



**MULBERRY STREET
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

August 14, 2016

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**Wednesday Night Kickoff
August 17th
Dinner at 5:30**



Musical Program at 6:15

“Summer Songs”

Dr. Martha Malone, Soprano

Cam Bishop, Pianist

Sunday Worship

August 14, 2016

9:00 am Chapel

11:00 am Sanctuary

Inside Out:

Saved People Serve People

Matthew 5:16

Rev. Jimmy Towson



Assisting with Worship

Greeters for August

Dianne Greene, Barbara Knight,
Kathryn Manley, Becky Mercer,
Raines Newberry & Kate Sellers

Usher for Nine O'clock

Tim Anderson & Tim Mathews

Ushers for Eleven O'clock

Russ Barber, Gregory Bushway,
Gary Dunn, Emory Dunn, Jim Manley,
Drew Mercer, Don Ream, Vaughan Smith,
Joe Stephens & Lee Stevens

Children's Church

Joel & Kathryn Ginaldi (2K/3K)
Stewart & Shannon Vernon (4K/5K)



The flowers in the chapel are given to the glory of God and in memory of their fathers, Arthur Anderson and David Nicholson by Tim and Melissa Anderson.

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the glory of God and in memory of Mr. & Mrs. Charles E. Shipe by Eleanor Castellaw and Beth Castellaw.

Attendance Last Week

Nursery	24
Nine O'clock Worship	25
Eleven O'clock Worship	213
Total Worship Attendance	262



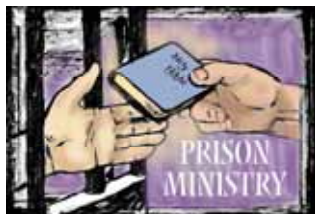
Cam Bishop, Director of Music/Organist

Ainsworth Choir

Rehearsal – Wednesdays – 7:15

Children's Choirs

Rehearsals begin August 24th.



KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY WELCOMES YOUR SUPPORT

Our team of Christian men is preparing another Kairos weekend of spiritual renewal for inmates at Burruss Correctional Training Facility in Forsyth September 15-18, 2016. Steve Rumford and Sam Lamback represent Mulberry in this ministry. 42 inmates will participate. We invite your support. A Kairos table will be set up in the Atrium beginning August 14th. You can help with: 1. Prayers - commit to praying during the weekend by signing the prayer calendar and/or prayer chain links. 2. Home-baked cookies - 6 per ziplock sandwich bag. 3. Cards/art work - Inmates are inspired to receive messages of encouragement and prayer support from children, youth, and adults. (Include child/youth's first name and age only) 4. Financial support. Checks payable to KPMI (Kairos Prison Ministry International). Lives will be changed!



August 17th

Program: "Summer Songs"
Dr. Martha Malone, Soprano

Cam Bishop, Piano

Menu:

Baked Chicken
Vegetable Blend
Yellow Rice
Tossed Salad
Pineapple Upside Down Cake
Rolls



Rev. Bill Culpepper, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministries

Anchored

Sundays – 5:00 pm

Wednesdays

Youth Fellowship – 6:15 pm
Beginning August 24th

Mulberry 101 Sundays, August 7, 14, 21 & 28 10:00 am Conference Room

Get a behind the scenes look at Mulberry Street UMC and get answers to questions you may have about our church and the Methodist denomination.

Here's what will be covered:

- The rich history of Mulberry Street UMC.*
- The vision and mission of our church.*
- A brief history of John Wesley, our founder.*
- How are we connected to the United Methodist Church.*
- Why should I join Mulberry Street UMC?*
- What can I expect from the Church?*
- What is expected of me?*

If you have not already joined Mulberry and are interested in doing so, please call Karen Carter (745-8601) to sign up for the class.



Pack the Pew Sunday

Help Pack the Pews by inviting someone to Mulberry St. UMC

Sunday
August 28, 2016
9:00 & 11:00



Baxter and Christi James will be presenting their son William Sherwood James for Holy Baptism on Sunday, August 14, 2016.



Macon Outreach Fund

In memory of George Bowen by Becky Donovan



Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries



August 21, 2016

Join us as we celebrate the beginning of a new school year. All kids are invited to bring their backpacks for a blessing and prayer during our 11:00 am worship service.

Third graders will receive their own Bibles.

The following are the students we know who will be entering the third grade. Their names will be engraved on the Bibles, so please make sure we have spelled your child's name correctly.

- Elizabeth Leigh Baskette
- Lillian Grace Bender
- Martha Susan Berg
- Abigail Camille Bishop
- Joseph Ellis Bridges
- Virginia Lawton Capps
- Henry Hathcock Carter
- Barbara Reynolds Hefner
- Margaret Watters Jamison
- Veronica Jane Perkins
- Blake Cameron Sharpton, Jr.
- Lilly Singleton
- Alex Tharp

If for any reason your child will not be participating in the service, please contact Pam Johnston (745-8601).



