

April 10, 2022

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

P.O. Box 329

Buford, Georgia 30515

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770-945-4161 (Preschool Office)

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Events of the Week

Holy Week



Sunday, April 10

9:00a-4:00p BLOOD DRIVE-*In Memory of Olivia Ouimet*

9:00a Worship-Sanctuary

9:45-10:15a Fellowship and Coffee-Rm. 108

10:00a Sunday School

11:00a Worship-Sanctuary & Online

No Regular Evening Activities

Monday, April 11

10:00a Staff Mtg.-Rm. G3

12:00p Holy Week Time Out-Rm. 108

5:00p Ladies Strength Training-Rm. G1

7:00-8:30p Troop 542/5542-Rm. 108, 305, 306 & 308

7:00p Jesus in the Gospels-Rm. 312

Tuesday, April 12

10:00a-12:00p Stonehedge Garden Club-Rm. 312

10:30a-12:00p Effie Wood Circle-Rm. 108

12:00p Holy Week Time Out-Rm. 108

4:15p Meal to Children's Shelter

5:00p Ladies Strength Training-Rm. G1

6:15-8:15p Troop 1843-Rm. G3

7:00-8:00p Pack 542 Den Mtg.-Rm. 108, 305,
306 & 308

Wednesday, April 13-Preschool Egg Hunt

12:00p May Newsletter & Calendar Info is Due

12:00p Holy Week Time Out-Rm. 108

1:00-1:45p Preschool Ballet-Rm. 110

5:00-7:00p AA Mtg.-Rm. 305

6:30p Chancel Choir & Ringers-Sanctuary

7:00p WNBS-Rm. 109

7:00-9:00p S-Anon-Rm. 309

Thursday, April 14-Preschool Egg Hunt

12:00p Holy Week Time Out-Rm. 108

1:00-1:45p Preschool Playball-Rm. 110

5:00p Ladies Strength Training-Rm. G1

7:00p Maundy Thursday Service-Sanctuary

Friday, April 15

10:00a-12:00p Carol Scott Circle-Rm. 201

Saturday, April 16

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

April 10, 2022
Palm Sunday
“Into the Temple”

Missions

Donate blood today Today's Blood Drive is in memory of Olivia Ouimet, daughter of Chris and Leigh. Olivia passed away on November 21, 2014. In honor of her memory and 17th birthday, please help others who need transfusions.

For those unable to give blood, please consider donating a toy for the Children's Healthcare
Use this link to shop. <https://www.amazon.com/.../birthday/1FV13H5MJS29W/guest-view>
When you go through checkout choose Erika Depa's Gift Registry Address.

Toilet paper donations in April Please help the Good News Ministry in Gainesville. This ministry helps those who are homeless or in need of assistance. They provide meals daily, a shelter for men, and a clinic. Donation bins are in the Narthex and the CLC Lobby.

A note of THANKS from the Effie Wood Circle:

THANK YOU to all who donated cards to the Effie Wood Card Mission. With your help, we are sending 1,695 cards to the St. Jude's Ranch for Children in Nevada. The children there make them into cards and sell these to raise money for various needs. The children are housed at the ranch due to unhealthy living conditions in their homes.

For more information, contact Suzanne Clegg, mission@bufordfirstumc.org

BFUMC Kids



9:00 and 11:00 a.m. Children's Moment

Children Pre-K to 5th grade are invited to join Ms. Susan for the Children's Moment and then depart to room 201 for Children's Church. We will do a Bible story, craft, and games. Parents may pick up their children in room 201 in the Christian Life Center at the end of each worship service.

On Communion Sunday: Children will return to the Sanctuary and be seated with their parents where they will receive Communion and remain for the rest of the worship service.

For more information, contact Susan Rosenthal, children.director@bufordfirstumc.org



Preschool News:

We will be talking all about the true meaning of Easter. We will also have our egg hunts at school. For the next few months, we will be reviewing all of our letters!

For more information, contact Leandre Majerus, preschool@bufordfirstumc.org

Attendance and Giving

April 3, 2022

Total in Worship Services	205
Average Worship Attendance	235

How precious is your steadfast love, O God!

All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.

Psalm 36:7

Offerings & Needs (Budget for 2022)

Needed for Mission, Ministry & Administration	\$806,518.00
Year to Date Received for 2022 Budget	\$184,100.33
Weekly Consistent Need to reach the Yearly Goal ...	\$15,959.43
Amount given on 04-03-2022	\$16,547.58

Building Fund

Building Debt	\$1,664,577.97
Available Funds for Building Debt	\$261,710.38
Amount given on 04-03-2022	\$1,699.78

1. The amount needed by the last Sunday in 2022 should be an aggregate total of our financial needs including Conference Apportionments as well as all other needs.
2. The Amount Received should be the aggregate total of funds received for budgetary purposes.
3. The Consistent Weekly Need to reach the Yearly Goal will change each week depending upon the number of weeks left as offset by the gifts received.

Contribution Options

1. You may place your check in the offering plate or mail it to our Post Office Box 329, Buford, GA 30515.
2. You may set up online bill pay through your bank.
3. Give through our online giving on our website. We accept Electronic Fund Transfers from checking accounts, as well as debit and credit cards. (Please note that you will get full credit, but the church will not receive your full donation as the church is charged a fee for this transaction.)
4. Give By Text. You simply text the amount you wish to give to 770-628-0752. (Please note that you will get full credit, but the church will not receive your full donation as the church is charged a fee for this transaction.)
5. BFUMC Charitable Fund. It allows you to increase your giving and tax deduction by donating stocks, bonds, and mutual funds directly to the church. Another opportunity to give and reduce taxable income is for anyone over the age of 72, who is required to take annual minimum distributions out of their IRA, may designate all or part of that amount to our church.

