

The background features a stylized graphic design. It consists of several fish-like shapes, each with a simple eye and a curved line for a mouth, rendered in dark grey. These shapes are arranged in a way that they appear to be swimming or interacting with each other. The design is framed by thick red lines that form a partial border around the central text area. There are also small red circles scattered throughout the composition, adding to the visual interest.

ATHENS FIRST
UNITED
METHODIST
CHURCH

The Season of Pentecost

AUGUST 9, 2015
8:30, 9:45 & 11:00 a.m.

Welcome

We're glad you're here! Thank you for joining us today. Members of this congregation have been gathering here to worship since 1804, when our church was formed to minister to the Native American and European settlers in Athens. Over the past two centuries our congregation has changed, but our mission remains the same: to make disciples of Jesus Christ. We are inspired by the words of John Wesley, the founder of Methodism, who encouraged believers to "do all the good you can, in all the ways you can." At Athens First United Methodist, there are many ways to get involved, grow in your faith, and do good in our community.

If you are unable to attend worship in person, each Sunday our 11:00 a.m. service is broadcast on WRFC 960 AM, and all of our services are live-streamed on our website at athensfirstumc.org/webcast.

Nursery

Our nursery is available for infants through four-year-olds on Sundays from 8:15 a.m.-12:15 p.m. The nursery area is located on the first floor of the building, off the Washington Street entrance.

Children

Worship activity bags (age appropriate for all preschool and elementary children) are available every Sunday in the narthex and by the south entrance of the sanctuary. Children's Church is held for children in kindergarten through second grade and follows the Children's Message during 11:00 a.m. worship all Sundays except for Communion Sundays.

Sunday School

We offer Sunday School for all ages, children age 2 through adult, each Sunday from 9:45-10:45 a.m. For a list of adult Sunday School classes and locations, visit athensfirstumc.org/adultsundayschool.

Connect

We are blessed to have a large congregation. Because of this, we offer many programs and ministries. It can be overwhelming trying to decide where to get involved. If you would like someone to guide you along this process, please contact Martha Aenchbacher.

Another great way to learn about the life of our church is through attending a Newcomer Orientation held every second Sunday of the month at 9:45 and 11 a.m. We also encourage you to visit our website, athensfirstumc.org, for information about our ministries, to register for events, and to listen to sermons from our sermon archive. Visit athensfirstumc.org/thesteeples to sign up for our weekly newsletter, the eSteeple. You can also connect with us via social media. Find us @athens_firstumc on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and Pinterest.

Our church office is open Monday through Friday, from 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m. If you need assistance, please call 706-543-1442.

The Worship of God

*Please stand as you are able.

The congregation speaks or sings the text in **bold type**.

Gathering

THE PRELUDE

“Prelude in C Major” | Bach

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

“Come, Christians, Join To Sing”

Sung by the Sanctuary Choir

THE WELCOME AND THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

Martha Aenchbacher

Praise & Thanksgiving

*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN 154

“All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name” | CORONATION

*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**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 flowers on the
altar today are
given to the glory of
God and in loving
memory of Chester
Witherington by
Nancy Witherington
and family.*

***THE GLORIA PATRI**

Glorify 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.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

*Daughter of
Marbrey and
Matt Myers*

8:30 a.m. | Madeleine Scott Myers

Madeleine, Madeleine, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too. We this day do all agree a child of God you'll always be. Madeleine, Madeleine, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too.

*Daughter of
Jill and
Dax Weekley*

9:45 a.m. | McCall Grace Weekley

McCall, McCall, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too. We this day do all agree a child of God you'll always be. McCall, McCall, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too.

*Daughter of
Natalie and
Gus Sams*

11:00 a.m. | Anna Blake Sams

Annie, Annie, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too. We this day do all agree a child of God you'll always be. Annie, Annie, God claims you, God helps you, protects you, and loves you too.

THE PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

Betsy Butler

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE CHILDREN'S MESSAGE | 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.

