

# The Order of Worship

## Holy Communion Service

8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. -- February 5, 2012

- Prelude  
Chiming of the Trinity  
Welcome and Registration of Attendance ..... *Rev. Randy Kanipe*  
Announcements ..... *Rev. Anne Hansen*
- \* Passing of the Peace
  - \* Congregational Hymn of Praise No. 73  
*O Worship the King*
  - \* Apostles' Creed No. 881 ..... *Congregation*
  - \* Gloria Patri (8:45)  
Morning Prayer  
Dismissal of Children (11:00; ages 4-1<sup>st</sup> Grade)
  - \* Congregational Hymn of Preparation No. 382  
*Have Thine Own Way, Lord*
- Scripture and Sermon  
*Mark 1:29-39*  
*Gathering at the Door of Grace*
- Sacrament of Holy Communion  
The Invitation ..... *Page 12*  
The Confession and Pardon  
The Offertory  
*Softly and Tenderly*
- \* The Doxology No. 95  
The Great Thanksgiving ..... *Page 13*
- The Lord's Prayer  
The Giving of the Bread and Cup
- \* Congregational Hymn of Commitment No. 407  
*Close to Thee*
  - \* Dismissal with Blessing
- Postlude

\* *The Congregation will please stand as they are able.*

**Welcome Friends** -- We are glad that you have chosen to worship here today. We pray that you will receive God's blessing and that you will worship with us again. If you are seeking a church home, we hope that you will consider this congregation. Please call on us if we can help you in any way.

### Committee meetings this week:

**Nominations Committee**, today, 12:30 p.m., Room 101  
**Finance Committee**, Tuesday, February 7, 7:00 p.m., Room 108  
**Worship Committee**, Thursday, February 9, 6:30 p.m., Room 101

### Announcements:

All offerings left on the communion altar rail will be given to ACTS (Area Churches Together Serving) to be used for the food pantry. Thank you for your support of this local mission.

In observance of iSouper Bowl Sunday, the youth will be stationed at each exit door at the close of both worship services to collect donations in soup pots. These donations will be given to Our Daily Bread, a kitchen ministry of Oconee Street UMC, to assist with their daily meal program.

To further their celebration of Souper Bowl Sunday, the youth will meet in Grace Hall at noon for lunch and then they'll package and deliver homemade soup to several of our less mobile friends of the church. Many thanks to our youth for representing WFUMC in this mission project.

The ANGELS Circle and the Laura O'Bryant Circle of the United Methodist Women will meet, respectively, on Monday, February 6, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Alice Jones and on Tuesday, February 7, at 10:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. All ladies of the church are invited to join either or both groups.

Companions in Christ Bible Study will begin on Tuesday, February 7, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Rusty and Becky Wilkes. If you missed the orientation, you may still join the class if you'd like. Please call the church office for more information.

Our Confirmation Kick-Off Service is Wednesday, February 8, at 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. The service will last about 30 minutes, and all confirmands, families, and mentors should attend. Immediately following the service, all confirmands are invited to join the youth in our Gathering Room for a time of fellowship and sharing from other youth who have already been through confirmation. (This reception is not required but is recommended for confirmands and will end at 8:00.) If your family would like to have supper before the Kick-Off, please be sure to make a reservation.

We need a food coordinator for IHN. If you are interested, please see or call Dick Adams.

# WATKINSVILLE FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

*Sharing the Love, Spreading the Joy*

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February 5, 2012  
5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after the Epiphany



**1331 New High Shoals Road  
Watkinsville, Georgia 30677**



### The Congregation: Ministers

#### ---- The Church Staff ----

Rev. Randy Kanipe, Pastor

Rev. Anne Hansen, Minister  
of Christian Formation

Jerry Kiser, Lay Leader

Jessica Fore,

Contemporary Worship Leader

Nikki Hobus, Youth Minister

Chris Argo, Minister of Music

Carol White, Organist

Ian Johnson, Pianist

Kathy Peacock,

Administrative Assistant

Cheri Skinner, Financial Clerk

Andy White, Maintenance

Martha Jo Collins, Nursery

Loretta Bridges, Nursery

Kay Benton, Custodian

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[www.watkumc.org](http://www.watkumc.org)

### Today's Calendar

12:00 n Lam[b]inin Youth

12:30 pm Nominations Committee Mtg.

