



# THE BULLETIN

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February 27, 2022

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Worship God  
Grow in Christ

Build Community  
Bless the World



**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH** (1867-2022)

*Celebrating Our 155th Year*

318 South Broad Street • Cairo, Georgia 39828-2717

Rev. Christy Bandy, Pastor

☎ Church Office: 229-377-3051 @ [www.cairofumc.org](http://www.cairofumc.org) ✉ [cairofum@syrupcity.net](mailto:cairofum@syrupcity.net)

📍 Cairo First United Methodist Church ☎ Upper Room Prayer Line 1-800-251-2468

## *A Word from the Pastor Christy*

*Come Join Us*

**for Shrove Tuesday Pancake Supper**

**Tuesday, March 1st @ 6:00 pm** (CHS Jazz Band to perform after the meal)

Please make reservations by Sunday, February 27th!

-AND-

For our Ash Wednesday  
**Imposition of Ashes Service**

**Wednesday, March 2nd**  
**5:00-5:30 pm in the Chapel**



**INFANT BAPTISM:**

Brinson Thomas Hopkins, son of Ben and Keri Hopkins, will be baptized at the 9:00 am worship service on Sunday, February 27.

**MEMORIALS:**

Memorials have been given to the church in loving memory of

**MRS. MARY SKINNER**

By: Mr. & Mrs. Richard Elliott  
Mrs. Nell Mitchell

**SHOVE TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER**

Tuesday, March 1

6:00 pm - Meal

6:30 pm - CHS Jazz Band

Reservations have to be made by

**Sunday, February 27.**

**WORSHIP COMMITTEE:**

Will meet on Tuesday, March 1 at 7:15 pm, in the Azalee Wight SS Classroom.

**ASH WEDNESDAY OBSERVANCE**

You are invited to come to the chapel on Wednesday, March 2, anytime from 5:00 - 5:30 pm for the imposition of ashes.

**WESLEY GLEN STRAWBERRY SALE**

We are taking pre-orders for flats of strawberries between now and March 20. The number of flats has to be turned in on March 21 and will be delivered on March 25.

**COST IS \$20 PER FLAT AND MUST BE PAID AT THE TIME OF ORDER.**

**NURSING HOME/ASSISTED**

**LIVING RESIDENTS:**

**MAGNOLIA PLACE:**

Mrs. Betty Clark  
Mrs. Doris Rehberg (Mother of Nell Owens)  
Mrs. Helen Williams

**CAMELLIA GARDENS, THOMASVILLE, GA:**

Mr. Ken Lindgren

**GATEWAY GARDENS, BETHLEHEM, GA**

Mrs. Emily Gandy

**GLENN-MOOR, THOMASVILLE, GA:**

Mrs. Betty Jones

**PRESBYTERIAN HOME, QUITMAN, GA:**

Mrs. Opal Prince

**REMINGTON HEIGHTS, OMAHA, NE:**

Mrs. Jane Wilkinson

**CHESTNUT RIDGE, CUMMING, GA:**

Mrs. Vivian Childs

**CARLYLE PLACE, MACON, GA:**

Mr. Charlie Skinner

**BRENTWOOD, TN:**

Dr. Bob Kral

**FLOWER CALENDAR:**

The flower calendar for 2022 is on the bulletin board in the hallway outside the pastor's office for you to sign up to do flowers for the altar for 2022. Please remember that two arrangements are needed.

**YOGA CLASSES:**

With Lucretia Roddenberg will meet in the fellowship hall on Mondays with chair yoga at 10:00 am

**UMCOR:**

Will be accepting donations for the recent tornado damage. Make checks payable to the church marked for Tornado Relief.

**DEVOTIONAL BOOKS:**

Are available at the church office. Please stop by to pick one up.

**ADDRESS CHANGES:**

Sometimes this is the time of the year when families make changes in residency. If you are planning a move, please notify the church office so we can update our records.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES:**

All adult SS classes are now meeting. If you are not currently attending a Sunday School class, **now is a good time to start.** There are several options and you would be welcome to visit any or all of the classes.

**Aldersgate/Fellowship:** Older adult class with Chris James the teacher.

**Burleigh Law:** Mostly couples that have grown children and grandchildren. Kaye Helms teacher

**Azalee Wight:** Mostly couples, some retired, others still working. Various members rotate teaching

**Pairs and Spares:** Mixed group of singles and couples

**New Hope:** Young adults (35+ with teenage children

**Cephas:** Young adults with small children



**WEEK OF FEB 27-MAR 5  
2022**



**Remember in Prayer**

**OUR KNOWN ILL: (AS OF TUESDAY)**

**Sunday, February 27:**

8:15 am	Worship in the Chapel
9:00 am	†Contemporary Worship
9:45 am	Sunday School
11:00 am	†Traditional Worship
5:00 pm	Bible Study
5:00 pm	Youth
6:00 pm	Book Club