Prayer Requests

"...but in everything, by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be known to God."

Philippians 4:6

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Name _____

If you would like us to send a note of encouragement, please provide the name and address of the person in need.

____ Yes, please send a note to

Our prayer volunteers and staff will be praying for your request. Confidential prayer requests will be given to the pastor only.

Confidential:

____ Yes ____ No

Request

Yes, I will attend the HOLY WEEK TIME OUT lunch at 12:00 PM on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday (circle the days you plan to attend)

Name: _____

Worship Preview

April 14th *Maundy Thursday service & Holy Communion @ 7:00 pm*
 April 17th Easter "He Lives!" Luke 24:1-12
 April 24th He's Alive: "Resurrected Peace" John 20:19-31

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 Deena Rindfusz (404-375-6248) or Pat Stanley (404-406-9216).



The Sanctuary flowers are given by Susan, Mike, and Audree Rosenthal to the Glory of God and in loving memory of Kay Groves, beloved mother, grandmother, and friend.

9:00 a.m. Worship

Liturgist: Lara Franklin
 Ushers: Mark Nichols, Herman Runyan
 Greeters: DeeAnna Page, Pat Stanley
 Sound: John Alford
 Children's Church: Debbie Griffin, Jonathan Lenz, and Susan Rosenthal

11:00 a.m. Worship

Liturgist: Lenna Applebee
 Ushers: Dick Atcheson, David Lowry, Mark Redstrom, Chris Simonson
 Greeters: Amy Simonson, Marsha Huckaby
 Sound: Dave Reynolds
 Live-stream monitor: Joe Adams
 Camera: Brad Thomas
 Children's Church: Debbie Griffin, Jonathan Lenz, and Susan Rosenthal

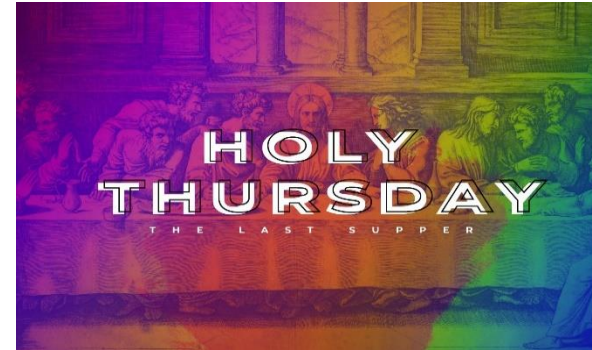
Ministry Staff

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

Adult Ministry

Please let us know if you plan to attend the "Holy Week Time Out" this week, Monday through Thursday 12:00-1:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. If you have not already signed up, you can let us know what days you plan to attend by signing up on the tear off in your bulletin. Come join us for a special time with lunch, music & different guest speakers each day.

April 14, 2022 Maundy Thursday - A Service of Tenebrae, or "Shadows," is based on a twelfth-century service that is an extended meditation on the passion of Christ. It retells the story of Jesus' final days, including his last supper, his crucifixion, and his death.



This service is usually held on the Thursday night before Easter, called "Maundy Thursday". The term "Maundy" is Latin and is translated as "Commandment", thus reminding us that Jesus gave his followers at the last supper a new commandment, "to love one another as I have loved you."

We hope you will plan to attend this Holy Week Worship Service as it is the final step of the journey to our Easter Celebration!

Youth Ministry

NO SUNDAY NIGHT YOUTH TONIGHT! WE WILL SEE YOU WEDNESDAY!

Let's Celebrate Mom! Come on out to our Mother/Son-Mother/Daughter painting lunch! We will be here at the church fellowshiping and painting with mom! We will be led by a local artist! Cost is \$60 per family-That includes painting and a light lunch! Follow the QR to sign up!



For more information, contact Joshua Page, studentministry@bufordfirstumc.org

The Worship of God

April 10, 2022

9:00 & 11:00 am

Palm Sunday | Liturgical Color: Purple

Hearing devices and large print hymnals 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

(9:00) DeeAnna Page (11:00) Susan Rosenthal

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

“All Glory, Laud, and Honor” (*arr. Lynn Trapp*)

Organist

†Call to Worship (p. 840)

Psalm 118:25-29

(9:00) Lara Franklin
(11:00) Lenna Applebee

†Hymn of Praise No. 278

“**Hosanna, Loud Hosanna**” (*all*)

ELLACOMBE

†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

PRAISING

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

Mike Rosenthal

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 “O Sacred Head” (*setting by J.S. Bach*)

Organist

†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

Leader

LEARNING

Message in Song

“Ain’t No Rock Gonna’ Shout” (*by Lloyd Larson*)

(9:00) ensemble
(11:00) Chancel Choir

Sermon

“**Into the Temple**”

Joshua Page

Scripture – Matthew 21:1-17

SERVING

†Hymn of Discipleship No. 301 “**Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross**” (*v.1,3,4*)

NEAR THE CROSS

†Benediction

Joshua Page

†Postlude

“Overture” (*by Jaakko Linjama*)

Organist