



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.

June 14, 2026

Third Sunday after Pentecost

Goodbyes and Hellos: “*What Do You See?*”



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 so that they can receive Communion and then remain for the rest of the worship service.

Nursery: A nursery is provided for children age 3 and under in room 202 of the Christian Life Center.

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



ABC
Preschool News:



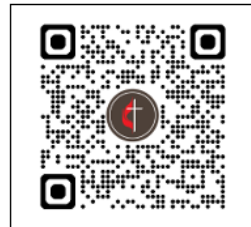
Happy Summer!

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

Student Ministry



*Scan the QR code for
all Youth Summer
Events!*



For more information, contact Brendan Rossell Smith, studentministry@bufordfirstumc.org

Missions

Home of Hope offers a 3-to-12-month transitional living program for children and their moms experiencing homelessness. On **Wednesday, July 1**, a team from BFUMC will head to *Home of Hope* (formerly the Gwinnett Children's Shelter) to help with their Water Fun Night for the children (water activities such as water balloons). Volunteers must be 18 years of age or older. We will meet at *Home of Hope* at 5:30pm. If you would like to serve on this project, please reach out to Sydney.

Respite Night: BFUMC will be hosting a Respite Night for families in our community impacted by disability on **Saturday, July 11**, from 6:00 to 8:00pm. If you are interested in serving at this event, please reach out to Sydney. If you've never served with children with special needs, no worries! Training will be provided.

Homeless Mat Ministry Needs: We currently do not need any more plastic bags, as we have accumulated a large supply, but we do **need volunteers to help make the mats**. Please contact Sydney if you are interested. Instructions and materials will be provided.

Sack Kids Hunger: Sack Kids Hunger needs individual mac and cheese cups and grape jam! This ministry is 100% donation based. Please consider donating needed food items! The donation bin is in the lobby of the CLC.

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

Adult Ministry

Retirement Luncheon for Pastor Jim Buckman NEXT SUNDAY:

On **Sunday, June 21**, we will have a single worship service at 10:00am, followed by a luncheon in the Fellowship Hall at 11:00am to celebrate Pastor Jim. We hope everyone can join us to honor him and his many years of Christian service. If you would like to contribute toward the Love Offering for Pastor Jim, you can place your gift in the offering plate during worship (designated "Love Offering for Buckman") or scan the QR code to be forwarded to the Love Offering section of the church's online giving platform.



Name Tags: Would you like a Buford First UMC name tag to wear on Sundays or at church events? Did you lose or damage your old one and need a new one? You can sign up to get a new one today! **The cost is \$12 per tag.** If you'd like to have one ordered for you, reach out to Sydney.

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

The Worship of God

June 14, 2026

9:00am & 11:00am

Third Sunday after Pentecost | Communion | 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.*

Chiming of the Hour

Hank Morgan, Organist

Prelude

“Chorale” by Gordon Young

Organist

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Jim Buckman

† Call to Worship (p. 838)

Psalm 116:12-19

(9:00) Darla Hiltgen
(11:00) Jan Estrada

† Hymn of Praise

UMH No. 61

“Come, Thou Almighty King” all

ITALIAN HYMN

† 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

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.

Gathering of Tithes and Offerings

Organist

"A Plaintive Song" by *Herbert Colvin*

†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

†Scripture Reading

Matthew 9:35-38

Rev. Buckman

Message In Song **"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"** *UMC 155 - Diadem* (9:00) Ensemble
(11:00) Chancel Choir

Sermon

Goodbyes and Hellos: **"What Do You See?"**

Rev. Buckman

The Sacrament of Holy Communion (*see insert*)

Organist

"Prelude on 'Veni Creator'" by *Carlotta Ferrari*

†Hymn of Discipleship

UMH No. 368

"My Hope is Built" *all*

THE SOLID ROCK

Benediction

Rev. Buckman

Postlude

Organist

"Crown Him Lord of All (*Miles Lane*)" by *Paul Leddington Wright*

Worship Preview

June 21
June 28

Goodbyes and Hellos: **“Why I Do What I Do”**

Acts 20:17-24
Matthew 10:40-42

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 rose on the altar is given
by Estelle Dobbs to the
Glory of God, and in celebration
of Bobby Dobbs’
90th birthday.*



12 MONTH SIGNUP

Give Sunday flowers in memory of someone special, or in celebration of a significant event.

