

BIBLE STUDIES

Sunday 10:00 am

All ages General Bible Study

Child Care provided

Tuesday 6:30 pm

Men's Bible Study

Wednesday 9:30 am

Adult Bible Study

Wednesday 6:15 pm

Pot Luck Dinner 5:45 pm

General Bible Study

Groups

Gift Club

Bible Power Kids

**All study groups are open to
all who are interested**

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FIELDS CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

WELCOME TO OUR GUESTS

We are honored that you have chosen to worship with us today. If you have any questions, please see our Pastor, April Ellis.

Our restrooms, nursery, classrooms, offices, kitchen and fellowship hall are located on the lower level of the church. Please make yourselves at home.

Children of all ages are welcome to stay and worship with us. However, children 6 years and under may visit the nursery which is located downstairs staffed by a CPR/First Aide trained teacher.



FIELDS CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH VISION

Fields Chapel UMC will be an instrument of God where people are transformed through God's love and grace for the transformation of the world.



New Sunday School Event

Summer 5D Short Study lead by Pastor April from 10-10:45 AM in the Pastor's Office. Please plan to join us.



**Change is never easy,
but it always means
growth!**

TWO SUNDAY SERVICES AT FCUMC

8:40 am Contemplative Worship a setting in which we quiet ourselves in order to open our souls to the ministry of God within us.

11:00 am Traditional Service

PLEASE COME AND JOIN US WE
WOULD LOVE TO HAVE YOU WITH US.

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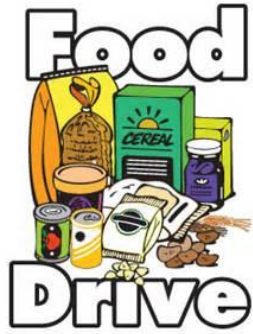
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Get Your Can To Church!!

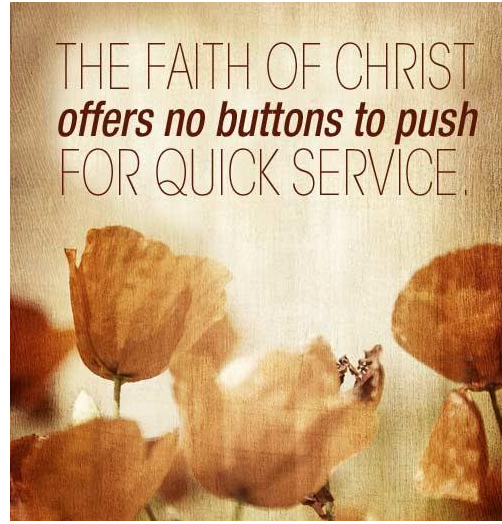
Help us help Goshen Valley Boys Ranch. They are in need of non-perishable food items. Please see the list below and get your can to church!!

Sugar, Flour, Baking Soda, Baking Powder, Oil, Cereal, Oatmeal, Pancake Mix, Pop Tarts, Granola Bars, Spaghetti Sauce, Pasta, Rice, Ramen Noodles, Peanut Butter, Jelly, Popcorn, Chips, Canned Tomatoes, Canned Corn, Canned Beans, Canned Fruit



Notice!!!

The cost of engraving the bricks for the Prayer Garden path will be going up at the end of the year. If you wish to purchase a brick for your family or a loved one, please order now and **save**. See Kathy James or pick up a form in the back of the chapel.



**BE SURE TO VISIT OUR
WEBPAGE FOR
On- going news
www.fieldschapel.org**

Early Response Team: Basic, Recertification, and Train-the-Trainer

Who Benefits: Volunteers who work with Early Response Teams (ERTs) are often the first people on the ground providing aid after a disaster strikes. Their mission is to create a caring presence. They immediately help to clean things up and make homes safe, sanitary and secure.

ERT volunteers must go through ERT training with UMCOR. This ensures that they will operate under specific guidelines that allow them to be productive and caring while causing no further harm or being a burden to the affected community. Topics covered in the class include the who, what, when, where and how of doing ministry, as well as hands on experience in the specific tasks that early responders are expected to accomplish.

After completing this training, scoring 70% or above on the ERT quiz, and passing a background check, volunteers will be eligible to receive an UMCOR ERT badge. Instituted May 1, 2009, this badge is part of a national effort to certify early response volunteers across multiple agencies. This was born out of "lessons learned" from 9/11 and the need for volunteers to hold specific credentials to enter the disaster site. UMCOR ERT badge holders will be eligible to receive national certification to assist following a US disaster. If you became an ERT before 2009, you can earn a badge by taking a re-certification class.

If you already have served on an ERT team and you are interested in becoming an authorized ERT trainer, UMCOR will provide a minimum of sixteen hours additional training upon request. If you then pass a background check, get a recommendation from your conference, and perform well in a class-setting evaluation, you can be authorized to teach ERT classes within your conference.

