

## Anniversaries

10: Larry & Jackie Wiggins  
24: Bill & Evelyn Dyches

## Birthdays

2: Kitty Hopkins  
3: Sue McKenney  
Gene Johnson  
5: Adam Cowin  
9: Brittany Walden  
Freddie Neal  
Margie Rae  
11: Adam Cato  
12: Faye Schneider  
14: Mandy Griffin  
Florence Thompson  
16: Joan Satcher  
17: Ally Gentile  
18: Evelyn Dyches  
29: Hilda Withers  
30: Mike McGee  
Chris Walters

## Family Ministries

**6 VERSES TO PRAY OVER YOUR KIDS**

- S** SELF CONTROL  
1 Peter 5:8
- C** COURAGE  
Joshua 1:9
- H** HELP FROM THE HOLY SPIRIT  
John 7:38-39a
- O** OPPORTUNITIES TO DO GOOD  
Galatians 6:10
- O** OVERCOME EVIL  
Romans 12:21
- L** LOVE GOD AND OTHERS  
Matthew 22:37-39

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>*Bring in paper towels and toilet paper for our monthly donation we give to Pathways-the Maxwell House store.</p>	<p>1 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Prayer Group @ 10:30am</p>	<p>2 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Choir practice 6pm-7pm</p>	<p>3 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Spanish @3pm</p>	<p>4 Preschool 6:30am-6pm</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6 Praise B. Rehearse Fellowship @ 9:30am Worship Service @ 11am</p>
<p>7 Preschool 6:30am-6pm W.O.W. 5:30pm</p>	<p>8 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Prayer Group @ 10:30am</p>	<p>9 Preschool 6:30am-5:30 Choir practice 6pm-7pm</p> <p>Orientation 6:15pm Young 3's/K3/PreK</p>	<p>10 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Spanish @ 3pm</p> <p>Rooted In Faith 4:30pm outing</p>	<p>11 Preschool 6:30am-6pm</p>	<p>12</p>	<p>13 Praise B. Rehearse Fellowship @ 9:30am Worship Service @ 11am</p>
<p>14 Preschool 6:30am-6pm W.O.W. 5:30pm</p>	<p>15 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Chapel 9:30am Prayer Group @ 10:30am</p>	<p>16 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Choir practice 6pm-7pm</p>	<p>17 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Spanish @ 3pm</p> <p>Church Council Ad council 6pm</p>	<p>18 Preschool 6:30am-6pm *Meal needed for burn unit!</p> <p>REQOOP FINE CONSIGNMENT</p>	<p>19 REQOOP FINE CONSIGNMENT</p>	<p>20 Praise B. Rehearse Fellowship @ 9:30am Worship Service @ 11am Last day of ReQoop! *1/2 off day!</p>
<p>21 Preschool 6:30am-6pm W.O.W. 5:30pm</p>	<p>22 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Chapel 9:30am Prayer Group @ 10:30am</p>	<p>22 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Choir practice 6pm-7pm</p>	<p>23 Preschool 6:30am-6pm</p> <p>HOLA! LEARN SPANISH 3:00pm</p>	<p>24 Preschool 6:30am-6pm</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26 Praise B. Rehearse Fellowship @ 9:30am Worship Service @ 11am</p>
<p>27 Preschool 6:30am-6pm W.O.W. 5:30pm</p>	<p>28 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Chapel 9:30am</p> <p>prayer group 10:30am</p>	<p>29 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Choir practice 6pm-7pm</p>	<p>30 Preschool 6:30am-6pm Spanish @ 3pm</p>	<p>31 Preschool 6:30am-6pm</p>	<p>REQOOP FINE CONSIGNMENT</p> <p><a href="http://www.reqoopconsignment.com">http://www.reqoopconsignment.com</a></p>	<p>REQOOP FINE CONSIGNMENT</p>

## Rooted In Faith

Attention all senior/retirees (and any others who would enjoy a good bar-b-que meal), please join Rooted In Faith on Thursday, August 10th for a trip to Sconyers Bar-b-que for an early evening meal and fellowship as we welcome Rev. Jan and husband Jim to Woodlawn. We will plan to gather at the Church at 4:30pm and carpool to the restaurant. We should be through with the event before it gets dark! We are blessed to have a devoted servant of God as our leader and wish to take this opportunity to thank them for coming our way. See you then! Please see Joan for further information, if needed.



## Preschool

Train up a child in the way he should go, even when he is old he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6

**End of Summer:** I pray that everyone had a safe and enjoyable summer. Now, it is time for us to prepare for our 2017-2018 school year!

