

**Our Vision: "A Church where lives are Changed;  
Hurting people are Helped and Healed;  
and Members become Ministers for Christ."**

**November 22, 2017  
Online Edition**



## **DROP-IN BABY SHOWER**

Please join us for a drop-in baby shower for Michael and Jenny Dent **on Friday, November 24 from 1-3 pm** at the home of Scotty and Louise Jones, 395 Evergreen Road, Dublin. If you are unable to attend, gifts can be dropped off at Pine Forest Church, or the home of Joel and Joyce Dent, 1819 Pine Forest Circle. Michael and Jenny and their six boys are eagerly anticipating the arrival of a baby girl!

## **LEADERSHIP FORUM MEETING**

**Monday, November 27  
6:30 p.m.**

**Fellowship Hall**

**Please note change in date  
of the meeting.**

## **EXCITING NEWS!**

The Youth Ministry has started a fundraiser selling a keepsake ornament based on the stained glass window centered over the double doors in the sanctuary. Individual students will not be selling them, but rather the youth ministry as a whole! All proceeds will go directly towards the Youth Ministry Program. They are selling for \$25 and are a great gift for this Christmas Season. To order one stop by our table on Sunday Morning or see Jordan for details. Payment is due at time of order.

## **"BE IN GOD'S MINORITY—BY BEING THANKFUL!"**

Most of you know the story of Jesus and the Ten Lepers (Luke 17:11-19). As Jesus went into a certain village, ten men who had leprosy met Him. They stood at a distance and called out in a loud voice, "*Jesus, Master, have pity on us!*" Lepers were considered social outcasts and spiritually unclean and were required to keep their distance from the general population. They also had to announce very loudly their condition to anyone coming near them. When Jesus saw them, however, He said, "*Go, show yourselves to the priests.*" He was saying, in effect, that these ten lepers would be healed. And they were! Lk. 17:14 tells us: "*And as they went, they were cleansed.*" Jesus supernaturally healed and changed ten lives, and yet—Lk. 17:15ff says: "*One of them, when he saw he was healed, came back, praising God in a loud voice. He threw himself at Jesus' feet and thanked Him—and he was a Samaritan.*" Jesus then asked this Samaritan, "*Were not all ten cleansed? Where are the other nine?*" The nine Jewish men kept their blessings to enjoy but didn't return to acknowledge the Giver. The most unlikely one to return—the Samaritan who knew the least about God—was the one to receive not only a physical healing, but a spiritual healing as well! Jesus then said, "*Rise and go; your faith has made you well.*"

Notice that this one Samaritan leper would have missed out on a life-changing miracle if he hadn't returned to thank Jesus. He was healed in his body and in his soul! May the Lord help us to be in His 'minority' by being thankful. May He forgive us when we focus on the things we don't have, instead of all the blessings He's already given us. May we be like the "one" who returned to express gratitude. So thank You, Lord Jesus, for saving us, forgiving us, and providing for all our needs each day!

**Bro. Wes**

**November 26, 2017**

*Last Sunday after Pentecost*

**8:45 a.m.**

**Early Morning Worship**

Luke 1:26-45

**"YOU HAVE FOUND FAVOR  
WITH GOD"**

Dr. Don Adams

Worship Leader: Joel Griner

Special Music: Kay Baeumel

**9:00 a.m.**

**Contemporary Gathering**

Psalm 100

**"GIVE THANKS TO THE LORD"**

Rev. Wes Moye

**11:00 a.m.**

**Morning Worship**

Psalm 100

**"GIVE THANKS TO THE LORD"**

Rev. Wes Moye

Worship Leader: Chris Kinney

Special Music: Kay Baeumel

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:**

**FAIRVIEW PARK HOSPITAL:**

De Carden

**REGENCY HOSPITAL, MACON:** Joan Wehner (rehab)

**HOME:** Frank Fields, Jill Johnson, Beth Brown, Bill Agee, Nancy Harrison

**OTHERS:** Kathy Bailey, Sandy Ballance, Mary Crabb, Sharon Fleming-sister of Jone Jones, Billy Jones-brother-in-law of Ray Jones

**VAMC, REHAB, NURSING HOMES OR ASSISTED CARE FACILITIES:**

Harry Haag-father of Ruby Bryan, Doris Miller, J. C. Pitts, Mary Ann Peacock, Aileen Colquitt, Sunshine Key, Betty Maffett, Mary Nell UpChurch, Mary Burkett, Joey Williams, Wylene Parker

**IN THE MILITARY:** Michael Shores-son of David & Tanya Shores; Laurie Lane-daughter of Jim & Linda Lane; Kenny Hughes-son of Donna Harrison-Snyder; Blake Clements-son-in-law of Randy & Lori Passmore