They can have 2 or 3 more people come. This is where it will be:

October 4 - Basic Early Response Team Training (ERT)

Conference: North Georgia

Location: Cummings First UMC, 770 Canton Highway, Cumming, GA 30040;

Phone: [770/887-2900](tel:7708872900)

Contact: Mike Yoder at yoderjm@yahoo.com

The cost is 20.00 for a back ground check and lunch. I need to know by Sept 10th if anyone wants to go so I can let the church know.





CPR and First Aid for the Community

Course includes adult, child and infant CPR and basic first aid. Designed to meet the needs of a diverse audience, training covers a range of topics for children through seniors. Meets the requirements established by Bright from the Start, NAEYC, DHR, and DSS. PLEASE NOTE - This class does NOT meet the requirements for the CDA Council, NECPA, or DBHDD.

Date: Sunday September 28, 2014

Time: 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm

Cost: \$20.00 per person

Where: Fields Chapel UMC 1331 Fields Chapel Road

First Response asks for a minimum of 10 participants.

Sign-up sheet is in the back of the Chapel.



THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Today: Service at 8:40 & 11:00 am

Tues: Men's Bible Class 6:30 pm

Wed: Adult Bible Study 9:30 am

Pot Luck 5:45 pm

Bible Studies 6:15 pm

Next Sun: 8:40 am Service

9:30 am Breakfast at the Chapel

10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Service

UPCOMING EVENTS

9.7.14: Membership 101

9.10.14: RSVP regarding ERT Training

9.14.14: Membership 101

9.28.14: CPR/First Aid Class 4-7

10.4.14: ERT Training

Starting the first Wednesday in September the Wednesday night Bible study will experience the 5D Study of the book "The Story Of God, the Story of Us" by Sean Gladding. Use all the dimensions to experience God's Word in a new way as we explore this narrative style book together. The study is interactive and engaging. Profound discoveries await all - from those who know much to those who know nothing about the Scripture.

If you are interest in information about any of the above events, please email Kathy James at james@fieldschapel.org

"God's Breath is Chi"

program has been approved and will be available Mondays at 6:30pm and Thursdays at 10am in the Fellowship Hall of the Chapel. **We will start on Mon Aug 25th at 6:30pm.**

Wear comfortable clothing and **socks!** All the exercise is done while standing, including meditation. You will learn more as we start, but I'll be happy to answer questions on Draha's email

kadlecove@hotmail.com and home (landline) phone [678-880-8483](tel:678-880-8483).

This announcement will also be available on Fields Chapel website and FC Facebook.

Draha is looking forward to seeing you move soon!



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Membership in Brief UMC 101

Starting on September 7th a two week study on UMC 101 will be offered starting at 9:30 – 10:00 am. The first week will be information and the second week (September 14th) question and answer session.

We will talk about what is means to be a member of Fields Chapel UMC. Please plan to join us.



HeBrew Cafe is open and serving rolls, scones, and coffee **Sunday mornings from 9:30-10AM.** Stop by the kitchen to place your order or welcome them as they make their way around the church. Proceeds will be used by the youth and children to bless others. Take the time to let them know you appreciate the way these young people get involved and serve!

Pastor

Pastoral Care & Getting To Know You

IN PERSON

Pastor April wants to get to know you by spending some intentional time together. She also will be there for you and those you care for as pastoral care opportunities arise. She has set aside time to do so. Pastor can meet at the church or at homes on Wednesday afternoons, Thursday mornings, or Sunday evenings. To schedule a time, send an email to pastorapril@fieldschapel.org or call the church office.

VIA MEDIA

Pastor April is also available via phone, Google+ Hang Outs video chat, and text Sunday through Friday. This is a good way to have sessions/meetings on your lunch break with a coworker in need, while traveling on business, etc, without needing to find a time it is convenient for you and those you are ministering to to physically come to the church office. To schedule, email pastorapril@fieldschapel.org or call the church office.

EMERGENCIES

Of course, Pastor ask that you let her know as soon as possible about any emergencies happening in our church body and our community so that immediate pastoral care can be given regardless of the day and time. In the event of an emergency, please call or text Pastor April at [678-571-7818](tel:678-571-7818).

TOPICS INCLUDE ...

- Pre/Post Surgery Prayer
- Discipleship Discovery
- Grief Recovery
- Conflict Resolution
- Medical Choices for self or others
- Christian Journey/Discipleship
- Care choices for self or others
- Forgiveness
- Growing In Loving Kindness
- Marriage/PreMarriage/Pre-Re-Marriage
- Career counseling & Resume
- Navigating Change
- Budgeting
- Inviting Team
- Personal Balance
- Negating the Negative
- Divorce Care (adults/children)
- New Member Discovery Meetings



PLACING ADS & INFORMATION IN NEWSLETTER

If you would like to place an ad or information in the Newsletter, please have your information to Kathy James no later than the **Wednesday** BEFORE the Sunday you want your ad to appear. You can e-mail the info to k.james@fieldschapel.org

MEN'S TUESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY

Just a reminder that the Men's Bible Study group meets every Tuesday evening at 6:30 pm. All are welcome. It is not necessary to attend all classes, or is it necessary to purchase any of the materials. Please come and join us as we would love to have you.



