

SERVICE AND EVENTS

HURRICANE LAURA RESPONSE

We all know too well the struggles and hardships associated with cleaning up after the devastation of a hurricane. Please consider a gift to UMCOR, either directly via this link: <http://bit.ly/Wesley901670> or via the church office. Checks can be made to Wesley UMC with UMCOR Advance #901670 in the memo line and they will be forwarded to UMCOR relief. Thank you Wesley family!

GOLD BOW FUNDRAISER

September is Childhood Cancer Awareness month. Wesley is offering Gold Mailbox Bows so our community can "Go Gold" and support our little fighters! All proceeds will go directly to the medical funds of Glynn County children who are battling cancer and CURE Childhood Cancer. Mailbox bows are a powerful way for these children and their families to see how they are

prayed for, thought of, and loved by their community. You can find an order form on the credenzas in the Narthex. A suggested tax-deductible donation of \$25 can be made at wesleyssi.org/gold-bows until September 6, or make your check payable to Wesley UMC, with "Gold Bows" in the memo line. This year, local pickup and deliveries will be coordinated via email. Questions? Email Chris and Cassie Busby at glynngoldbows@gmail.com.

NEWS AND EVENTS

Interested in keeping up with news and current events at Wesley? Sign up to receive email updates based on your preferences: Wesley Newsletter, Church Life, Events and Concerts, and/or Children and Youth. Visit wesleyssi.org/news to let us know your interests!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER CONCERNS

Hank Condon, Bill Sanders, Bill Dunlap, Beth Humber, Larry Kimel, Holly Lamb, Clarijane Bush, Allyson Garrison, Pam Smith, Ian and Hannah Hilley, Carolyn Stafford, John Brewer, Joe Songer, John Griffin, James Wise, Debbie Cassata, Daschiel Townsend, Lauren Terry, Jim Danowski, Keith and Barbara Weikel, Tom Burton, Hollis Youngner, Martha Mooney
Military: Francis Cahill, Alex McLean, Hunter Missildine, Derek Livingston

Please respect the privacy of individuals. Confirm their desire to be added to our prayer concerns, then send your request to churchoffice@wesleyssi.org.

BEREAVEMENT

With a sad heart we share the news that Wesley church member, Paul Pandolfi lost his battle to Covid19 on Friday, September 4, 2020. We extend our heartfelt love, prayers, and Christian sympathy to his wife, Nancy, and to the Pandolfi family. Condolences may be sent to:

Nancy Pandolfi
701 Hamilton Landing Drive
Saint Simons Island, Georgia 31522

STATUS UPDATES NEEDED

Please help us keep our Prayer Concerns current. If your request has been shared for an extended period of time, we ask that you let us know the status of your friend or family member. Call (912) 634-1412 or email churchoffice@wesleyssi.org.

AUDIO-VISUAL VOLUNTEERS

The Wesley Audio-Visual Ministry needs volunteers in the sound booth for Sunday services as well as other events. If you would like to volunteer in this vital area of ministry you may reach out to Jamie Forbes by email at jamie@wesleyssi.org.

DATES OF INTEREST

09/06 TODAY: Singing at the Circle
09/13 Contemporary Service Resumes

PHOTOS, VIDEOS, NEWS

www.facebook.com/wesleyfrederica

ONLINE GIVING

To take advantage of online giving options, visit www.wesleyssi.org.

IN SERVICE



Senior Pastor
Rev. Dr. Jerry A. Roe, Jr.
Director of Program Ministries
Paige Gober
Director of Children's Ministries
Maryellen Aiken
Director of Youth Ministries
To Be Filled
Associate Director of Youth Ministries
Samantha Pearson
Director of Music Ministries
Dr. Zachary Marshall
Asst. Director of Music Ministries, Organist
Rev. Dr. Jennifer Marshall
Director of Contemporary Worship
David Herndon
Organist Emeritus
Beth Humber
Office Administrator
Elaine Brown
Director of WAEL
Nikki Browning

Church Ofc: 912.634.1412 / M-Th., 9:00am-5:00pm



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NEWS

SING AND PLAY TONIGHT!

