

Important Days/Dates to Remember

Each Sunday:

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:

4:00 p.m. *Childrens Choir Rehearsal*
5:00 p.m. – *Prayer/Bible Study Ministry*
6:00 p.m. *Adult Choir Rehearsal*

January 18, 2010 – Monday:

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

January 25, 2010 – Monday:

6:00 p.m. – *PathFinders Fellowship: BINGO NIGHT!!!*

January 28, 2010 – Thursday:

6:30 p.m. – *The Love Boat Cruise Dinner Theatre*

February 3, 2010 – Wednesday:

6:00 p.m. – *Light Supper (by Patty Childress)*
6:30 p.m. – *Trustees/Administrative Council meeting*

February 14, 2010 – Sunday:

Valentines Day

February 16, 2010 – Tuesday:

6:00 p.m. – *Fat Tuesday's Pancake Supper*



To Our Church Family

Thank you to all who give generously and regularly to the ministries of Cuthbert United Methodist Church. Because of your faithfulness to the Lord, we end the year well, having paid in full our mission responsibilities to the South Georgia Conference. May God's will be fulfilled in our life together in 2010.

Scott

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

As followers of Jesus Christ, we believe that the future counts. The events of our lives do not unfold randomly. God is at work around us and through us.

Since we believe the future counts, we must believe that our own actions count. The future starts with our actions, as we respond to God by faith.

John Wesley led the earliest Methodists to welcome each new year with a 'covenant prayer' before God, offering our lives to him from the start. Because we know the future counts.

I am no longer my own, but thine.
Put me to what thou wilt, rank me with whom thou wilt.
Put me to doing, put me to suffering.
Let me be employed by thee or laid aside for thee,
exalted for thee or brought low by thee.
Let me be full, let me be empty.
Let me have all things, let me have nothing.
I freely and heartily yield all things
to thy pleasure and disposal.
And now, O glorious and blessed God,
Father, Son, and Holy Spirit,
thou art mine, and I am thine. So be it.
And the covenant which I have made on earth,
let it be ratified in heaven. Amen.

With joy,

Scott

THE LORD'S DAY
Sunday, January 10, 2010
First Sunday after Epiphany

PRELUDE	<i>Brightest and Best (Heber)</i>	Eleanor Flathman
WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS		Scott Tucker
CHIMING OF THE HOUR		
LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES		
THE CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP		Chancel Choir
	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>	
*THE RESPONSIVE READING		Robbin Temples
<i>Psalm 29</i>		no. 761
*HYMN OF PRAISE		no. 384
<i>Love Divine, All Loves Excelling</i>		
*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (<i>The Apostle's Creed</i>)		no. 881
*THE GLORIA PATRI		no. 70
*THE PEACE		
CHILDREN'S MOMENTS		Bennie Mattox
HYMN OF PREPARATION		no. 451
<i>Be Thou My Vision</i>		
MORNING PRAYER		Scott Tucker
THE LORD'S PRAYER (<i>Back inside cover of hymnal</i>)		
OFFERTORY <i>More Love to Thee, O Christ (Prentiss/Doane)</i>		
*DOXOLOGY		no. 95
SPECIAL MUSIC		Chancel Choir
	<i>Sing a New Song (Allen/Allen)</i>	
SCRIPTURE LESSON Philippians 1:1-11 (<i>NT p. 185</i>)		
SERMON		Scott Tucker
	<u>"The Future Counts"</u>	
*CLOSING HYMN		(insert will be provided)
<i>Higher Ground</i>		
*PASTORAL BENEDICTION		
*CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION		
<i>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.</i>		
POSTLUDE		

*(Those who are able, please stand.)

The flower arrangement on the altar will be given by Jimmy Brownlee for the glory of God and in honor of his brother, Dr. Edward H. Brownlee.

≈≈ GIFTS RECEIVED ≈≈

from Kathryn Hardwick	in honor of:	Nelson Coffin
		Jerry & Eleanor Flathman
from Chris Moshell	in honor of:	Mrs. Anne Moshell

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

<i>January 8</i>	Sarah Elizabeth Nichols
<i>January 9</i>	Robert B. Martin, III †
<i>January 10</i>	Chip Ferguson
<i>January 12</i>	Catrena Reid
<i>January 14</i>	Lisa Peavy Hardwick
<i>January 16</i>	Joseph Tucker, James Webb
<i>January 17</i>	Richard Wallis

COMMUNITY PRAYERFUL CONCERNS

Our friends and Members in nursing homes and assisted living facilities:

Elizabeth Brownlee, Louise Hester, Anne Moshell
 Irma Patrick, Ruth Rainey, Sara Roberts,
 Dr. Marjorie Swanson, Elizabeth Wiggins

Other Prayer Concerns:

JoAnn Barge, Jesse Bowles, Margaret Bridges, Joyce Chellis,
 Nelson Coffin, Bill Daniel, Mary Hester, Rob Hester,
 Katie Hoyle, Heather Andrews Land,
 Charles ("Chuck") Lashley, Leonard Lane,
 Marshall Lindsey, Allene Nelson, Evelyn Peak,
 Barbara Sealy, Nevaeh Sloan, Jimmie Stanford,
 Florence ("Flo") Trunnell Sikula, Lucy Wall, Grayson Ward

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

TRUSTEES, There will be a brief meeting immediately following Sunday's service to elect a new Chair. Members are:

John Barge	Martha Ann Coffin	Gerry Goodman
Tanya Bonner	Charles Ferguson	Anna Paul
Patty Childress	Jimmy Gilbert	Dave Wallis

THOSE SERVING SUNDAY:

Breakfast
 Grace Crittenden
The Greeter
 Crispin Gilbert
Ushers
 Jim Bradley, Jr.
 Jimmy Bradley

Acolyte
 Ben Tucker
Worship Leader
 Robbin Temples
Children's Moments
 Bennie Mattox

The Offering Stewards
 Jimmy Brownlee
 Charles Ferguson

Worship Attendance
January 3rd: 48

CHILDREN'S CHOIR AND MORE!!!

Children's Choir will meet from 4:00-5:00 the next three Wednesdays in January. Watch for details about a new Kids program beginning on Wednesdays in February. We'll have games, music and other fun stuff. Anyone interested in helping contact Patty Tucker 732-2582 or email pattypst@gmail.com.

As you all know, the flowers at the altar table are donated in honor or memory of a loved one. If you would like to donate flowers one Sunday during the 2010 year, and/or would like to assist me in scheduling these beautiful and precious arrangements for the glory of God, please contact me at the church office (732-2071 or cuthbertumc@windstream.net).

Thank you, Jimmy Brownlee

A RECORD OF OUR STEWARDSHIP as of January 3rd:

GENERAL FUND

Contributions, 1/3:
 \$3,089.00

Needed YTD (budget):
 \$2,270.60

Collected YTD:
 \$3,089.00

CURRENT BALANCES:
 (not part of GENERAL FUND)

Choir Fund: \$ 831.74
 Faithful Stewards: \$ 431.41
 Methodist Men's: \$1,086.14
 Mission Fund: \$ 783.93
 Organ Fund: \$ 421.00
 Parsonage Fund: \$ 250.67
 Youth Fund: \$1,118.00