

**This Week's Schedule**  
**3rd Sunday of Easter**

**Sunday, April 18th**

9:00 a.m. - Early Worship Service  
 10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
 11:00 a.m. - Worship Service  
 3:30 p.m. - Confirmation Class  
 5:00 p.m. - Evening Worship Service  
 with Rev. Bob Norwood

**Monday, April 19th**

6:00 p.m. - 55 and Alive - Social Hall  
 "Nunez Quartet"

**Tuesday, April 20th**

5:30 p.m. - Mae Vann Circle  
 Social Hall  
 7:00 p.m. - Pandemic Committee  
 Meeting - Social Hall

**Wednesday, April 21st**

6:00 p.m. - Fellowship Supper  
 6:30 p.m. - Study Classes (all ages)  
 7:00 p.m. - Chancel Choir Practice

**Thursday, April 22nd**

**NO U. M. M. MEETING**

**YOUTH NEWS!!!!!!**

**Sunday School is at 9:45 a.m.**

**Wednesday nights, we will eat  
 supper at 6:00 p.m. Our small  
 group study time will be at 6:30  
 in the Youth Room.**

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Access the church calendar  
 from your mobile device.



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**F. Y. I.**

**Monday, April 26th, 5:30 p.m.**  
**Children's Ministry Committee**  
**Meeting in the Social Hall**

**Monday, April 26th, 6:30 p.m.**  
**Church Council Meeting in the-**  
**Social Hall**

**Wednesday, May 19th will be**  
**the night to honor our**  
**Graduates during the**  
**Fellowship Supper time.**

**Sunday, May 23, will be**  
**"CONFIRMATION SUNDAY"**  
**during the 11:00 a.m. worship**  
**service**

**Sunday, May 30th, will be the**  
**joint worship service with First**  
**Baptist Church.**

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL**

**JUNE 6th thru 9th**

*The March / April 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	27
9:00 a.m. Service	29
11:00 a.m. Worship	70
5:00 p.m. No Evening Service	9
Total Worship	108

**Last Sunday's Gifts**

Weekly Budget	\$ 9544.00
Received for Budget	\$ <u>12210.10</u>
Amount (Under)	\$ 2666.10
YTD Budget	\$ 143160.00
YTD Rec'd for Budget	\$ <u>147912.73</u>
Amount over (Under)	\$ 4752.73
Received for Budget	\$ 12210.10
Designated Giving	\$ <u>296.53</u>
This Week's Giving	\$ 12506.63

**"LENT / EASTER OFFERING"**  
**TO DATE: \$ 4996.00**

**Donations left at the altar rail on Com-  
 munion Sunday go to the Golden Har-  
 vest Food Bank.**



Rev. David Unkles, Pastor  
 Dr. Ennis Bragg, Choir Director

Joseph Gomez Associate Minister / Youth  
 Connie Terwilliger, Music Director  
 Melinda Hall, Children's Ministry Coordinator  
 Judy Wells, Administrative Assistant

Swainsboro First United Methodist Church  
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Broadcast over WXR 100.5 FM

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Christ is risen!  
Christ is risen indeed! Alleluia!

Soar we now where Christ has led, following our exalted  
Head;  
made like Him, like Him we rise;  
ours the cross, the grave, the skies!

Invocation

\*Opening Hymn There's Within My Heart a Melody UMH 380

\*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 Victory in Jesus UMH 370

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

"Plate-less" Offering

\*Doxology

Anthem

\*Scripture Luke 24:36-49

Sermon "A Step in the Right Direction"

\*Invitation Hymn Are Ye Able UMH 530

\*Benediction

Postlude

\*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: John Allen Bailey, Frank Canady, Sidney Lanier, Paul McDaniel,  
Richard McNeely, Bob Neil*

*We wish to offer our condolences to Ms. Diane Morris  
and her family in the passing of her mother  
Ms. Annamelia Oglesby. Our sympathy and prayers  
are with each of you.*

**Applications and eligibility criteria for the 2021 Sumner  
Scholarship are available in the church office. The  
application deadline is APRIL 30, 2021**

This Week's Scripture Verses

Acts 3:12-19  
Psalm 4 (UMH 741)  
I John 3:1-7  
Luke 24:36b-48

In Our Thoughts and Prayers

Church Members:

Ennis & Lei Bragg, Bobbie Daughtry, Chesley  
Flanders Jr., Mary Foskey, Terry & Fran Gay,  
Vernon Hardy, Linda Lamb, Denise Neal, Phil  
Thompson, Virgil Wells

Extended Church Family:

Donald Atkinson, Pat & Wade Bedingfield,  
Buddy Bonds (Lori Bonds Mother-in-law),  
Alayna Brennan (Julie Gomez co-worker),  
Susie Bryant, Lee Canady, Patricia Coleman,  
Sam Daniels, Brandon Dickens (Cathy  
McDaniel's nephew), Frances Dryden, Sylvia  
Durden, Kevin Edenfield, Betty Flanders. Helen  
& Tom Graves (Carolyn Derden's bother &  
sister), Georganne Hairr (Kim Hooks' mother),  
Judy Hall, Ronnie Hopkins, Zade Scarboro  
Hullander, Kaylan Lamb (Terry and Tanya  
Lamb's granddaughter) R. L. Marshall (Kay  
Peacock's brother), Deborah Martin, Bill  
Mathis Sr., Ken McGee (Sharon Edenfield's  
father), Marvin McIntyre, Shirley McNeely,  
Sandy Moody, Wes Moye, Art & Joan Neil  
(Bob Neil's parents), Tim Palmer, Mitch  
Proctor, Vaughn Riner, Wes Terry, Keith & Kal  
Thompson, Roy Thompson, Frances & Lee  
Vaitha, Rev. Ronnie Wills, Charles Whatley

Military Family:

CWO2 Kirk Palmer

*Thanks to Ms Connie Terwilliger,  
our very talented Music Director,  
and Organist / Pianist for the  
beautiful selection she featured  
for us Sunday morning. We are so  
lucky and grateful that she shares  
her talent with us in such a  
bountiful way. We Love and  
appreciate you.*