

Chamblee First UMC helps people find peace and purpose within a Christian community. For our most current calendar, visit chambleeumc.org/happenings

TODAY, after worship

So much to celebrate! Join us for a sweet treat as we rejoice in the success of VBS 2025, give thanks for India and her final sermon as our Youth Director, and embrace the joy of summer together. Exit through the Atrium to enjoy a pop with your peeps!

June 22 & 29 at 6:30 pm

Looking to make new connections or deepen relationships with your CFUMC friends and family? This Sunday Night Supper Club is for anyone eager to build community through food and fellowship. Each week, we'll gather at a different local restaurant to enjoy diverse cuisines and meaningful conversation. **Registration is required.**
chambleeumc.org/SupperClub

through June 30

Tiny bottles, big impact! Now collecting travel-size toiletries and personal hygiene products to support those in need. **Pack the cars in the narthex and atrium with your donations.** See details at chambleeumc.org/happenings

June 29 & July 13

After worship, stay for a pizza lunch and help us pack 200 food bags in support of DeKalb County Schools *Read and Rise DeKalb* program and Mountain Park UMC's *Lunches of Love* program. See our website for details and additional dates.

limited space remaining

Chamblee First UMC is thrilled to host Grow Day Camp again this summer, July 14-18, 9:00 am-5:30 pm (Mon-Thur) and 9 am-12:30 pm (Friday). Learn more and register your rising 1st-6th grader today at growdaycamps.org

now through July 3

Our parking lots are doubling as a basecamp for a professional studio production crew. The gym lot and atrium portico will remain available for church and visitor use. Thank for your patience, flexibility, and hospitality as we welcome our temporary tenants!

Jordan Black | Director of Children's Ministries | jblack@chambleeumc.org

- Our exciting programs, current curriculum, and mentors help children develop their faith in fun ways they can understand. Children age 2 through preschool meet in Room 101. Children grades K-5th meet in Room 223.

- Following the Children's Moment, children grades K-5th are dismissed for Kids' Church and should be picked up in Room 223 on the 2nd floor after the service.
- At both 9:30 and 10:45, children ages 2 through preschool meet in Room 101.

Nursery is available in Room 100 during Sunday School and Worship Service for infants and toddlers. A **calming room** is available in the Narthex at the back of the sanctuary.



CHAMBLEE FIRST
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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JUNE 22, 2025

TEN FORTY-FIVE O'CLOCK

SECOND SUNDAY
AFTER PENTECOST

4147 Chamblee Dunwoody Rd, Atlanta, GA 30341
770-457-2525 | chambleeumc.org

We Welcome, Celebrate, and Embrace All


At Chamblee First UMC, we affirm that all people are created in the image of God and as beloved children of God. We believe that all people are worthy of God's unconditional love, grace, and inclusion. We embrace and celebrate the gift of diversity in our church and in our world. We recognize that while we may not all think alike on all issues, we can all Love God, Serve People, and Transform Lives in ministry together.

We proclaim this statement of welcome to all who have known the pain of exclusion or discrimination in the church or in society. And we invite all people to fully participate in the life of this community of faith. Together we support one another in our endeavors, and in doing so strengthen each other and the body of Christ in this world.

Welcome to Chamblee First United Methodist Church!


Our sanctuary is equipped with devices to assist those who are hearing impaired. To use a hearing device, simply ask an usher or the sound technician upon arrival.

Attendance



Visitor Check-In

Welcome! We are glad you're here with us today. Please scan the appropriate QR code so we can connect you with activities and ministries that may interest you and your family. The form includes space for you to provide contact information and for you to submit any questions. We would love the opportunity to get to know you better!



Member Check-In

Ways to Give

An offering is collected to support the work of Chamblee Methodist, sharing God's love with the world. Whether you are a church member, a regular worshiper, or an active participant in one of our ministries, your gifts are valued and appreciated. For those who prefer to contribute electronically, you may text the word **CHAMBLEE** to 73256 using your mobile device OR give securely any time at chambleeumc.org/give



Scan to Give

Patriotic Celebration Sunday – June 29

Get ready for a joyful, music-filled morning as we celebrate faith and freedom together! We'll enjoy inspiring music from our talented organist Bill Callaway and soloist Addie Hamilton Palazini – it's a Sunday you won't want to miss. Rev. Blair Zant will be back, joined by guest preacher Rev. Dr. Elizabeth Coppedge-Henley, President & CEO of the Georgia United Methodist Foundation. Invite your friends and neighbors to be part of this special star-spangled Sunday!



