



First United Methodist Church of Pine Mountain

JANUARY 2026 NEWSLETTER

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During the season We helped

Christmas in Harris County & Winter Wonderland

Our church was the distribution point for the Santa Shop and the pickup for sponsored families. This was a large undertaking for us that started in September with planning. But with the help of caring members in our congregation as well as the partnership with other churches and Harris County Family Connection, it was a very rewarding and successful community project. A huge shout-out to Susan Walter, Marian Milliron, Phil Evans, Lydia Armstrong, Pen Robinson, Madelyn Carey, and Kylie Bush!



Thank you to our planning team members, Becky Gaar, Mary King Kurrass, Sonja Metcalf and Laura Willoughby.

This loving congregation sponsored 3 large families this year and responded with amazing generosity and love! Thank you for allowing these families to have a Merry Christmas!



SEW BLESSED made 86 Teddy Bears and delivered them to Pruitt Health Nursing Home in Greenville, GA. Members of Sew Blessed are Becky Gaar, Faye Garrett, Carol Hamric, Irene Mapes, Jan Simmons, Bobbie

During the season We worshipped

Children and Youth
Christmas Program
“New Star”



Choir Christmas Program
“A Bethlehem Christmas Carol”



During the season We celebrated

CHILDREN/YOUTH CHRISTMAS PARTY



BREAKFAST WITH SANTA



CHRISTMAS PARADE

CHRISTMAS BINGO



YAH TRIP TO GOVERNOR'S MANSION



United
Women
in Faith

PINE MOUNTAIN
UNITED WOMEN
IN FAITH
LOUISE MILLER CIRCLE

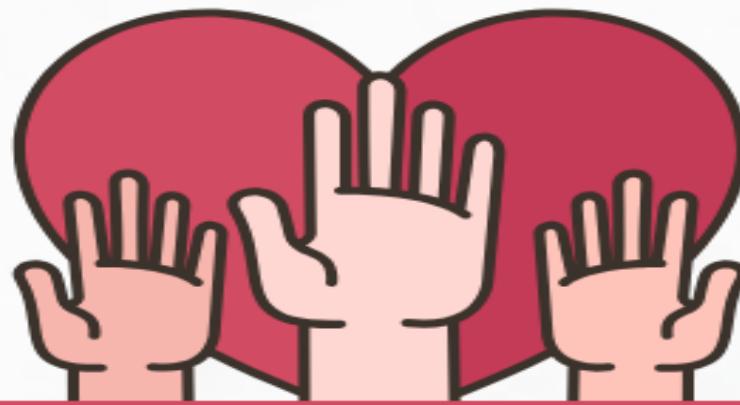
Welcome to our new UWF officers beginning in January 2026

Lydia Armstrong (President)
Sally Cobb (Treasurer)
Susan Walter (Secretary)
Frankie Mabry (Communications)

Thank you to our outgoing officers for all the work you have done to make our UWF so successful!

Sara Godowns (President)
Winky Parker (Vice-President)
Jane Logan (Treasurer)
Mary Helen Terrell (Secretary)
Peggy Elder (Communications)

The next UWF meeting will be January 12th at 12:00 PM in the FLC.



Volunteers NEEDED

**IF YOU HAVE BEEN WONDERING
HOW YOU CAN PLUG INTO THE CHURCH**

We need help with

- Ushers/Greeters - Both Services
- Audio/Visual at 11:00 service (we will train you)
- Acolytes on Sunday to light candles
- Scripture readers-Both Services
- Pastor's Pantry (pick at least 1 day a month you can help)

**Let's join with us
Call or email the
office!**

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**ALL AGES
WELCOME**

January Sunday Servants

	Ushers	Greeters
	January 4	
8:30	NEED SOMEONE	NEED SOMEONE
11:00	Michael Willey	Becky Gaar
	Jim Bob Bryant	Lorraine Berry
	January 11	
8:30	NO SERVICE	NO SERVICE
11:00	Larkin Cunningham	Jane Lawson
		Winky Parker
	January 18	
8:30	Bob Phillips	Jane Logan
11:00	Dale Morrison	Tracy Morrison
	Lorraine Berry	Charlotte Zuerner
	January 25	
8:30	Roy Westbrook	Judy Westbrook
11:00	Susan Walter	Josh May
	Jeri Bishop	Morgan May



1	Harold Tarpley	18	Bill Godowns
2	Minnie Whitaker	21	Joseph Piga, III
3	Ivy Dunn	22	Julian Sivell
5	Jim Lovern	23	Ellen Elizabeth Ertle
6	Reggie Bayona	23	Marian Milliron
7	Sara Godowns	23	Howard Schaeffer
8	Cooper Bowen Parker	24	Genie Clancy
8	Justin Smoot	25	Jacob May
9	Matthew Colberg	25	Gunnar Williamson
11	Nikki Mathes	28	Mary George
11	Morgan May	30	Amy Riley
11	Ann Story	31	Jan Simmons
13	Mim Clepper	31	Daniel Williamson

Altar Guild Servants for the month of December are Tracy Willey and Sandy Wilson

A Look at 2025

As of 11/30/25, our Pastor's Pantry has seen a total of 1,081 families for a total of 3,231 individuals. In 2024, our total through 11/30 was 870 families for a total of 2,499 individuals.

Our Benevolence fund, thru 12/23/25, has paid out a total of \$10,494.66 compared to 2024 \$8,217.51.

We are so blessed as a church to be able to provide these services to our community. Please prayerfully consider donating to Pastor's Pantry and Benevolence along with your normal giving. Without you and your generosity, we cannot be the hope that our community needs.

How you have helped



HELLO JANUARY

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4 8:30 & 11:00 Worship 10:00-10:45-Children to meet in Sanctuary 9:45-10:30-Adult SS 5:30-7:00-Youth	5	6	7 5:30—WNS 6:15-Children & Youth 6:30-Choir 6:30 Bible Study	8	9	10
11 8:30 & 11:00 Worship 10:00-10:45-Children, Youth Sunday School-FLC 9:45-10:30-Adult SS 2:00—Grief Support Group 5:30-7:00-Youth	12 UWF—12:00 FLC	13	14 5:30—WNS 6:15-Children & Youth 6:30-Choir 6:30 Bible Study	15	16 Youth leave for ski trip	17 Youth ski trip
18 8:30 & 11:00 Worship 9:30-Breakfast with Santa 9:45-10:30-Adult SS 2:00-Grief Support Group No Youth meeting Youth ski trip	19 Youth return from ski trip	20	21 5:30—WNS 6:15-Children & Youth 6:30-Choir 6:30 Bible Study	22	23	24
25 8:30 & 11:00 Worship 10:00-10:45-Children, Youth Sunday School-FLC 9:45-10:30-Adult SS 2:00-Grief Support Group 5:30-7:00-Youth	26	27	28 5:30—WNS 6:15-Children & Youth 6:30-Choir 6:30 Bible Study	29	30	31