Linsey Jarrett, Director of Weekday Preschool

At the 11:00 a.m. service, children in kindergarten through second grade will go to W.O.W. in the Caravans room on the third floor. Parents are to pick up children from the Caravans room at the end of the service.

Proclamation of the Word

THE OFFERING

THE OFFERTORY ANTHEM

8:30 a.m. “Here I Am, Lord” | Schutte

Sung by the Worship Team

The words to this anthem can be found on page 593 of the United Methodist Hymnal.

9:45 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. “Shout for Joy” | Goeller

Sung by the Sanctuary Choir

Shout for joy to the Lord all the earth. Shout for joy to the Lord; serve the Lord with gladness. Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. Come before Him with joyful songs. Know the Lord is God. He made us, and we are His. We are His people, the sheep of his pasture: We are His. Enter his gates with thanksgiving. Enter His courts with praise. Give thanks to Him and praise His name. Praise His name. For the Lord is good and His love endures forever. His faithfulness continues to all generations.

*THE DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow! Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

THE SCRIPTURE READING

EPHESIANS 2:10

For we are what God has made us, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand to be our way of life.

THE SERMON

“Do All the Good You Can” | Chuck Hodges

Response to the Word

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION | 8:30 a.m.

Please turn to page 9 in our hymnal. At Athens First United Methodist Church, all are invited to commune at Christ's table. If you need to be served in your pew, please call this to the attention of an usher. Gluten-free communion elements are available at the stations in the front of the sanctuary.

The hymns during Communion | 393 “Spirit of the Living God,” 156 “I Love to Tell the Story”

Sending Forth

* THE HYMN | 121

“There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy” | WELLESLEY

* THE BLESSING

* THE CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE


“We Receive Your Blessing”



We re-ceive your bless- ing; we re-ceive your grace, as we walk in the light shin-ing



from your face. May the peace that you give change the



way the we live. We re-ceive your bless-ing as we leave this place. *Fine*

* THE POSTLUDE

“Praise to the Lord” | Jones

Sermon Notes

AUGUST USHERS

8:30 a.m. Jim Belger, Ann and Paul Brown, Larry Deal, Hugh Larkey, Mack Lowrey, Jim Lyons, Candler Meadors, Olan Moore, Bob Noble, Grace Rabek, Ken Reece, Keith Wilson, Michael and Sharon Broun

9:45 a.m. Chris Bostdorff, Tom Cooper, David and Jane Disney, Mark Ellison, Mark Firth, Tom Hedges, Dan Lasseter, Jim Lyons, Sharon Milton, Tom Milton,

Al Rogers, Bill Trigleth, Michelle and Reeves McNeill

11:00 a.m. Al Hawley, Henry Folsom, Tom Henson, Henry Garrard, Jim Lyons, Jake Riley, Frank Thornburg, Mike Scott, Tom Dean

OFFERING STEWARDS

Bob Booth, Jim Lyons, Nat Carmack, Henry Garrard, Nathan King, Al Hawley, Sean Rogers, Charlie Upchurch III

GREETERS

Cindy and Bill Walker, Barbara McConnell, Sharon Sellars, Mary and Bob Wimberly, Mack Lowrey, Nancy Witherington, Shirley Jaeger, Joy Bailey, Jacob Hudson, Matt Moseley

FIRST LIGHT ACOLYTES

Acolyte Manager: Sara Catherine Pennell

8:30 a.m. Kate Williams, John Knight, Joseph Frierson

9:45 a.m. Walt Chapeau, Madeline Jackson

11:00 a.m. Annabelle Woodard, Tommy Warner

ATTENDANCE ON AUGUST 2

Total Worship | 1090

Sunday School | 578

8:30 a.m. | 205

9:45 a.m. | 337

11:00 a.m. | 454

Online | 94

FINANCIAL REPORT

Budget for 2015 | \$2,641,842

Amount Given YTD | \$1,705,780

Goal for July | \$170,070

Amount after 5 Sundays | \$188,880

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connect to community

small groups: where community develops and growth occurs

Adult Small Group Preview Night

August 19
6:30-7:30 p.m.

athensfirstumc.org/connecttocommunity

Wedding Bells

Congratulations to Jessica Foster and Brian Juanico who were married on August 1 in our sanctuary. Jessica is the daughter of Tom and Jennifer Foster and the granddaughter of Hal and Charlotte Northrop.

