

-- The Order of Worship --
May 1, 2011 8:45 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.
Youth and Graduate Sunday

Prelude

Chiming of the Trinity

Procession of 2011 Graduates

Welcome and Registration of Attendance *Rev. John Turlington*

Announcements (8:45) *Caroline Gaines*; (11:00) *Matthew Robinson*

Passing of the Peace

* Hymn of Praise No. 2022 (*The Faith We Sing* Hymnal) *Congregation*

Great Is the Lord

* Apostles' Creed No. 881 *Patrick Silcox, Congregation*

* Gloria Patri No. 70 (8:45) *Congregation*

Time with Children *WFUMC Puppet Team*

He's Got the Whole World

You Can't Get to Heaven on a Pair of Roller Skates

Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer *Bekah Kanipe*

Offertory

Papa, Can You Hear Me *Kira Pollack*

* Doxology No. 95 *Congregation*

Dismissal of Children (11:00; ages 4-1st Grade)

* Hymn of Preparation No. 402 *Congregation*

Lord, I Want to Be a Christian

Recognition of Graduates and Slide Show

Scripture Reading (8:45) *Carly Henderson*; (11:00) *Sam Teasley*

Colossians 1:15-20

Sermon *Nathan Jordan, Caitlyn Hogg, John Huff, Christopher Silcox*

In Him All Things Hold Together

Recognition of Karate Kids for Christ Graduates (11:00)

* Hymn of Commitment No. 261 *Congregation*

Lord of the Dance

* Dismissal with Blessing

Postlude

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

The Awakening -- 9:45 a.m.

Scripture Lesson: *Luke 8:22-25*

Sermon Title: *Resting in the Storm*

Rev. Randy Kanipe

Welcome Friends -- We are glad that you have chosen to worship here today. We pray that you will receive God's blessing today and that you will worship here 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:

Finance Committee, Wednesday, May 4, 7:00 p.m., Room 108

Announcements:

All ladies of the church are invited to the following Circle meetings of the United Methodist Women: The ANGELS Circle will meet on Monday, May 2, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Alice Jones and the Laura O'Bryant Circle will meet on Tuesday, May 3, at 10:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

You are reminded that May 4 is the last Wonderful Wednesday, Youth Bible Study, and Fellowship Supper for this school year. Many thanks to everyone who has helped with these activities and we look forward to working with you again in August when we resume our schedule.

Don't forget the pork barbeque on Saturday, May 7. All tickets are \$7.00 and are available from any member of United Methodist Men or from the church office. You may eat here at the church or plates will be available for take out. Please visit the Laura O'Bryant Circle's bake sale in the Fellowship Hall when you come to the barbeque.

Congratulations to the following who have completed our first Karate Kids for Christ class and will be receiving their yellow belts today: Levi Doss, Elijah Doss, Isaac Doss, Mason Archer, Matthew Archer, Sam Cannon, Jennifer Bond, Jennifer Scott, Ella Jenkins, Wyatt Bridges, Molly Meeks, Hailey Bridges, Dylan Gooch, Drew Seila, Cameron Land, Carson Burch, Garrett Burch, Tucker Cox, Mac Veale, Tom Cannon, Mairi Ridgeway, Devin Ridgeway, Bryan Holcomb, Jordan Amos, Gabe Hein, Jackson Dismuke, Ivey Meeks, Jared Brooks, and Lane Brooks. A reception for the graduates will be held at 12:30 in the Fellowship Hall.

Congratulations to these graduating high school seniors who are not pictured on the handout: Haley Byrd, Jef Fluevog, William McCampbell, Max McDonald, Alex Strickland, Michele Taras, and Brian Wallace.

WATKINSVILLE FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sharing the Love, Spreading the Joy

The Order of Worship

May 1, 2011

2nd Sunday of Easter



1331 New High Shoals Road
Watkinsville, Georgia 30677

This Week at WFUMC

Today

Youth Sunday & Graduate Recognition

- 8:00 am Graduate Breakfast
- 8:45/11:00 Worship Service
- 9:30 am Coffee, Fellowship
- 9:45/11:00 Sunday School
- 9:45 am The Awakening
- 9:45 am Bible Blast Adventure
- 11:00 am Karate Kids for Christ Graduation
- 12:00 n Confirmation Class
- 12:30 pm Karate Kids for Christ Graduation Reception
- 5:15 pm Lam[b]inin Youth

Monday, May 2

- 12:10 pm Alcoholics Anonymous
- 4:00 pm Cub Scouts - Tigers
- 6:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 80 Court of Honor
- 6:00 pm Cub Scouts - Wolves
- 6:30 pm Cub Scouts - Bears
- 6:30 pm Cub Scouts - Webloes
- 7:00 pm ANGELS Circle at Alice Jones'
- 7:00 pm Band of Brothers

Tuesday, May 3

- 10:30 am Laura O'Bryant Circle
- 1:30 pm Al-Anon
- 4:30 pm Girl Scout Bridging Friends Dinner
- 7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous
- 7:00 pm Band of Sisters

Wednesday, May 4

- 5:30 pm Wonderful Wednesday
- 6:00 pm Fellowship Supper
- 6:45 pm Youth Bible Study
- 7:00 pm Finance Committee Meeting
- 7:00 pm Chancel Choir

Thursday, May 5

Friday, May 6

- 7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous

Saturday, May 7

- 9:30 am Quilting Group
- 4:00 pm UMM Barbeque

Sunday, May 8

- 8:45/11:00 Worship Service
- 9:30 am Coffee, Fellowship
- 9:45 am Sunday School
- 9:45 am The Awakening
- 9:45 am Bible Blast Adventure

The Congregation: Ministers

---- The Church Staff ----

Rev. Randy Kanipe, Pastor
Rev. John Turlington, Minister to Youth and Young Adults
Rev. Anne Hansen, Minister of Christian Formation
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
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Additional Announcements -- May 1, 2011

Bethlehem First UMC is holding the Second Annual Athens-Elberton District's Older Adult Day of Fellowship on Thursday, May 19. Some of the day's events include a brief worship service with Dr. Gary Whetstone, District Superintendent, as the speaker followed by a variety show and lunch. All senior adults are invited. For information, please call 770-867-3727.

