

October 6, 2024

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 are new or your contact information has
changed, please let us know:

Address _____

Phone _____

E-mail _____

If you would like to join BFUMC, please fill out the
membership card located in the church pew, or call
or email the church office.

Church Office

770-945-7438 ~ office@bufordfirstumc.org

Monday – Thursday 8:30am – 5:00pm

(Closed on Friday)

Preschool Office

770-945-4161 ~ preschool@bufordfirstumc.org

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Events of the Week

Sunday, October 6

- 9:00am Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
- 10:00am Sunday School (109, 201, CLC 3rd Floor)
- 11:00am Korean Worship (306)
- 11:00am Traditional Worship - Sanctuary & Online
- 2:00pm Girl Scout Troop 17629 (G3)
- 5:30pm ESOL (303, 304)
- 5:30pm G.L.O.W. (110, 201, 307)
- 5:30pm Sunday Night Youth (107, 108, 109)
- 5:30pm Sunday Walking Group
- 5:30pm Women's Small Group (311)

Monday, October 7

- 11:30am Staff Meeting (offsite)
- 5:00pm Ladies Strength Training (G1)
- 5:30pm AA 5:30@Main St. (304)
- 6:30pm Cub Scout Pack 1534 (108, 110)
- 7:00pm Chancel Ringers (G1 stage)
- 7:00pm Scouting Troop 542 (305, 306, 308)

Tuesday, October 8

- 10:00am Buford UM Men Retired (G3)
- 10:30am Effie Wood Circle (108)
- 2:00pm Grief Share (311)
- 5:00pm Ladies Strength Training (G1)
- 6:30pm Romans Bible Study (312)
- 7:00pm Cub Scout Pack 524 (108, 305, 306, 308, 309)

Wednesday, October 9

- 10:00am 1 Corinthians Bible Study (312)
- 11:30am Lunch Bunch (Coastal Breeze)
- 1:00pm Preschool Ballet (110)
- 1:30pm Pack SKH Meals (107)
- 5:30pm AA 5:30@Main St. (304)
- 6:30pm Chancel Choir (Sanctuary)
- 6:30pm Open Gym (110)
- 7:30pm S-Anon (309)

Thursday, October 10

- 1:00pm Preschool Playball (110)
- 5:00pm Ladies Strength Training (G1)

Friday, October 11

- 8:00am-4:00pm CC Home School (CLC)
- 7:00pm Young Adult Small Group (offsite)

Saturday, October 12

- 10:30am-2:00pm Sack Kids Hunger (107 & Parking Lot)

Looking Ahead:

- Blood Drive - October 13, 9:00am-2:00pm
- Church Board – October 13, 12:15pm (312)
- Young at Heart – October 15, 8:30am

ONLINE CALENDAR >



**BUFORD FIRST
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

PO BOX 329, BUFORD, GA 30515-0329

MAKING DISCIPLES OF JESUS CHRIST FOR THE TRANSFORMATION OF THE WORLD



WORSHIP PASSIONATELY - SERVE AUTHENTICALLY - DEMONSTRATE UNWAVERING HOSPITALITY

*Our mission is to empower all people to experience the transformative
love of Jesus Christ through service, tradition, and education.*

*Our vision is to serve as a diverse community of faithful people
who worship passionately, serve authentically,
and demonstrate unwavering hospitality.*

October 6, 2024

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost | World Communion Sunday

More Than Enough: "Love Gives"

Worship Preview

Oct. 13 More Than Enough: “Qualities of Generous People” 2 Corinthians 8:8-12
Oct. 20 More Than Enough: “Joy in the Journey” 2 Corinthians 9:6-11

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 Mary Jo & Pierce White to the Glory of God, and in celebration of their 60th wedding anniversary.



Signup online to give Sunday flowers in memory of someone special or in celebration of a significant event. bit.ly/bfumc-flowers or scan the QR.

9:00am Worship

Acolytes: William Womack (*crucifer*), Ava Ross Womack (*light*)
Ushers: Ken Hiltgen, Darla Hiltgen, Ed Krauth, Mike Stebnicki
Greeters: Cindy LaTouf, Jean Hudson
Liturgist: Karl Siegele
Sound: John Alford
Children's Church: Jonathan Lenz and Susan Rosenthal

11:00am Worship

Acolytes: Lilly Claire Scott (*crucifer*), Noah Rogers (*light*)
Ushers: Eric Lynskey, Mike Grant, Chris Simonson, Kevin Gohman
Greeters: Terry Ellis, Sally Lord
Liturgist: Lenna Applebee
Sound: Dave Reynolds
Live-stream monitor: Joe Adams
Camera: Rebecca Stewart
Children's Church: Jonathan Lenz and Susan Rosenthal

