



"The November Food Truck Experience!!"
5:30 p.m.

A Food Truck will be on-site for your dining pleasure. Indoor and Outdoor seating will be available. You may order off the menu. Cash or Cards

If you would like to participate in the Samaritan Purse Shoebox project and have not picked up a box, you can use a regular or a plastic shoebox. Return by Nov. 14



Thank You!

The choir and congregation of Ellijay First would like to express their appreciation to Randy Wilbur for filling in for Patrick.

Blue? Yes, blue as in 'Blues' music, or "I am feeling blue."
December 21, 5:00 p.m.

Not everyone is up and cheery for the Christmas holidays. Dealing with the death of a loved one, facing life after a divorce or separation, coping with the loss of a job, living with cancer, or suffering? This makes parties and festivities painful for many people. We are creating sacred space for people living through difficult times. December 21st the shortest day of the year, will be time to support all who are feeling blue. Join us and bring someone you know who might be be blessed.

Study of Genealogy
Nov., 10 & 17 - 4:30 - 5:30

Nov. 10: Discuss and learn about time importance of genealogy in the Bible.
Nov. 17: Research family "Genograms." to shape the story we tell to future generations.



Christmas Market to Benefit RAH

Saturday November 20, 2021
10:00 a.m - 2:00 p.m.
The Christmas craft fair will be held at Artful Acres, 516 River St. near the railroad tracks. Our booth will benefit Rise Against Hunger. If you are crafty and would like to donate items, we would love to have: handmade, knitting, crocheting, drawing, sewing, painting, wood working, leather, metal work, etc. Please contact Dean Carlsen at deancarlsen@etcm.com if you would like to donate any items.

Stephen Ministry
Feeling Down?

Our Stephen Ministry can help.
Stephen Ministers aren't just there for "big" crisis. They're also available for the little ones, because many times the little things can really add up. So don't wait until you have a really big crisis; consider Stephen Ministry if the little things have you feeling down.

If you would like to know more about Stephen Ministry, please contact Gwen Scarth, Stephen Leader at 706-258-8757.

LIJ Kids News
Sunday School
@ 10:00



All children ages 4 years thru 5th grade are welcome to join us for our LIJ KIDS!

Wednesday Night LIJ Kids for November
Nov. 10 - Mission Wednesday. We will shop for "Shoe Box Ministry" and then pack them.
Nov. 17 - Thanksgiving Lesson.

November 13 - Parents Night Out. See Marianne for details.

Thank you to Galen Shinkle for sharing his archery expertise with us last week last!

Youth News!

With You: Session 2
Sunday, November 7 - 6:30PM

Friendship might feel easy when life is easy, but it gets more complicated when your friends are hurting or struggling. What should you do? What should you say? What should you not say? When our friends need help, there are no easy answers, but in this 4-week series, we'll follow the lead of a few people who've been there. Through the stories of Job, Ruth, Naomi, Elijah, and Eli, we'll see how God invites us to "be with" people when they're grieving, lonely, in need, or feeling hopeless, and how God is already with them.

Mission Wednesday: Operation Christmas Child
Wednesday, November 10 - 6:30PM

Bring a few dollars, your competitive spirits (as though you don't always have those with you), and come ready to shop for items to fill Operation Christmas Child shoeboxes!

Best box gets a double portion of the spirit (2 Kings 2:9) 😊

This Week at First Methodist...

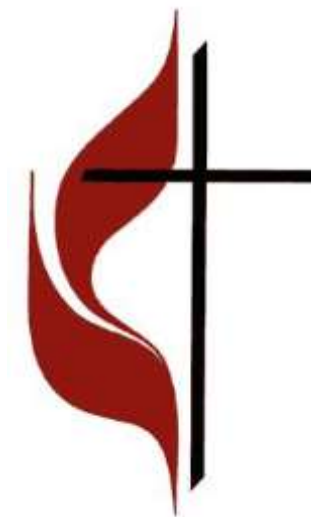
Want to know about what going on at FUMC Ellijay everyday of the week? scan the QR code to see what's going on all this week!



Church Office Hours: Monday - Thursday, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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A Stephen Ministry Congregation



Dr. John Brantley
November 7, 2021



Twenty Fourth Sunday after Pentecost

November 7, 2021 - The Color is White

8:45 & 11:00 a.m. Worship

The Worship of God All Saints Day - Holy Communion

Visitors, please include your address and telephone number on the attendance sheet so we can contact you.

Welcome and Announcements

The Chiming of the Hour

Focusing Words: Care for us Holy One, and help us see the goodness of your caring presence in our lives. Help us welcome you into our homes. Help us release toil and anxiety and find peace.

***Prelude** "Just A Closer Walk With Thee"
arr. by John A. Dempsey

All Saints Remembrance

†**The Greeting**
Leader: Love the Lord your God.
People: We love with all our heart.
Leader: Love the Lord your God.
People: We love with all our soul.
Leader: Love the Lord your God.
People: We love with all our mind.
Leader: Love the Lord your God.
People: We love with all our strength.

†The Invocation

†**The Hymn of Praise** "For All the Saints" UMH 711

†The Affirmation of Faith

The Apostles Creed
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.

