



Below is a list of this year's Seniors. We don't want to miss anyone, so if you are a Senior and your name is **NOT** on this list—please contact the church office at 770-867-4594.

### High School

<i>Bailey Brock</i>	<i>Andrew Pharr</i>
<i>Katie Epperson</i>	<i>Drake Power</i>
<i>Courtney Ford</i>	<i>Evan Shope</i>
<i>Emily Hester</i>	<i>Hannah Smith</i>

### College

We would also like to honor all those who are graduating from college this year. Please contact the church office and let us know your name, the college you are graduating from and your degree.

#### Leslie Bentley

*Doctor of Pharmacy  
Mercer University College of Pharmacy*

#### MacKenzie Duffey

*Bachelor of Science Degree in Environmental Spatial Analysis  
Certificate in Geographic Information Sciences  
University of North Georgia*

#### Courtney Epperson

*Associate's Degree in Radiologic Technology  
Gwinnett Technical College*

#### Holden Petree

*Bachelor of Arts in Sociology and Bachelor of Criminal Justice  
University of Georgia*

## **MISSION NEWS**

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

The next Missions Team meeting will be **Sunday, May 21st** immediately after the late worship services at 12:15 pm. Please bring a brown bag lunch to the Fellowship Hall Small Dining Room. Drink and dessert provided.

### ONGOING MONTHLY MISSION: THE BARROW COUNTY FOOD PANTRY

Non-perishable food donations to the local Food Pantry to help feed our hungry neighbors are always needed. **THIS MONTH'S NEEDED ITEMS ARE CANNED FRUIT, CANNED MEAT AND CEREAL.** Collection bins are located outside the Sanctuary and at the side entrance of the Fellowship Hall. Help our Food Pantry reach out in Christ's love to others by picking up a few extra items to donate once or twice a month, and place these in either collection bin.

### MAY MISSION FOCUS

Wesley Woods will be this month's mission focus. Donations made on May 7<sup>th</sup> at communion and during the May 14<sup>th</sup> special "Wesley Woods" offering will be combined. Wesley Woods Senior Living is dedicated to the core ministry of serving older adults through the provision of retirement communities. There are nine retirement communities in six locations throughout North Georgia. Today, over 1,500 older adults are served annually in Wesley Woods Senior Living retirement communities with 75% receiving financial assistance. Please prayerfully consider giving a monetary donation this month to help Wesley Woods continue this ministry for older adults.

Peace & Light, Jan David & Ellen Petree, Mission Co-Chairs

# Glancing at the Coming Week

### Sunday, May 7

8:45 AM Traditional Worship  
9:30 AM Fellowship Time  
9:30 AM Youth Snack Breakfast  
10:00 AM Elementary Sunday School (K-5th Grade)  
10:00 AM Sunday School (Youth & Adults)  
10:55 AM Traditional Worship  
11:00 AM Contemporary Worship Service  
4:00 PM Kidstuf  
5:00 PM - 6:30 PM Middle School Youth Group  
6:30 PM - 8:30 PM High School Youth Group

### Monday, May 8

8:30 AM - 12:30 PM Preschool  
8:30 AM Zumba Fitness  
8:45 AM All AGE's (Adult General Exercise)  
2:00 - 6:30 PM After School Program  
6:30 PM Boy Scout Troop 700  
7:00 PM Finance Committee Meeting

### Tuesday, May 9

6:15 AM Youth Prayer Breakfast  
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM Preschool  
11:00 AM Program Staff Meeting  
12:30 PM Boys & Girls Club Food Prep  
2:00 - 6:30 PM After School Program  
4:00 PM Brass & Ivory/Quartermasters Rehearsal  
6:30 PM Praise Team Rehearsal

### Wednesday, May 10

**Last Day of Preschool**  
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM Preschool  
8:30 AM - 12:30 PM Parents Morning Out  
8:30 AM Zumba Fitness  
8:45 AM All AGE's (Adult General Exercise)  
2:00 - 6:30 PM After School Program  
5:45 PM WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER  
6:30 PM Children's Choir Rehearsal  
6:30 PM Youth Bible Study  
6:45 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal  
7:00 PM Children's Bible Study