Memoriam

Eunice Spooner
July 25, 2015

Connect to Community

Fall is just around the corner. As we kick off the fall season, we will launch more than twenty small groups beginning in August and September. There is a place for everyone to grow in their walk with the Lord and connect to community at Athens First United Methodist Church. We believe that connecting to our church family and finding community here is an integral part of our faith development. In an effort to help you find the right fit, we're hosting a small group preview night on August 19. Join us to learn more about the small groups being offered and find the right group for you! For more information, contact Beth. Register online to join any of these groups this fall.

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Register | athensfirstumc.org/connecttocommunity

Disciple 3

Disciple 3, "Remember Who You Are," looks at the major and minor Old Testament prophets and the apostle Paul as they continually called people back to their God and to a sense of who they were as a people "set apart." The Disciple series goes deep into the word of God, and as small group members journey together, they develop deeper relationships with God and one another. The cost of the workbook is \$40. This study will meet from 6:30-8:30 p.m. beginning Wednesday, August 26, and is led by Don Griner and Mary Lynn Lane. You can preview Disciple 3 on August 19 at Wednesday Night Kick-off.

Freeway

Freeway: A Way to be Free is an eight-week coed experience that is built upon God's amazing grace, conversations with friends, and a personal exploration of our life story. Past participants rave about this study that takes them on a

grace-filled journey toward the life God dreams for them. Freeway will be a great place to connect with others if you have not found a place to connect at Athens First United Methodist Church. This study will meet on Wednesday evenings at 6:30 p.m. beginning August 26. The cost of this study is \$20. Please register online to facilitate planning and ordering materials. If you are interested, please plan to preview this class on Wednesday, August 19.

Living Fully, Dying Well

Led by Dianne Morrison, this study will guide participants to learn how to face openly and unafraid the benefits and limitations of aging and end-of-life decisions. The group will meet from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in the John Wesley Parlor beginning Wednesday, August 26. The cost of the book is \$11. This study will be available to preview on August 19. Make plans to join us for more information.

Experiencing God

Experiencing God is a classic Bible study that looks at what it is to know and do the will of God. As a small group, participants will examine Biblical and contemporary illustrations to understand and apply seven realities of experiencing God. This study meets Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00 p.m. beginning on August 26 and is led by Alan Cannon. The cost of the participant book is \$17. A preview is available on August 19.

Financial Peace University

Dave Ramsey's *Financial Peace University* will be offered Tuesday nights this fall, September 1 through October 27, 6:30-8:00 p.m. Materials for this course cost \$100; couples share one set of materials. Childcare is available with registration. Please join us for Wednesday Night Kick-off, August 19, to preview Financial Peace University in Hull Conference Room.

New Testament Letters

New Testament Letters will look at the writings of the Apostle Paul using Adam Hamilton's book *The Call: The Life and Message of the Apostle Paul*. If you would like to have the book, the cost is \$10. This study meets Wednesdays from 9:30-10:45 a.m. in Hull Conference Room. Please register online to facilitate planning. If you are interested in this course, stop by the library during kick-off to preview.

Breath

Susie Thrasher will be leading a group of women studying the new Beth Moore Bible study *Breath, The Life of God in Us*. *Breath* examines the work of the Holy Spirit in our lives and its title is drawn from the words of John 20:22, which records that Jesus “breathed on them and said, ‘Receive the Holy Spirit.’” This study will meet Wednesday mornings September 9-October 28, from 9:30-11:30 a.m. The workbook is \$10. Please register online so we may order participant workbooks.

Believing God

This in-depth women’s Bible study is based on Isaiah 43:10 that explores what it means not only “to believe in God” but “to believe Him.” All women are invited to join! It will meet on Wednesday afternoons September 16-November 18 from 1:00-3:00 p.m. and is led by Therese Wilson. The cost is \$16 for the participant workbook; please register online so we may order the correct number.