**Monday, February 28:**

10:00 am	Ladies Sewing Group
10:00 am	Chair Yoga

**Tuesday, March 1:**

8:00 am	Men's Prayer Group
10:00 am	Ladies' Prayer Group
6:00 pm	Pancake Supper
6:30 pm	CHS Jazz Band
7:15	Worship Committee

**Wednesday, March 2:**

5:00-5:30 pm	Ash Wednesday Imposition of Ashes in Chapel
5:30 pm	Handbells
6:45 pm	Chancel Choir

**Thursday, March 3:**

8:30 am	Service on CNS Channel 6
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**Friday, March 4:**

2:00 pm	Service on CNS Channel 6
9:00 pm	Service on CNS Channel 6

† Live streaming

**BUCKET BRIGADE:**

As February is the month of love for Vashti, the bucket brigade offering will go to Vashti this month. Your donations are greatly appreciated.

<b>AN ACCOUNT OF OUR STEWARDSHIP - 2/20/22</b>	
8:15 am	.....20
9:00 am	.....42
Livestream	.....12
11:00 am	.....57
Livestream	.....36
Weekly Receipts	.....\$3,295.00
Weekly Needed	.....\$11,176.00
Received to Date - Op	...\$66,576.00
A/V Upgrade to date	...\$19,920.00
Designated for Missions/Disaster	...\$10.00
Memorials	.....\$270.00
Bucket Brigade	.....\$48.30

**JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA:**

Mr. Bob Dunn

**AT HOME:**

- Mr. Henry Andrews
- Mrs. Shirley Bearden
- Mrs. Dale Rose Betts (mother of Adrienne Harrison)
- Mr. Keith Campbell
- Mrs. Sylvia Carrouth
- Mr. A.B. Clark
- Miss Sandra Clark
- Ms. Brenda Coy
- Mr. Jack Drew
- Mr. David & Mrs. Catherine Elkins
- Mrs. Dot Gainous
- Mr. Bobby and Mrs. Gail Godwin
- Mrs. Betti Jean Gray (Mother of Kevin Gray)
- Mrs. Sammie Harper
- Mr. Dale Helms
- Mr. Fred Hetzendorfer
- Mrs. Deborah Hudson (Step-mother of Robert Hudson)
- Mr. Bob Jones
- Mr. Randy & Mrs. Dawn LaCombe (Daughter, son-in-law of Barbara Barrineau)
- Mr. Freddie Lyle
- Mr. Charles Manny
- Mrs. Maxcy McAteer
- Mr. Howell & Mrs. Eleanor McKinnon
- Mrs. Faye Miller
- Mrs. Nell Owens
- Mrs. Marjorie Ragan
- Mrs. Marilyn Rhea
- Mrs. Sandee Rinker
- Mr. & Mrs. John Scanling, Cody and Cole

**The Church and its ministries, the Church Staff and all Church members. New Additions in Bold**



**Birthday**

**Greetings**

**February 27:** Everett Allen,  
Phyllis Jones

**February 28:** Bob Kral

**March 1:** Bo Harrell, David McCurry

**March 2:** Brian Hunziker

**March 3:** Mary Robertson,  
Fran Youmans

**March 4:** Sheila Campbell,  
Marilyn Ricks

**March 5:** Jackson Hand, Pam Mason,  
Matthew McCaskill,  
Richard Moses

# WELCOME TO WORSHIP AT CAIRO FIRST

February 27, 2022

Last Sunday after Epiphany

Christian Color: WHITE

TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY

## Traditional – Chapel

8:15 am

\*THE SCRIPTURE READING .....Rev. Christy Bandy  
Luke 9:28-36

THE SERMON ..... Changed .....Rev. Bandy

## Contemporary – Sanctuary (with Live Stream)

9:00 am

INFANT BAPTISM of Brinson Thomas Hopkins

THE CHILDREN'S MOMENT .....

\*THE SCRIPTURE READING .....Rev. Christy Bandy  
Luke 9:28-36

THE SERMON ..... Changed .....Rev. Bandy

**THOSE WHO SERVE: 9:00 AM:** SS Greeters/Ushers: **Matt Sanders, Seth Staland**

**Worship Team:** Brian Morgan - vocals, guitar; Stacey Morgan - vocals, keys;  
Myra Easom - vocals; Scott Easom - bass guitar;

**Tech:** Randy Bearden - audio & streaming; Nathan Hartsell - video;

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

email: [jnlee06@gmail.com](mailto:jnlee06@gmail.com)  
text: 229-224-4554

### NEWS FROM...JESSICA

- Acolytes this Sunday are Mason McCaskill and Davis Amaro
- February 27th - 9:00 - Children's Church  
10:00 - Sunday School
- New Series - "I AM" - 40 reasons to TRUST GOD
- February 27th (5:00pm to 6:00 pm) -  
Sunday Sunday
- Snacks needed - capri suns, and goldfish



