

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

Blue Ridge  
United Methodist  
Church

	OPERATING FUNDS	CAPITAL CAMPAIGN
<b>OUR GIFTS:</b>		
10-25-20	\$5,410	\$3,105
11-01-20	\$3,435	\$ 930
11-08-20	\$4,863	\$ 498
11-15-20	\$	\$
11-22-20	\$	\$
11-29-20	\$	\$
<b>NOV TO DATE:</b>	<u>\$8,298</u>	<u>\$ 1,428</u>
<b>Yr to Date:</b>	<u>\$210,720</u>	<u>\$59,283</u>
<b>Capital Campaign (4/2018-5/2021)</b>		<u>\$382,016</u>

**ATTENDANCE:** 11-08-20 50

**USHERS:** JOEL JORDAN AND EDDIE AYERS

**NET TEAM:** DONNA AND GORDAN RIDDOCH

**MONEY COUNTERS:** GARY BRAKEFIELD/KAY DAVIS/DEAN DELORME

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"Ambassadors of Christ"

# *The Christian Worship of God 24th Sunday after Pentecost*

Nov 15, 2020

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

OPENING PRAYER		
ANNOUNCEMENTS		
* HYMN OF PRAISE	<i>"Search Me, Know Me"</i>	Praise Team
MORNING PRAYERS		Dr. James Hughes
* HYMN OF PREPARATION # <b>367</b> ,	<i>"He Touched Me"</i>	HE TOUCHED ME
OFFERTORY	<i>"The Longer I Serve Him"</i>	Chancel Choir
SCRIPTURE	Psalm 139: 1-6	Brenda Austin
SERMON	<i>"Knowledge"</i>	Dr. James Hughes
* HYMN OF COMMITMENT	<i>"You Never Let Go"</i>	Praise Team
* THE BENEDICTION		Dr. James Hughes
POSTLUDE		

*\*Congregation standing as you are able*

## *Welcome to Worship*

Our worship services will live stream on YouTube instead of Facebook due to technical difficulties. The link will continue to be posted on Facebook but not be live. The link for the YouTube service will be: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8PdHVuooSVc>. If you subscribe to YouTube, the church subscription will automatically send you a reminder of worship service.

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:*

Marilyn Knight  
Walt and Brenda Austin  
Jill Scott  
Patty & Ronnie - sister and brother in law of Donna Riddoch  
Joe Roth  
Jimmy Mayhugh  
Glenn Ethredge family  
Pastor Jay's extended family members  
Carol Cappers - Clark & Gail Mercer daughter  
Noah Kroner - friend of the Patterson's  
H J Kemp - Doug Beck's uncle  
Karen Seers - nephew and family  
Lanny Earl and Hinky - Judy Estey cousins  
Tim - Randy Martin nephew  
Mason and Frame family  
Diane Johnson  
Visitor with back issues  
COVID patients  
Election and Our Country  
Church  
General Conference

*Please remember and send words of encouragement to:*

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

**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Please join us for Sunday school in the Fellowship Hall at 9:00 a.m. being led by a rotation of our Sunday school teachers. This Sunday's class is being led by Pastor James Hughes.

**VAN DRIVERS**

We are in need of a rotation of van drivers. Please see Jim Nichols for details and to sign up. Thank you for your consideration in this important church ministry.

**UMW MEETING**

All women are invited to the UMW meeting on Thursday, November 19<sup>th</sup> from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Karen Alsup will be leading our devotional and program on "Enjoying Our Time Together". We will also be discussing the Silent Auction and our service project for December. Hope you can join us.

**ADVENT CHURCH DECORATING**

We will be decorating our church for Advent on November 22<sup>nd</sup>, following worship. Everyone is encouraged to stay and help. We will follow safe distancing guidelines and masks will be worn during decorating. Contact Heidi Rule at 706-455-7941, if you have any questions.

**POINSETTIA ORDERS**

Poinsettias to decorate our Sanctuary may be ordered in honor or in memory of your loved one. Cost is \$12.50 each and the deadline for ordering will be Monday, November 30<sup>th</sup>. Please fill out the form below and turn it into the church office.

Given by:

\_\_\_\_\_

In Honor of:

\_\_\_\_\_

In Memory of:

Number of Poinsettias (\$12.50 each): \_\_\_\_\_

**SAVE THE DATE**

What: UMW Sponsored Silent Auction

Where: Fellowship Hall

When: Sunday, December 6<sup>th</sup> through Monday, December 14<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m.

Bid on Handmade items such as: Oak bench and cutting board from wood taken from our old building, wooden ladder with Noel cloth hanging, Christmas arrangements, wreath, cross stitch piece, fleece tie blanket, quilt, hand painted terra cotta birdbath, dish gardens, centerpieces, sets of notecards, pet bows and bow ties, Gift Certificates for: a truck load of firewood, Peggy's pecan pie, Dixie's coconut cake, Jeanie's special cake, Linda's peanut clusters, and Vicki's special baked treat.

To contribute a handmade item, please contact Suzanne Bienert at [suzanneontoccoa@gmail.com](mailto:suzanneontoccoa@gmail.com)

**CALENDAR EVENTS**

Sunday School Fellowship Hall  
Staff Mtg Activity Rm  
Trustees Mtg Fellowship Hall  
Pastor Bible Study Fellowship hall and via zoom  
Choir Practice Sanctuary  
Church Walking Group outside behind church  
UMW Mtg Fellowship Hall  
Council Retreat Family Connections  
Prayer Breakfast Fellowship Hall  
Advent Church Decorating Sanctuary  
Community Thanksgiving Open Table Fannin High  
Happy Thanksgiving (church office closed)  
Sunday School Fellowship Hall

Sunday, Nov 15 9:00 a.m.  
Monday, Nov 16 3:00 p.m.  
Monday, Nov 16 5:30 p.m.  
Wednesday, Nov 18 10:00 a.m.  
Wednesday, Nov 18 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday, Nov 19 9:00 a.m.  
Thursday, Nov 19 10:00 a.m.  
Saturday, Nov 21 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday, Nov 22 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday, Nov 22 11:30 a.m.  
Thursday, Nov 26 12:00 p.m.  
Thursday, Nov 26  
Sunday, Nov 29 9:00 a.m.