

Prayer List

Prayers for: Pray for our church and her future, Harvey Hendrix, Bennett (Mary & AJ McConnells foster child), Gregg Heath, Mary Jane Denny Goodson, Rosemary Muse, Jerry Farmer (friend of Frank & Ann Satterfield), Mike Crawford (Laura Richard's cousin), Barbara Cheek (Denise Brown's mother), Carmen & Jimmy Pope, Sally Arnett (Wil Arnett's mother), Linda Aitken, Lee Powell, Dick Phelan (Mark Parkman's father in law), Mary Jo Brooks, Robin Davis, Buddy Farmer (Charlotte Shackelford's brother), Bill Griffin (Cheryl Childer's brother), Samantha Hesler, (friend of Ann Satterfield), Ted & Brenda McMillan (friends of Wil & Cathy Arnett), Laura Hutchison (friend of Wil & Cathy Arnett), June Sorrells, Shaun Maddox, Linda McCormick, Shields Upchurch, Catherine Maier, Susan Hall (Melanie's sister-in-law), Alice Shalk (friend of Harry Preston), Jackie Quinn (Susan Smith's sister in law), Jacqueline Roberts, Cindy Sears, Cason Poss (Paula Swinson's nephew), Ann Cummings (Linda McCormick's mother), Joan Nesbitt, Jackie Ward, Jo McGuire (Jerry Eady's sister), Glenda Banks, Beverly Parkman, John Trawick, Kevin Ayers, George Archibald, Joe Kroll, Hal Hall, Jackie Todd, Jenelle Smith, Greg Lavendar, David Parkman,

Please notify the church office of any changes.

Please notify the prayer team, church office, or any of the pastors of any changes or updates. Copies of the master prayer list, with ongoing concerns, are available on the tables outside the sanctuary and church office.



Our Methodist Mission: Making Disciples of Jesus Christ

For the transformation of the world. (Matt. 28:19)

September 17, 2023 9 & 11 a.m. Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost



Some of our local mission partners are running low on diapers. Let's help Open Hands, Pregnancy Resource Center, and DFCS restock their closets! Diapers and baby wipes can be dropped off in the library or at the back of the sanctuary. The deadline is World Communion Sunday, Oct. 1st.

Items most needed:

- Diapers in sizes 3, 4, 5, and 6
- Pull-ups in all sizes
- Baby wipes

Ministry Staff.

Call on us if we can serve you in any way! 770-832-7069

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The Vision of First United Methodist of Carrollton:

A congregation in which anyone and everyone can

Connect with Christ ~

Grow in Faith ~ and

Serve ~ more and more fully in the Spirit of Jesus

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Order of Worship

September 17, 2023 • Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering Music	<i>In Thee is Gladness (Manz)</i>	Tony Childers
Welcome		Dr. Brown
Chiming of the Hour		
✠Call to Worship #791	Psalm 67	
✠Processional Hymn #154	<i>All Hail the Power Of Jesus' Name</i>	
✠Affirmation of Faith, #881	Apostle's Creed	
✠Gloria Patri #71		
✠Passing of the Peace		
Children's Moment		
<i>(Children ages 7 and under are invited to the Big Room) (11:00)</i>		
Anthem	<i>9-Tony Childers & Jessica Simmerson</i>	
	<i>Santo, Santo, Santo</i>	11-Chancel Choir
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer		Rev. Stephens
Offertory Hymn #561	<i>Jesus, United by Thy Grace</i>	
Offertory Prayer		Dr. Brown
Offertory	<i>Love Lifted Me</i>	Tony & Cheryl Childers
✠Doxology #95	<i>Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	
✠Gospel Lesson	Matthew 15:10-18	
Leader:	The word of God for the people of God.	
All:	Thanks be to God.	
Message	"What's in Your Heart"	Dr. Brown
✠Hymn of Response #383	<i>This Is a Day of New Beginnings</i>	
✠Benediction		
✠Choral Response	<i>May the Road Rise to Meet You (11)</i>	Chancel Choir
✠Postlude	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty (Walther)</i>	Tony Childers

✠ Congregation standing as you are able



All in One QR Code

Scan the QR code to record your attendance, send a prayer request, sign up for text messages from the church, make reservations for supper, and give online.

Network: Cfumc-guest password: Cfumc#206

Monday – September 18 – 5:30 PM – Room 206 The SPRC will meet for the annual review of our appointed Clergy. You are invited to contact the members of SPRC with your comments, questions, observations. Additionally, you are invited to attend the meeting on Monday, September 18 @ 5:30 in room 206 and participate in the review process with the SPRC Team.

Tuesday – September 19 – Administrative Board Meeting 6:30 In the Sanctuary – ALL are Invited, Welcomed and Encouraged to attend. The purpose of the meeting is for the "Disaffiliating Church" to plan how to move forward as a non-UMC church. (All plans, are subject to the ratification for disaffiliation by the NGUMC at the Special Called Meeting of the Annual Conference scheduled for Saturday, November 18 @ 10 AM in the Classic Center, Athens, GA)

Wednesday, September 20 – Midweek Fellowship Dinner – ALL are invited - Reservations are required. Come join the fun, food and fellowship. There will be a time during the Fellowship Meal for you to ask questions about the plans for the STAY UMC - New Church/Fresh Expression of UMC in Carrollton and the West Georgia Area.

Sunday, September 24 – 6:00 PM – There will be a STAY UMC/#BeUMC gathering in the Fellowship Hall to meet with Dr. Richard Hunter, the Associate Director of Congregational Excellence for the NGUMC. We will gather to learn more about Intentional Strategic Conversations and continue to give prayerful consideration of the core values, missional focus and critical culture that will shape and inform a New Expression of United Methodism in Carrollton and the West Georgia area. ALL are Invited, ALL are Welcome. Come and join the conversation with the "12 TON TEAM", Dr. Hunter and you! Invite a Friend, Neighbor or curious bystander to come and ask questions, offer input and help discern and discover God's perfect path for a new expression of Methodism in our lives and witness in our community.

LOOKING AHEAD – SUNDAY OCTOBER 1 – WORLD COMMUNION SUNDAY – One Worship Service at 11 AM in the Sanctuary of Carrollton First UMC. Dr. Edward Landrum from Moore's Chapel UMC will be the guest preacher for the day! DINNER IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL AFTER WORSHIP –EVERYONE IS INVITED to Bring a Dessert to Share!

Fellowship Supper September 20

Ham, scalloped potatoes, green beans, rolls & chocolate cake. Reservation required: Deadline Monday, September 18 (**New Price:** \$7 per person, no max, children 5 and under free). Tear off form below, use the QR code in the bulletin, call or email the office.

World Communion Lunch October 1

Poppy seed chicken, rice, carrots, rolls . **Bring a dessert to share.** Reservation required, deadline is Thursday, September 28. Tear off form below, use the QR code in the bulletin, call or email the office

Name: _____

of adults: _____ Children: _____

Check the box/boxes below for the event you want to attend.

September 20

October 1