**Open House:** Woodlawn's Open House will be August 9th at 6:15 for the K-3 and Pre-K classes. Please drop in and meet your child's teacher.

**Old and New Teachers:** The preschool has endured several changes this summer but we are determined to be steadfast and believe that change is good! Ms. Tianna is no longer with us and we wish her well. Ms. Cindy will be going back to the Richmond County School System. Ms. France is already sad that Ms. Cindy has to go back to her full time job.

**Classroom assignments:** Infant One: Ms. Wanda 6:30-3:30 and Ms. Brenda 8:30-5:30. Infant Two: Mrs. Eunice 7:30-4:30 and Ms. Brittany 9:00-6:00. Infant Three: Ms. Shawn 7:30-4:30 and Ms. Raven 8:30-5:30. Toddler Room: Ms. Sheena 6:30-3:30 and Ms. Debra 8:30-5:30. Terrific Twos: Ms. Mary 8:00-5:00 and Ms. Tasha 8:30-5:30. Young Threes: Ms. Terri 8:00-5:00. K-3: Ms. MJ 8:00-5:00. Pre-K: Ms. Frances 7:30-4:30 and Ms. Debbie 11:00-3:00. \*Some hours and room assignments are subject to change.

**Extra curricula activities:** We continue to offer ballet, Spanish and chapel. Days and times will be posted later in the month.

**Required Documentation:** Please be sure that all required documentation is returned to the office in a timely manner. I am required by Bright From the Start to have paperwork completed as instructed by them.

**Start Time:** It is very important that the children in K3 and Pre-K are in class no later than 8:30. All other children should be in school no later than 9:30 every day.

**Fall Pictures:** Pictures are scheduled for September 12th and 13th. A schedule will be posted so that you will know what day your child will be photographed.

**Closing For the Rest of the Year:** Listed you will find the days we will be closed for the rest of the year. Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Day after Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve (Close at 3:00), Christmas Day, December 26 (closed). Remember, you are still required to pay your weekly tuition by Wednesday of each week even if we are closed. If you are going on vacation you must pay your tuition the week prior to or call while you are on vacation. If you fail to do so you will receive a \$50.00 late fee.

**SAVE THE DATE: AUGUST 14th 11:00am!**

**Consecration Sunday:** This year Consecration Sunday will be held on August 14th at 11:00am. At this service Pastor Jan will pray for the teachers, the children, and the Preschool for the upcoming school year. All parents and children are cordially invited to attend.

## We're Going Back To School



# THE TIDINGS Woodlawn United Methodist



August 2017

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Oh, what an adventure! New faces, new places, and boat loads of new information occupy my days since moving to Augusta. My life is full and exciting in our new pastoral appointment at Woodlawn UMC. Sometimes though it's a bit confusing and scary--especially when I get behind the wheel of my little Honda Fit, attempting to negotiate the streets and roads of my new city.

Because I lack an internal compass (every direction I turn seems due north to me; my sister says it's because I was born a Yankee) I've had to rely on my GPS to find my way to Home Depot, Kroger, and even to my own home. Sometimes, even with the GPS, I turn too soon or too late and find that I am heading rapidly in the wrong direction. How comforting to see the words "recalculating" on the GPS screen and to hear a calm voice intoning new directions: "Continue straight for a quarter of a mile, then turn right" or whatever is appropriate. Sometimes the words projecting over my speakers indicate drastic action: "Make a U-turn when it's safe to do so."

It occurs to me that this is something like our own faith journeys. We are travelling along on our own merry way, relying on past experience, our knowledge of scripture, or information passed down to us from someone who knows the way. Suddenly, the unexpected occurs and we find ourselves in unfamiliar territory. Sometimes we can reason our way to a safe steady place but there are other times when we are distracted, confused, and lost. During those moments we have to listen closely to what the Spirit is telling us and trust that God will lead us home.

I'm so thankful for the guidance of that still, small voice when God speaks to me letting me know what route to take when life throws something unexpected at me or when I sense that I've lost my direction. The important thing for me to always remember is; not to panic, focus my attention on what's important, and to listen closely.

Isaiah 30: 21 "You will hear a voice behind you saying, "This is the way. Follow it, whether it turns to the right or to the left."

John 14:6 Jesus answered him, "I am the way, the truth, and the life..."

Blessings!  
Pastor Jan

## Your Staff

### Pastor

Jan Oglesbee

### Preschool Director

Brenda Wallace

### Senior Ministries

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Volunteer  
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September 15th  
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