

*"We will uphold the Church with our prayers,
our presence, our gifts, and our service."*

OUR PRAYERS

Please Pray For: Julian Mills, Kerry Harrison, Jimmy Morris,
A.B. Cochran, Terry Carraway.

OUR PRESENCE

Sunday, June 11, 2006

Sunday School.....65
Morning Worship130
No Evening Worship

OUR GIFTS

STEWARDSHIP REPORT For the week June 11, 2006

General Budget Received—\$6,763.38
Total for Special and General Accounts—\$7,608.38

Financial Update

Needed each month to cover 2006 Budget—approximately \$25,000.
Received through May —\$107,155.
Received in June thus far—\$15,876.
Apportionments for 2006—\$43,000.
Paid on Apportionments for 2006—\$0.

LIVING MEMORIALS:

To Jean Williams by Pete Lacey, Wayne & Carolyn Fountain,
Patricia & E.M. Wilkes III.
To Anne McNatt by Patricia & E.M. Wilkes III, Joe Frazier,
Jeff, Melisa, Grant, Megan & Jesse Pace
To Chad Turfler by Patricia & E.M. Wilkes III.
To Rhetta Glenn by Carroll & Gloria Girtman.

OUR SERVICE

ASSISTING IN WORSHIP June 18, 2006

USHERS: James Carter, Chuck Crosby, Charles Harrell, Bayne Stone
OFFERING STEWARDS: Ken Sellers, Steve Sellers

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Porters!

This Sunday, June 18th is Rev. Rodney Porter's first Sunday as our new Pastor. Rodney and his wife Kim have two boys David and Benjamin. So that we wouldn't have to compete with Father's Day, the **Welcome Luncheon for the Porters will be next Sunday, June 25th after church.**

Next Sunday Evening Worship Service is June 25th at 7 P.M.

Meeting Changes

Remember because of Vacation Bible School Finance and Church Council are a week later.

Finance	Monday, June 26th	5:30 pm
Council	Monday, June 26th	7:00 pm

Young Adults

With everybody traveling this summer, we're going to take a break on our Sunday School Class. We also need to make some decisions about a teacher for our class and what material to use. Dan and Rhonda Stone have agreed to have a social out at their house once school starts up again. The social will also serve as a planning meeting for our class. We'll let you know once we set a date.

UMW Circle 5

Meets Monday, June 26th at 7:30 pm at the home of Sue Woodard.

THANK YOU

Dear First Methodist,

Thanks for Sunday! The Worship Service and the Going Away Luncheon will always be special memories. We will continue to love you, pray for you and root for you as you begin this new chapter of your history with the Porters.

In Christ

Sam, Celeste, Rhett and "Mitch Dog"



NOTES FROM JEFFERY



Senior Adults: Our Senior Adult Luncheon will be next Tuesday, June 20th at 11:45 A.M. Our guest will be Dr. Robert Huling, Pastor of the Amazing Grace Fellowship. Everyone come and bring your favorite covered dish and enjoy a good time among friends.

Chancel Choir Members and Handbell Team Members: We will have the month of July off from our regular scheduled rehearsals. Chancel Choir will start back on Wednesday, August 2nd at 7:00 P.M. Handbells will start back on Thursday, August 3rd at 6:30 P.M....**BUT, I need each of you to put forth every effort to be at the remaining rehearsals for the month of June!**

FUEL FOR THE FIRE

The mission team is back and we had a wonderful time! In all we took 5 adults and 8 youth. Our project included building a screen porch, building a carport, paint several rooms inside a trailer, installing flooring, and roofing the majority of a home. As you can see, we were able to accomplish a lot thanks to your support and prayers. We look forward to sharing with you in the coming weeks about our experience.

In other news, our girls' bible study is gearing up if you would like to be a part contact Pam Harrell.

NEW MEMBERS

Our Church would like to Welcome our new members of 2006 into our Congregation.

Joanna Ernst—March 2006

Bonnie Bennett—May 2006

WEEKLY CALENDAR

FRIDAY, June 16, 2006

6:45 am — Promise Keepers

SUNDAY, June 18, 2006

9:45 am — Sunday School

11:00 am — Morning Worship

6:00 pm—Youth

No Evening Worship

MONDAY, June 19, 2006

5:30-8 pm—Vacation Bible School

TUESDAY, June 20, 2006

11:45 am—Adult Senior Luncheon (Fellowship Hall)

5:30-8 pm—Vacation Bible School

WEDNESDAY, June 21, 2006

5:30 pm—Youth

5:30-8 pm—Vacation Bible School

7:00 pm—Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, June 22, 2006

10:00 am—Senior Prayer

5:30-8 pm—Vacation Bible School

6:30 pm—Handbell Rehearsal

FRIDAY, June 23, 2006

6:45 am—Promise Keepers

5:30-8 pm—Vacation Bible School

2006 Flower Calendar: If you would like to sign up please fill out the form and mail back to the church office or call Martha Lolley 375-5399.

Sunday's available for June, July and August.

6-25, 7-2, 7-9, 8-6, 8-20 & 8-27.

Sunday _____

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In Honor of _____

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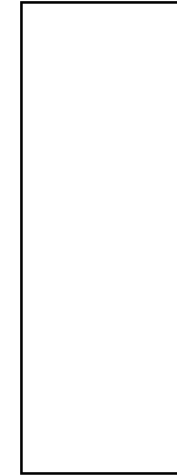
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OUR CHURCH STAFF

- Ministers.....Congregation
- Minister of Music & Senior Adults.....Jeffery Spell
- Minister of YouthJared Middleton
- Office Manager.....Martha Lolley
- Nursery.....Jessica Miller
- Organist.....Janice Cole
- Pianist.....Tammy Dyal
- Custodian.....Elaine McCall
- Pastor.....Rodney Porter

The Informer
FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF HAZLEHURST, GA

Wednesday, June 14, 2006

Vacation Bible School



We are inviting all children to be part of the excitement at our Vacation Bible School, **ADVENTURES OF TREASURE SEEKERS: EXPLORING GOD'S PROMISES.**

With this archaeology-themed VBS, your children will be transformed into young archaeologists or Treasure Seekers. Each day, they will dig into the Word of God to discover one of God's most precious promises. Through daily "Discovery Digs," your children will find treasures that will remind them of these promises. The Bible stories presented at Promise Point will illustrate the promise and encourage further exploration into the Bible. Your children will extend their learnings through every activity: making their own special treasures in the Art-i-facts Lab, enjoying tasty meals at the Canteen Cabana, singing fun Treasure Seekers tunes at Rhythm Rock, learning how to share God's treasures with others at Mission Tel, and participating in recreational activities at Treasure Track.

The five promises of God we want all children to know are: *God Loves You *God Knows You *God Treasures You *God Forgives You *God Is With You.

Come dig with us at First United Methodist Church on June 19, 2006 through June 23, 2006 from 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm.

