

September 26, 2021

GUEST & MEMBER REGISTRY

I attended the 9:00am service _____

I attended the 11:00am service _____

Name _____

Name _____

Children _____

Children _____

Guest of _____

_____ First Time Visitor

_____ Attend, but Not a Member

_____ New Resident in Community

_____ Wish to Know More About
the Church

_____ Desire a Call

_____ I am a Member of this Church

****If you have any changes**, please provide us with your current address, phone, and email addresses for your family.

For Guest Information or Changes

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

If you would like to join BFUMC, please fill out the membership card located in the church pew or you may call the church office **770-945-7438**.

Office Hours:

Monday – Thursday 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

The Church Office is Closed on Friday

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Events of the Week

Sunday, September 26

9:00a Worship, Sanctuary
9:45a Fellowship & Coffee, Rm. 108
10:00a Sunday School
10:00a Reception for Kaitlyn Miller, Rm. 108
11:00a Worship, Sanctuary & Online
12:15p Called Church Conference, Sanctuary
4:00p Youth Praise Band, Rm. 110
5:15p SNY, Rm. 108-110
5:30-7:00p G.L.O.W., Rm. 201, 307, 110
5:30-7:00p ESOL, Rm. 303 & 304

Monday, September 27

11:30a Staff Mtg., Rm. G3
5:00p Ladies Strength Training, Rm. G1
6:15p Alpha & Omega Bells, Rm. G1
7:00p Chancel Ringers, Rm. G1
7:00-8:30p Troop 542/5542, Rm. 108, 305, 306, 308
7:00p Jesus in the Gospels, Rm. 312

Tuesday, September 28

10:00a-2:00p KW, Rm. 108
10:00a Rip & Roll, Rm. 109
5:00p Ladies Strength Training, Rm. G1
7:00p American Christian Fiction Writers,
Rm. 312
7:00-8:00p Pack 542, Rm. 108

Wednesday, September 29

10:00a & 7:00p Bible Study, Rm. 301
7:00p Chancel Choir, Sanctuary
7:00p S-Anon, Rm. 309
7:00p WNBS, Rm. 109

Thursday, September 30

5:00p Ladies Strength Training, Rm. G1
6:30-8:00p Pack 1534 Raingutter Regatta, Parking
Lot

Friday, October 1

8:00a-4:00p CCS, Rm. 107-108, 110, 202-204,
302-306, 308, 310, 311 & 313

Saturday, October 2

10:30a-2:00p Sack Kids Hunger, Rm. 107 & BFUMC
Parking Lot



BUFORD FIRST
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

MAKING DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD



S.H.I.N.E.

SERVE – HOST – INSPIRE – NURTURE – EDUCATE

Shine the light of Jesus so that children, youth and adults grow in the knowledge and love of God through missions, evangelism, worship, nurture and Christian education.

Let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

Matthew 5:16

September 26, 2021
18th Sunday after Pentecost

Pray Like This: **“Amen, Amen”**

Worship Preview

October 3rd Extravagant Invitation: **“Extravagant Heart of God”** John 1:14-18
October 3rd is World Communion Sunday

October 10th Extravagant Invitation: **“Great Things”** John 14:8-14

Stephen Ministers for this week: If you would like someone to pray with you over the phone, discuss concerns in your life, or just learn more about the Stephen Ministry please contact Pat Stanley (404-406-9216) or Celina Countess (404-427-0356).



The Sanctuary flowers are given by Kenny Karr to the Glory of God and in celebration of Cindy Karr's birthday, September 20th.



9:00 a.m. Worship

Ushers/Acolytes: Cynthia & Bob Haugen
Greeters: Linda Chambers & Donna Agee
Sound: John Alford
Children's Church: Debbie Griffin, Jonathan Lenz, and Susan Rosenthal

11:00 a.m. Worship

Ushers/Acolytes: Dick Atcheson & Ken Stewart
Greeters: Marsha Huckaby & Butch Ballin
Sound: John Marbury
Live-stream monitor: Joe Adams
Camera: Brad Thomas
Children's Church: Debbie Griffin, Jonathan Lenz, and Susan Rosenthal

Ministry Staff

James Adair	Custodian	Leandre Majerus	Director of Preschool
Sylvia Beard	Pianist	Kaitlyn Miller	Director of Student Ministry
Rev. Jim Buckman	Senior Pastor	Hank Morgan	Organist
Suzanne Clegg	Director of Missions	DeeAnna Page	Financial Secretary
Celina Countess	Director of Adult Ministry	Susan Rosenthal	Director of Children & Family Ministry
Cindy LaTouf	Office Manager	Brendan Rossell Smith	Director of Online Worship
Gary Lenz	Director of Music and the Arts		

Adult Ministry

Buford First United Methodist Men (known as the BUMM) have resumed their monthly men's breakfasts! All men are invited to join them in the Fellowship Hall at 8:00am on the third Sunday each month for breakfast, fellowship, and information on up-coming BUMM events. Join us for this time together.