### Thursday, May 11

8:30 AM - 12:30 PM Preschool Teacher Planning  
8:45 AM All AGE's (Adult General Exercise)  
9:00 AM Weight Watchers  
10:00 AM Thursday Morning Women's Bible Study  
11:30 AM Garden Club Picnic  
2:00 - 6:30 PM After School Program  
5:30 PM Weight Watchers

### Friday, May 12

6:30 AM Men's Study Breakfast  
9:00 AM Preschool Graduation & Celebration Carnival  
2:00 - 6:30 PM After School Program

### Saturday, May 13

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM UMM Chicken BBQ Fundraiser  
3:00 PM Memorial Service for Robert Bishop (non-member)

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER MENU ~ MAY 10TH

**Pork Chops, Pinto Beans, Corn,  
Salad Bar, Pizza, French Fries, Grilled Cheese Sandwiches, Dessert, Tea**

### SERVING LINE OPENS AT 5:45 P.M. IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

Come join us for food, fun & friendship!

**ADULTS** (11 yrs. & older) — \$6    **CHILDREN** (up to 10 yrs.) — \$3  
**SALAD BAR ONLY — \$4**

**Please fill out a reservation card and drop it in the offering plate or contact the church office by NOON each Monday. If you cannot keep your reservation, you MUST cancel by NOON on Monday!**

### CHURCH STAFF:

*Pastor* - Calvin Haney, ext. 19  
*Dir. of Programs/Education* - Dwight Oakes, ext. 12  
*Dir. of Family Life Center* - Kelly West, ext. 15  
*Min. to Youth & Contemporary Worship* - Todd McCain, ext. 14  
*Part-Time Dir. of Children's Ministries* - Anthony Smith, ext. 28  
*Part-Time Dir. of Music* - Bruce Nunley, ext. 21  
*Part-Time Organist/Accompanist* - Nathan Jones  
*Part-Time Music Leader, Contemporary Service* - Aaron Lane

*Office Manager/Financial Secretary* - Glenda DiGanci, ext. 24  
*Admin. Asst./Worship Coordinator* - Debbie Brock, ext. 23  
*Part-Time Dir. of Weekday Preschool* - Karen Garren, ext. 11  
*Church Hostess/Nursery & Older Adult Ministries Coordinator/Clerical Support* - Shelly Epperson, ext. 20  
*Custodian* - Vickie Skelton  
*Dir. of Security/Maintenance & Part-Time Custodian* - Tom Morton, ext. 29

### Today's Volunteers

**Greeters:** W.D. David, Ron Lemke, Henry Mays, Jim & Pat Neu, Cherie Prescott

#### **Acolytes:**

**8:45:** Lea Jewell  
**10:55:** Pierce McWhorter

#### **Children's Sermon:**

No Sermon this Week

#### **Fellowship Time:** Spares & Pairs Class

Next Week: W.Y. Smith Class

#### **Security:** Alan Herrin (May 6th & 7th)

**Sound & Video Technicians:** Paul & Sally Brown, Rich Faglier, Laedenia Jewell, Nicky Jones, Laurie Martin, Russ Shepley, Eric Spoto, Nick Spoto, Mark Still, Allyson Summerour

**Contemporary Worship:** Ashley DiGanci, Rachel Lane

**Ushers 8:45:** Tommy Sanders-Captain, Mike Etheridge, Scott Major, David Maynard, Jim Neu, Jim Pilgrim, Tommy Pittard, Steven Smith, Sam Stewart, Jimmy Terrell

**Ushers 10:55:** Jerry Hartman-Captain, Mike Bentley, Steve Cameron, Alice McLaurin, Clevey Moseley, Robert Stansell, Gary Whitlock

**Youth Snack Supper:** Alex & Amanda Hill, Mitchell & Marialice Souther

# WELCOME TO



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## *Requests for Prayer*

**May 7, 2017**



**TO PROTECT THE  
PRIVACY OF OUR  
CONGREGATION  
MEMBERS AND FRIENDS,  
WE DO NOT PUBLISH  
PRAYER CONCERNS ON  
OUR WEBSITE.**



*The flowers in the church walkway planters are planted in honor of Victoria Patrick's gallant battle against liver failure.*

### After Hours Contact Information for Our Pastor

If you need to reach our pastor, Calvin Haney, after church office hours, he is available by cell @ 770-713-3678.