†The Gloria Patri

Glory be to the Father
and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen, Amen.

You Are Welcome Here

You enter this church not as a stranger, but as a guest of God. He is your Heavenly Father. Come then, with joy in your heart and thanks on your lips, into His presence, offering Him your love and service. Be grateful to the men and women who, in the name of Jesus Christ, built this historic place of worship and to all who have beautified it and hallowed it with prayer and praise. Beseech His blessings on those who love this house of faith as the inspiration of their labor, rejoicing in the power of the Holy Spirit, and may that blessing rest upon your going out and your coming in.

† *Congregation Standing (as able)*
*11:00 am Service Only
8:45 am Service Only

UMH-United Methodist Hymnal
TFWS-The Faith We Sing

Pastoral Prayer Pastor

The 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

†**The Hymn of Preparation** "Let Us Break Bread Together" UMH 618

The Worship with Tithes and Offerings

***The Offertory Music** "Precious Memories" *arr. by Gary Lanier*
Randy Wilbur, Bassoon & Gabrielle Cornett. Piano

†**The Presentation and Doxology** UMH 95
Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Him, all creatures here below;
praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

***The Anthem** "In Remembrance" *by Beryl Red*
Sara Thorne, Flute

The Scripture John 11:32-44 NT

The Sermon "Thank You for Having Heard Me" Pastor

The Sacrament of Holy Communion UMH 12

†**The Closing Hymn** "Near to the Heart of God" UMH 472

†The Benediction

*†**The Postlude** "Bound for the Promised Land" *arr. by Hugh Livingston*

Our Service of Worship has ended
Our Worship through Service begins

Prayers for the Week

Lynn McKibbin, Lynn Perry, Birdie Roberts

Ongoing Prayers

Tom Allen, Michael Archer, Lessie Ashmore, Jacob Atkinson, Connie Baker, Gary Barber, Nancy Burkhalter, Tanner Burnett, Charlene Byrd, Jay & Amanda Chapman, Mary Thelma Cole, Marc Daniel, Bric Daughtry, Barbara Davis, Todd DeLaRosa, Regina Diaz, Kevin Duvall, Sharon Elkins, Allan Fanelli, Emma Ford, Matthew Goodner, Shirley Hall, Marie Hamrick, Rosie Haney, Gwen Hanisch, Shirley Heeth, Robert & Ruth Hix, Marie Holt, Adeline Hughes, Missy Kepley, Shannon Leeper, Jackie Leva, Ethelyne Lingle, Charlie & Sandy McCann, Cort Mankin, Will Mattison, David & Sheila Meeks, Jim Murray, **Lona Neal**, Andrea O'Connor, Marlene Omernik, **Crystal Orm**, Mary Paquette, Marlene Parker, Jaimie Passmore, Bill Patton, Phil Perry, Chuck Pinson, Gene Pinson, Steven Ray, Luis & Pam Santiago, Sharon Rice, Matthew Schaeffer, Galen Shinkle, Binni Sigurdsson, Frank & Jennie Sue Taylor, Shelley Taylor, Jon Vigue, Martha Whitlock, Terry Woehr, Elliot Young.

Our Presence

Oct. 31st.
8:45 a.m. - 49
11:00 a.m. - 118
Total - 167

Calendar For This Week

Sunday, November 7th

8:45 a.m. Worship
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
6:30 p.m. Youth IMPACT

Monday, November 8th

4:30 p.m. ZUMBA
6:00 p.m. Talk on Tap with Pastor
Cartecay Brewery
6:30 p.m. Claddagh Circle

Tuesday, November 9th

11:00 a.m. Bible Study
4:00 p.m. NOGS
4:30 p.m. YOGA
6:00 p.m. Pizza with the Pastor
Papa's Pizza

Wednesday, November 10th

7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday, November 12th

4:30 p.m. ZUMBA

Saturday, November 13th

8:00 a.m. UMM Bible Study
Cornerstone Classroom
9:00 a.m. YOGA
7:00 p.m. Parents Night Out

Sunday, November 14th

8:45 a.m. Worship
10:00 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
6:30 p.m. Youth IMPACT

Church Lock-up

11/1 - 11/7 Howard Elkins &
Steve Hanline
11/8- 11/14 Kay Findell &
Katherine Meyer

Faith Hope & Charity Thanksgiving Meal

If you would like to help sponsor the community-wide meals, please write "Thanksgiving" in the memo line of your check. It will go towards purchasing the meals for our community.

Attendance Registration All Worshipers

Please complete the following information:

Date: November 7, 2021

Name (s) _____

Address _____

City _____ St _____

Zip _____ Phone _____

() This is an address change

Email _____

I am a guest of _____

() I am a member of Ellijay FUMC

() I am a 1st time guest
Would you like a visit? () Yes () No

() I am a repeat guest

() I would like more information

() I would like to make a commitment to Christ

() I would like to join Ellijay FUMC

() I would like to talk to the Pastor

Prayer Request: () Please share only with the Pastor

Short Term List _____

Long Term List _____

Invitation to Church Membership

Anyone wishing to join this church by profession of faith or by transfer of your membership, please come forward during the closing hymn or speak to the pastor following worship. Know that you are always welcome here.