Each fall, the BUMM organize the Max Samples Memorial Golf Tournament. Through this tournament, the Men's group at Buford First UMC brings together golfers, businesses, and organizations throughout the community to raise money for missions in the Buford area.

We are changing the format this year by moving away from the one day golf tournament activities to a more traditional scenario of procuring tee times and playing a round of golf at leisure with your buddies. The men's club will issue your team a "Golf Foursome Certificate" to be played at a time of your choice on a golf course that has provided the certificates. The game will be played as Best Ball and the scorecard, or copy, will be forwarded to Chris Simonson to be tallied for awards to be given on the evening of the Awards Ceremony held at the Buford Methodist Fellowship Hall on Friday, October 22nd at 7:00pm. The Awards Ceremony will be traditional with raffles, auctions, winning prizes and topped off with a catered meal by Smoke House BBQ. For more information on how to take part in this as a sponsor and/or participant, please contact Jim Beaumont at jim30518@gmail.com or go to the church website for more details, www.bufordfirstumc.org.

For more information contact Celina Countess, adultministry@bufordfirstumc.org

Youth Ministry

This Week:

Sunday Night Praise Band Practice at 4:00pm
Sunday Night Youth at 5:15pm
Wednesday Night Bible Study at 7:00pm

Upcoming Dates

Sept. 26th – Fall Retreat Registration Closes
Oct. 6th – Pumpkins Delivered
Oct. 7th – Pumpkin Patch Opens
Oct. 8th-10th – Fall Retreat

Pumpkin Patch

The pumpkin patch is just 2 short weeks away! Pumpkins will be delivered on Wednesday; October 6th and the patch will open the following day.



Registration for our Fall Retreat closes TODAY!

All students, grades 6th-12th are invited to join us as we head back to Asbury Hills Camp and Retreat Center for this year's Fall Retreat, **Oct. 8th-10th**.

Register online or with one of the registration forms available in Youth Room (Rm. 109).

For more information, contact Kaitlyn Miller, studentministry@bufordfirstumc.org

The Worship of God

September 26, 2021

9:00 & 11:00 am

18th Sunday after Pentecost | Liturgical Color: Green

Hearing devices, large print hymnals and bulletins are available in the narthex.
If you have trouble hearing the sound, please alert an usher for help.

Please place your electronic devices on silent mode and refrain from flash photography during worship.

† *Stand as you are able.*

GATHERING

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Jim Buckman

PRAISING

Chiming of the Hour Hank Morgan, Organist

Leader: The peace of the Lord be with you. **All: And also with you.** Gary Lenz, Leader

Prelude “Down to the River to Pray” (*arr. Hayes and Wagner*) Hank Morgan, organ

†Call to Worship (p. 760) **Psalm 28:6-9** Leader

†Hymn of Praise No. 568 **“God of Love and God of Power”** (*all*) UNSER HERRSCHER

†Affirmation of Faith No. 881 **“The Apostles’ Creed”** Leader

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

†Gloria Patri No. 70 **“Glory Be to the Father”** MEINEKE

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Children’s Moment Susan Rosenthal

PRAYING

Time of Silent Prayer · Pastoral Prayer · The Lord’s Prayer

Rev. Buckman

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

GIVING

Gathering of Tithes and Offerings

Organist

“When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder” (*arr. Wilbur Held*)

†Doxology No. 95

OLD 100th

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

†Prayer of Consecration

Rev. Buckman

LEARNING

Message in Song (9:00)

“Offertory” (*arr. C. Courtney*)

Gary Lenz

(11:00)

“Let All the People Say ‘Amen’ ” (*by P. Choplin*)

Chancel Choir

percussion – Dick Atcheson & Mike Rosenthal

Sermon

Pray Like This: **“Amen, Amen”**
Scripture – 1 Chronicles 29:10-13

Rev. Buckman

SERVING

†Hymn of Discipleship No. 581 **“Lord, Whose Love Through Humble Service”** (1, 4) BEACH SPRING
If you are joining the church today, please come forward during the final verse of the hymn.

†Benediction

Rev. Buckman

†Postlude

“Beach Spring”, a Sacred Harp hymn (*arr. Wilbur Held*)

Organist