April 17, 2022

GUEST & MEMBER REGISTRY I attended the 9:00am service I attended the 11:00am service Name_______ Children______ Children

Guest of

Attend, but Not a Member

Wish to Know More About

New Resident in Community

First Time Visitor

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 <u>770-945-7438</u>.

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

Easter Sunday, April 17

9:00a Worship-Sanctuary

No Sunday School Today

11:00a Worship-Sanctuary & Online

No Other Activities Today

Monday, April 18

11:30a Staff Mtg.-Rm. G3

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 19

8:00a-12:00p Preschool Pastries with Parents-Rm. 108 9:30a-3:00p Young At Heart to Chestatee Wildlife

Preserve and Zoo

5:00p Ladies Strength Training-Rm. G1

6:30-8:00p Pack 589-Rm. 108

Wednesday, April 20

8:00a-12:00p Preschool Pastries with Parents-Rm. 108

10:30a-4:00p Thrift Shop Volunteers
11:30a Lunch Bunch to Crossroads
1:00-1:45p Preschool Ballet-Rm. 110

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

7:00p Chancel Choir-Sanctuary 7:00p Nominations Mtg.-Rm. 312

7:00p WNBS-Rm. 109 7:00-9:00p S-Anon-Rm. 309

Thursday, April 21

11:00a-6:00p Stonehedge Garden Club Setup for Flower

Show-Rm. 108 & 109

1:00-1:45p Preschool Playball-Rm. 110 5:00p Ladies Strength Training-Rm. G1

6:30-8:00p Pack 1534-Rm. 110

Friday, April 22

7:45a-1:00p Stonehedge Garden Club Judging-

Rm. 108 & 109

Open to the Public for viewing-Rm. 108

Saturday, April 23

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

Parking Lot

1:00-4:00p Stonehedge Garden Club

Open to the Public for viewing-Rm. 108

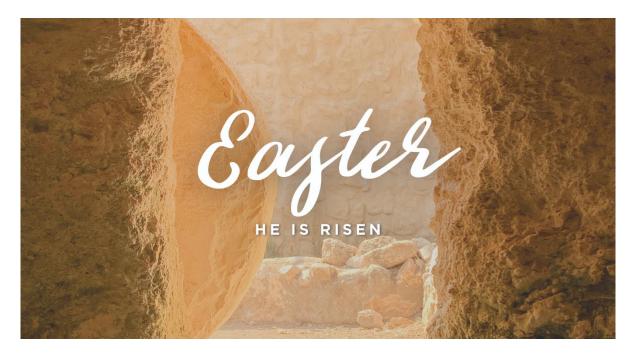
5:30-8:00p Room 108 is Reserved

UNITED METHODIST

Remember-The BUMM will meet next Sunday, April 24th at 8:00AM for their Fellowship Breakfast.



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 17, 2022
Easter Sunday
"He Lives"

Missions

<u>Sack Kids Hunger ministry</u> Thanks to all the faithful volunteers who make sure we hand out sack lunches to the children in our community EVERY Saturday! We have not missed a Saturday since 2010! Would you like to help? This month we are asking for donations of creamy peanut butter. You can drop these off in the bins in the CLC Lobby and Narthex. Thank you.

<u>The Buford Thrift Shop</u> needs volunteers Wednesday, April 20th. The 25 cent sale brings in lots of shoppers. If you can help for an hour or two, please do! The shop is at 70 Wiley St., Buford, 30518.

<u>Hands On Mission Experience</u> – May 3rd is a trip to the UMCOR Warehouse in East Point! Sign up to go with a team of 8 to help sort supplies, organize hygiene kits and fill flood buckets. This warehouse keeps a supply ready to ship in case there's a need. Meet at 9:00 a.m., bring a lunch, and plan to return to the church around 4:00 p.m. Email Suzanne Clegg to sign up.

<u>Toilet paper donations in April and paper towels in May</u> Please help the Good News Ministry and My Sister's Place (MSP)! Both of these ministries serve the homeless. We are collecting toilet paper now for Good News, and in May we are asking for paper towels for MSP. Thanks for helping.