**OUR MISSIONARIES:** Jason & Kristen Bowden, Bobby Gale, Steven & SueAnn Lloyd

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*Dear Pine Forest Family & Friends,*

Christmas is fast approaching, and as an annual tradition, we would like to give each member and friend of Pine Forest an opportunity to participate in a Christmas Love Gift for our church staff. If you would like to be a part of this love offering for the staff, please designate your check "Staff Christmas" and drop it in the offering plate or turn it in to the church office by December 20th. The Staff Parish Committee will properly distribute your gift to the staff as our way of saying, "Merry Christmas -- We're glad you are a part of Pine Forest." Have a Merry Christmas and share the spirit of Christmas with those you love!

-The Staff Parish Committee

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**STAFF MEMBER ON CALL**

Josh Echols will be on call November 24-25 and can be reached at 258-7835.

**CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY**

To Ruby Bryan and Alice Dees on the death of their father, Harry Haag. Cards may be sent to Ruby at 103 Cheek Drive, Dublin GA and to Alice Dees at 703 Jones Lane, Dublin GA.



**GIFT WRAPPING OUTREACH**

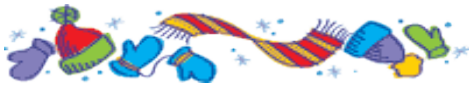
Our annual Gift Wrapping Outreach at the **Dublin Mall** will be **Saturday, December 9 and 16** from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m. This would be a great way to get into the holiday spirit and make new friends. Plan for your family to join us!

**SENIOR FORESTER'S FELLOWSHIP**

All seniors are invited to the Christmas Luncheon on **Tuesday, December 12** at 12:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Betty Williams will cater the meal. Kathy McCollum of Wesley Glen Ministries, a South Georgia agency that provides ministries to adults with limitations, will provide our program including playing the harp. Helen Boone, our advocate for Wesley Glen, encourages us to please bring a gift to help stock the **Wesley Glenn Santa Shop**. You can help by bringing any of these gift items to the luncheon: men's grilling accessories, caps, gloves, etc.; ladies' umbrellas, flavored teas, scarves or scented liquid soap. Monetary donations for the Shop are welcome as well. Please make your check out to Pine Forest and designate it for the Santa Shop.

**POINSETTIAS FOR THE SANCTUARY**

If you would like to purchase a **poinsettia in honor or in memory of a loved one**, please let the church office know by November 26<sup>th</sup>. Cost of the flowers is \$12 each. You may take your flowers home after the December 24 morning service. The list will be in the December 3<sup>rd</sup> bulletin.



## DECEMBER

- 4 UMW Christmas Covered Dish Dinner
- 9 Gift Wrapping Outreach at Dublin Mall
- 10 Ginger Bread House Competition
- 12 Senior Forester's Christmas Luncheon
- 13 Handbells Christmas Program
- 16 Gift Wrapping Outreach at Dublin Mall
- 24 One Service at 10 a.m.  
Candlelight Communion Service  
Come & Go Communion
- 25 Christmas Day
- 26 Office Closed
- 31 One Service at 11 a.m.

## WOULD YOU LIKE TO HELP?

The **WINGS Shelter** for women is asking for our participation in their **Secret Santa program**, which will enable their residents to be blessed this holiday season. If you would like to help, please contact Heather or Melody at 272-5880 or 272-2129 to request a family's wish list. Please bring your gifts to the church no later than December 13<sup>th</sup> so we can get them to the shelter by the deadline of December 15<sup>th</sup>. Gifts can be wrapped or unwrapped and tagged as being from your group if you prefer.



## VOLUNTEERS FOR CHERUB CHOIR

In response to multiple requests, we would like to offer a preschool choir on Wednesday afternoon from 5:00-5:30. Specifically needed would be one or two persons who would be willing to choose songs and sing with this loving group of children. Volunteers are already in place to assist and additional resources are available. Please contact Mary Crowson, Director of Music, if you would like to talk about how you can help!

## COMMUNITY HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

The annual **Festival of Trees** is underway at Oconee Fall Line Technical College on Pinehill Road. This event is open to the public Monday – Thursday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m. There will be a *Sip'N See* with light refreshments on Thursday, December 14 from 5:30-7:30 p.m.

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual **Christkindlmarket** in downtown Dublin will kick off on Saturday, November 25 at 12 noon.

Downtown Dublin's **Jingle & Mingle** will be Friday, December 1 from 5:30-9 p.m.

## CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES ... from Kim

**December 6** - Family Christmas Caroling after dinner (6:30 - 7:30) Youth and Children will participate - *LAST DAY FOR AFTER SCHOOL PICK UP*

Also - last day for donating pj's - If you would like to help, we will be providing new pj's for boys and girls ages 1 - 6 for the Foster Family Christmas party.

**December 10th - Gingerbread House Decorating Contest** 5:00 -6:30. Join us for this family event!

**Parent Volunteers for Children's Church:** 9:00 – Clare Bryan;  
11:00 – Lisa Dollar

## MUSIC NOTES ... from Mary

**CHILDREN, YOUTH and ADULT CHOIRS**---we will have one combined rehearsal for everyone this **Sunday**, November 26<sup>th</sup> at 4PM. If you are in town, please make every effort to be there. We will finish no later than 5:15 and children are needed for the entire rehearsal.

**On Sunday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>, we will meet at 2:30** to practice prior to the program at 4PM. Youth and Adults must wear all black. Men wear a red tie, women wear pearls (necklace and/or earrings), no other accessories! **Children should dress in Christmas colors.**

## Youth News .... from Jordan

- 1.) **Youth Worship** this Sunday from 5:30-7:30pm! See you then!
- 2.) **Prayer Breakfast** will resume on Nov. 28<sup>th</sup> at 6:45am at Chick-fil-a. Transportation to school provided!
- 3.) The Youth and Children will be going **caroling** together on **December 6<sup>th</sup>**, following the Wednesday Night Supper! All Youth are invited to be a part of joyous event to help spread Christmas Cheer!

## BUDGET REPORT

January 1-November 22, 2017

### Budget Report:

Budget YTD	\$ 701,485.39
Received YTD	645,158.76
Expenses YTD	\$ 677,757.14

## WEEKLY REPORT

### Attendance-November 19:

Sunday School	123
Morning Worship	189

### Evangelism

Profession of Faith	8
New Members	22
Current Membership	810

## FELLOWSHIP SUPPER

November 29, 2017

5:30-6:15 pm

**Menu:** ½ Brian's Ham & Cheese Sub, Chips, Salads, Dessert, Tea, Lemonade

(\$5 per person – all ages)

Deadline to sign up or cancel is Tuesday at 12 noon.

## IN SERVICE THIS WEEK:

**Greeters:** 8:45 – Gloria Morgan, Ushers

9:00 – David Fennell

11:00 – JoAnn Bloodworth, Ushers

**Ushers:** 8:45 – Earl Morgan, Larry Shriver

11:00 – Weldon Payne, Randy Hodges

**Audio:** 8:45 – Jackson Dollar

9:00 – Wayne Clark

11:00 – Don Murkerson

**Video:** 9:00 – Van Payne

11:00 – JB Dial

### 9:00 Refreshments:

Pastries – Olivia Martin

Fruit & Juice – Lisa Dollar

**Altar Flowers:** Given to the Glory of God by Mrs. Cindi Aspinwall in memory of her mother, Mrs. Sue Long.

**Altar Flower Delivery:** Jone Jones

**Altar Guild for November:** Jone Jones, Lisa Dollar, Susan Finley

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

### Sunday, November 26

8:45 a.m. Early Morning Worship

9:00 a.m. Contemporary Gathering

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Morning Worship

5:00 p.m. Small Group Studies

5:45 p.m. Youth Fellowship

7:00 p.m. Morning Worship on TV 35

### Monday, November 27

10:30 a.m. Staff Meeting

6:30 p.m. Leadership Forum

### Tuesday, November 28

6:45 a.m. Youth Prayer Breakfast

8:30 a.m. Men's Bible Study at Golden Corral

7:30 p.m. Adult Handbell Choir

### Wednesday, November 29

1:30 p.m. Golden Notes Choir

3:15 p.m. After School Program

5:00 p.m. Children's Choir

5:30 p.m. Fellowship Supper

6:00 p.m. Small Group Studies

Study on Book of Revelations

Youth Handbells

6:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, November 30

10:00 a.m. Women's Exercise Class

6:45 p.m. Women's Study on Prayer

## PINE FOREST VISION

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## PINE FOREST UMC STAFF

Wes Moyer, Senior Pastor (484-9820)

Joel Dent, Director of Older Adult Ministries

Mary Crowson, Director of Music Ministries

Kim Dixon, Director of Children's Ministries

Jordan Echols, Director of Youth Ministries

Josh Echols, Director of Evangelism & Discipleship

Kay Baeumel, Preschool Director

Susan Dyches, Administrative Assistant

Nancy Stinson, Financial Secretary

Ann Wallace, Church Hostess

Betsy Moran, Organist

Frank Newman, Pianist

Wallace Pullins, Custodian

Brenda Jackson, Nursery Worker