

**PRAYER CARD**

Please add/remove  
the following on the prayer list

Requested by

**December**

- 18** 8:30 & 11:00 Worship  
6:00 Children & Youth Christmas Party
- 21** No Wednesday Night Supper  
6:30 No Choir Practice
- 24** 5:00 & 7:00 Christmas Eve Services
- 25** 11:00 Christmas Day Service  
No Youth

**You are invited to a Joint Baby Shower!  
Celebrating Two Babies!**

Nikki Clepper Mathes is having a boy!  
Lace Cobb Mathes is having a girl!

December 28th from 1:00-3:00 PM.  
Come for a long visit or just drop in!

Sunset Lodge at Big Bear Farm *(in front of Valley Vet)*  
777 Butts Mill Road  
Pine Mountain, GA 31822



Baby registry for both babies can be found on Babylist.com under  
Nikki Mathes or Lace Mathes.

Shower given by Mary Ellen Roberts & Leigh Ellen Ertle  
Text or call if you have questions: 706-457-9212

The flowers today are  
given to the glory of God  
by Charlotte Zuerner in  
memory of her  
anniversary.

The church office will be closed  
December 26th thru December  
30th.



**DECEMBER 21ST**  
**NO WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER**  
**WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER WILL**  
**RESUME IN JANUARY 2023!**

DROP THIS FORM IN THE OFFERING BOX AT THE ENTRANCE

	Sunday	Servants
December 18		December 25
8:30	Usher—Bob Phillips Greeter—Jane Logan	
11:00	Ushers— Steve Davis Dale Morrison Greeters—Tracy Morrison Charlotte Zuerner	11:00 Ushers— Ed Hudson John Hasting Greeters-Josh May Berta Pylant David Pylant

Attendance 12/11/2022: 8:30– 32 11:00–99 Total—131  
**FINANCIAL REVIEW - MONTHLY— DECEMBER**  
 Budgeted \$34,513.88 - Received \$22,641.50= Difference \$-11,872.38  
**YEAR TO DATE—as of 10/31/2022**  
 GENERAL BUDGET INCOME \$367,396.23 - EXPENSES \$304,738.47= BALANCE \$62,657.76



**First United Methodist Church  
of Pine Mountain**

*Making Disciples of Jesus Christ for the  
Transformation of the World with loving hands and  
grateful hearts through inviting, reaching, serving,  
growing & learning, and worshipping our  
Lord Jesus Christ!*

**December 18th, 2022**



206 McDougald Avenue, PO Box 246, Pine Mountain, GA 31822  
706-663-2538  
Church Office Hours: M-Th 8:30-1:30  
www.fumcpinemountain.org

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**

**PRELUDE** *Gloria* ROSE SLONAKER  
 GARY DAWSON, SAXOPHONE  
 arranged by Kingsmore

**WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS, & INVOCATION**

**ADVENT CANDLE LIGHTING**

**\*OPENING HYMN** *Good Christian Friends, Rejoice* UMH #224

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** Apostles' Creed

**\*GLORIA PATRI** UMH #70

**SCRIPTURE READING** Isaiah 7:10-16

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE** MARY KING KURRASS

**HYMN** *It Came upon the Midnight Clear* UMH #218

**BLESSING OVER THE OFFERING**

**SOLO** *Mary, Did You Know*  
 DAVID SLONAKER, TENOR  
 Lowry/Greene

**PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**ANTHEM** *Caroling, Caroling* CHANCEL CHOIR  
 Alfred Burt

**SCRIPTURE READING** MATTHEW 1:18-25

**SERMON** "LISTEN UP" REV. KAYLEN SHORT

**\*HYMN OF INVITATION** *Away in a Manger* UMH #217

**POSTLUDE** *Shepherd's Pipe Carol* ROSE SLONAKER  
 Dale Wood

\*Please stand as you are able

**THE APOSTLES' CREED, TRADITIONAL VERSION**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.



Christmas Eve Candlelight Services  
 December 24th 5:00 and 7:00 PM

Christmas Day Service  
 11:00 AM Only



**PRAYER CONCERNS**

Michael Bishop (Member)  
 Frank Cox (Member)  
 Blanche Clements (Member)  
 Jim Davis (Steve Davis' brother)  
 Vern & Linda Johnson (Member)  
 Peter Mockalis (Laura Willoughby)  
 Susan and Sam Abernathy (Martha Story)  
 Peggy Elder (Member)  
 Irene Mapes (Member)  
 Tommy Garrett (Member)  
 Melba Daniel (Former Member)  
 April Turner (Member)  
 Billy Whitten  
 Tee Mabry

**Service Members**

Justin Frazier (Debra Bayona)  
 Brett Hargis (Schaeffer)  
 James McVey (Godowns)  
 Joshua Tunnell (Dawson)

**First Responders**

John Sweat

**Homebound**

Betty Parrish (Member)  
 Lynn Schaezel (Member)  
 Minnie Whitaker (Member)  
 Lois Wilson-Boyd (Member)

**Please add or update any Prayer concerns on the bulletin flap.**



Sunday Morning Coffee and Treats  
 following 8:30 service in the FLC

I attended Worship this morning at  
 \_\_\_ 8:30 \_\_\_ 11:00

NAME(s) \_\_\_\_\_

CHILDREN (PLEASE INCLUDE BIRTHDATES )  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_ I'm new here! Please reach out!  
 \_\_\_ change of address/phone

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Add me to the email list

**DECISION CARD** I would like to:

- \_\_\_ Receive Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.
- \_\_\_ Be baptized.
- \_\_\_ Recommit my life to Jesus Christ.
- \_\_\_ Become Member of Pine Mountain FUMC
- \_\_\_ Talk with the pastor