Disciplines: A Book of Daily Devotions

This is an ongoing Bible study group that is open to everyone. This group reads scripture passages from the Old Testament, New Testament, and Psalms and from The Upper Room’s *Disciplines*. This group will begin meeting on August 17 from 1:15 to 2:15 p.m. in room 200.

Comeback Boys of the Bible

Comeback Boys of the Bible by Neal Jeffrey is a Bible study encouraging men how to get up from the knockdowns of life. Neal Jeffrey, a former NFL quarterback and current associate pastor, looks at the stories from Moses to David to the thief on the cross and many in between. The cost of this study is \$5 and it will meet on Wednesday evenings beginning August 26 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Please register online to facilitate ordering materials.

Covenant Bible Study Groups

The Covenant Bible study consists of three modules: Creating the Covenant, Living the Covenant, and Trusting the Covenant. Covenant Bible study demonstrates how the covenant relationship between God and people is woven throughout the Bible. Childcare will be available by registration for all sessions except Wednesday morning. Individual books are \$20.

Creating the Covenant (C1) will be offered on Wednesdays beginning August 26 from 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Trusting the Covenant (C3) will be offered Tuesdays beginning September 1 from 6:30-8:00 p.m.; Wednesdays beginning September 9, 9:15-10:45 a.m.; and Sundays beginning August 23, 4:45-6:15 p.m.

Connect Groups

Participants in Connect Groups gather for conversation, community, Bible study, friendship, prayer, and fun social events. The Connect Groups are built up of individuals and couples in the same age-range of life. While always welcoming new members, the groups stay together throughout the year and truly grow in their connection with God and each other. A preview is available on August 19.

Connect Group (Parents) will be offered Sundays beginning August 23 from 4:45-6:15 p.m. and 5:45-7:15 p.m.

Connect Group (Young Married Couples) will be offered Wednesdays beginning September 9 from 5:30-7:00 p.m. and 6:30-8:00 p.m.

Connect Group (Young Adults) will be offered Thursdays beginning August 27 from 7:00-8:30 p.m.

Prayer Shawl Ministry

All are welcome to join a group of expert, novice, and beginning knitters and crocheters as they create prayer shawls. Completed prayer shawls are prayed over by the group and given to those who are grieving or have special needs. This group meets regularly in the parlor by the elevator on Wednesdays at 4:30 p.m.

Later Book Group

The Later Book Group meets on second and fourth Wednesdays from 6:30-8:30 p.m., starting September 9, in Room 247 (the Cornerstone Sunday School classroom). All are invited to these wide-ranging and interesting discussions of books pertinent to our faith. Our next book will be *Our Endangered Values* by Jimmy Carter. We will start with the first three chapters. Please join us for Wednesday Night Kick-off, August 19, to preview this study.



Photo Directory Sign-up

We are creating a family photo album of everyone in our church family...that means you! Our goal is to provide you with a comprehensive directory that you may turn to for information about our church body. Our directory is an aid for putting someone's name with their face and is particularly helpful for new members to become acquainted with our church family. There is a large demographic that relies on our church directory to stay connected

with the congregation at large, and it also helps facilitate congregational care. In order for this tool to be a reliable source of information about our members, we are aiming for 100% participation from each person in our congregation.

Today is the last day to register in the library. Stop by and sign up for a photo session. Each family who has their photo taken will receive a free 8x10 photo and a directory. Photos will be taken in late August through September. We don't want you to miss out on being a part of this family album!

Newcomer Orientation | Today

Everyone is invited to attend Newcomer Orientation today in the Hospitality Room (on the Adult Sunday School hallway). Two sessions are offered, 9:45 and 11:00 a.m. You can learn more about Athens First United Methodist, including ways to get involved and how to become a member.

Martha Aenchbacher | martha@athensfirstumc.org
706-543-1442

Sunday Night Kick-off August 16

The first floor is about to get busy on Sunday nights—all Route 56 and Youth Sunday Night programs will begin meeting again on August 16! These groups are open to all students and their friends—we hope that you will join us this year! For more information about any of these programs, contact Erika Bates.