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Order of Worship

THE GATHERING		
Chiming of the Hour		
THE GREETING		
Welcome & Announcements	Mrs. Mary Ruth Kearney	
Prelude	<i>Variations on This Little Light of Mine</i> Mr. Bill Callaway, pianist	Chattham
PRAISE & THANKSGIVING		
Call to Worship	Psalm 42	Ms. India Gleason
Opening Song *	<i>Wherever You Go</i> VBS Songtrack	CrossKid Nation
Prayers of the People and The Lord’s Prayer	Mrs. Kearney	
Passing of the Peace		
CHILDREN’S MOMENT		
Road Trip Celebration	After which, children grades K-5th are excused for Kid's Church in room 223	Mrs. Jordan Black Mr. George Hall
THE OFFERING		
Invitation to the Offering	Ms. Gleason	
Offertory	<i>I’m Gonna Sing</i> Chancel Choir with Mr. Callaway, piano	Schram
Doxology *	UMH 95	
Prayer of Dedication *	Ms. Gleason	
THE WORD		
Scripture	Luke 19: 1-10	Mrs. Kearney
Sermon	Lonely But Never Alone	Ms. Gleason
RESPONSE TO THE WORD		
Affirmation of Faith *	<i>The Apostles’ Creed</i>	UMH 881
Closing Hymn *	Standing On the Promises v. 1, 3, 4	UMH 374
SENDING FORTH		
Benediction *		
Postlude	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i> Mr. Callaway, organist	Kerr

* please stand as you are able

Prayer Requests

Please keep these individuals in your prayers today and throughout the week. A complete list including **loved ones** and **ongoing needs** can be found at chambleeumc.org/weekly-prayer-list or by scanning this QR code. If you have a prayer request or a praise to share, email prayer@chambleeumc.org.




Prayer List

- Our Members:**
- Travis Gillispie, participating in an on-campus summer program in Florida
 - Marsha Jones, recovering in rehab
 - Debbie Hall, completed treatments for breast cancer
 - Ray Dunahoo, undergoing radiation treatment
 - Laura Ray, recovering at home
 - Jerry Smith, undergoing treatments for cancer
 - Eleanor Wilson, struggling with various health issues. She will be 100 on 7/4
 - Jake Burkhardt, struggling with effects of CTE (Chronic Traumatic Encephalopathy)
- Our Members' Families:**
- Caleb Farkas, grandson of Bill and Pat, struggling
 - Bruce Bennett, brother of Becky, healing for foot and neck pain
 - Todd Van Duser, brother of Brad, battling cancer
 - Shelby Bryce, 2 yr old cousin of Lee Turner, with spina bifida, recovering from surgery
 - Jean Connell, sister of Eleanor Wilson, declining health
 - Diana Stephens, SIL of Lee Turner, battling pancreatic cancer

Milestone Birthday
On July 4, **Eleanor Wilson** will celebrate her **100th birthday**. Please keep her in your prayers! Ms. Eleanor would love for her to receive birthday greetings from her church family. Send cards to 5701 Spalding Drive, Apt. 236, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092

Celebrations



Road Trip VBS 2025: What an incredible journey!

- 100** children and **40** Youth Leaders
- 600 florets of broccoli converted into “trees”
- six** groups of rising kindergartners thru rising 5th graders
- 100 gourds crafted into mascot dogs
- 23** volunteer class leaders
- five pounds of cereal marshmallows
- 166** total people participating in VBS 2025

Congratulations to Jordan Black, India Gleason, Ann Hammond, and the staff and adult volunteers who guided our children in faith formation, friendship, and unforgettable memories throughout the week.

Church Financials & Leadership

- Upcoming Meetings**
- The June 24 Administrative Board has been cancelled. The next session of the Administrative Board is scheduled for 6 pm on Monday, August 25.
 - Monday, June 30, 6 pm:* Staff Parish Relations Committee Questions, comments, or compliments can be addressed to spr@chambleeumc.org

May 31 2025	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	Month-End Reporting As of May 31, 2025. To request a full copy of recently approved financial reports, please email business@chambleeumc.org
Income	\$355,370	\$374,425	
Expenses	\$445,240	\$445,935	

- Summer Hours Notice**
- The campus of Chamblee First UMC will be closed on Thursday, July 3, and Friday, July 4, in observance of Independence Day.
 - For the remainder of the summer, our business office will be open 8:30 am - 4:00 pm and Monday - Thursday, and **closed on Fridays**.
 - Regular business hours will resume the week of August 18: Monday - Thursday, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm, and Fridays, 8:30 am – 12:00 noon.