Wednesday Morning Adult Bible Study Group

Please come and join us on Wednesday mornings for our adult Bible study group. All are welcome. All you need is your Bible. If you don't have one some are available.

Wednesday 9:30 AM



ANNOUNCEMENTS FROM OUR PASTOR

Director Of Music Position available (8/3 start date). Emphasis on ability to invite and equip the laity to share, worship, and grow the gift of song that God gives each person. To minister to both Fields Chapel UMC and our community for the glory and witness of Christ. Email resumes topastorapril@fieldschapel.org. Anyone interested in sharing a song or musical ability, please email me.

Sign up to get email announcements and major prayer requests! Sign up info on the website! This will begin to be used more and more and is an excellent way for us to communicate during the week.

Second adult needed in nursery during 11AM service. They will help the kids do crafts, learn songs, act out Bible events, and learn about Christ with the guidance of the director! If you would volunteer one for one month or the same week every month, leave your name, phone number, and availability on the sign up sheet behind my desk.

We welcome Ashley and Katie who have volunteered to intern with us as second adults in our youth and children ministries. Ashley is a religion major and Katie is early education major. Both are student at Reinhardt.



WHO DOES WHAT?

Sawdust Gang

The Sawdust Gang does community projects for people in need. The gang consists of 3 or more members to perform any project. Yard clean up in Fall and Spring, small carpenter jobs/repairs. Jobs not exceed \$200.00. No electrical, drywall and no tree removal, no structural changes will be done by the Gang. Receiving person should help out on the day of service in some way and be willing to help someone else at another time. All supplies to be purchased by home owner. Please call the Church if you are in need of this type of help. All projects will be approved by Pastor April Ellis. No more than 1 per quarter. Call church office at 770-479-6030. If you are interested in joining the gang free shirts are available. Sign up to get church e-mails to be notified of upcoming projects.



Men's Retreat

United Methodist Men 2014 UM Men Igniting Faith

Retreat at Rock Eagle

Eatonton Georgia

September 26-28

Open to all Men 14-100

Visit the website www.ngcummm.org for updates and more details on workshop or www.ignitingfaithretreat.com or facebook page at www.facebook.com/ummenignitingfaithretreat

FIELDS CHAPEL UMC is inviting the community to join us as we celebrate the founders/founding of our church by dressing in 1820's costumes, playing games such as three-legged races, eating food and snacks, learning time-period crafts, taking a hayride, enjoying a cake walk, taking old-timey family photos, watch Bible tellings in action, and roasting marsh-mellows beside a campfire. It's **Trunk R Treat** with a great theme and meaning! There is no better time to do this than in the Fall when the air just begins to crisp and cool and we are reminded of the many reasons we have to give thanks to God!

PRIZES will be announced at 6:30 PM for the **best 1820's costume** present in the following categories: ages infant - 5; ages 6-10; ages 10-13; ages 14-21; ages 21-up; best gold miner; best rail road worker; best Cherokee Indian; best shop owner; best ladies; best man's. **PRIZES** to the **best carved pumpkin** in the following categories: children ages 4-10; ages 11-25; 26 - up (NOTE: carve your pumpkin before the event and bring it to the event for judging). **PRIZES** to the **best scarecrow/Bible character mash-up** (NOTE: bring your creation - nothing scary though) and every child who gets their entire **Fields Chapel UMC Founder's Day Fall Festival Passports** filled out by stopping by every booth will receive a small prize also.

SCHEDULE

October 25th; 4 PM - 8 PM

4-7:30 pm Bible Tellings, Historian, Booths (games/activities/pics), Hayride (including marshmallows @ firepit)

6:30 pm Prizes Awarded (1820's costume; carved pumpkin; scarecrow/Bible character)

5:30-6:30 pm Light Dinner

7:30 pm Dancing Only (all booths closed and put away)

THE COMMUNITY is being invited to bring a donation to support outreach (new socks, canned tuna, or boxed stuffing). **A SUCCESSFUL EVENT** will be one that was an outreach to the community and allowed families and the church to have fun together.

RATHER THAN CARS each family of Fields Chapel UMC is being ask to work a "booth" where the snacks/candy will be given out and a game sponsored. The "booths" for this will not be your cars as in years past but (to stick with the time period of the 1820's) picnic blankets (you can bring chairs to sit on or sit on the blanket). The picnic blanket booths will be setup by category of the activity your family wants to sponsor - some in the prayer garden, some beside the church, and some by the playground, etc. To give you an idea of some of the things a family can choose to sponsor at their picnic blanket booth, they will be things such as old timey photos, 3 leg race, donut bobbing, candy/carmel apples, churn homemade ice cream, duck pond, cookie races, minute to win it, sack race, egg on spoon race, corn husk dolls, etc. The booths will be setup in two (2) shifts so that everyone has time to join in the fun (Setup - 6; 6-Cleanup). There will be a **SIGN UP SHEET** on the podium in church **THIS SUNDAY** for picnic blanket booths.

Other volunteers and supplies needed will be shared with you as the event gets closer. For now - be excited, mark the day off on your calendar, tell your friends and neighbors, and sign up to sponsor a booth!