

WE WILL BE LOYAL TO JESUS CHRIST & SUPPORT THE UNITED
METHODIST CHURCH WITH PRESENCE:

Blue Ridge
United Methodist
Church

	OPERATING FUNDS	CAPITAL CAMPAIGN	MISSIONS
OUR GIFTS:			
	09-27-20	\$1,895	\$250
	10-04-20	\$4,725	\$1,343
	10-11-20	\$	\$
	10-18-20	\$	\$
	10-25-20	\$	\$
ATTENDANCE:	09-27-20	69	
	10-04-20	59	
USHERS:	GORDON RIDDOCH & JIM NICHOLS		
OCT TO DATE:	\$4,725	\$1,343	\$0
Yr to Date:	\$184,335	\$51,332	\$0
Capital Campaign (4/2018-5/2021)		\$374,065	

BLUE RIDGE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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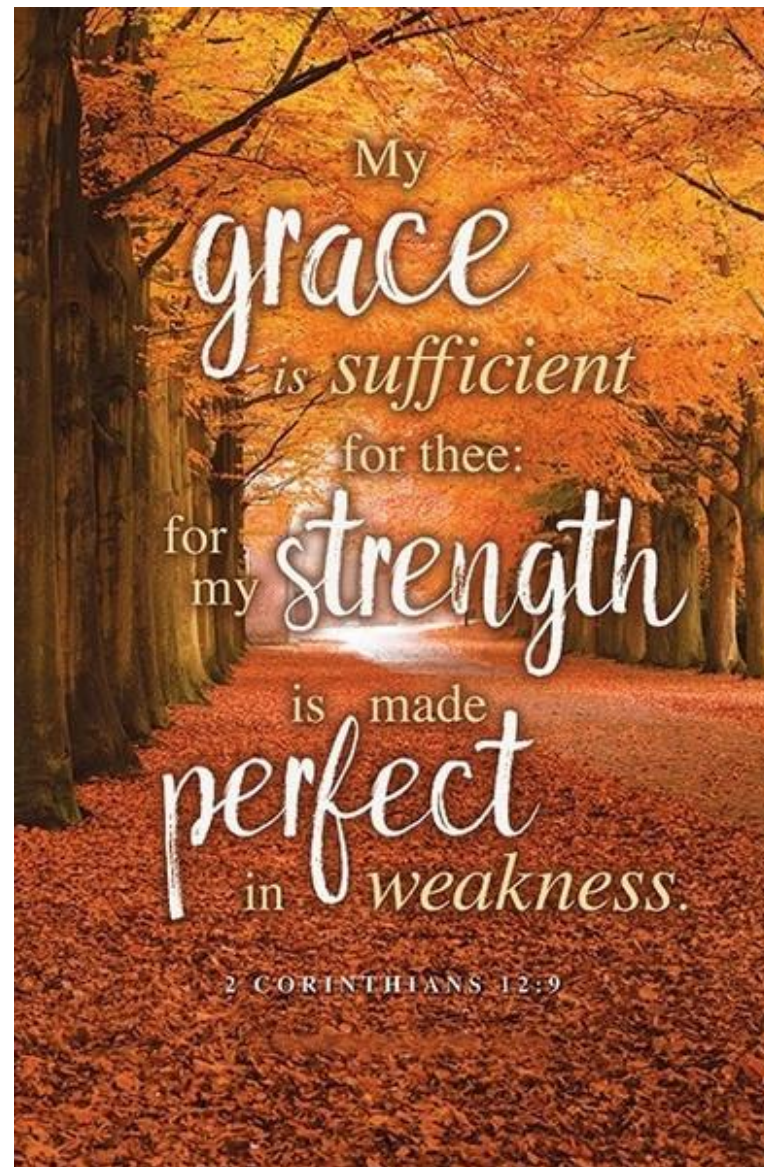
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"Ambassadors of Christ"

*The Christian Worship of God
19th Sunday after Pentecost*

Oct 11, 2020

*Worship Services
10:30 a.m.
(live stream via Facebook)*

OPENING PRAYER
ANNOUNCEMENTS
CALL TO WORSHIP

"Never Forsaken"

Kathy Beck, Joyce Isetts
Randy Wilbur, Don Cheyne
Dr. James Hughes

MORNING PRAYERS

* HYMN OF PRAISE # 601

"Thy Word Is A Lamp"

THY WORD

OFFERTORY

"The Greatest Thing"

Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE

Mark 2: 1-12

Brenda Austin

SERMON

"Three Welcomed Words"

Dr James Hughes

* HYMN OF COMMITMENT # 469,

"Jesus Is All The World To Me"

ELIZABETH

* THE BENEDICTION

Dr James Hughes

POSTLUDE

**Congregation standing as you are able*

Welcome to Worship

You are very welcome here at Blue Ridge UMC.

If you would like to receive the monthly newsletter or want more information about the church, please contact us by phone or email (see the back of the bulletin). If you are interested in joining the church, please see the Pastor after service or contact the church office. We will be glad to hear from you.

