

Welcome to Tifton First

United Methodist Church

Contemporary Worship Service • 11:00am
November 12, 2023

Opening Worship

Build Your Kingdom Here

Tend

This Is The Air I Breathe

Announcements & Greeting

Prayer Concerns & Offering

Message

Closing Song

Our Father

Closing Blessing

Prayer Requests

Members: Glenn Coburn, Michelle Hunt, Diane Patrick, Dale & Sunny Pflug & family, Jackie Martin, William Byrd, Ron Evans, Sheila Carson, Martha Barrineau.

Long-Term Prayer: Charlie Griffin, Roger Hobgood (Lavonia's son), Hoyt & Becky Vance, Christine Kennedy.

Shut-In: Mary Nola McCrea

Maple Court: Eleanor Giles, Jack & Ann Stone, David Sone, Christine Hannon.

Legacy Village: Roy Walker, Harry Barrineau.

THE OAKS AT SUWANEE CREEK: Jane Blasingame.

FRIENDS & FAMILY: Martha Fleming Holloway (Christie Vance's cousin), Wendy Collins (Ann Taylor's niece), Gloria Manning (Marie Gann's friend), Gene Botsford (Dale Pflug's friend), Lisa Ashcraft (Jill Roberts' sister), Drama Norton (Jo Windom's mother), Ginny Flowers (Jackie Martin's daughter), Cade Johnson (Gibbs & Diane Patrick's nephew), Joel Ethridge (J. Michael & Teresa Moore's son-in-law & Virginia Hatcher's nephew), Reece Watson (Jerri Davis' grandson), Nicholas Horne, Tommy Smallwood (Dale and Sunny Pflug's friend), Amy Meeks (Carolyn Kightlinger's friend), Elena Kang (Carolyn Kightlinger's great niece), **PLEASE REMEMBER** to call the church office with an update on those you've placed on the prayer list **OR** if you are admitted to the hospital so we are aware of your hospitalization and to keep our prayer list accurate.

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This is a Stephen Ministry Church



**Christian Love and Sympathy is
extended to:**

David and Allison Johns and family in the
loss of her grandmother, Forence Bednarz.

The family of Janet Conner.

Join the Church

At Tifton First United Methodist Church, we invite you to join our church at any of our services. You may do so by one of three ways:

- (1) Profession of Faith in Jesus Christ
- (2) Transfer from another United Methodist congregation
- (3) Transfer from another denomination

If you are interested in more information about becoming a member, contact Rev. Chip Grantham (706) 570-3330 or seniorpastor@tiftonfumc.org. | Rev. Trevor Ward (478) 607-9003 or associatepastor@tiftonfumc.org. We gladly welcome you to our church family!

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

November 12, 2023

Sanctuary • 9:00am & 11:00am

Prelude Becky Rogers

Chiming of the Hour (11:00) Becky Rogers

Welcome & Announcements

(Please fill out attendance Pew Pads)

***Hymn** MH #591 *“Rescue the Perishing”*

***Affirmation of Faith**

***Gloria Patri** (#70)

***Greeting Time** *“The Family of God”*

Morning Prayer / 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.

***Hymn** (11:00) MH #580 *“Lead On, O King Eternal”*

Offertory (9:00) *“Meet Me at Arlington”* Chancel Choir
solo, Terry Bennett
(11:00) Kendra Gannaway

Doxology #95

*“Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.”*

Children’s Moment

Choral Anthem (11:00) *“Meet Me at Arlington”* Chancel Choir
solo, Terry Bennett

Scripture

Sermon Will & Mary Bailey Smith

***Hymn** MH #593 *“Here I Am, Lord”*

***Benediction**

***Postlude** Kendra Gannaway

***Please stand as able**



The flowers are placed on the altar in loving memory of our son, Jeffrey Michael Pflug, and in honor of our daughters, Kelly Golden, Shannon Spooneybarger & Heather Denham by Dale & Sunny Pflug.

