

# MULBERRY STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

**November 1, 2015** 

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This coming Sunday, **November 1**, is **All Saints Day**, a special day in the life of this and many protestant churches around the world. On this day, we celebrate and remember those "saints" in our church family who have finished their earthly journey during the past year.

The saints listed below are special to us, to their families and friends. As you look over the list, you'll remember them for the impact they had on you, on others and on this church. If one of these is your loved one, you can count on the rest of us to stand with you, to love you and to thank God with you for your "saint" as we worship together this Sunday.

We hope you all will join us for worship at 9:00 am (chapel) or 11:00 am (sanctuary). We pray that we will be renewed, strengthened and encouraged by the music, liturgy and message of hope as we remember these dear saints.

Jean Etheridge Chafin November 21, 2014

Charles Jackson Castellaw December 11, 2014

> Joyce Paul January 3, 2015

William H. Hurdle, Sr. January 24, 2015

James Fowler "Jim" Lawton February 13, 2015

> Walter Warren Cox February18, 2015

Alton "Al" Donald Greenway, Sr. March 13, 2015 C. W. "Handy" Hancock March 13, 2015

Wendell Wright Barnes March 15, 2015

Mary Jane League April 15, 2015

George Erwin Jones, Jr. April 16, 2015

Frances Smith Kite April 21, 2015

Bena Ballard Williamson May 9, 2015

Henry Pinkney "Pink" Persons, Jr. May 25, 2015 Margaret J. Tucker June 18, 2015

Maitland McCord Hudson August 5, 2015

Lillian Dillard Kelly Mahone September 11, 2015

> Marie Doss Harris September 22, 2015

Christen Elizabeth "Betsy" Lewis September 27, 2015

> Frank Edwards October 6, 2015

PS Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour on Saturday night as Daylight Savings Time ends!

# Sunday Worship

**November 1, 2015** 

All Saints Day

9:00 am Chapel 11:00 am Sanctuary

"No Hashlights!" Isaiah 25:6-9

Rev. Jimmy Towson

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Assisting with Worship
Usher for Nine O'clock

Clay Washburn

# **Ushers for Eleven O'clock**

Art Banks, Waverly Golson, Mel Jamison, Martin Magda, Darin McClure, Jason Mott, Ed Powell, Doyle Powers, Bert Thompson, Ben Vaughn & Tom Woodcock

# Children's Church

James & Valli Berg (2/3K) Cameron & Aubrey Bishop (4/5K)

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The floral arrangement is given to the glory of God and in loving memory of those who are so reverently honored today.



Mark 13:28-37





# **Attendance Last Week**

Nine O'clock Worship	40
Eleven O'clock Worship	201
Total Worship Attendance	241
Sunday School	173



A Mulberry Intergenerational Mission Trip

# January 15-18, 2016 (MLK Weekend) Hinton Rural Center, Hayesville, NC

This is an amazing trip to the North Carolina mountains for a weekend of mission work, worship, and fellowship for the entire church. Since we started this trip two years ago, many people have told me that it is their favorite thing to do at Mulberry throughout the year. You will come back home to Macon knowing your church family much better than when you left.

The way it works is that Mulberry reserves a certain number of spots for the different age groups (youth through older adult) so that we can be sure that each generation is represented on the trip. In the past, the youngest person was 11 years old and the oldest was 72! We encourage all of you to come no matter what stage of life you find yourself in now. Please prayerfully consider going on this trip.

Registration is now open for this trip. The cost is \$175. To reserve your spot, we need a \$100 deposit by November 1. If interested, you can come by the church office to pick up a registration packet.

If you have any questions, please feel free to email Bill Culpepper at <a href="mailto:bculpepper@mulberrymethodist.org">bculpepper@mulberrymethodist.org</a>.