## Summer Day Camp Registration

Kindergarten thru 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

Day Camp Dates:

Monday, May 22nd thru Friday, July 28th

Weekly Cost:

Full-Time Camper (Monday-Friday) —

\$120 per week - \$60 sibling

2-Day Camper — \$50 per week—\$25 sibling

3-Day Camper — \$75 per week - \$35 sibling

Occasional Camper (drop-in, space cannot be guaranteed) —  
\$30/day

Regular Hours: 7am to 6pm

Registration Fee: One week tuition (due with registration)

Included in tuition: weekly field trips, crafts, sports and fun, fun, fun!

Registration forms are available online, in the church office

or in the Family Life Center lobby. Call (770) 867-4594, ext. 15 for more info.

[www.winderfumc.com](http://www.winderfumc.com)

### Church Library Moving Soon to New Location

Our Church Library is now **closed** as plans are underway for it to be moved to Room 116, which is a bigger space next door to its present location. The current library space will become a conference room. If you have books that are checked out, you may keep them until the move is completed. Books for the United Methodist Women's Reading Program are available for checkout during the move. These books are on a cart in the Parlor and also may be kept until the move is completed.

### Appreciation Brunch for Karen Garren

Please join us in the Fellowship Hall during Coffee Time at 9:30 AM NEXT SUNDAY, May 21st, for some light refreshments to honor Karen Garren for her 10 years of service as our Preschool Director.

### United Methodist Women Gifts to Missions in Honor of Babies

The United Methodist Women will be making gifts to missions to celebrate babies born or adopted into our congregation's families. If grandparents or others have babies they would like to honor through a similar gift, they may do so by submitting a check in the amount of \$10.00, made out to the Winder UMW. **Checks may be given to treasurer, Ann Mays, or turned in to the church office by May 28, 2017.**

Please use the following form to request a Certificate in Recognition of a Gift to Missions Honoring Babies:

\_\_\_\_\_, son/daughter

of \_\_\_\_\_

(Your name)

Gifts to Missions are being made in honor of the following babies born since September 2016 :

If we have overlooked any name, please let Ann Mays or the church office know.  
**Jewelyn Renee Lane**, daughter of Stephani Lane-Minella and niece of Aaron Lane

**Jessa Lucille Maloof**, daughter of Tyler & Dana Maloof and granddaughter of Keith & Lisa Maloof

**Evelyn ("Evie") Brooks Orr**, daughter of Scott & Lindsay Orr and granddaughter of Jan & W.D. David

**Nathan Clarke Terrell**, son of Jon & Sarah Terrell and grandson of Jimmy & Ellen Terrell



**WINDER FUMC METHODIST  
MEN FUNDRAISER  
CHICKEN BBQ  
SATURDAY, MAY 13TH  
TAKE-OUT ONLY!  
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
\$8 PER PLATE**

**PLATE INCLUDES: 1/2 A CHICKEN, BAKED BEANS,  
SLAW & BREAD**

**PLEASE CONTACT TOM MORTON (404-216-0924) OR  
DAVID MARTIN (770-307-4133) FOR TICKETS.**

### Relay for Life Spaghetti Fundraiser

**Wednesday, May 24th, at 5:45 pm**

**Winder FUMC Fellowship Hall**

Adults (11 years & older) — \$6.00 per plate

Children (up to 10 years old) — \$3.00 per plate

Please make your reservations by calling the church office  
(770-867-4594) by Noon on Monday, May 22nd.

