

HAZLEHURST FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

22nd Sunday after Pentecost  
November 5, 2006

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (in unison)

**Sovereign God of the universe, we enter this place grateful for your abiding presence, We are mindful of our need to love, and our need to be loved. Help us navigate life's challenges wisely, basing our decisions on love, not on personal gain alone. Like Jesus, may we answer the hard questions of life with a strong conviction to serve the greater good. May this worship help us gain strength and go the distance with love in our sights. In the name of Christ, our mediator, we pray. Amen.**

OPENING HYMN "There's Within My Heart a Melody" No. 380

RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 146 No. 858

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles Creed No. 881

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;  
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

GLORIA PATRI No. 70

*Glory be to the Father/and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost/as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be/world without end. Amen.*

CHILDREN'S SERMON MaryHulett

(After Children's Sermon is over, preschool through 4th grade is dismissed for Children's Church).

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

*Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom and the power and glory forever. Amen*

CHORAL RESPONSE "Amen" Chancel Choir

OFFERTORY

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING

DOXOLOGY

*Praise God, from Whom all blessing flow/Praise Him all Creatures here below/Praise Him above ye heavenly host/Praise Father, Son, and Holy*

*Ghost. Amen*

ANTHEM "This World is Not My Home" Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE READING John 2:13-22

SERMON "Holy Places" Rodney Porter

HYMN OF INVITATION "I Surrender All" No. 354

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

(If able, please stand)

Sermon

Are your lives silent enough to hear that Holy Quiet when you are called? Can you truly hear what God would say to you? Are you ready to hear what God would say to you - and then follow?

*The Flowers are placed in the Sanctuary today  
by Joe Fraizer in Memory of  
Margaret Fraizer*

USHERS: D.L. Jump, Kerry Harrison, Joe Swain, Wayne Ussery

OFFERING STEWARDS: Jimmy Morris, Benny Joyner

## Evening Worship - 6 pm

**Charge Conference reports** due in the office by November 6th.

**Shoebboxes** are due back by November 12th. If you do not wish to do a shoebox and would like to give money this too will be appreciated to help fund the bibles that will be going into each box as well as shipping charges.

**Chickenque** November 12th after morning worship services - \$6.

**Charge Conference** November 15<sup>th</sup> at 7 pm.

### Sunday Morning Breakfast list

11-12 Wendel & Mary Thomas 11-19 Steve & Mildred Sellers 11-26 Stanley & Elaine McCall



**UMW Circle 1** was previously set to meet on October 31st. However, this October meeting has been moved to **November 7th** at 7:00 pm in the church parlor with Rhonda Stone as hostess.

### Christian Ladies Fellowship

Meets on Tuesday, November 14th at 12 noon, here at First United Methodist. Our ladies will be the hostess.

### UMW Meetings

**Circle 1**—Meets in Church Parlor on Tuesday, November 7th with hostess Rhonda Stone.

**Circle 5**—Appreciation Dinner at 7 pm on Monday, November 6th.

**Poinsettia**—will be placed in the Sanctuary before Christmas. **White** will be ordered in Memory of your loves ones and Red will be ordered for the ones you would love to Honor. Cost is \$10 each. Please place your order early to help with how many of each to order.

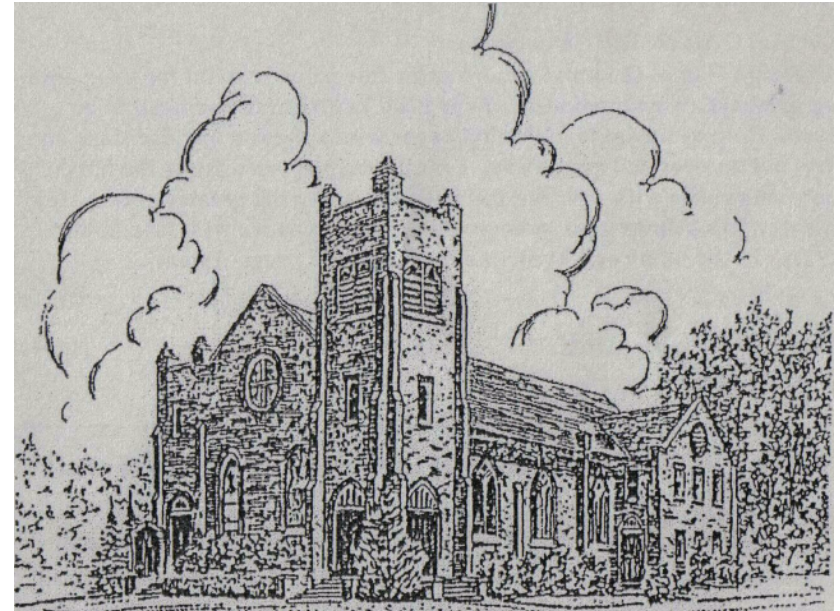
How Many \_\_\_\_\_

Given by \_\_\_\_\_

(White) in Memory of \_\_\_\_\_

(Red) in Honor of \_\_\_\_\_

# First United Methodist Church Hazlehurst, Georgia



### Our Church Staff

Ministers-Congregation

Minister of Music & Senior Adults -Jeffery Spell

Minister of Youth -Jared Middleou

Office Manager-Martha Lolley

Nursery-Jessica Miller

Organist-Janice Cole

Pianist-Tammy Dyal

Custodian-Elaine McCall

Pastor-Rodney Porter

The mission of the First United Methodist Church of Hazlehurst is to reach out and welcome people just as they are. lead persons to commit their lives to God through Jesus Christ, nurture and encourage them as disciples and send them out to help make our community more loving and just.