Remember in Prayer

Rachel Murphy – Daughter of Randy and Pam Statum; ongoing medical care and testing at St. Mary's Hospital.

Joann Smith – Recovery and ongoing medical care following heart transplant surgery.

Anita Massey – Aortic valve replacement surgery and recovery

Ann Mays - Continued healing and recovery following surgery and rehabilitation.

Laurie Dutton – Lee Goldstein's sister; ongoing medical care and recovery following major surgery and complications.

Greg Porter – Continuing his battle with prostate cancer and undergoing further testing.

Kay Eddleman - Physical therapy for her knee

Trish Melton - Kim Smith's mother is recovering from gallbladder surgery.

Chuck Landress - Undergoing chemo for kidney cancer.

Carroll Eddleman - Recovering from shoulder injury

Polly Jones - Amanda Hill's mother; Polly is battling with cancer.

Shelly Epperson - Continuing treatments.

Haley Sue & Allen Williams - Prayers needed

Gary & Penny Wright – Please keep in prayers.

Please be in prayer for those serving in our military:

Emma Feltman (Nancy Feltman's granddaughter) - Navy on an aircraft carrier in the middle east. Jill Courtney's husband - *Chad Courtney* (Back from Korea to his duty station in Tacoma, WA); Jill Murphy's friends - *Lando Turner & Brayden Ritenour* (Both Marines; Brayden is stationed in Japan for 3 years, not sure where Lando is stationed); Kim Smith's friend - *Caleb Frazier;* Louise Bradberry's grandson - *Robert Davis*; Barbara Clark's grandsons - *Griffin & Garrett Longino*; Rose Higgins' grandson - *Alan Cupps*; Pete & Nancy Paulos' daughter and her husband - *Vanessa Paulos Guest & Colin Guest* (who are Diplomatic Foreign Service Officers for the US State Dept., serving a three-year post at the US Embassy in Beijing, China); Dottie Reynolds' grandson - *SSGT Troy Mayfield*

Coming Up at Winder FUMC:

- **Annual Charge Conference** – Join us on Thursday, November 19, at 5:30 PM in the Sanctuary for our annual Charge Conference, where we will review church ministries, conduct official church business, and look ahead to the coming year.
- **Caring for the Caregiver** – A support group for those caring for loved ones with long-term health needs. Meets 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 2:00 PM in Room 162 in Fellowship Hall. Contact Rev. Dr. Mike Cash at 706-799-7552.

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Glancing at the Coming Week

Sunday November 1st
8:45a Worship Service
10:00a Small Groups
11:00a Worship Service

Monday November 2nd
10:00a Staff Meeting
12:00p Alcoholics Anonymous
6:30p Finance Meeting
6:30p Boy Scouts
7:00p Yargo Community Band

Tuesday November 3rd
10:00a Tuesday AM Bible Study
5:30p Weight Watchers
1:00p Winder First Women
2:00p Caring for the Caregiver

Wednesday November 4th
HAM & EGG SUPPER!
7:00a 7am Prayer Group
12:00p Alcoholics Anonymous
6:30p Grief Group

Thursday November 5th
8:00a Take Off Pounds Sensibly
8:30a Weight Watchers
11:30a Rotary Club of Winder
6:00p Kiwanis Club

Friday November 6th
6:30a Men's Study Breakfast
12:00p Alcoholics Anonymous
12:30p Blood Drive

Saturday November 7th
7:45a Weight Watchers
10:00a Alcoholics Anonymous
10:00a Car Show

Veterans Sunday – November 8

Join us on Sunday, November 8, as we honor and recognize our veterans during both worship services. A special Quilts of Valor ceremony will take place at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall, with breakfast provided. We invite everyone to join us as we express our gratitude and appreciation for those who have served our country.