Ministry Staff

Senior Pastor	Rev. Jim Buckman	Director of Student & Outreach Ministries	Brendan Rossell Smith
Director of Adult Ministry	Sydney Yancey	Facility Manager	Will Rogers
Director of Children & Family Ministry	Susan Rosenthal	Office Manager	Roy Foster
Director of Music & the Arts	Gary Lenz	Financial Secretary	DeeAnna Page
Director of Preschool	Leandre Majerus	Organist	Hank Morgan

Adult Ministry

Young Adult Small Group: Our next Young Adult Small Group event will be on October 11th offsite. We will be having a pumpkin carving contest and fellowship time! If you want to join this group of folks on October 11th at 7pm, reach out to Sydney Yancey (770-880-6905).

Young at Heart: Our next YAH outing will be to the UGA Special Collections Library's Music Hall of Fame collection. We will also have the opportunity to check out other special collections displays at the library on this trip. The outing will be on Tuesday, October 15th. The cost is \$3.00 for gas. Lunch will be at your own cost at Rafferty's restaurant in Athens. We will be leaving the church at 8:30am. RSVP to Debbie Atcheson (770-965-3729 OR djatcheson@gmail.com) by October 8th.

Volunteers Needed! CLC Front Desk volunteers and Church Office Reception volunteers are needed on Wednesdays. We need someone to greet people in the CLC and open the front door for folks. We also need someone to help in the church office with basic administrative tasks. If you have any availability on Wednesday mornings or afternoons to help with either of these volunteer positions, please reach out to Sydney.

Lunch Bunch: This month, Lunch Bunch will meet on Wednesday, October 9th at 11:30am at Coastal Breeze. If you would like to join the group, contact Marsha Huckaby at 470-350-4065, or call the church office by Monday, October 7th.

For more information, contact Sydney Yancey, adultministry@bufordfirstumc.org

Missions

Turkey Time! Are you willing to donate \$30 so a family in Buford can have a Thanksgiving Turkey? The Sack Kids Hunger Ministry partners with Buford First Baptist to help provide turkeys and other food items to families in the area. Please give by October 31st. *Thank you!*

Knitting For Others: This group knits and crochets items for Sack Kids Hunger and various other non-profits in the area. **They are running low on yarn** so if you would like to donate some, there is a donation basket for this in the lobby of the CLC!

El Salvador Mission Trip Summer 2025: We will be taking a team to El Salvador the first week of July 2025, to build a home for a family in need and do other outreach work. If you are interested in joining the group, have more questions, or would like to support this mission in some way, contact Brendan at outreach@bufordfirstumc.org.

Sack Kids Hunger Needs: We need volunteers to help pack sacks on Wednesdays, 1:30-3:00pm. If you are interested in helping in this ministry area, reach out to Pam Billingsley at 404-429-4356.

Aldersgate Homes Offering is October 20th! Aldersgate is an agency of the North Georgia UMC, serving persons with developmental disabilities. Established in 1991, they partner with United Methodist Churches and other organizations to provide services to the developmentally disabled, their families, congregations, care givers, and communities.

For more information, contact Sydney Yancey, mission@bufordfirstumc.org

The Worship of God

October 6, 2024

9:00 & 11:00am

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost | World Communion 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

Chiming of the Hour Hank Morgan, Organist

Prelude “In Christ There Is No East or West” (arr. Dale Wood) Organist

Welcome and Announcements Rev. Jim Buckman

PRAISING

†Call to Worship (see insert) **A Prayer for World Communion Sunday** (9:00am) Karl Siegele
(11:00am) Lenna Applebee

†Hymn of Praise (see insert) **“Let All the World In Every Corner Sing”** (all) ALL THE WORLD

†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

Offertory “All Are Welcome” (arr. Lynn Trapp) Organist

If you would like to donate to our “Good Samaritan Fund” you may place your offering in the offering plate or on the altar rail. Please mark it for the “Good Samaritan Fund”.

†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 “No Greater Love” (arr. D. Allen) (9:00) ensemble
(11:00) Chancel Choir

Sermon Rev. Buckman
More Than Enough: **“Love Gives”**
Scripture – 2 Corinthians 8: 1-7

The Sacrament of Holy Communion (see insert)
“If You Believe and I Believe, a Zimbabwean hymn” (arr. Gregory J. Schaffer) Organist

SERVING

†Hymn of Discipleship UMH No. 530 **“Are Ye Able”** (v. 1, 4) BEACON HILL

†Benediction Rev. Buckman

†Postlude “O Blessed Day, a Danish hymn” (arr. Thomas Lennert) Organist