3:00 pm KKC Instructors Training

5:30 pm Handbell Practice

5:30 pm Karate Kids for Christ (ages 5-8)

6:00 pm Karate Kids for Christ (ages 9-12)

#### Monday, February 6

6:00 pm Pack 80 Blue & Gold Banquet

7:00 pm AA Women's Group

7:00 pm ANGELS Circle of UMW

7:00 pm Band of Brothers

#### Tuesday, February 7

10:00 am Laura O'Bryant Circle of UMW

1:30 pm Al-Anon

7:00 pm Companions in Christ at  
the Wilkes' home

7:00 pm Finance Committee Meeting

7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous

7:00 pm Band of Spiritual Sisters

#### Wednesday, February 8

1:00 pm Staff Meeting

5:30 pm Wonderful Wednesday

6:00 pm Fellowship Supper

6:30 pm Karate Kids for Christ (ages 5-8)

6:45 pm Confirmation Kickoff

6:45 pm Youth Bible Study

7:00 pm Chancel Choir

7:00 pm Christian Parenting Class

7:00 pm Karate Kids for Christ (ages 9-12)

#### Thursday, February 9

6:00 pm New Worship Service Planning

6:30 pm Worship Committee

#### Friday, February 10

5:30 pm NE Georgia Umpires Clinic

7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous

#### Saturday, February 11

9:00 am Athens School of Ministry Class:  
*King of the Jews*

9:00 am ASMWA Student Open House

1:00 pm Al Anon District Workshop

6:30 pm Valentine's Dinner & Dance

#### Sunday, February 12

8:45/11:00 Worship Service

9:45 am Coffee, Fellowship

10:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Bible Blast Adventure

11:00 am Treats for Potter's House

12:00 n Confirmation Class

3:00 pm KKC Instructors Training

5:15 pm Lam[b]inin Youth

5:30 pm Handbell Practice

6:30 pm Karate Kids for Christ (ages 5-8)

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**WE WILL BE LOYAL TO THE CHURCH WITH  
OUR PRAYERS**

**Prayers for**

Those in Alabama and Texas affected by the recent tornadoes  
 Collin Parker Ripple, newborn great grandson of Josie McCampbell's sister,  
     born with heart defect  
     Katie McCampbell, recovering from car accident  
 Nancy Turnbull and family, upon the loss of her mother, Ruth Nutt  
 Sara Joyce Jackson, Anne Hansen's grandmother, auto accident  
     Connie Moore, friend of Bill & Lynne Yarbrough, cancer  
 Wanda Snell and her parents, Mr. & Mrs. LeFevers, prayer support  
 Mitchell Vandiver, Clyde & Eleanor Brannen's nephew, recovering from surgery  
 Betty & Bill Turner, Eleanor Brannen's sister and brother in law, prayer support for Bill's surgery  
 Garry White, Wilson & Louise White's son, recovering from surgery  
     Tom & Mary Owen, friends of Paul Boykin, car accident  
 Karl Kemmerlin, Tim & Kitty Collins' nephew, cancer of the eye  
 Norma Soni, friend of co-worker of Tricia Barnhart, cancer  
     Alan Alexander, recovering from surgery  
 Avery Garrison, Jean Anderson's uncle, cancer  
     Jean Robinson, cancer  
     Harry McCampbell, prayer support  
     Dick Adams, prayer support  
     Ralph Potts, prayer support  
 Thomas Carter, John & Nancy McKissick's brother-in-law, cancer  
     Helen Jones, prayer support  
 Ariel Gandy, Anne Hansen's niece, hospice care  
     Michael Boucher, wounded in Afghanistan  
     Bert Boykin, Paul Boykin's brother, cancer  
     Gene Veal, cancer  
     Tom Strickland, cancer  
 Our shut-in friends and family

**OUR PRESENCE - Sunday, January 29**

<b>Worship Attendance:</b>	<b>Sunday School Attendance:</b>
8:45 am Service -- 126	Adults -- 106
11:00 am Service -- 156	Children -- 24 Youth -- 10

**OUR GIFTS**

<b>Budget Needs for February:</b>	\$ 48,615.48
<b>Received in January:</b>	\$ 46,049.80
<b>Building Fund Report:</b> 2012 Giving	\$ 9,430.00
<b>Apportionments Report:</b> 1/12 of Apportionments	\$ 5,316.58
Remitted in January	\$ 6,328.42

**AND OUR SERVICE**

Pastor .....	Rev. Randy Kanipe
Lay Leader .....	Jerry Kiser
Minister of Christian Formation .....	Rev. Anne Hansen
Youth Minister .....	Nikki Hobus
Minister of Music .....	Chris Argo
Contemporary Worship Leaders .....	Jessica Fore
Organist .....	Carol White
Pianist .....	Ian Johnson
Ushers .....	8:45 am - Reiny Hiss, Jon Hobus, Roy Printup, Scott Veale 11 am - Barry Broyles, Randy Holliday, Bob White
Acolytes .....	8:45 am - Matthew Gaines; 11 am - Thomas Morneault

**Wednesday Fellowship Supper menu for February 8**

*Seven bean ham soup, salad, cornbread, desserts*

**Kid's menu:** Hotdogs

**Set up / Clean up:** Seekers Sunday School Classroom

*Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or terrified ..., for the LORD your God goes with you; He will never leave you nor forsake you.î*

Deuteronomy 31:6

Please use the reservation cards located in the pew pockets or notify the church office by noon on Monday if you would like to attend.