Wesleyan Youth Choir Rehearsal | Grades 7-12 | Room 148 | 4:30 p.m.

Find your voice with us this year! No auditions are required.

Open Road and Octane | Grades 5-6 | Room 120 | 4:30 p.m.

Join us each week for fun, food, missions, and music!

Encounter | Grades 7-12 | Room 119 | 5:45 p.m.

Our Sunday night program is focused on fellowship, praise, prayer, service, and thanksgiving!

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2015 Children's Consignment Sale



You're invited!

August 14 9:00 a.m.–7:00 p.m.

August 15 8:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

***August 13** 4:00 p.m.–8:00 p.m.

*Preview Sale for volunteers and consignors

athensfirstumc.org/childrensconsignmentsale

Children's Consignment Sale August 14-15

The Third Annual Children's Consignment Sale is this week! The sale is open to the public Friday, August 14, 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Saturday, August 15, 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in the church gym. The Preview Sale on Thursday, August 13, is from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. for volunteers and consignors. Invite your friends, and come to shop for great deals on gently used clothes, toys, and much more!

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Mary Claire Murphy | maryclaire@athensfirstumc.org
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Kick-off | August 19

On August 19, we will kick off our Wednesday night programming for the fall. Wednesday Night Meals will begin with all of our caterers present for a preview of this year's selection. We will also offer a preview of the adult small groups that will be offered this fall. Children and youth are off to a grand start as well as Kids Music and Arts, Route 56's GPS, and ONE Student Ministry's Engage all begin activities on Wednesday, August 19.



Kids Music and Arts

"Come and Follow Me" to Kids Music and Arts this year! This Wednesday night program is choir and more for children age 3 through grade 4. Every child who is 3 years old by September 1, 2015 through fourth grade is invited to participate. This year we will learn about trusting and following God through singing, ringing, moving, playing, acting, and creating. Registration is now open online and families will receive an information packet in the mail.

Information and registration cards will also be available at the Kids Hub in the Galleria and on the third floor children's Sunday School bulletin board.

Sarah Lawing | sarah@athensfirstumc.org | 706-543-1442



Wednesday Night Meals

Wednesday night meals will resume in Fall 2015! We're kicking off dinner on Wednesday, August 19, with all of our vendors being present. Dinner is free on August 19, but advance orders are required. Our vendors this year include:

First Wednesday—Barberitos | Soft shell turkey tacos with toppings and chips

Second Wednesday—Chonell's | Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, bread

Third Wednesday—Dawg Gone Good BBQ | BBQ pork sandwich, mac and cheese, alternating side

Fourth Wednesday—Brixx Pizza and Fox's Pizza | 1/2 turkey sandwich and side salad (from Brixx) OR personal cheese or pepperoni pizza and apple slices (from Fox's Pizza)

Dinner is served from 5:00-6:30 p.m. in Hancock Hall at \$6 a meal. Advance orders are required. Order by Tuesday at noon; orders accepted online only. If you have trouble ordering online, church staff can help you order your meal. To reduce food waste and keep costs low, no walk-up meals are available. Save five percent when you order and pay for a month in advance; get a free meal when you order and pay for an entire semester in advance. Volunteers eat free! Please sign up to work one (or more) Wednesdays. Sign up online to serve; there's no need to order a meal if you sign

up to serve.

Rachel Skinner | rachel@athensfirstumc.org | 706-543-1442

HOLY GROUND



Holy Ground | Grades 1-4

We are excited to announce a new Sunday morning routine for grades 1-4. Beginning August 2, children in grades 1-4 should be dropped off for Sunday school in the Chapel at 9:45 a.m. Children will participate in a unique faith experience through singing, creating, and learning how the Bible can come alive in their world. After Holy Ground, children will walk to the third floor with their shepherds. Parents should pick up their grade 1-4 students from the third floor at the end of Sunday school.

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Join Scouting

Scouting teaches young people spiritual and character growth, citizenship training, and personal fitness all while having adventures that are fun and age-appropriate.

