

This Week's Schedule
1st Sunday of Advent

Sunday, November 29th

10:00 a.m. - Sunday School
 9:00 a.m. - Early Worship Service
 11:00 a.m. - Worship Service
**11:00 a.m. - Worship Service on
 "Facebook" or Radio 100.5 FM**
 6:00 p.m. - Joint Evening Service
 with First Baptist Church

Wednesday, December 2nd

5:45 p.m. - Fellowship Supper

 6:15 p.m. - Study Classes (all ages)

YOUTH NEWS!!!!!!

We are beginning plans for our Christmas Party. The tentative date is Sunday, December 20th. More details to follow.

Wednesday nights, we will eat supper at 5:45 p.m. have small groups at 6:15 p.m. in the Youth Room.

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 Joseph Gomez (478-331-8498)
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Access the church calendar from your mobile device.



Facebook.com/fumcswainsboro

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F. Y. I.

Poinsettias will be displayed in the Sanctuary on Dec. 13th & 20th. If you wish to order any the last day will be Dec. 9th and the cost will be \$10.00 each. You must have your In Memory or In Honor of information in the church office no later than Dec. 9th to have it in the Bulletin.

B. O. K. Children's Program is Sunday, December 13th, 6:00 p.m.

Cook Books are available in the Church Office. When making your Christmas Gift List please include one.

The November / December issue of the Upper Room is now available in the hallway by the Church Office. Please come by and pick up your copy.



The Children's News

Be sure to join First United Methodist Church or Swainsboro Childrens Ministry Facebook group for videos, games and all the latest information.

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Last Sunday's Attendance

Sunday School	44
9:00 a.m. Service	35
11:00 a.m. Worship	58
6:00 p.m. Evening Service	6
Total Worship	99

Last Sunday's Gifts

Weekly Budget	\$ 9422.00
Received for Budget	\$ 7137.00
Amount (Under)	\$ 2285.00

YTD Budget	\$ 433412.00
YTD Rec'd for Budget	\$ 406701.50
Amount over (Under)	\$ 26710.50

Received for Budget	\$ 137.00
Designated Giving	\$ 118.00
This Week's Giving	\$ 7435.00

**"OPERATION SHOEBOX"
 TO DATE: \$ 2152.00**

Donations left at the altar rail on Communion Sunday go to the Golden Harvest Food Bank.



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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

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November 29, 2020 Broadcast over WXRS 100.5 FM

Prelude Savior of the Nations Come Wayne L. Wold

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

You know what time it is,
how it is now the moment for you to wake from sleep.

For salvation is nearer to us now than when we became believers;
the night is far gone, the day is near.

Let us then lay aside the works of darkness
and put on the armor of light.

Invocation

Lighting of the 1st Advent Candle John Unkles

*Opening Hymn To God Be the Glory UMH 98

*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed UMH 881

*Gloria Patri

Passing of the Peace *(Pandemic style)*

*Gathering Chorus We Have Come into His House

Children's Moment Melinda Hall

*Morning Hymn Hail to the Lord's Anointed UMH 203

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

"Plate-less" Offering

Doxology

Anthem

Scripture: Mark 13:24-37

Sermon: "Be careful what you ask for..."

Invitation Hymn Emmanuel, Emmanuel UMH 204

Benediction

Postlude To Thee, O Lord, Our Hearts We Raise
Humphrey Turner

*Please stand as you are able.

**Our chancel rail is open for prayer.

*Nursery: 9:00 a.m. Jessica Barber 10:00 a.m. Melinda Hall 11:00 a.m. Tabitha Flanders
Ushers: John Allen Bailey, Frank Canady, Sidney Lanier, Paul McDaniel,
Richard McNeely, Bob Neil*

***Our beautiful flowers this Sunday are given in memory
of Mr. Jim Buckley by his loving wife to honor his
birthday.***

**UMW are purchasing Bible Storybooks for the Weekend
Blessing Christmas Bags. They are \$7.00 each. If you are
interested in donating toward these Bible Storybooks for
the Primary and Elementary students, please see Nancy
Lisenby or Renae McNeely. Please make your check
payable to United Methodist Women.**

This Week's Scripture Verses

Isaiah 64:1-9

Psalm s 80:1-7, 17-19 (UMH 801)

I Corinthians 1:3-9

Mark 13:24-37

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Church Members:

Ennis & Lei Bragg, Chesley Flanders Jr., Hank Evans, Mary Foskey, Melanie Frye, Terry & Fran Gay, Vernon Hardy, Linda Lamb, Catherine Mattox, Kay Peacock, Richard Peacock, Mary Ellen Smith, Sue Stockholm, Phil Thompson, Kelli Torpy, Virgil Wells

Extended Church Family:

Wade Bedingfield, Buddy Bonds (Lori Bonds Mother-in-law), Betty Y. Brown, Susie Bryant, Jean Clifton, Patricia Coleman, Frances Cross, Sam Daniels, Brandon Dickens (Cathy McDaniel's nephew), Frances Dryden, Kevin Edenfield, Don & Stephanie Flanders, Helen & Tom Graves (Carolyn Derden's bother & sister), Georganne Hairr (Kim Hooks' mother), Melissa Canady Hendrix (Brenda Canady's daughter), Nick Herrington, Ronnie Hopkins, Mary Huston, Kaylan Lamb (Terry and Tanya Lamb's granddaughter), Harriett Lawson, Rev. Paul Leigh, R. L. Marshall (Kay Peacock's brother), Lisa Ray Martin, Bill Mathis Sr., Ken McGee (Sharon Edenfield's father), Shirley McNeely, Sandy Moody, Wes Moye, Art & Joan Neil (Bob Neil's parents), Tim Palmer, Mitch Proctor, Don Rainwater, Vaughn Riner, Keith & Kal Thompson, Roy Thompson, Frances & Lee Vaitha, Rev. Ronnie Wills, Charles Whatley, Eloise Wood (B. J. Williams mother), Sharon Wright

Military Family:

CWO2 Kirk Palmer



**WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16th,
EVERYONE IS INVITED.
WATCH FOR DETAILS.**