On the Sunday you place flowers in the church, you can take them after the worship service or let Debbie know if you would like to donate them to our shut-ins.

Ways to Give

Text to Give

TFUMC Give \$(any dollar amount) to 73256

Messages and Data rates may apply.

For example, a \$50 gift would look like this:

TFUMC Give \$50

Give Online at:

www.tiftonfirst.org/give

Mail a check to:

Tifton First United Methodist Church

107 12th Street W

Tifton, GA 31794

Sunday, November 12

9:00am Traditional Worship / Sanctuary

9:45am Sunday School

11:00am Contemporary Worship / SH

11:00am Traditional Worship / Sanctuary

5:00pm Youth Worship / AC

Monday, November 13

5:45pm Wesley Ringers Rehearsal / Bell Room

Tuesday, November 14

8:30am Fitness Class / AC

10:00am Circle 7 / Parlor

10:00am Circle 2 / Joy Class

Wednesday, November 15

12:15pm Midweek Communion Service / Chapel

3:15pm Children’s Activities (Pre-K-5th Grade) / AC

4:45pm Children’s Choirs (Pre-K-5th Grade) / CR

5:15pm Wednesday Night Supper / SH

6:00pm Youth Activities & Bible Study / AC

6:15pm Bible Study with Chip / Parlor

6:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal / Choir Room

Thursday, November 16

7:15am Youth Prayer Breakfast & Jesus / AC

8:30am Fitness Class / AC

11:30am Senior Adult Lunch & BINGO / SH

7:00pm Orchestra Rehearsal / SH

Sanctuary Servant for November: Barbara Coburn

Monthly Activities

Club 55 - 1st Tues. at 11:30am in the SH.

Senior Adult Movie - 2nd Thurs. at 2:00pm in the SH.

Circle 7 - 2nd Tues. at 10:00am in the Parlor.

Senior Adult Lunch & BINGO - 3rd Thurs. at 11:30am in the SH.

Circle 2 - 3rd Tues. at 10:00am in the Parlor.

Red Cross Bloodmobile - 3rd Tues. from 12:30pm-5:30pm in the SH.

Caregiver Support Group - 4th Mon. at 2:00pm in the Parlor.

Alzheimer Support Group - 4th Tues. at 10:00am Leroy Rogers Center.

WELCOME WILL & MARY BAILEY SMITH

This morning we want to welcome Dr. Will & Mrs. Mary Bailey Smith to the pulpit. As most of you know, Will grew up here and went on to become a doctor. Along the way, he met Mary Bailey, who grew up in Rome and became a pharmacist. Early on in their marriage, they felt the call to use their abilities on the mission field and got connected with the medical ministries of Samaritan’s Purse.

They were sent to the hospital in Chogoria, Kenya. Will served on the medical staff and Mary Bailey was the first pharmacist sent out by Samaritan’s Purse. They helped put together “Friends of Chogoria,” a financial support group to help improve the hospital and it’s care for the patients. Through their efforts, and your support, the hospital was able to build a new Endoscopy Tower, and update its equipment.

You have prayed for their ministry – both on the medical front, and the Gospel front. They are a true blessing, and I’m so excited we were able to schedule a time for them to share with us what God is doing in and through their ministry.

In Christ,
Chip



Wednesday Night Supper
5:15pm in the Social Hall
Menu for November 15th:

Country Fried Steak, Mashed Potatoes, English Peas, Carrots,
Congealed Salad, Biscuits & Desserts

Note: Please call church office for **TO GO** plates

CHRISTMAS PROJECT FOR WESLEY GLEN

For the 26th year, UMW Circle #2 will be preparing Christmas gifts for the Wesley Glen residents. Wesley Glen is a ministry of the South Georgia Conference that serves adults with developmental disabilities and their families. If you or your Sunday School class are willing to make a financial donation for this project, please make your check payable to “United Methodist Women” and mark it for “Wesley Glen Christmas Project” and drop off at the church office.