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



Happy Easter! He is risen! This week we will be talking all about the ocean and the animals that live in it. We will practice our second tornado drill this week too.

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

Attendance and Giving April 10, 2022

Total in Worship Services 233 Average Worship Attendance 237

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\$201,604.33 Weekly Consistent Need to reach the Yearly Goal ...\$15,918.78 Amount given on 04-10-2022\$17,504.00

Building Fund

 Building Debt
 \$1,660,548.24

 Available Funds for Building Debt
 \$262,253.88

 Amount given on 04-10-2022
 \$543.50

- 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.
- The Amount Received should be the aggregate total of funds received for budgetary purposes.
- 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

- 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

April 17, 2022

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:
YesNo
Request

Worship Preview

April 24th He's Alive: "**Resurrected Peace**" John 20:19-31 May 1st He's Alive: "**Resurrected Hope**" John 21:1-19

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 and Mike Rosenthal to the Glory of God and in honor of their daughter, Audree Rosenthal as she celebrates her 16th birthday, April 18th.

The rose on the altar is given by Celina Countess to the Glory of God and to say, "Happy 22nd Birthday to our Mary Elizabeth! Our Golden Blessing, Love Mom"

9:00 a.m. Worship

Acolytes: Ava Ross Womack (crucifier) & Caraline Fonville (light)

Liturgist: Joyce Siegele Ushers: Cindy & Kenny Karr, Greeters: Donna Agee & Pat Stanley Sound: John Alford

Children's Church: Debbie Griffin, Jonathan Lenz, and Susan Rosenthal

11:00 a.m. Worship

Acolytes: Charlie Redstrom (crucifier) & Michael Thomas (light)

Liturgist: Jackie Hanner

Ushers: David Crossett, Eric Lynskey, Donnie McQuaig, Marty Richards

Greeters: Amy Simonson & Tracey Yancey

Sound: John Marbury

Live-stream monitor: Stephanie Norton

Camera:

Children's Church: Debbie Griffin, Jonathan Lenz & Susan Rosenthal

Ministry Staff

James Adair Custodian
Sylvia Beard Pianist
Rev. Jim Buckman
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Cindy LaTouf Office Manager

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Brendan Rossell Smith Director of Online Worship

Adult Ministry

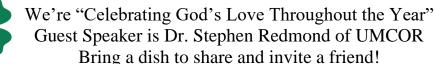


please join us for our annual

UMW Spring Brunch



in the Fellowship Hall (room 108)



We'll be voting for our favorite decorated tables, so bring coins or cash to cast your vote(s).











Youth Ministry

NO SUNDAY NIGHT YOUTH TONIGHT! WE WILL SEE YOU THIS WEDNESDAY AND NEXT SUNDAY!

Let's Celebrate Mom! Come on out to our Mother/Son-Mother/Daughter painting lunch! We will be here at the church fellowshipping 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 17, 2022 9:00 & 11:00 am

Easter Sunday | Liturgical Color: White

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 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

Choral Introit "Christ is Risen!" (by Allen Pote) full ensemble

(11:00) Jackie Hanner

†Hymn of Praise No. 302 **"Christ the Lord is Risen Today"** (v. 1-4) EASTER HYMN

arr. Vaclav Nehlybel

Leader

†Affirmation of Faith No. 881 "The Apostles' Creed"

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

†Benediction

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 "Resurrection!" (by L. Larson)

Chancel Ringers,

organ & brass

Rev. Buckman

Chancel Choir

†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

LEARNING

Message in Song "Easter Song" (arr. Don Hart/Lenz)

Chancel Ringers

Sermon "He Lives" Rev. Buckman

Scripture – Luke 24:1-12

SERVING

†Hymn of Discipleship No. 310 "He Lives" (all)

Rev. Buckman

ACKLEY

Organist

†Postlude "Jesus Christ Is Risen Today" (arr. Healey Willan)

With much appreciation to our guest musicians:

Paul Fletcher, trumpet Christi Lenz, horn
Bryan Burns, trumpet Chris Plummer, trombone

Vicki Pinson, trombone Dick Atcheson, timpani