Join us at 6:00pm this evening for a time of outdoor singing and family fun. Bring your own lawn chairs and enjoy a time of fellowship, fun, and worship! Zach and Jenni will lead "Singing at the Circle" starting at 6:30pm on the lawn outside the main entrance to the sanctuary. Kids and Youth are invited to play outdoor games and enjoy the playground, snow cones, and more! Picnic-style boxed dinners will be available for all. Masks are optional, singing, and playing encouraged! Want to give to one of Wesley's mission partners? This is a great opportunity to bring non-perishable, unexpired items for The Sparrow's Nest! Come reconnect

with your Wesley family! In the event of inclement weather, Sing and Play Sunday will be moved to Sunday, September 13 at the same time.

STAGE TWO REOPENING

Beginning Sunday, September 13, we will continue moving toward fully reopening Wesley. *Next Sunday we will offer an outside Contemporary Worship Service at 9:00am, followed by our Traditional Worship Service in the sanctuary at 11:00am, with live-streaming of the service.* We will increase our capacity to 106 for each service. At this time, small groups, such as Bible study classes, Sunday School classes, and church meetings will not be held on campus except

CHILDREN & YOUTH

CHILDREN

Nursery (Newborn - 2s)
Cherubs (3s and 4s)
Children's Church (K - Grade 2)
Club 345 (Grades 3, 4, 5) - 10:00am

YOUTH TIMES

No youth tonight. Join us at the "Sing and Play" at 6:00pm!

RECONNECT, PLAY, AND SING

You are invited for fellowship, playtime, and "Singing at the Circle" this evening from 6:00 to 7:30pm. Enjoy a boxed meal from Jimmy Johns, snow cones, children's games, and playground fun with our Kids Ministry staff! Parents can join outdoor worship or fellowship with friends around the playground. Donations can be made onsite for support of our local food pantry, Sparrow's Nest! Let's kick off Fall together!

*Living Faith...
Rooted in Tradition*

Sunday, September 6, 2020

10:00am

Rev. Dr. Jerry A. Roe, Jr.

"Psalm 1: Streams of Water"

Psalm 1

under very specific and approved circumstances. The maximum people that we will accommodate for weddings will increase from 75 to 106. Please continue to wear a mask on campus and follow social distancing practices. Children's Church will be available for both services of worship. We pray that we can be fully reopened by the end of October or very early in November. Please continue praying for Wesley's reopening efforts and for each other.

CHURCH OFFICE HOLIDAY

Wesley church offices will be closed tomorrow, Monday, September 7, in observance of Labor Day.

DONATION DRIVE CONTINUES

Wesley youth continues to partner with Communities in Schools at Glynn Middle to collect donations for their students. The biggest needs currently are for working laptops, sturdy backpacks, athletic shorts, and water bottles. To make a donation or for more information, contact Samantha at samantha@wesleyssi.org or (478) 396-6857.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

10:00

Sanctuary flowers are given to the glory of God by
Merry and Bill Tipton with appreciation for Wesley,
especially the Agape class, upon our 48th wedding anniversary.

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE Festive Processional on *Now Thank We All Our God* Michael Burkhardt

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

HYMN NO. 154 *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name* CORONATION

+OPENING PRAYER Chautier, 2020
Let us pray. | Blessed Lord, who caused all Holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: Grant us so to hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that by patience and the comfort of your Holy Word we may embrace and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Savior Jesus Christ; who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

SERVICE OF THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION
Let us pray. | Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Matthew 5:1-12

EPISTLE LESSON Hebrews 12:14-15

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Psalm 1

SERMON "Psalm 1: Streams of Water" Rev. Dr. Jerry A. Roe, Jr.

