

**This Week's Schedule
Transfiguration Sunday**

Sunday, February 23rd

9:00 a.m. - Early Service
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
11:00 a.m. - Worship Service
12:00 p.m. - "Pizza Lunch" Acolyte Training

5:30 p.m. - Youth Fellowship
6:00 p.m. - Evening Service with Mr. John Derden

Monday, February 24th

7:00 a.m. - Prayer Group
6:30 p.m. - Church Council - Social Hall

Wednesday, February 26th

7:00 a.m. - Men's Prayer Breakfast
5:30 p.m. - Children & Youth Activities and Adult Bible Study
6:30 p.m. - Fellowship Supper

7:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, February 27th

6:00 p.m. - U.M.M. Meeting "Rustic Grill" Dutch Treat

Saturday, February 29th

8:00 a.m. - Noon - Thrift Shop - Youth

YOUTH NEWS!!!!!!

Sunday School is at 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Night 5:30 p.m. w/dinner
Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. dinner
at 6:30 p.m. at the church.

Thursday, March 26th, the Youth will travel to Augusta for "Winter Jam Fest" the details of the trip will follow later but we will need signed permission slips.

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Access the church calendar from your mobile device.



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Sunday, March 8th, will be U.M.W. Day. Ms. Charlene Dupree-Turner will speak. She is a strong stroke survivor, you should find her message inspiring. Our beautiful children will sing that day.

Saturday, March 14th, U.M.W. Mission Study on "Social Action" will be at Wadley UMC.

Sunday, March 22nd, will be our first covered dish luncheon for 2020. Please mark your calendars.

Saturday, March 28th, 5:30 p.m. Family Movie Night and "Chili Cook-Off" everyone is invited.

Sunday, March 29th, is the first 5th Sunday Service with First Baptist Church for 2020. We will meet at their church with Rev. Unkles presenting the message.

The March / April issue of the Upper Room is now available on the bookcase by the Trinity Sunday School Classroom.



The Children's News

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

Kids for Christ Clubs

Send a text to 81010 with the message @sfumckids
Kids for Christ News and Events.

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Last Sunday's Attendance

Sunday School	65
9:00 a.m. Service	28
11:00 a.m. Worship	113
Evening Service	8
Total Worship	149

Last Sunday's Gifts

Weekly Budget	\$ 9422.00
Received for Budget Amount (Under)	\$ 9764 .00
	\$ 342.00

YTD Budget	\$ 65954.00
YTD Rec'd for Budget	\$ 64903.00
Amount over (Under)	\$ 1051.00

Received for Budget	\$ 9764.00
Designated Giving	\$ 428.51
This Week's Giving	\$ 10192.51



Small Group

Sermon Series



Rev. David Unkles, Pastor
Dr. Ennis Bragg, Choir Director
Melinda Hall, Children's Ministry Coordinator

Joseph Gomez Associate Minister / Youth
Connie Terwilliger, Music Director
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 The Lord's My Shepherd arr. David Cherwien

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

He was in the beginning with God. All things were made through Him,

And without Him was not anything made that was made.

In Him was life, and the life was the light of men.

And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we have seen His glory,

Glory as of the only Son of the Father, full of grace and truth.

Invocation

*Opening Hymn When Morning Gilds the Skies UMH 185

*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed UMH 881

*Gloria Patri

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 Faith of Our Fathers UMH 710

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

Offering Rejoice, the Lord Is King arr. Heather Sorenson

*Doxology UMH 95

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.

Anthem

*Scripture Acts 2:42

Message Sermon # 2 "Fellowship"

*Invitation Hymn Blest Be the Tie That Binds UMH 557

*Benediction

*Choral Amen

Postlude Lord God, We All to Thee Give Praise Johann Pachelbel

**Please stand as you are able.*

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

Nursery: 9:00 a.m. Melanie Frye 10:00 a.m. Melinda Hall 11:00 a.m. Kim Hooks

Ushers: Bob Neil, Captain, Jim Daughtry, Chance Flanders, Travis Garrett, Charles Schwabe, Guy Singletary

The beautiful flowers this morning are in memory of Anna Smith given by her loving family to honor her birthday.

We will share in a special Ash Wednesday service in the Sanctuary beginning around 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, February 26th. Please go to your regular classes first on Wednesday at 5:30 p.m. and following the service we will have our Fellowship Supper in the Social Hall.

This Week's Scripture Verses

Exodus 24:12-18

Psalms 99 (UMH 819)

2 Peter 1:16-21

Matthew 17:1-9

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Church Members:

Lei Bragg, Mary Rose Brown, Charles Drake, Chesley Flanders Jr., Mary Foskey, Vernon Hardy, Linda Lamb, Catherine Mattox, Karen Pyle, M. L. Reid, Ginny Smith, Mary Ellen Smith, Sue Stockholm, Phil Thompson, B. J. Williams

Extended Church Family:

Patricia Coleman, Brandon Dickens (Cathy McDaniel's nephew), Lynn Drake (Charles Drake's daughter-in-law), Frances Dryden, Kevin Edenfield, Teah Fennell, Don & Stephanie Flanders, Georganne Hairr (Kim Hooks' mother) R. L. Marshall (Kay Peacock's brother), Ken McGee (Sharon Edenfield's father), Shirley McNeely, Art & Joan Neil (Bob Neil's parents), Mitch Proctor, Don Rainwater, Vaughn Riner, Faye & John Rountree, Michelle Scott, Keith & Kal Thompson, Audry White, Eloise Wood (B. J. Williams mother)

Military Family: CMDR. Michael D. Heltzel, (Charles Drake's Grandson)

Beginning Wednesday, February 26th, the Adult Bible Study Class will begin a new study centered around the season of Lent, leading up to and including Easter. We invite you to join us at 5:30 p.m. each week. We meet in the large Sunday School classroom with the recliners and sofas.