Prices: Adults/teens - \$5.00; Children -- \$3.00; Family -- \$15.00

## Additional Announcements -- February 5, 2012

Local clinical psychologist and author, Dr. Jon Robinson, will be offering an eight-week class from his new book, *Teachable Moments: The Building Blocks of Christian Parenting*. An informational meeting will be held in room 113 on Wednesday, February 8, from 7:00-8:00 p.m. All are welcome and encouraged to come see if this will be a good fit for you and your family.

Want a romantic night out for Valentine's Day? Reservations are now being taken for dinner and dancing in Grace Hall on Saturday, February 11, at 6:30 p.m. Contact Katrina or Kenneth Farmer at 706-789-2603 or see them on Sundays in the hallway following the 8:45 or 11:00 a.m. services. Limited seating is available. There will be space for dancing if anyone should be interested. Reservations will be accepted until February 8 or until all seats are full. Menu is a choice of Fettuccine Alfredo (with or without chicken) or Spaghetti and Meatballs. Both entrees served with roasted red potatoes, breadsticks, salad bar and dessert. Cost is \$15 per person, and proceeds will be distributed between various groups and missions at WFUMC.

Most of you are familiar with the Potter's House and our church's support of it, but for those who don't know it is a resident treatment center for men suffering from substance abuse. One of our ministries to the residents there is to collect and deliver sweet treats on the Sunday closest to Valentine's Day. This year, we'll deliver our treats on February 12. If you would like to participate, you may bake or buy your desserts/treats. Please bring your treats to the old fellowship hall prior to the 11:00 worship service on February 12. Be sure to use disposable containers and clearly mark your items "Potter's House".

Confirmation classes begin on Sunday, February 12, at noon, in Grace Hall.

The Children's Council would like to offer Children's Church during the 8:45 a.m. worship service. We need volunteers to go with the children and teach them. We have curriculum to guide you in teaching. The lessons are easy and designed for young children. If you are interested in supporting this program or would like more information, please contact Anne Hansen.

Randy would like to invite you to a six-week study for the Season of Lent that will meet on Tuesday mornings, from 10:00 a.m. until noon, beginning on February 28. The title of the study is *Soul Work: Finding Balance in an Out of Balance World*. The book for this journey is *Three Simple Rules* by Rueben P. Job. The six topics of discussion are:

- learning to live a balanced life through spiritual discipline
- learning a new kind of prayer: praying with your eyes wide open
- the work of the Lord vs Lord of the work
- who is God and how do you know
- enjoying the divine through His creation
- keeping your marbles - tying it all together

The WFUMC Book Club is now reading *A Visit from the Goon Squad* by Jennifer Egan.

The sermon series for the Season of Lent is entitled *Jesus' Last Week*. This is a six-week observation and reflection on what Jesus went through during his last week on earth. Lessons will be taken from the Gospel of Mark and *The Last Week*, a reference source, by Marcus J. Borg and John Dominic Crossan if individuals or group would like to compliment the series with class discussions.

**Attention Youth:** Youth, don't forget to sign up and pay for SLR! Deadline for signing up is Sunday, February 19. The cost is \$110, and we will be leaving March 2 and coming back March 4. (Spiritual Life Retreat is a weekend of spiritual growth, amazing worship, tons of fellowship and fun, and delicious food at Camp Glisson.) If you have any questions, see or email Nikki at [lambinyouth@gmail.com](mailto:lambinyouth@gmail.com)

With much appreciation and gratitude to all members of the UMW who assisted in hosting the District UMW's Leadership Training/Officer Update last Saturday, in Grace Hall whether you worked in the setup on Friday night, brought food for the day, stayed for the clean-up or assisted with hospitality during the event. It was a fun and successful event. Your heartfelt dedication and many talents made it so. Special thanks to Kathy Peacock and Mindy Hogg for their support as well. Thank you all for such a worthy effort in our commitment to continuing the auspicious work of being in mission to women and children.

Sandra Darnell