Our *New* Members

Andrew & Alison Bender
Carson Eidson
2138 Old Holton Rd., Macon, GA 31204

Holly Driggers

408 Old Mill Ct., Macon, GA 31210

Barbara Hall

1391 Briarcliff Rd, 19-B, Macon, GA 31211

Jane Moore

1644 Bass Rd., Apt. 712, Macon, GA 31210



# November 4

Menu:

Grilled Chicken

# Children's Menu:

Grilled Chicken

Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwiches 2% Milk & Apple Juice

# Program:

A Night with Rev. Jimmy Towson



Rev. Bill Culpepper, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministries

### **Anchored**

Sundays - 5:00 pm

# Youth Fellowship

Wednesdays - 6:15 pm

# Soup's On and Bake Sale!



Mulberry UMW is proud to announce our 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Soup's On and Bake Sale Mission Fundraiser.

# Sunday, November 8

immediately following the 11:00 am worship service in the Fellowship H all.

Please come and bring a friend! (Donations of baked goods are appreciated.)

All profits go to our UMW missions (M acon Outreach, M ethodist H ome, Cambodia M ission &

Mulberry Mission Teams).



Tuesday, N ovember 24, 20 15 7:0 0 pm M ulberry Street U M C

<u>Bite Sized Desserts Needed!</u> Lemon squares, pecan sandies, brownies, wedding cookies...please bring your favorite

wedding cookies...please bring your favorite dessert to share after the Interfaith worship service. Desserts may be brought to the church kitchen on Monday & Tuesday, November 23 & 24. Call Betsy Abbott, 745-8601 if you have questions.





Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries



# Kid's Mystery Trip Friday, November 6 5:00-9:30 pm

Grades 1-6 welcome (younger with parents) Cost: \$12 or supplies for shoebox Must RSVP to Pam by November 4.

# **Operation Christmas Child**

(Shoebox supplies) Due November 6

Send small items to fill child's Christmas box. We will stuff during Sunday School on November 8.



December 5 9:00 am - 1:30 pm Kids ages 3-10 Cost: \$15

Ornament making, Advent Devotion, Games, Singing, Lunch, Holiday movie

RSVP by December 2 - Space is limit ed!



### Free Seminar

1-2-3 Magic for Christian Parents Tuesday, October 27 5:00-7:00 pm - Fellowship Hall

This free seminar is hosted by the Children's Center at Mulberry. It offers ways to help your family navigate through the everyday ups and downs of parenting. Through this seminar, Dr. Beers will show how using 1-2-3 Magic can help your family do just that! So whether you have a school-age child, teenager, "threenager", "terrible-two", or even if you are just starting out, this seminar offers a little something for everyone.

Seating is limited and reservations are required.

Contact: Er in 478-745-8621or email her at mulber rychild@gmail.com (Dinner and childcare will be provided.)

# **Circle Meetings**

# Esther Circle

Esther Circle will meet Thursday, November 5, at 12:00 pm in the Parlor.

# Grace Circle

Grace Circle will meet on Thursday, November 5, at 6:30 pm at the home of Carol Head.



# If you'd like to volunteer at Macon Outreach please call Robin or Debbie at 478-743-8026

or email dtowson@mulberrymethodist.org

# <u>D AYB R</u> E AK

There is a bucket in the atrium to receive donations to Daybreak. Supplies Needed:

Paper Towels Bathroom Tissue Spray Deodorant Disinfectant/deodorizing Spray (Lysol) Baking Soda Men's Crew Socks Disposable Razors



# **Operation Christmas Child**

Operation Christmas Child boxes are due the first week of November. Please bring your filled shoe boxes to Mulberry by November 4th. They can be left in the Atrium or taken up to the office. Thank you so much for your active participation in this ministry! I'm so proud of Mulberry.

Please call Marilyn Armstrong, 478-335-8363, or email her at marilynar@cox.net if you have any questions or concerns.

