



MULBERRY STREET UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 6, 2016

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This coming Sunday, **November 6**, 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.

Marie F. Williams
November 17, 2015

Joseph C. League
February 22, 2016

Brooks Peterson
May 25, 2016

Hazel Couch
November 27, 2015

Janet Collins
March 17, 2016

Sylvia Dorsey
June 14, 2016

Cindy Bateman
December 5, 2015

Anna Collier
March 24, 2016

Ernest L. Penley
August 17, 2016

Charles W. “Buck” Shepard
December 25, 2015

Nina Yeomans
April 12, 2016

James R. Huffman
August 29, 2016

William Daniel Day, Jr.
February 15, 2016

Margaret Long
May 5, 2016

Troy Thomason
October 5, 2016

William Eugene “Bill” Roberts
February 18, 2016

Jimmy

Sunday Worship

November 6, 2016

9:00 am Chapel

10:00 am NewRoom/Library Ballroom

11:00 am Sanctuary

"A Rich Inheritance"

Ephesians 1:11-19a (NLT)

Rev. Jimmy Towson



Assisting with Worship

Nine O'clock Ushers

Bill Jackson/Clay Washburn

Eleven O'clock Ushers

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

Lindsey Culpepper (2K/3K)

David & Shannon Morris (4K/5K)



*Altar
Flowers*



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

Why Not Mulberry? Pledge Report

Pledge Year	Total Amount	Number of Pledges
2016	\$921,494	202
2017	\$569,692	124
Difference	(\$351,802)	(78)

Attendance Last Week

Nursery	21
Nine O'clock Worship	31
NewRoom Worship	40
Eleven O'clock Worship	216
Total Worship Attendance	308

MUSIC News

Cam Bishop, Director of Music/Organist

Children's Choirs

We only have four rehearsals left to learn our Christmas music for the annual Plum Pudding Festival. Thanks in advance, parents, for having your child at all of these very important rehearsals. The Plum Pudding Festival is December 4.



**Remember!
Time Changes
This Sunday!
Turn your clocks back.**

Green Space Interest Meeting

Sunday, November 6,

12:15-1:15 pm

Fellowship Hall

Light snacks and child care provided

All Mulberry members are invited to a one-hour meeting to discuss the possibility of a renovation creating an open green space between the Children's Center playground out toward New Street. The meeting will be facilitated by Heather Evans with Pam Johnston, Seth Bush, Clare Rauls and others from Children's Ministries present to share some of our ideas. We welcome those with questions, ideas, dreams and curiosity to attend! Please come help us explore what could be a wonderful way to grow our church.



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Love, Care and Share around the Table

November 9

Program:

**"Uncle Sam" Lamback
Veterans Day Celebration**

Menu: Fried Chicken



Rev. Bill Culpepper, Associate Pastor for Youth Ministries

Anchored

Sundays - 5:00 pm

Wednesdays

Youth Fellowship - 6:15 pm



Wow! What a turnout!

Over 200 boxes were prepared on Sunday!

Thank you everyone!

If you have a finished box at home that you want included in our delivery, bring it to the church by next Sunday!

Thank you again!



Worship Guild

The Communion Ministry of Mulberry's Worship Guild prepares for the celebration of Holy Communion. This is a wonderful opportunity to serve. If you are looking for a "quiet" way to serve God and Mulberry, there is a place for you in the Communion Ministry. Please contact Worship Guild Chair, Carol Head for details [478-731-5860](tel:478-731-5860) or carolc.head@gmail.com.

SOUP'S ON

NOVEMBER 13

12:00 Noon - Fellowship Hall

Once again the Mulberry United Methodist Women will hold their Fall Fund Raising event, SOUP'S ON. For one donation at the door you will be able to sample all kinds of soup. Last year we had 19 different kinds! Then, you can stock up on goodies for the holidays from the Baked Sale. Thanks to your generous donations, we will be able to disburse money to Mulberry UMW mission projects, like Macon Outreach, Mary Grace Rumford, Daybreak, Wesley Glen and others, in December.

SPECIAL INVITATION TO 9:00 and 10:00 congregations

We will begin serving at noon.

Please join us for SOUP'S ON!

One further note: The UMW would appreciate any soup or baked goods made by others in the congregation to add to the occasion.

Just bring them to church on November 13 between 10:00 and 11:00. Thank you!

Paula Motes Circle

The Paula Motes Circle will meet
Wednesday, November 9 at 4:00 pm
in the Conference Room.



Memorial Fund

In memory of Nina Yeomans by Ms. Lil Cross



Pam Johnston, Director of Children & Family Ministries

Christmas CAMP

Saturday, December 3
9:00 am - 1:30 pm
Ages 3-11

Cost: \$15 (includes lunch)

Limited space - RSVP required by November 30.

