

No Evening Worship tonight.

Spanish Class – Tuesday night at 7 pm.

Christian Ladies Fellowship meets Tuesday, May 13th at 12:00 noon here at First United Methodist Church. Ladies see Janice Conley for more information.

Meeting

Finance Monday, May 19th 6 pm Parlor
Council Monday, May 19th 7 pm Choir Room

Graduation Sunday

Will be Sunday, May 18th. Senior's that we will be honored that Sunday are: **Olivia Crosby, Sarah Maley, Lauren Matthews, Matthew Morris & Tu Tran.**

Sunday Morning Breakfast list

5-18 Melisa Pace & Megan Davenport
5-25 Jared Middleton & Alan Strawn
6-1 Jane, Lenna & Fonda
6-8 Janice Conley



2008 Flower Calendar—If you would like a particular Sunday, please fill out the form and put in offering plate or call church office at 375-4555.

July, August & September. 7-20, 7-27, 8-3, 8-10, 8-17, 8-24, 8-31, 9-7, 9-14 & 9-28.

Sunday _____
Given by _____
In Honor _____
In Memory _____

THE 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 the glory forever. Amen

CHORAL RESPONSE "Amen" Chancel Choir
SOLO "In The Presence of Jehovah" Ken Sellers
OFFERTORY "Ashokan Farewell" Kaitlyn Roussert
PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERING
†DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow/Praise Him all Creatures here below/Praise Him above ye heavenly host/Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

CHILDREN'S SERMON Mary Hulett
(After Children's Sermon is over, preschool through 4th grade is dismissed for Children's Church).

ANTHEM "Let Your Holy Rain Fall Down" Chancel Choir
Solo - Janice Conley

†SCRIPTURE READING Acts 2:1-21

SERMON "The Gospel for All" Rodney Porter

†HYMN OF INVITATION "Spirit Song" No.347

†BENEDICTION

†POSTLUDE

†(If able, please stand)

Sermon

Pentecost says to us that the Gospel is for all people. That is as plain as can be. They spoke in foreign languages because the Gospel isn't just for people who speak Hebrew or Aramaic or Latin or Greek. It isn't just for people who speak English or Spanish. It is for all people everywhere.

Rich people, poor people, people of every color and nationality. People who are saints and people who are sinners. The Gospel is for everybody. No exceptions--no ifs, ands, or buts. Everybody!

*The Flowers are placed in the Sanctuary
in Honor of Our Mother's*

USHERS: Sarah Maley, Phil Merritt, Jimmy Morris, Melisa Pace
OFFERING STEWARDS: Gerry Hancock, Chuck Coleman

HAZLEHURST FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Pentecost
May 11, 2008

PRELUDE

LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Jared Middleton

†CALL TO WORSHIP (in unison)

Listen, can you hear the wind? Come, Holy Spirit; come! Look, can you see the dancing flames?

Come, Holy Spirit; come! Can you hear the message in a language you can understand? Come, Holy Spirit; come! Do you see the visions? Can you dream the dreams? Come, Holy Spirit; come! Come let Pentecost become real in our lives this morning. Come and worship our God who sends the Spirit to touch us and transform us into Pentecost people.

†PRAISE CHORUS "Holy Spirit, Thou Art Welcome" CONGREGATION

Holy Spirit, Thou art welcome in this place. Holy Spirit, Thou art welcome in this place. Omnipotent Father of mercy and grace, Thou art welcome in this place.

†OPENING HYMN "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty" No. 64

†RESPONSIVE READING Psalm 104:24-35 No. 826

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostle's 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.

LIVING THE MINISTRY Mother's Day Presentation

SERVICE OF INFANT BAPTISM Ava Caroline Coleman No. 39

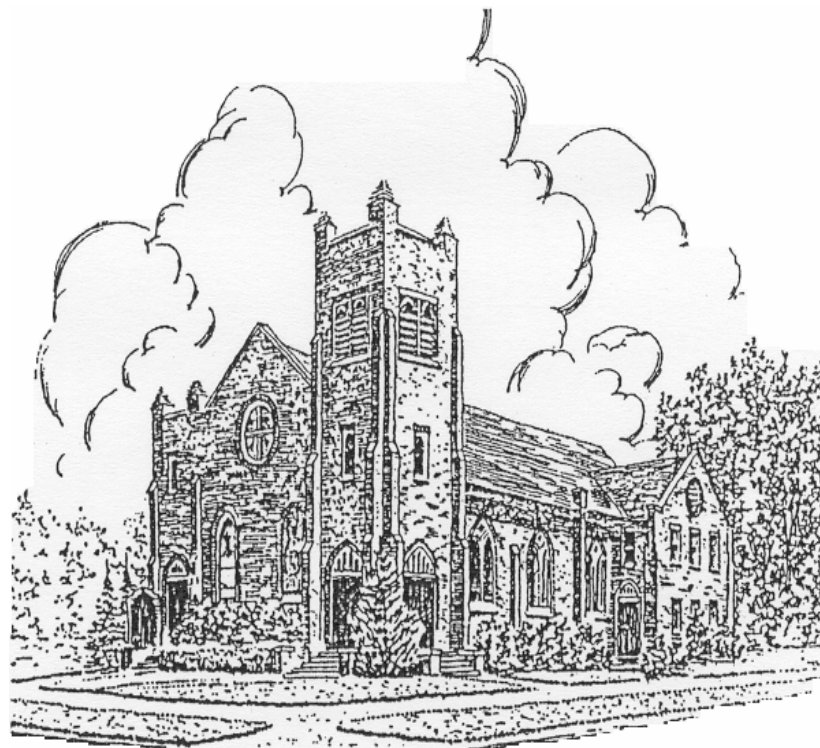
Children's church volunteer today - Lisa Jowers

Children's church volunteer next Sunday - Mildred Sellers

Pennies to Pesos
Total Collected to date: \$470.42
Total Collected in Pesos: 4924.12

First United Methodist Church

Hazlehurst, Georgia



Our Church Staff

Ministers-Congregation

Minister of Music & Senior Adults -Jeffery Spell

Minister to Students and Families -Jared Middleton

Office Manager-Martha Lolley

Organist-Janice Cole

Custodian-Elaine McCall

Nursery-Jessica Miller

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.