August 21, 2016

Budget Report 2016
Gifts and Endowment

Month	Other Revenue	Revenue	Expense	Net
Jan	93,604.62	18,616.56	103,762.19	8,458.99
Feb	62,362.89	16,848.37	109,624.07	(30,412.81)
Mar	77,138.00	37,665.00	137,696.00	(22,893.00)
Apr	79,131.00	19,459.00	113,989.00	(15,399.00)
May	93,815.00	14,689.00	107,789.00	715.00
Jun	78,530.00	17,687.00	109,374.00	(13,157.00)
Total YTD	484,582.00	124,965.00	682,234.00	(72,688.00)



Many thanks to VBS Kids: \$733.50 was collected for Macon Outreach and will go straight to purchasing food for those in need!



- 16 oz. Peanut Butter
- Canned Fruit
- Oatmeal (box of individual packets)
- Cereal



There is a bucket in the atrium to receive donations for Daybreak.

Supplies Needed:

- Sugar Paper Towels Disinfectant Spray (Lysol)

Mission Opportunities

Domestic

G2G4

(Generation 2 Generation)

A Mulberry Intergenerational Mission Trip

January 13-16, 2017

Hinton Rural Center, Hayesville, NC

Details soon!



International

Water Well Mission Trip to Guatemala

February 11-18, 2017

Deadline for signup is August 26, 2016.

Contact persons:

Drew Mercer, 478-919-3842

drewmercer@gmail.com

and Sam Lamback, 478-550-3067

lambacks@bellsouth.net

Deadline: We agree that a minimum of 6 persons committing to the trip by Friday, August 26th, will be necessary for a go/no-go decision.



In honor of Debbie Towson by Mrs. Diane Roberts

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over Radio Station AM 940 WMAC.



Rev. Jimmy Towson (538-9067)
Rev. Tommy Perkins (615-691-3171)
Rev. Bill Culpepper (803-673-7860)

This Week at Mulberry

Sunday, August 14

9:00 am Worship/Chapel
9:40 am KIDSPRAISE
9:45 am Sunday School
10:00 am Mulberry 101/Conf Rm
11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary
5:00 pm Covenant Bible Study/Children's Assembly Rm
5 pm Anchored
5pm Children's Council Mtg/Bearfoot Tavern

Monday, August 15

5 pm CCM Board Mtg/Conf Rm

Tuesday, August 16

8:30 am Prayer Group/Prayer Rm
9:30 am Staff Meeting/Conf Rm
12:00 pm Kiwanis/F-Hall
1:00 pm Carlyle Place Communion

Wednesday, August 17

9:15 am CCM Chapel
10:30 am M/O Worship/Chapel
4:30 pm M/O Board Mtg/Conf Rm
5:30 pm Wednesday Night Supper
7:15 pm Ainsworth Choir

Thursday, August 18

9:30 am Circle of Friends Sewing Group/Rm 232
6:30 pm Wesley Men's Bible Study/IVP

Sunday, August 21

9:00 am Worship/Chapel
9:40 am KIDSPRAISE
9:45 am Sunday School
10:00 am Mulberry 101/Conf Rm
11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary
5:00 pm Covenant Bible Study/
Children's Assembly Rm
5pm Anchored



Children's Center at Mulberry Needs Your Help!

The beginning of our school year is fast approaching and we need your help to make this school year as successful as the ones before.

The following items are always in high demand throughout the year:

Copy Paper Glue Sticks Pens White Out
Construction Paper Dry Erase Markers Masking Tape Scotch Tape
Wash Cloths Paper Clips Bibs (New or Gently Used)
Sharpie Markers Packaging Tape

A box in the atrium to collect items for the entire month of August.

Donations are greatly appreciated.

PATHWAYS to Discipleship

Saturday, August 20, 2016

Trinity UMC - Warner Robins, GA

9:30 am – 4:00 pm

Churches looking for new ideas, networking opportunities and practical quality training for their pastors, members, staff and leaders need to look no further than this year's Pathways event. The 2016 event will kick-off with a special mission focus.

Registration fee: \$20.00 (includes lunch from Chick-fil-A) Register online at

www.sgaumc.org/pathways.

Questions: Please contact Allison Lindsey at allison@sgumc.com or 888-266-7642.

Mulberry Community Garden



Volunteer Gardeners

Mondays in the Garden - 8:00-10:00 am & 4:00-6:00 pm

Thursdays in the Garden - 8:00-10:00 am & 4:00-6:00 pm

Questions? Call Jack Head 719-7455

Mulberry Street UMC Staff

Jimmy Towson, Senior Pastor
Tommy Perkins, Associate Pastor
Bill Culpepper, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministries
Trevor Ward & Tyler Giles, Worship Leaders
Bruce Bishop, Church Administrator Camille Bishop, Music Director/Organist
Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries
Betsy Abbott, Director of Hospitality Karen Carter, Connections Director
Sara Colvin, Financial Secretary Linda Parker, Administrative Secretary
Doris Andrews, Church Cook/Custodian
Clifton Carswell & Jeffrey Smith, Custodians
Erin Frazier, Director, Children's Center
Debbie Towson, Director, Macon Outreach