Upcoming Events

Plum Pudding Festival - December 4 - 5:00 pm

Children's Nativity - December 18

Family Christmas Eve Communion - December 24



Budget Report 2016

Month	Gifts and Other Revenue	Endowment 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)
Jul	76,558.00	22,233.00	116,185.00	(17,394.00)
Aug	66,768.00	29,345.00	133,088.00	(36,975.00)
Sep	71,368.00	25,394.00	132,227.00	(35,465.00)
Total YTD	484,582.00	124,965.00	682,234.00	(162,522.00)

Interfaith Thanksgiving Service



Tuesday, November 22
7:00 pm

Temple Beth Israel
Rev. Jimmy Towson, preaching



Canned Green Beans
Cereal
Canned Mixed Vegetables (no Corn)
Oatmeal in Individual Packets



CLOTHING CLOSET NEEDS

Men's pants and jeans, size 28-36
Men's knit shirts, polo style



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

Supplies Needed:

coffee, creamer, sugar, cereal, Quick grits, oatmeal, detergent, baking soda, bleach, spray deodorant, disposable razors, body wash, paper towels, toilet paper, disinfectant spray

Mulberry Community Garden



Volunteer Gardeners

Mondays in the Garden - 9:00 am - Noon

Thursdays in the Garden - 9:00 am - Noon & 3:00-5:00 pm

Questions? Call Jack Head 719-7455



Mission Opportunity

Domestic G2G4

(Generation 2 Generation)

A Mulberry Intergenerational Mission Trip

January 13-16, 2017

Hinton Rural Center, Hayesville, NC

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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, November 6

9:00 am Worship/Chapel
9:30 Blue Room Kids
9:45 am Sunday School
10:00 am NewRoom Worship/Library Ballroom
11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary
5:00 pm Anchored

Monday, November 7

5:30-9:00pm Rutter Requiem Rehearsal/Sanctuary

Tuesday, November 8

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

Wednesday, November 9

9:15 am CCM Chapel
10:30 am M/O Worship/Chapel
4:00 pm Paula Motes Circle/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 10

9:30 am Circle of Friends Sewing Group/Rm 232
10:00 am – 2:00 pm RIM Mtg/Rm 323
12:00 pm Young at Heart Luncheon/F-Hall
5:00-9:30 pm Rutter Requiem Rehearsal/Sanctuary

Friday, November 11

7:00 pm Piano Concert/Thomas Pandolfie, Piano/Sanctuary

Sunday, November 13

9:00 am Worship/Chapel
9:30 Blue Room Kids
9:45 am Sunday School
10:00 am NewRoom Worship/Library Ballroom
11:00 am Worship/Sanctuary
12:00 pm UMW Soup's On/F-Hall
4:00 pm Rutter Requiem/Choral Society & Mercer Singers/Sanctuary
5:00 pm Anchored



A November Advent Study of Down to Earth by Mike Slaughter and Rachel Billups

Tuesday evenings November 1st-November 29th

A November Advent study? That's right! If the world will rush the commercial Christmas season before Halloween, why should we as the Church not anticipate the down-to-earth love, humility, and holiness of our liturgical seasons of Advent and Christmastide? You are invited on all five Tuesday evenings of November from 5:00-6:00 pm to the cellar of Just Tap'd at the corner of Poplar and 1st Streets starting All Saints Day (November 1) and ending November 29th for Pastor Mike Slaughter's latest Advent reflection.

Time and Place: 5:00-6:00 pm in the cellar/basement of Just Tap'd in downtown Macon.

Book: Mike Slaughter and Rachel Billups' *Down to Earth: The Hopes and Fears of All the Years Are Met in Thee Tonight*. Order your own book or ecopy and bring on the November 1st ISBN: 9781501823398

Facilitator: Rev. Tommy Perkins



Piano Concert at Mulberry Street UMC

Thomas Pandolfie, Piano
November 11 at 7 PM

No Charge - Donations will benefit Navicent Health Children's Hospital

Thomas Pandolfie is an exciting virtuoso who performs for audiences worldwide and is showered with superlatives about his passionate artistry and amazing technique. A graduate of The Juilliard School, Pandolfie earned both his Bachelor's and Master's as a scholarship student. Read more about him at thomaspandolfie.com and make plans to attend this exciting concert that will honor our veterans and benefit our own Children's Hospital.

Rutter Requiem presented by Choral Society/Mercer Singers

Sunday, November 13 at 4 PM
Mulberry Street UMC

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