

HAZLEHURST FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

11th Sunday after Pentecost
August 20, 2006

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

fCALL TO WORSHIP (in unison)

God said, "Let there be light." And there was light. Jesus said, "I am the light of the world." And the light shone in the darkness. Jesus said, "You are the light of the world." And the light shall not be quenched. Amen! fPRAISE

CHORUS "I Worship You, Almighty God" CONGREGATION

I worship You, Almighty God; there is none like You. I worship You, O Prince of Peace; that is what I want to do. I give You praise, for You are my righteousness. I worship You, Almighty God; there is none like You.

fOPENING HYMN "O Worship the King" No. 73

tRESPONSIVE READING Psalm 111 No. 832

tAFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles Creed No. 881

*/ 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 Brother Rodney
(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

HYMN OF PREPARATION "He Touched Me" No. 367

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 "Oh, For a Thousand Tongues" Chancel Choir

tSCRIPTURE READING Isaiah 6:1-8 (9-13)

SERMON "Worship Happens" Brother Rodney

tHYMN OF INVITATION "Onward, Christian Soldiers" No. 575

fBENEDICTION

fPOSTLUDE

t(If able, please stand)

Sermon

Worship happens when human inadequacy is met by the grace of God. The radical presence of God caused Isaiah to recognize, perhaps for the first time, the spiritual shortcomings of himself and his fellow citizens.

*The Flowers are placed in the Sanctuary today
by Marilyn Sayles in Loving
Memory of all her Family Members*

USHERS: Jimmy Morris, Robert Kirkland, Dan Stone, Rob Stone

OFFERING STEWARDS: Robert Kirkland, Milton Kirkland

Evening services begin at 6 pm.

Meetings

Finance	5:30 pm	Monday	Parlor Choir
Council	7:00 pm	Monday	Room

Confirmation Classes

We will be doing Confirmation Classes beginning August 27th at 5 pm. This is for everyone 5th grade and above. You can sign up by calling the church office or speaking with Jared Middleton or Brother Rodney.

Church Directory Make up

Make up date for directory pictures is August 28 from 4-7 PM. If you were unable to have your picture taken before, schedule your new time slot now with Bonnie Loyless at 375-2852.

Wednesday Children's Program

If you would be interested in teaching in our Wednesday night Children's program monthly or bi-monthly please call Carla Coleman at 375-4288.

The church office is in need of a Phone tree message calling system. This will work with the church computer and will enable us to inform members of prayer concerns as well as future events. We have \$600 that has already been donated for this and we still need another \$400. If you are interested in donating please contact Martha at the church office.

UMW Circle 5

Meets this month at Jane Elder's home on Monday, August 28th at 7:30 P.M.

Financial Update

Actual 2006 Budget dollars needed through August 13, 2006-5183,593
Received through August 13, 2006 - \$165,075 Deficit for 2006 thus far - (\$18,518)

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 October, November & December. 10-1, 10-8, 11-12, 11-19, 11-26, 12-3, 12-10 & 12-31.

Sunday _____

Given by _____

InHonor

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

Nurserv-Jessica Miller

Organist-Janice Cole

Pianist-Tanuny Dyal

Custodian-Elaine McCall

Pastor-Rodnev 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.