Athens First United Methodist sponsors four Scouting units.

Website | athensfirstumc.org/scouts

All Units Roundup | Sunday, August 16 – We will host an informational Roundup in the Hull Conference Room on Sunday, August 16, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Cub Scout Meetings | Pack 1 (boys grades 1-5) meets in the Cub Scout Hut on Lumpkin Street (Saye Building) on Sundays at 3:00 p.m. and occasional Fridays at 7:00 p.m. for special events. First meeting of the school year is August 23.

Nat Carmack | carmacknat@gmail.com

Boy Scout Meetings | Troop 1 (boys grades 6+) meets in the Scout Hut, also on Lumpkin Street (Saye Building), on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. with an outing every month.

Joe Wyrick | joewyrick@icloud.com

Venture Crew Meetings | Crew 1 (guys and gals age 14-20) meets in the Youth Area once a month to plan outdoor adventures and go on trips one weekend each month.

Contact Amy Atao for information.

Amy Atao | amyatao@yahoo.com

Girl Scout Meetings | Girl Scout Troop 12051 (girls grades 1+) meets in the Scout Hut on every other Thursday from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m., beginning in September. Contact Judy Johnston for specific meeting dates and times.

Judy Johnston | judithcolleen@gmail.com

Join the Greeter Team

The Greeter Team is looking for new members! Members of this active and friendly ministry area serve two to three times a year by greeting at an assigned door for two brief shifts on a Sunday morning and by volunteering at special events, such as the Churchwide BBQ. Marty Mitchell, a long-time greeter, says that she enjoys greeting because “it is a way to welcome people to a church that is so warm and accepting, and where there is a place for everyone to be involved.” If you can share a smile and hold open a door, you can definitely be a greeter! We would love for you to be a part of this growing team. To sign up, contact Rachel Skinner.

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This Week

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9 | JOHN 6:41-51

- 8:30 a.m. **Worship Service** SANCTUARY
Preschool Nursery & Sunday School FIRST FLOOR
- 9:45 a.m. **Worship Service** SANCTUARY
Adult Sunday School SECOND FLOOR AND SAYE BUILDING
Elementary Sunday School THIRD FLOOR
Grade 5 & 6 Sunday School: Fuel FIRST FLOOR
Youth Sunday School: First Word FIRST FLOOR
Newcomer Orientation HOSPITALITY ROOM
- 10:00 a.m. **Sack Lunch Ministry** HULL STREET ENTRANCE
- 11:00 a.m. **Worship Service** SANCTUARY
Young Professional Adult Sunday School Class ROOM 224
Newcomer Orientation HOSPITALITY ROOM
- 2:00 p.m. **Athens Area Walk to Emmaus Board of Directors Meeting** HULL CONFERENCE ROOM

MONDAY, AUGUST 10 | 1 KINGS 2:10-12

TUESDAY, AUGUST 11 | 1 KINGS 3:5-9

- 6:00 p.m. **Early Book Group Planning Session** HOME OF CINDY AND GEORGE KUHLMAN

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12 | PSALM III

- 10:30 a.m. **Summer Prayer Shawl Ministry** PANERA BREAD ON ATLANTA HIGHWAY
- 5:00 p.m. **Wesleyan Youth Scrapbook Party** ROOM 145
- 5:30 p.m. **Men's Prayer Group** ROOM 307
- 6:30 p.m. **Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal** ROOM 148
Small Group Leader Meeting ROOM 222

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13 | EPHESIANS 5:15-20

- 6:00 p.m. **Children's Consignment Preview Sale (volunteers and consignors)** GYM
- 6:00 p.m. **Adult Softball** BISHOP PARK

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14 | PSALM 130

- 8:00 a.m. **Children's Consignment Sale** GYM
- 6:30 p.m. **REACH International Bible Study & Dinner** YOUTH AREA

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15 | JOHN 6:51-58

- 6:30 a.m. **Youth Worship Team Training Day**
- 8:00 a.m. **Children's Consignment Sale** GYM

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