## YOUTH MINISTRY

### NEWS FROM...SCOTT

email: [easom316@windstream.net](mailto:easom316@windstream.net)  
cell/text: (229) 977-2247

- February 27 - 10:00 am - Sunday School  
5:00-6:00 pm - Youth - Whigham First Methodist youth will be  
joining us Sunday night

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TRANSFIGURATION SUNDAY

**Traditional Service — Sanctuary (with Live Stream)**

**11:00 am**

- +THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR .....Mr. Ed Self
- +THE OPENING VOLUNTARY .....Mr. Ed Self and Mrs. Megan Lokey  
*The Spacious Firmament* - Hayden/Innes
- THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS .....Rev. Christy Bandy
- THE CALL TO WORSHIP .....*Psalm 117 - Wright* .....Chancel Choir
- THE OPENING PRAYER .....Transfiguration (p. 259) .....Rev. Bandy
- \*THE HYMN OF PRAISE .....UMH No. 103  
*Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*
- \*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH .....The Apostles' Creed .....UMH No. 881
- \*THE RESPONSE .....*Gloria Patri* .....UMH No. 70
- THE MORNING PRAYER AND OUR LORD'S PRAYER .....Rev. Bandy
- \*THE HYMN OF PREPARATION .....UMH No. 368  
*My Hope is Built*
- \*THE SCRIPTURE READING .....Rev. Bandy  
Luke 9:28-36
- THE SPECIAL MUSIC .....Chancel Choir  
*God So Loved the World* - Stainer
- THE SERMON .....“Changed” .....Rev. Bandy
- \*THE HYMN OF INVITATION .....UMH No. 451  
*Be Thou My Vision*
- \*THE BENEDICTION .....Rev. Bandy
- +THE CLOSING VOLUNTARY .....Mr. Self  
*Jesus Shall Reign* - Haan

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**THOSE WHO SERVE: 11:00 AM — Greeters/Ushers:** Herbert Wind, Smiley Gale

**Altar Guild:** Cheryl Mills, Charlene Powell

Please sign the attendance register.

+ Out of respect to all worshipers, we ask for a quiet, reflective time of prayer during the Opening and Closing Voluntaries.

\* Please stand as you are able. Hymn numbers are from the United Methodist Hymnal unless otherwise noted.

^ Please come forward at this time if you wish to unite with this Christian fellowship. The doors are always open for those desiring to become members.

**BOOK CLUB:**

Will meet Sunday, February 27th at 6:00 PM to discuss *An Invisible Thread* by Laura Schroff.

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Standard  
U.S. Postage  
PD - Permit #24  
Cairo, GA

**PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION:**

CFUMC Preschool will begin registration for 3 and 4 year old students on the following dates. Students must turn the age of the class by **September 1.**

**Feb. 28-Mar. 4:** Early Registration for children who are siblings of current Preschool students and whose grandparents are church members.

**Mar. 7:** Open Registration

Please remember all spots are filled on a first come, first serve basis. You may pick up registration packets in the Preschool Office M-F, 7:30 - 1:00. Please see Jamie Allen for further information.

ADDRESS SERVICE REQUESTED  
318 S. BROAD STREET  
CAIRO, GA 39828

**AUDIO AND VIDEO UPGRADE:**

There is a monetary need to upgrade and replace the current sound system in the sanctuary in the amount of \$40,000.

Donated to date: \$19,920.

**Still Needed: \$20,080.**

Make checks payable to the church and marked for the Sound System. Your donations will be greatly appreciated.

**FAT TUESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER**

Please fill out the form below or call the church office(377-3051) by Sunday, February 27 to make reservations for the pancake supper.

The meal will be served beginning at 6:00 pm.

Name\_\_\_\_\_

No. Attending \_\_\_\_\_

# Directory

- Rev. Christy Bandy . . . . .*Pastor*
- Dr. Clell Wright . . . . .*Music Minister*
- Mrs. Ruth Sims . . . . .*Adm. Assistant*
- Mrs. Jamie Allen . . . . .*Preschool Director*
- Mrs. Jessica Cox Lee . . . . .*Children's Director*
- Mr. Scott Easom . . . . .*Youth Director*
- Mr. Brian and Mrs. Stacey Morgan  
. . . . .*Contemporary Worship Leaders*
- Mr. Ed Self . . . . .*Organist*
- Mrs. Megan Lokey . . . . .*Pianist*
- Church Office . . . . .*229-377-3051*
- Emergency Numbers . . . . .*478-662-0328*  
*229-403-0428*

EMAILS: When sending emails to the church office, please use the following address:

adm.cairofum@syrupcity.net

E-MAILS ADDRESS/CELL PHONE NUMBERS: Contact with church members is very important. Please turn in email addresses and cell phone numbers especially if you no longer use a land line for your telephone. Thanks

Name \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Number \_\_\_\_\_

Thanks ever so much!