The WFUMC Book Club is currently reading *Menmonite in a Little Black Dress: A Memoir of Going Home* by Rhoda Janzen. They will meet on Sunday, May 22, at noon to discuss this book. Anyone who has read the book or has an interest in it is welcome to attend the discussion.

Mark your calendars and save these dates. More information about both events will be coming soon.

Memorial Day Red Cross Blood Drive — Monday, May 30, 1:00-6:00 p.m.

Vacation Bible School — June 6-10, 9:00 a.m.-noon

Youth Announcements

Final payment for airfare for the Summer Youth Mission Trip is due immediately.

We will have our regular youth meeting tonight.

*The altar flowers are presented to the Glory of God
in celebration of Wayne Fair's birthday
with love from Laura, Juanita and Jason*

Fellowship Supper Menu for Wednesday, May 4:

Spaghetti, salad, garlic bread, desserts

Set up/clean up: Youth

Please note: Reservations must be made by noon on Monday.

Prices: \$5/adults; \$3/children; \$15/maximum family price

**May 1, 2011
WE WILL BE LOYAL TO THE CHURCH WITH
OUR PRAYERS**

Prayers for Prayers of praise for our youth, our graduates, and our new friends we've met through Karate Kids for Christ those touched by the devastation of Wednesday's tornadoes The Parker Family, upon the loss of Judy's mother, Ruby Hayes The Bowmans, upon the loss of Hilda's sister, Alwayne Wood Jean Bell, St. Mary's Hospice House Cecil Hall, beginning radiation treatments Margaret Carroll Priscilla Frisbee, Peggy Sommer's mother Jackie Dickman, Kim White's mother Bob Willis CPL Tony Mullis, friend of Michael Boucher, wounded in Afghanistan Rusty Wilkes Mark and Natalie (Tucker) Holmes, recovering from motorcycle accident Ann Logan, Hilda Bowman's sister-in-law, return of cancer Martha Stewart, Becky Wilkes' mother Tom Strickland, cancer Our shut-in friends and family Our church leaders; our local and national leaders; our military The unchurched, the homeless, the poor, the hungry, the unemployed, the lame, those in prison, our brothers at the Potter's House, and those who do not know Christ as their Savior

OUR PRESENCE - Sunday, April 24

Worship Attendance:	Sunday School Attendance:
8:45 am Service -- 175	Adults -- 100
9:45 am Service -- 36	Children -- 28; Youth -- 23
11:00 am Service -- 290	

OUR GIFTS

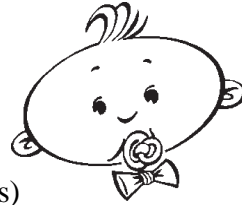
May Budget Needs:	\$ 58,681.15
Received in April:	\$ 39,350.67
Building Fund Report: April Giving	\$11,301.00
2011 Giving	\$51,505.62

AND OUR SERVICE

Ushers 8:45 am - Jesse Kenney, Taylor Jenkins, Tom Link, Wes Smith
11 am - Mike Harris, Donnie Jordan, John McKissick, Glenn Townsend
Acolytes 8:45 am - Ivey Meeks; 11 am - Alexis Barnhart, Reilly Christie
Acolytes for next Sunday 8:45 am - Garrett Bond; 11 am - Jackson Kemp, Thomas Morneault

A.N.G.E.L.S. Circle is sponsoring a Mother's Day Mission Project to collect layette supplies to send to UMCOR. We will be collecting these items through the end of May. All items must be new. A complete kit consists of the following:

- 6 cloth diapers
- 2 shirts (undershirts or onsies)
- 2 baby wash clothes
- 2 gowns or sleepers
- 2 diaper pins (must have plastic closures)
- 1 sweater or jacket (must be open in the front; hooded sweat shirts are acceptable if open in front)
- 2 receiving blankets 30"X30" or 30"X32"



If you would like to participate in this mission project, you may make up and donate a completed kit or purchase individual items from the list and A.N.G.E.L.S. members will make the kits from your donations. Thank you.

Notes of Thanks

David, Eric and I would like to thank you for your many acts of kindness and concern during the lengthy illness and following the recent death of my mother, Ruby Hayes. Your calls, cards, hugs, food, and prayers meant so much to us during this difficult time. Please continue to pray for us as we adjust to life without someone who was so precious to us. In love, Judy Hayes Parker

Bill and I are so thankful for the tremendous support you have given us during the illness and death of our dear sister, Alwayne. Whether you made a visit, sent a card or e-mail, gave us a special hug of comfort or especially remembered us in prayer during this difficult time, we are grateful. We are so blessed to have such a loving church family and we thank God that we are members of this special family. Also, we appreciate so much our pastor, Randy, for his love and support to us during this time. God bless each of you, Bill and Hilda Bowman