROM SIN, THERE, FOREVER PURIFIED, IN THY PRESENCE TO ABIDE;
COME, WITH ALL THINE ANGELS, COME, RAISE THE GLORIOUS HARVEST HOME.

Prayers of the People & The Lord's Prayer Rev. Stacey Rushing

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 TRESSPASS 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 **Adagio** **Mozart**
Mr. Allen Barbee, English hornist and pianist

Scripture Reading **Associate Pastor Rev. Blair Setnor,**
Decatur First UMC

Sermon **Rev. Setnor, Associate Pastor**

Hymn **Hymn of Promise** **UMH707**

1. IN THE BULB THERE IS A FLOWER; IN THE SEED, AN APPLE TREE; IN COCOONS, A HIDDEN PROMISE:
BUTTERFLIES WILL SOON BE FREE! IN THE COLD AND SNOW OF WINTER THERE'S A SPRING THAT WAITS TO BE,
UNREVEALED UNTIL ITS SEASON, SOMETHING GOD ALONE CAN SEE.

3. IN OUR END IS OUR BEGINNING; IN OUR TIME, INFINITY; IN OUR DOUBT THERE IS BELIEVING;
IN OUR LIFE, ETERNITY. IN OUR DEATH, A RESURRECTION; AT THE LAST, A VICTORY,
UNREVEALED UNTIL ITS SEASON, SOMETHING GOD ALONE CAN SEE.

Benediction **Rev. Lee**

Prayer Requests

Our Members:

Ann Shearouse recovering from a fall at home
Hill Latham at home
Jonathan Carter son of Sarah and Josh, recovering at home
Neb Shearouse at home
Ann Harris recovering from GI surgery
Jake Burkhardt recovering at home
Joann Gibson issues with asthma and migraines
Susan Burdick at home, undergoing treatments
Sid Berry declining health; and Denise (his daughter) as caretaker
Penny Rose treatments
Wendell Turner recovering at home; and Lee as his caregiver

Our Loved Ones:

Gerry and Ben Wright sister and brother-in-law of Jean Mims
Bruce Keffler Jr. Michelle Watts' 22 year old nephew
Melissa Mitchell cousin of Kathrn Rodriguez
Darlene Lauth twin sister of Denise Berry
John Duffy Sharon Dunten's father
B.J. Austin sister of Fran Dickey
Chris Brannon son of Kathy Brannon
Loretta Butler Aunt of Dana Jenkins
Jeannine Wright friend of Dana Jenkins
John and Barbara Berry brother of Sid Berry
Valerie Engler future daughter-in-law of Steve Anderson
Barbara and Tim Burns friends of Lee Turner (and daughter of Beth Mays)
Martha Stevens friend of Holly Swing
David and Claire deRoos niece of Holly Swing
Caroline Ladson niece of Holly Swing
Judy Johnson sister of Susan Montgomery
Allison Dunten Daughter-in-law of Dale and Sharon Dunten
James Nierodzik Father-in-law of Amy Nierodzik, Tom and Marsha Jones' daughter
Otis Farmer friend of Ross Glover
John and Mary Williams Denise Berry's daughter Sydney's in-laws
Ila Nichols daughter-in-law of Dean Nichols
Betty and Jean Connell sisters of Eleanor Wilson
Leslie Tiller friend of Dawn Powell and teacher at Huntley Hills
Chet Jameson brother of Andy Jameson
Will McDaniel cousin of Andy Jameson
Stephen Padgett friend of Kim Brown
Ren Davis friend of Marvin Brown
Bob Crosby father of Andy Crosby
Sarah Davenport friend of Holly Swing

Events

A BIG thank you to everyone who donated food and money, packed and sorted, and delivered food for the Thanksgiving Food Drive!! We were worried about getting enough donations this year, but you and others in our community really stepped up big to make sure these families were provided for. With your help we provided 200 gift cards and 390 bags of food to 130 families!!! WOW is right!! THANK YOU!!

Classes/Group

Children Zoom Sunday school for K-2nd and 3rd-5th. Please contact Kristyl Kepley for the Zoom link if you would like to participate. kkepley@chambleeumc.org

Adults The Bridge, Faith, Journey and Fellowship classes have taken their Sunday morning gatherings online through Zoom. Classes meet each Sunday at 10:00a. If you would like to connect to an adult class, please contact Pastor Stacey (srushing@chambleeumc.org)

ROMEO+ (Retired Old Men Eating Outside plus) Breakfast Grab your food, beverage and chair and join the breakfast on Dec. 8th at 8:00 am under the CMK portico. We meet the 2nd Thursday of every month. For more information, contact Les Hammond.

WNS moves to lunch! Come join us for lunch at the church on Wednesdays at 12:30, to gather outside, with social distancing. Bring your own lunch, drink and a chair. We will gather under the big portico on the nursery side of the building. Please park on this side as Kindergarten will be dismissing from the back entrance or the big playground.

In person Youth services are back! 6th-12th grade students are invited to attend our Sunday Youth service. Things to know: time – 12:30-2:30, place – outdoor amphitheater (good weather) or kindergarten portico (rainy weather), safety - masks required and socially distanced, food - bring your own lunch, clothes – dress warm and wear closed-toe shoes! We hope you will join us!

If you would like your class's/group's gathering added to this list, please email details to communications@chambleeumc.org.

Saying Goodbye

We knew when Will Goodwin came to Chamblee to be the Youth Minister that the day would come when he would graduate with his counseling degree and leave. Sadly, that day arrives this year. We are excited for Will to be getting married in November and that his counseling practice is blossoming. However, that means we will say goodbye to Will by year's end. Please thank Will for his faithful service to our youth and their families and to our church. Keep him, his fiancé Audrey, and his future ministry in your prayers.

Another upcoming goodbye that was less expected is for our Children's Minister, Kristyl Kepley. Kristyl has served the children and families of Chamblee so creatively and with such love, we are sad to see her go. Her husband accepted a new job many miles from here so they have begun the process of transitioning their home and family. Share your thanks with Kristyl and keep them in your prayers as well.

In preparation for hiring for both of these roles, a webpage with the job descriptions is now active on our website (chambleeumc.org/employment). We hope to have both positions filled before the start of the new year. May we find just the right people for God's ministry with children, youth and families in Chamblee.

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