# **Budget Report 2015**

### **Endowment** Revenue Month Revenue Expense Net 65,946 96,592 (30,646)(30,646)Jan Feb 105,627 (22,462)83,166 Mar 102,146 113,483 (11,337)6,000 (5.337)Apr 86,112 107,031 (20,919)6,000 (14,919)May 98,658 99,700 (1.042)6,000 4,958 74,263 113,841 (39,578)Jun 6,000 (33,578)80,661 104,878 (24,217)6,000 (18.217)Jul 97,141 106,791 (9.650)6.000 Aug (3.650)96,572 (24,403)6,000 (18.403)120,975 **Total YTD** 784,664 968,918 (184, 255)42,000 (142,255)



# **Thursday November 12**

12 Noon - Fellowship Hall - \$6.00 You are invited to gather for the November 12<sup>th</sup> Young at Heart at noon for a luncheon and program on Biblical Thanksgiving. Thankful pastor Rev. Tommy Perkins who will have recently returned from a Continuing Education and Spiritual Renewal leave will be leading us in a program on the Thanksgiving Psalms from our Biblical book of prayer.

Call the church office 745-8601 for reservations by Monday, November 9. All are invited! Please invite guests!

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# **NEWSLETTER PUBLISHED WEEKLY**

Our 11 a.m. service is broadcast live over Radio Station AM 940 WMAC.



Rev. Jimmy Towson (538-9067) Rev. Bill Culpepper (803-673-7860)

# This Week at Mulberry

Sunday, November 1

9:00 am Worship/Chapel 9:40 am KIDSPRAISE 9:45 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary 5:00 pm Confirmation Class 5:00 pm Anchored

# Tuesday, November 3

8:30 am Prayer Group/Prayer Rm 10:30 am Staff Meeting/Conf Rm 12:00 pm Kiwanis/F-Hall 7:00 pm Young Adult Bible Study

### Wednesday, November 4

9:15 am CCM Chapel 10:30 am M/O Worship 12:30 pm Centering Prayer 4:30 pm UMW Board Mtg/Conf Rm 5:30 pm Wednesday Night Supper 6:15 pm Children's Choirs 6:15 pm Youth Fellowship 7:15 pm Ainsworth Choir

### Thursday, November 5

9:30 am Circle of Friends Sewing Group/Rm 232 12:00 pm Esther Circle/Parlor 6:30 pm Grace Circle

# Friday, November 6

5:30 pm Wedding Rehearsal/Slocumb-Ethridge

# Saturday, November 7

6:00 pm Wedding/Slocumb-Ethridge

# Sunday, November 8

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In memory of C. Lane Lovein by Mrs. Margaret S. Lovein In memory of Frank Edwards by Mr. & Mrs. Charles R. Wallace



In honor of Becky Donovan by Mr. Harold Downs

# M acon Outreach F und

In honor of Johnny Hathcock (Johnny's Helping Hands)

Jimmy & Jean Weatherford Hannah Greene Hank & Lori Martin Jeff & Delia Bridges Bill & Norma Tucker Tim & Melissa Anderson Ed & Lenore Sell Betty Hurdle Waverly & Beth Golson Yetta Price Shannon Fickling Ray & Carolyn Dominy

# In memory of Marie Harris by

William & Gloria Orr Larry & Janice Walker Bryan & Nelle Persons Wimberly & Marc Treadwell Dr. & Mrs. N. Tyrus Ivey Lanier & Nancy Anderson Angels at Home

In honor of Jim & Betsy Abbott's Anniversary by Nina Yeomans In memory of Jo Henry Baker by

Mr. Toby Howe Jamie Cockfield

In memory of Jeffrey Peterson by Eddie & Marci Whitten In memory of Lillian Mahone by Dr. & Mrs. Edsel D. Davis In memory of Elizabeth Preuit Johnson by Jamie Cockfield In memory of Jim Thomas by Lawrence W. Drinkard

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Doris Andrews, Church Cook/Custodian

Custodians Clifton Carswell Jeffrev Smith