

Important Days/Dates to Remember

Each Sunday:

7:00 a.m. *Worship Service (at Georgia Feed)*
9:30 a.m. *Light Breakfast Fellowship*
9:45-10:30 a.m. *Sunday Schools (for all ages)*
11:00 a.m. *Worship Service*

Each Wednesday:

5:00-6:00 p.m. *Bible Study & Prayer Ministry*
6:00 p.m. *Adult Choir Rehearsal*
7:30 p.m. *Millennium Center Children's Ministry*

May 25, 2009 – Monday:

Memorial Day

6:00 p.m. – *PathFinders' SASS:*
("Sing-Along Salad Supper")

May 31, 2009 – Sunday:

Day of Pentecost

June 3, 2009 – Wednesday:

6:00 p.m. – *Light Supper*

6:30 p.m. – *Trustees/Administrative Council meeting*

June 7-10, 2009 – Sunday-Wednesday:

South Georgia Annual Conference

June 14, 2009 – Sunday:

Pastor Martin Loyley's last service at CUMC

June 15, 2009 – Monday:

6:00 p.m. – *Cuthbert Methodist Women's (CMW) meeting*

June 17, 2009 – Wednesday:

Moving day for Pastors

June 21, 2009 – Sunday:

Father's Day

Pastor Scott Tucker's first service at CUMC

July 1, 2009 – Wednesday:

6:00 p.m. – *Light Supper*

6:30 p.m. – *Trustees/Administrative Council meeting*

July 4, 2009 – Saturday:

Independence Day



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(11:00 a.m. Sunday services televised Mondays at 6:00 p.m., Channel 17)

Dear Friends,

We welcome Andrew Bearden to be the preacher for this Sunday. It is great to realize that we have had a part in the lives of so many young people from Andrew College.

Andrew Bearden, of course, had an integral part in the life of our church family, singing in the choir and heading up the "Relay for Life" campaign last year. Please make Andrew feel at home.

I will be in England and France with my family...my Mother thanks you all for your prayers on her behalf.

*Blessings,
Pastor Martin*

THE LORD'S DAY
Sunday, May 24, 2009
7th Sunday of Easter
Ascension Sunday

PRELUDE
 WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Jimmy Brownlee
 CHIMING OF THE HOUR
 LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES
 THE CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP Chancel Choir
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee (Dyke/Beethoven/Hodges)

***THE RESPONSIVE READING** Patricia Goodman
Psalm 47 **no. 781**

***HYMN OF PRAISE** **no. 327**
Crown Him with Many Crowns (Stz: 1, 2 & 4)

***THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** (*The Apostles' Creed*) **no. 881**
***THE GLORIA PATRI** **no. 70**
***THE PEACE**
 CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

HYMN OF PREPARATION **no. 500**
Spirit of God, Descend upon My Heart (Stz: 1, 3, & 5)

MORNING PRAYER Andrew Bearden
THE LORD'S PRAYER (*Back inside cover of hymnal*)
 OFFERTORY
***DOXOLOGY** **no. 95**
 SPECIAL MUSIC

SERMON Andrew Bearden
"CHANGE"

***CLOSING HYMN** **no. 156**
I Love to Tell the Story (Stz: 1 & 4)

***PASTORAL BENEDICTION**
***CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION**
*May the love of God be with us as we go our separate ways,
 Serving God by serving others; finding hope and joy each day.*

POSTLUDE

*(Those who are able, please stand.)

*The flowers on the altar will be given by
 Mrs. Ruth Nell Goodman for the glory of God and
 in honor of her great nephew, Ian McRae.*

≈≈ GIFTS RECEIVED ≈≈
 from Mr. & Mrs. A. McCrary in memory of: ~~Miss Mickey~~ and
 O. H. Jordan

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

May 21	Gerry Goodman
May 25	Evelyn Yarbrough †
May 26	Graham Lovett
May 29	Clinton Tamsett Gilbert

COMMUNITY PRAYERFUL CONCERNS

*Our friends and Members in nursing homes
 and assisted living facilities:*
 Elizabeth Brownlee, Louise Hester,
 Tip Meadows, Irma Patrick, Ruth Rainey,
 Sara Roberts, Elizabeth Wiggins

Servicemen Abroad: MSgt Jason Hester (in Iraq)

Other Prayer Concerns:
 Barbara Sue Arnold, Steve Delsasso,
 Jim Doran, Evelyn Hester, Katie Hoyle,
 Mavis Hulse (Pastor Martin's mother),
 Jordan Mathews, Nancy McDonald,
 Allene Nelson, Jimmie Stanford,
 Greg Vogus, Lucy Wall, Rev. Clint Yelverton

*Please call the church office to update our list of
 Community Prayerful Concerns.*

THOSE SERVING
SUNDAY:
The Greeter
 Marsha Reid
Ushers
 Atlas Hester
 Buddy Reid
Worship Leader
 Patricia Goodman
Children's Moments

The Offering Stewards
 Jimmy Bradley
 Jimmy Brownlee

Worship Attendance, 5/17:
 Cuthbert UMC: 36
 Georgia Feed service: 6

A RECORD OF
OUR STEWARDSHIP
as of May 17th:

GENERAL FUND
Contributions, 5/17:
 \$957.50
Needed to date (budget):
 \$48,375.35
Collected YTD:
 \$42,816.80

CURRENT BALANCES:
 (not part of GENERAL FUND)
 Choir Fund: \$1,231.85
 Children's Ministry: \$ 107.86
 Faithful Stewards: \$1,026.14
 Mission Fund: \$2,072.51
 Parsonage Fund: \$ 724.50

*The following prayer is said to have been found on the body
 of a Confederate soldier, killed during the Civil War:*

*I asked for strength that I might achieve,
 I was made weak that I might learn humbly to obey.
 I asked for help that I might do greater things,
 I was given infirmity that I might do better things.
 I asked for riches that I might be happy,
 I was given poverty that I might be wise.
 I asked for power that I might have the praise of men,
 I was given weakness that I might feel the need of God.
 I asked for all things that I might enjoy life,
 I was given life that I might enjoy all things.*

*I got nothing that I asked for,
 but everything that I had hoped for.*

*Almost despite myself, my unspoken prayers were answered.
 I am, among all men, most richly blessed!*