

Servant Leaders

Acolyte

Josh Reilly

Crucifer Carrier

John Reilly

Greeters

Beth Weldy

AV Technician & Sound Engineering

Meredith Baker & HR Monroe

Presentation Team

Kristopher Fournier, Ed Heyer, Catherine Simpson

Ushers

Sandra Crowe, Brenda Danas, Diane Roberts, Walter Trotter

Terry Wullschleger

The flowers placed at the cross in the sanctuary are in celebration of Roy & Vera Evans' 5th wedding anniversary

Bethany Safe Sanctuary

Bethany UMC is committed to the safety of our children and vulnerable adults who are an integral part in the life of the church. As a result, a *Safe Sanctuary* program has been developed and implemented.

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Rev. Dr. Terry Walton, District Superintendent

Sue Hauptert-Johnson, Resident Bishop

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Welcome to Bethany!

If you are visiting for the first time, we are delighted you are here. To show our appreciation for your presence, we have a gift for you! Please see a greeter at the front entry of the church (Narthex) for your gift. We are blessed by your presence. Bethany is pleased to offer childcare for members and friends. This service is available at both services for children up to five years old. Please see an usher if you wish take advantage of this ministry.

Traditional Worship—June 9, 2019

Welcome & Opportunities to Connect

Mary Jane Higman

PLEASE COMPLETE THE COMMUNICATIONS CARD AND DROP IT IN OFFERING PLATE.

Greeting Your Neighbors

Mary Jane Higman

Prelude

Call to Worship

Opening Hymn

Love Divine, All Loves Excelling

#384

***Affirmation of Faith**

Apostles' Creed, Traditional Version

#881

***Gloria Patri**

#71

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. Pam McCurdy

Lord's Prayer

Children's Moment

Mary Jane Higman

Hymn

Spirit of Faith, Come Down

#332

Reception of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory Prayer

Mary Jane Higman

Offertory

***Doxology**

#95

Anthem

Scripture Reading

Acts 2: 1-21

Rev. Pam McCurdy

Sermon

"Good Things Come To Those Who Wait"

Rev. Pam McCurdy

Closing Hymn

In Christ, There Is No East or West

#548

***Benediction**

Rev. Pam McCurdy

***Benediction Response**

The Lord Bless You and Keep You

Postlude

**Congregation, please stand as able*

Thank You—Dear Bethany UMC, Thank you so much for the Amazon gift card. It will come in handy as I get ready to go to college. I appreciate the thoughts and prayers as I graduate high school and start college at Georgia College. Thank you for being a wonderful church home all of my life. Love, *Claire Vance*

BETHANY METHODIST MEN'S STEAK DINNER

All men are invited to The Methodist Men's Steak Dinner on Monday June 17th at 7pm in Lacy Hall. The cost is only \$10. It includes a steak, green beans, a potato, tea and dessert. See Ron Johns, Wayne Human, David Young or Jim Westbrook's for a ticket. Reservations required-so we can cook your steak how you like it !!!

40th Annual Pig-Nic

Hosted by Garth Davison Sunday School Class

Sunday, June 23

Serving at 11am & 12Noon

Reservations forms will be in worship bulletin

Cost: Adults \$8 / Children under 12 \$5

MUST Items—The following items are needed at the Smyrna MUST pantry: beef stew, canned chicken, ham or salmon, ramen noodles, canned pork & beans, canned fruit (*pineapple or mandarin oranges - no snack sizes, please*), spaghetti noodles, dry potatoes, pinto beans, chili beans, canned carrots, canned spinach, kidney beans, canned peas, chunky soups, tomato paste, tea, juice boxes. Your donations are greatly appreciated. Volunteers are also needed!

Operation Shoebox—Stateside



We are still accepting donations for our shoebox mission project for the children that reside in the Cedar Mobile Home Community. We have only collected a little over \$300 and we need at least \$2,000 in order to meet our goal of providing 75 shoeboxes filled with school supplies and toiletries.

Time is fast approaching. We want to be able to distribute the boxes to the children during our Outreach VBS the week of July 8. Please, please help us meet our goal. This is another great community mission project that you can be a part of.

We will purchase the items for the boxes, we just ask that you donate at least \$25 toward this cause. If you have visited this community with us, you are aware of the need. If you have not, join us the week of July 8. In the meantime, please help us bless this community. Please mark your checks "shoeboxes". Thanks in advance for your help.

The ANNUAL CONFERENCE *Special Offering*

Each year the Bishop chooses an organization to receive a special Annual Conference Offering. This year Bishop Sue has chosen the Pastoral Care Program at Wesley Woods. The pastoral care team includes seven on-site chaplains serving across all 10 Wesley Woods communities. Chaplains provide a ministry of presence, pastoral counseling, Bible study, grief support, and worship, including the sacraments. They visit residents in their homes and in the hospital. They pray with older adults during times of struggle and give thanks in times of joy. With your prayers and giving Wesley Woods will be able to build and sustain this ministry for the older adults they serve.

Please give generously over the next few weeks. Make your checks payable to Bethany UMC and put "Bishop's Offering" in the memo line. We will take a check to Annual Conference from Bethany. Thank you for helping older adults age with grace.