3 WAYS TO SIGN UP

- 1 VISIT <https://rebrand.ly/bfumcflowers>
- 2 SCAN the QR code → → → →
- 3 CALL the church office at 770-945-7438

FLOWER SIGNUP



rebrand.ly/bfumcflowers

Birthdays, Memorials and Honorariums: <https://bit.ly/bfumc-bmh>

9:00am Worship

<u>Ushers</u> – Ken Hiltgen, Darla Hiltgen	<u>Screens</u> – Adam Van Pelt
<u>Children’s Church</u> – Susan Rosenthal, Jonathan Lenz	<u>Sound</u> – Brendan Smith
<u>Greeters</u> – Herman Runyan, Gary Burger	<u>Liturgist</u> – Darla Hiltgen

11:00am Worship

<u>Ushers</u> – Jim Failmezger, Eric Lynskey Kevin Gohman, Chris Simonson	<u>Greeters</u> – Helen Lindner, Linda Chambers
<u>Screens & Live-stream monitor</u> – Adam Van Pelt	<u>Sound</u> – Joe Adams
<u>Children’s Church</u> – Susan Rosenthal, Jonathan Lenz	<u>Camera</u> – Kevin Walch
	<u>Liturgist</u> – Jan Estrada

Ministry Staff

Senior Pastor | Rev. Jim Buckman
 Director of Adult Ministry | Sydney Yancey
 Director of Children & Family Ministry | Susan Rosenthal
 Director of Student & Outreach Ministries | Brendan Rossell Smith
 Director of Worship Ministries | Jan Estrada

Director of Preschool | Leandre Majerus
 Facility Manager | Brad Thomas
 Financial Administrator | DeeAnna Page
 Office Manager | Roy Foster
 Organist | Hank Morgan



Sunday Bulletin submission cutoff: Monday 12-noon.

Please work with the appropriate ministry staff person for all submissions.

June 14, 2026

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 info has changed:

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

MAILING ADDRESS

PO Box 329, Buford, GA 30515-0329

(MAIL CANNOT BE DELIVERED TO OUR STREET ADDRESS)

STREET ADDRESS (Church & Preschool)

285 E. Main Street, Buford, GA 30518

ONLINE

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youtube.com/@bufordfirstunitedmethodist8610

Events of the Week

Sunday, June 14

Event	Time	Location
HS Lake Retreat		Offsite
United Methodist Worship	9:00 am	Main Building
Sunday School	10:00 am	Christian Life Center
FPC Pentecostal Preparation	11:00 am	Christian Life Center
Korean United Methodist Worship	11:00 am	Christian Life Center
United Methodist Worship	11:00 am	Main Building
Church Board	12:15 pm	Christian Life Center
FPC Pentecostal Worship	2:00 pm	Christian Life Center
SA Freedom Fellowship	7:30 pm	Christian Life Center

Monday, June 15

Event	Time	Location
Staff Meeting	11:30 am	Main Building
Ladies Strength Training	5:00 pm	Main Building
AA 5:30 @Main St.	5:30 pm	Christian Life Center

Tuesday, June 16

Event	Time	Location
Pickleball Open Gym	{groupme}	Christian Life Center
Ladies Strength Training	5:00 pm	Main Building
AA Sober Dads	7:00 pm	Christian Life Center

Wednesday, June 17

Event	Time	Location
Youth Hiking Outing	9:00 am	Offsite
AA 5:30 @Main St.	5:30 pm	Christian Life Center
Community Dinner	6:30 pm	Christian Life Center
Chancel Choir	7:00 pm	Main Building
SA Freedom Fellowship	7:30 pm	Christian Life Center
S-Anon	7:30 pm	Christian Life Center

Thursday, June 18

Event	Time	Location
Pickleball Open Gym	{groupme}	Christian Life Center
Ladies Strength Training	5:00 pm	Main Building
FPC Pentecostal Preparation	6:30 pm	Christian Life Center
FPC Pentecostal Worship	7:30 pm	Main Building

Friday, June 19

Event	Time	Location
Carol Scott Circle	10:00 am	Offsite
Youth Friday Movie Matinee	TBD	Offsite

Saturday, June 20

<i>No Activities</i>		
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Sunday, June 21

Event	Time	Location
United Methodist Worship	10:00 am	Main Building
FPC Pentecostal Preparation	11:00 am	Christian Life Center
Korean United Methodist Worship	11:00 am	Christian Life Center
Pastor Jim Reception	11:00 am	Christian Life Center
FPC Pentecostal Worship	2:00 pm	Christian Life Center
SA Freedom Fellowship	7:30 pm	Christian Life Center