Our prayer for all who worship here is that together we will encounter the Living God who created us and loves us. We pray that when we leave here today each of us will be encouraged and spiritually refreshed because we came to worship.

"Blue Ridge United Methodist Church will be ambassadors of Christ to the Fannin County community through service, hospitality, generosity and education."

OUR PREVIOUS WEEK'S PRAYER REQUESTS:

Joe Roth
Jimmy Mayhugh
Angie Williams
Ruth Jordan and family
Betty Jay
Cathy Ake - passing of friend Ellijah
Joyce Isetts - son Mark
Ron Wray - passing of uncle
Bill Franklin
President and family, All leaders, our Country
Coming Election, General Conference

Please remember and send words of encouragement to:

Jacob Lee 1001397371
Hays State Prison
P O Box 668
Trion, GA 30753

CHURCH WALKING GROUP

Walking is part of our desire for you to have a healthy mind, body, and spirit. We hope you will continue to enjoy our new walking trail. You can join others if you wish on Thursday mornings at 9:00 a.m. Meet at the rock.

PRAYER GARDEN

Donations for our Prayer Garden can be made by check with the designation for Prayer Garden on the check. We hope this donation is above your normal support for our church. We also have a box in the vestibule marked for donations for those wishing to donate in cash. Please take a look at the knoll by the fence on our property. The landscape committee has marked the garden path as it winds through the property. The four flags represent a sheltered area for prayer. We appreciate your support to make this all happen.

ATTENTION ALL CREATIVE FOLKS

Plans are being made for a UMW Silent Auction in early December. The proceeds from our Fundraiser will go to supporting local community needs. We will need donations of NEW handmade crafts such as woodworking, pottery, jewelry, painting, sewn items, terrariums, decorated wreaths, etc. At this time we are seeing if we have enough interest for this project. Therefore, if you would like to donate an item for our Silent Auction, please contact Suzanne Bienert at (suzanneontoccoa@gmail.com) by October 19th. You have plenty of time to create, because we won't need your donation until the end of November.

TRUNK N TREAT

Our church will be participating in the Safe Zone Drive-By event this year being held on October 31st from 5-8 p.m. This will be taking the place of the downtown Safe Zone usually held downtown. Our church will be one of the Drive-By locations. We are looking for church members to reserve a space for this event. There will be approximately 40 spaces available for vehicles or EZ pop up tents. We want to have lots of families participate with us by reserving a space for their family or business vehicle/tent. Others will be offered the opportunity to reserve a spot with us, so we hope you will contact the church office promptly to reserve your space. We will contact you with more instructions once we know you plan to participate.

OCC SHOEBOXES

It's one of the best times of the year - time to pack Shoeboxes full of special gifts that will bring joy to children around the world. As the world wrestles with a global pandemic, these children need hope NOW more than ever. Gift-filled Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes can help show them God's love and provide an opportunity to communicate the message of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.

In this year, we will continue our participation in the global ministry BUT will proceed differently with our efforts. There will be two ways in which you and your family can pack boxes.

1. Pack a Shoebox filled with quality gifts and supplies including \$9 for shipping. Boxes are available in the foyer or you can use a regular shoebox.
2. Pack a Shoebox online at samaritanspurse.org/buildonline.

The big difference this year is HOW we will collect boxes. As we near National Collection Week November 16-23 there will be **ONLY SPECIFIC DAYS** (to be announced later) **to drop off your boxes and this will be done in the parking lot of the church.** PLEASE DO NOT BRING BOXES INTO THE CHURCH OR BEFORE THE ASSIGNED DAYS.

CALENDAR EVENTS

Staff Mtg	Monday, Oct 12 3:00 p.m.
Card Ministry Fellowship Hall	Tuesday, Oct 13 2:00 p.m.
UMM Mtg Fellowship Hall	Tuesday, Oct 13 5:30 p.m.
Pastor Bible Study Fellowship Hall and via zoom	Wednesday, Oct 14 10:00 a.m.
Charge Conference Zoom Mtg	Wednesday, Oct 14 4:00 p.m.
Choir Practice Sanctuary	Wednesday, Oct 14 6:30 p.m.
Church Walking Group outside behind church	Thursday, Oct 15 9:00 a.m.
UMW Mtg Family Connections	Thursday, Oct 15 10:00 a.m.
Staff Mtg	Monday, Oct 19 3:00 p.m.
Pastor Bible Study Fellowship Hall and via zoom	Wednesday, Oct 21 10:00 a.m.
Choir Practice Sanctuary	Wednesday, Oct 21 6:30 p.m.
Prayer Breakfast Fellowship Hall	Sunday, Oct 25 8:30 a.m.
Staff Mtg	Monday, Oct 26 3:00 p.m.
Pastor Bible Study Fellowship Hall and via zoom	Wednesday, Oct 28 10:00 a.m.
Choir Practice Sanctuary	Wednesday, Oct 28 6:30 p.m.
Church Walking Group outside behind church	Thursday, Oct 29 9:00 a.m.
Trunk N Treat	Saturday, Oct 31 5:00 p.m.