Note: If you have permanent reservations for  
Wednesday Night Supper, you do not need to call unless  
you are NOT going to be able to attend.

### Older Adult Trips

**Wednesday, May 31st — Trip to visit the Atlanta Botanical Gardens  
in Gainesville..We will leave the church at 9 AM.**

**Wisdom & Grace Conference at Lake Junaluska—August 7th - 10th**

Please see the Older Adult bulletin board in the Missions Hallway to sign-up  
and get more information or contact Shelly at 770-867-4594, ext. 20;  
[sepperson@winderfirstumc.com](mailto:sepperson@winderfirstumc.com).

### Annual Mother's Day Bulletin

The United Methodist Women are sponsoring a Mother's Day bulletin again this year. All money raised by this special bulletin will be used for UMW mission projects. The minimum donation is \$1 per name. This is a wonderful way to honor the special women in your life.

**The deadline for submittal is TODAY, MAY 7TH!**

Please fill out the form below and drop it in the offering plate or bring it by the church office. Checks should be made payable to United Methodist Women and marked "For Mother's Day Missions."

\_\_\_\_\_  
Your Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Your Phone Number

1. In honor / memory (please circle one) of \_\_\_\_\_
2. In honor / memory (please circle one) of \_\_\_\_\_
3. In honor / memory (please circle one) of \_\_\_\_\_
4. In honor / memory (please circle one) of \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_



**Attention: Kids in Kindergarten—5th Grade**

Join us on Sundays from 4:00 - 6:00 pm for these fun events:

May 7th — CRAFT NIGHT...in the Fellowship Hall  
May 14th — NO KIDSTUF...MOTHER'S DAY  
May 21st — FIELD TRIP TO MEMORIAL PARK & BEAR HOLLOW ZOO...  
Please bring water and a snack and meet at the Tot Lot at 2:30 PM.  
May 28th — MOVIE...in the Theater Room (#208 upstairs)



**Vacation Bible School**

**is Coming Soon...**

**June 5th - 9th...**

**9AM - Noon Each Day...**

**Registration Is Now Open!!!**

Register at [www.winderfumc.com](http://www.winderfumc.com)...SPACE IS LIMITED...REGISTER EARLY!  
Preschool registration is limited to the first 40. Child must be ALREADY 3 and completely potty trained. Rising 6th & 7th grades will be mission focused groups.

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS! Contact Anthony at [asmith@winderfirstumc.com](mailto:asmith@winderfirstumc.com).

The next VBS meeting will be Tuesday, May 30th, at 7 PM in the Fellowship Hall.

WE NEED EMPTY PAPER TOWEL ROLLS...Donations may be dropped off at the church office.

### Youth Led Worship

Our Youth will be leading the Contemporary Worship Service on Sunday, May 7th, at 11AM in the Fellowship Hall. They will also be leading the 8:45 AM and 10:55 AM traditional worship services on Sunday, May 14th, in the Sanctuary.

### Youth Prayer Breakfast

The next Youth Prayer Breakfast will be on Tuesday, May 9th, at 6:15 AM in the Youth Center. Remember to bring \$2! Transportation will be provided for those in Barrow County who need a ride to school. This will be our last prayer breakfast until August. Join us as we nourish our spirits as well as our bodies!

### Attention High School Seniors!

The United Methodist Men's Board will receive completed applications for the Jimmy Tuck Memorial Scholarship from now until May 19th. Application forms are available in the church office. **Completed forms should be returned no later than Friday, May 19th!** The applications are available to all high school seniors who are members of Winder First United Methodist Church that will be attending college or tech school for the 2017-2018 school year.



Congratulations to our recent Disciple IV graduates on completing their 32 week Bible study! Graduates are: Linda Bader, Bob & Louise Bradberry, Steve & Cheryl Cutchin, Deborah Hall, Laura Reynolds, Laedenia Jewell, Dick & Jennie Mitchell, and Jane Wood. This Fall we will be offering a Disciple I class.