ALL SAINTS SUNDAY

JIM BECKEMEYER

STEVE HARRIS

DON HIX

EVELYN HIX

DOT HUTCHINSON

MELINDA FAYE JOHNSON

REX KEIBLER

RON LEMKE

NICK LUDLOW

FRED RICHARD

TINA RUFFINO

PEGGY SMITH

ELI STIDHAM

DORI YOUNG

November 1st, 2026
8:45 am & 11:00am

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8:45am Service of Worship

Welcome & Announcements

Call to Worship

Prayer Concerns & Celebrations

The Lord's Prayer — **No. 895 in Hymnal**

Greeting Time

***Opening Hymn** — **No. 711 in Hymnal**
"For All the Saints" v. 1

Procession of the Bells

Recognition of the Saints

***Hymn** — **No. 354 in Hymnal**
"I Surrender All"

***Affirmation of Faith** — **No. 881 in Hymnal**

***Gloria Patri** — **No. 70 in Hymnal**

***Scripture Reading** — **Matthew 22: 3-4**
Matthew 4: 18-22
John 14: 1-7

Offering Prayer

Offertory

Doxology

Sermon — *"I'm Not a Slave"*

***Closing Hymn** — **No. 701 in Hymnal**
"When We All Get To Heaven"

Charge & Benediction

**Please stand in body or spirit.*

Welcome Visitors!

- We are so happy you are with us in worship today!
- Restrooms are located in the front foyer area and in the hallway behind the choir area.
- We make great efforts to provide the best in childcare ministry for babies, toddlers & preschoolers and we have a Children's Program for K5-5th graders from 10:00am-Noon in the preschool hallway. Our nursery for babies & toddlers is available for all services.

11:00am Service of Worship

Chiming of the Hour

Call to Worship — *"Surely the Presence" v. 1 & Chorus*

Welcome & Prayer

The Lord's Prayer — **No. 895 in Hymnal**

***Opening Hymn** — **No. 711 in Hymnal**
"For All the Saints" v. 1

Procession of the Bells

Recognition of the Saints

Greeting Time

Gathering Chorus — **No. 657 in Hymnal**
"This Is The Day"

Choir Anthem — **The Chancel Choir**
"I Surrender All"

***Scripture Reading** — **Matthew 22: 3-4**
Matthew 4: 18-22
John 14: 1-7

Offering Prayer

Offertory

Sermon — *"I'm Not a Slave"*

Share the Blessings

***Closing Hymn** — **No. 701 in Hymnal**
"When We All Get To Heaven"

Benediction

**Please stand in body or spirit.*

Today's Helping Hands:

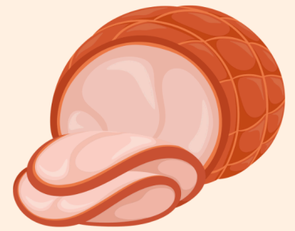
Greeters: Kay Hyslop, Carol Riley, Gwen Rice

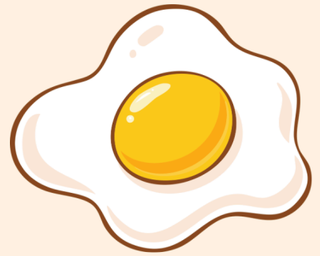
Ushers Scott Major, Steven Smith, Jimmy Terrell, *Alex Hill & Gary Wright* (Captains), Jon Greeson, Robert Hill, Ron King, Jeff McKinstry, Charles Morton, Joann Smith, Robert Stansell, Justin Boldin, Joe Johnson, Jake Jacobs, Ted Wood

Audio Tech: Walt Yarbrough

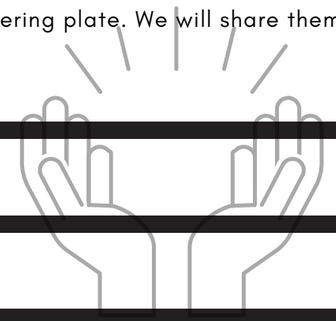
HAM & EGG SUPPER

Wednesday
November 4th, 2026





TICKETS NOW ON SALE!
SEE VICTORIA PATRICK IN NARTHEX OR CALL FRONT OFFICE AT 770-867-4594

Share the Blessings Tear-Off!

We would love to hear about a blessing in your life from the previous week! Please share about it below, tear off this section of the bulletin and place it in the offering plate. We will share them at the end of the 11:00am service!