

HAZLEHURST FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

4th Sunday after Pentecost  
July 2, 2006

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (in unison)

**The Lord is in God's Holy temple. Let the people proclaim God's Glory.  
Praise God's Holy name. Jehovah, Our God, is with us—make God's  
name known. To God belongs the glory, Praise God's Holy name!**

fHYMN OF PRAISE "America the Beautiful" No.696

fRESPONSIVE READING Psalm 130 No. 848

fAFFIRMATION OF FAITH 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.*

fGLORIA PATRI

*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 Jared Middleton

(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 "Surely the Presence of the Lord" #328 Chancel Choir

OFFERTORY Brother Rodney

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING

fDOXOLOGY

*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 "Let Freedom Ring Medley" Chancel Choir

fSCRIPTURE LESSON 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

COMMUNION MEDITATION Come Humbly Before God

THANKSGIVING Pastor

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fHYMN OF INVITATION "America" No. 697

fBENEDICTION

fPOSTLUDE

t(If able, please stand)

Meditation

**Our country and world do have examples where we can begin to get  
a glimmer of understanding that when we are weak - we are made  
strong! Only when we keep our true frailty directly in front of our  
eyes can we keep a clear vision of our mission and ourselves.**

*The Flowers are placed in the Sanctuary today  
by Barbara Swain  
in Honor of our Veteran's  
and Joe Swain's 56th Birthday*

USHERS: Carla Coleman, Rhonda Stone, Lisa lowers, Debbie Underwood  
OFFERING STEWARDS: Ronald Rhodes, Jim Peterson

The **July 29th shower** for the bride-elect of Andrew Wilkes has had to be rescheduled for a later date.

### **Church Scholarship**

If you would like to apply for a Church Scholarship, please drop by the Church Office and pick up an application. Deadline for returning will be Monday, July 31 st in order for the Committee to act.

### **New Church Directory**

FUMC is making plans with Olan Mills for a new church directory. The dates for taking pictures will be August 16th and 17th each day from 3:00 to 9:30 PM. Place these dates on your calendar and you will be hearing more in the near future on how you can sign up for your sitting.

### **Sunday School Teacher's Meeting**

Our next Sunday School Teacher's meeting will be held July 9th at 9:15 am in the Social Hall.

### **United Methodist Women School of Mission**

The South Georgia Conference UMW School of Christian Mission will be held July 13-16 at St. Simons Island. Information is available from circle leaders, Janice Conley and the church office.

### **Financial Update**

Actual 2006 Budget dollars needed through June 2006 - \$149,169.50  
Received through June 2006 - \$131,508.77 Deficit for 2006 thus far - (17,660.73) Paid on Apportionments for 2006 - \$0

**2006 Flower Calendar** If you would like to sign up please fill out the form and put in offering plate or call Martha Lolley 375-4555 at the church office. Sunday's available for August, September & October. 8-20, 9-3, 9-10, 9-24, 10-1, 10-8, 10-15 & 10-29.

Sunday \_\_\_\_\_

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

In Honor \_\_\_\_\_

In Memory\_ \_\_\_\_\_

## **First United Methodist Church Hazlehurst, Georgia**



### **Our Church Staff**

Ministers-Congregation

Minister of Music & Senior Adults -Jeffery Spell

Minister of Youth -Jared Middleton

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.