

This Week's Schedule
2nd Sunday of Easter

Sunday, April 8th
 9:00 a.m. - Early Service
 10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. - Worship Service
 3:00 p.m. - Confirmation Class Calvary UMC
 5:30 p.m. - UMYF
 6:00 p.m. - Evening Service with
 Rev. Bob Norwood

Monday, April 9th
 5:00 p.m. - 55 and Alive -Foskey Clubhouse
 6:30 p.m. - Vicki Rogers Circle - Social Hall

Tuesday, April 10th
 4:00 p.m. - Shirley Reid Circle

Wednesday, April 11th
 7:00 a.m. - Men's Prayer Breakfast
 5:30 p.m. - Children & Adult Bible Study
 6:30 p.m. - Fellowship Supper
 7:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir Practice

Saturday, April 14th
 8:00 a.m.-Noon-Thrift Shop-- Shirley Reid Circle

The 3rd Wednesday Kitchen Team is in need of help. They really need help every Wednesday night but they are really short the 3rd Wednesday. Please contact Kathy Palmer if you are able to help.

WE ARE THE FEET AND HANDS OF CHRIST
 Pay a visit to someone, make a phone call, send a card, make a casserole or bake some cookies, the simplest of gestures can make a big difference in the life of someone needing a human contact.

Access the church calendar from your mobile device.



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 Twitter.com/fumcswainsboro

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Tuesday, April 17th, 6:30 p.m.,
 U.M.W. General Meeting - Mae Vann Circle hosting.

Sunday, April 22nd, 4:00 p.m. the
 North East District Conference Meeting at Pittman Park U.M.C. Statesboro, Georgia.
(NO EVENING SERVICE)

Sunday, April 29th, 6:00p.m. Joint evening service with First Baptist Church.

We need to know of any graduates in the church for this year. Children, grandchildren or other family members. We will be recognizing them on Wednesday, May 16th at our Fellowship Supper. Please contact us with their names.

Your Copy of the Upper Room Devotional Book for March & April is available in the Church Library.



We will meet Sunday, April 8th with The Smiths hosting
 Send a text to 810-10 with the Message @fumcs to subscribe to the Youth News & Events



The Children's

10:00 a.m.—Sunday School
11:00 a.m.—Children's Church

Kids for Christ Clubs

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Last Sunday's Attendance

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| Sunday School | 72 |
| 9:00 a.m. Worship | 53 |
| 11:00 a.m. Worship | 213 |
| No Evening Service | |
| Total Worship | 266 |

Last Sunday's Gifts

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|-----------------------|--------------|
| Weekly Budget | \$ 9022.00 |
| Received for Budget | \$ 17412.00 |
| Amount (Under) | \$ 8390.00 |
| YTD Budget | \$ 117286.00 |
| YTD Rec'vd for Budget | \$129410.00 |
| Amount over (Under) | \$ 12124.00 |
| Received for Budget | \$ 17412.00 |
| Designated Giving | \$ 5653.49 |
| This Week's Giving | \$ 23065.49 |
| Easter Offering | \$ 4663.00 |
| Stained Glass Window | |
| Fund to Date : | \$ 2970.00 |



**Fellowship
 Breakfast
 Sunday, April 8th
 9:30 a.m.**

**See you around the
 Coffee Pot**



Rev. David Unkles, Senior Pastor
 Dr. Ennis Bragg, Choir Director
 Connie Terwilliger, Music Director

Rev. Rus Black, Associate Pastor
 Melinda Hall, Children's Ministry Coordinator
 Judy Wells, Administrative Assistant

Swainsboro First United Methodist Church

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Broadcast over WXRS 100.5 FM

Introit Lead Me Lord UMH 473

Prelude From the Word of God Johann Pachelbel

Welcome and Greetings

Call to Worship

Christ is risen!

Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful.

And kindle in them the fire of your love.

Send forth your Spirit and they shall be created.

And you will renew the face of the earth.

Invocation

Opening Hymn He Lives UMH 310

***Affirmation of Faith** The Apostles' Creed UMH 881

***Gloria Patri** UMH 70

*The Passing of the Peace

***Gathering Chorus** I'm so glad I'm a part of the Family of God,
I've been washed in the fountain,
Cleansed by His blood!
Joint heirs with Jesus as we travel this sod.
For I'm part of the family,
The Family of God.

Children's Moment Melinda Hall

Morning Hymn 'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus UMH 462

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer

Prayer Chorus

Seek Ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness

And all these things shall be added unto you.

Allelu, alleluia

Offertory O Jesus, Thou Art Standing arr. Justin H. Knecht

***Doxology** UMH 62 Stanza 7

Let all things their Creator bless,

and worship Him in humbleness,

O praise ye! Alleluia!

Praise, Praise the Father, Praise the Son,

and praise the Spirit, Three in One!

O praise ye! O praise ye!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

Anthem

***Scripture** I John 1:1-4

Message "An After Easter Message."

Invitation Hymn Spirit of God, Descent upon My Heart UMH 500

*Benediction

*Choral Amen

Postlude O Thou, in Whose Presence Wyeth's
Repository of Sacred Music

**Please stand as you are able.*

***Our chancel rail is open for prayer.*

Nursery: 9:00 a.m. Yonna Bailey, 10:00 a.m. Melinda Hall, 11:00 a.m. Stephanie Fagler

Ushers: John Allen Bailey, Captain, Butch Frye, John Morris, Cliff Smith, John Torpy

The flowers today are given in memory of Anna Leigh Wells
to honor her Birthday

This Week's Scripture Verses

Acts 4:32-35

Psalms 133 (UMH 850)

I John 1:1—2:2

John 20:19-31

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Church Members:

Mary Rose Brown, Dr. Michael Daniel, Myra Downer, Charles & Jackie Drake, Mary & Ralph Foskey, Patsy Gray, Vernon Hardy, David Hill, Jerry Hooks, Denny Key, Sybil Lamb, Bonnie Lanier, Ron & Karen Pyle, Ted Stockholm, Danny Tapley, Annette Thompson

Extended Church Family:

Hugh Braswell, Carol Canady, Lynne Drake (Jackie & Charles daughter-in-law), Frances & Louie Dryden, Bill Edenfield (Smith Edenfield's brother), Hope Fagler, Barbara Green, Diane Hinzman (Patty Cowart's daughter), O.C. Hutcheson (Karol Key's father), Charles Lanier, Buddy Lockhart, Leah H. Maile (Jean Hunnicutt's daughter), Ricky McIntyre, Avery Moore (infant waiting for a heart), Joan Neil (Bob Neil's Mother), Charlotte Parrish, Mary Ann Pierce, Bessie Neal & Wyatt Rich, Faye & John Rountree, Michelle Scott, Dr. Tom Singletary, Charlotte Sowell (Jackie Drake's sister), Kal Thompson, Ned Waller, Margaret Ward (Renae McNeely's mother)

Military Family: Major Kristy Cohen (Nancy & Mike Lisenby's niece), CMDR. Michael D. Heltzel, (the Drake's Grandson)

St. Jude Trike-A-Thon
On Thursday, April 19th, our
Preschoolers are again participat-
ing in a benefit for St. Jude Chil-
children's Research Hospital. This
helps to teach our children that
size and age does not keep them
from doing BIG things for others.
Please donate to this beautiful
and worthy charity. You are also
invited to come on this day and
cheer for the kids as they ride.