RESPONSE TO THE WORD: SERVICE OF THE TABLE

INVITATION TO HOLY COMMUNION | CONFESSION AND PARDON | SHARING THE PEACE UMH, pg. 12

CALL TO OFFERING | As a forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.

OFFERTORY *Gather Us In* Marty Haugen

+PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS AND DOXOLOGY NO. 95 OLD 100TH
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.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

+THE GREAT THANKSGIVING UMH, Pg. 13

THE LORD'S PRAYER UMH 895
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.

GIVING THE BREAD AND THE CUP
The body of Christ, given for you. Amen.
The blood of Christ, given for you. Amen.

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP
Holy Communion and the Lord's Table are "open" in that all who come in faith in Christ, regardless of church membership or denomination, are welcome.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING
Let us pray. | Eternal God, we thank you for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. In your great love, you sent your only Son who gave his life to save us from sin and to make us one. In humble gratitude and joyful obedience, we offer ourselves to you now. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, united in love, to give ourselves for others. In the name of Jesus Christ we pray, Amen.

SENDING FORTH

+HYMN NO. 393 *Spirit of the Living God* LIVING GOD

+BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Neno lake Mungu: Listen, God is Calling* Anne Krentz Organ



Wesley's mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Wesley UMC at Frederica is a Stephen Ministry church.

154 All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

1. All hail the power of Je - sus' name! Let an - gels pros - trate fall;
 2. Ye cho - sen seed of Is - rael's race, ye ran - sored from the fall,
 3. Sin - ners, whose love can ne'er for - get the worm - wood and the gall,
 4. Let ev - ery kin - dred, ev - ery tribe on this ter - res - trial ball,
 5. Crown him, ye mar - tyrs of your God, who from his al - tar call;
 6. O that with yon - der sa - cred throng we at his feet may fall!

bring forth the roy - al di - a - dem, and crown him Lord of all.
 hail him who saves you by his grace, and crown him Lord of all.
 go spread your tro - phies at his feet, and crown him Lord of all.
 to him all maj - es - ty as - crite, and crown him Lord of all.
 ex - tol the Stem of Jes - se's Rod, and crown him Lord of all.
 We'll join the ev - er - last - ing song, and crown him Lord of all.

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A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II

INVITATION

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

CONFESSION AND PARDON

ALL: Merciful God, we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart. We have failed to be an obedient church. We have not done your will, we have broken your law, we have rebelled against your love, we have not loved our neighbors, and we have not heard the cry of the needy.

Forgive us, we pray. Free us for joyful obedience, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Hear the good news: Christ died for us while we were yet sinners; that proves God's love toward us. In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

ALL: In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven! Glory to God. Amen.

THE PEACE

Let us offer one another signs of reconciliation and love.

OFFERING

As forgiven and reconciled people, let us offer ourselves and our gifts to God.

TAKING THE BREAD AND CUP

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

ALL: And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

ALL: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.*And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

ALL: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ.* By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit.*

On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

When the supper was over, he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

ALL: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory and we feast at his heavenly banquet.

Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever.

ALL: Amen.

And now, with the confidence of children of God, let us pray:

THE LORD'S PRAYER

BREAKING THE BREAD

GIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

The body of Christ, given for you.

ALL: Amen.

The blood of Christ, given for you.

ALL: Amen.

Spirit of the Living God

Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a-fresh on me.

The first system of music consists of a treble and bass staff in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat. The melody in the treble staff begins with a quarter rest, followed by a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter rest. The bass staff provides accompaniment with chords and moving lines.

Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a-fresh on me.

The second system of music continues the melody and accompaniment from the first system, maintaining the same musical structure and lyrics.

Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.

The third system of music features a new melody in the treble staff starting with a quarter note G4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note C5, a quarter note Bb4, a quarter note A4, a quarter note G4, and a quarter rest. The bass staff continues with accompaniment.

Spir - it of the liv - ing God, fall a-fresh on me.

The fourth system of music concludes the hymn with the same melody and accompaniment as the previous systems.