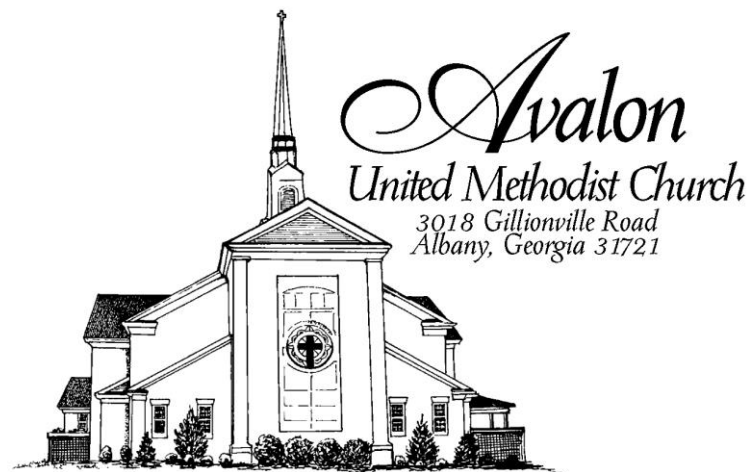


March 17, 2019

Welcome and Announcements		Carol Ellis
Prelude		
Call to Worship	“O Sacred Head Now Wounded”	Arr. J. S. Bach
Worship Song	“Come to the Altar”	
Opening Hymn	“Come Christians Join to Sing” V 1, 2	158
Pastoral Prayer		
Hymn	“Great is Thy Faithfulness” V 1, 2	140
	“I Surrender All” V 1	354
Offertory		
His Tithes & Our Offerings: Matthew 25: 23 Well done good & faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things, I will put you in charge of many things. Come & share your master's happiness.		
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!		
Special Music	“Come to Jesus”	Arr. Chris Rice
Sermon		Lonnie Mathis
Closing Hymn	“Spirit Song”	347
Benediction		
Postlude		
Offering for Gideons		

Please fill out Attendance Record and place in offering Plate.



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3018 Gillionville Road, Albany, GA 31721

Morning Worship 11 am

Evening Worship 6 pm, in the Sanctuary

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on Our Christian Journey***

Offering Stewards: Mar. 17 – Wayne Barnette/ Ellen Branch
Mar. 24 – Katye Reed/Jenny Collins

Ushers: Mar. 17 – Lloyd Mears, Ron Wolfe, Carl Ellis, Max Collins, Robbie Collins, Richard Griffin, Josh Hammond.

Mar. 24 – Lloyd Mears, Ron Wolfe, Carl Ellis, Max Collins, Robbie Collins, Richard Griffin, Josh Hammond.

Prayer Room: Mar. 17 – Ann Owen
Mar. 24 – Robbie Collins

Nursery Worker Mar. 17 – Tina Justice
Mar. 24 – Terri Stumpe

Sound Technician: Bob Smith
Trustee for March-Rainey Owen

Please make sure your position is covered if you plan to be away on Sunday.

Dear Avalon Friends.

I sure do miss you all. Went to church with my daughter and son-in-law. It is nothing like Avalon. Would love to hug everyone of you.

Catherine Pierce

Home # 770-285-6281

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From the Youth Director's Desk:

On May 25, we will be enjoying Memorial Day weekend with a Saturday spent playing ultimate frisbee at the Limesink in the Avenues, followed by lunch. More details to come.

The weekend of June 21-22, we will be helping out at Vashti down in Thomasville, helping with their students from the Dominican Republic. More details to come.

Youth Group meets in the Student Center right after Wednesday's Family Night Fellowship starting at 6pm.

On Sunday evenings, we are working through a series called "What is the Bible?" designed to help us read Scripture better and deepen our understanding of the world of God's word.

Interested in helping with the youth group by serving our teenagers and helping chaperone classes and trips? See Derek for more details.

This Month's Opportunities

Sun. Mar. 17th – 9:45am S.S.
11am Worship
3:30pm *Church Council Meeting*/Crosstalk Room
6pm Worship

Mon. Mar. 18th – 6pm Boy Scouts/Pavilion

Tue. Mar. 19th – 9:30 Staff Meeting
11:30am Kaye Blalock/49'ers
4pm – 5:30pm Line Dancing

Wed. Mar. 20th – 6pm FNF
6:30pm Worship
7pm Choir practice

Sun. Mar. 24th – 9:45am S.S.
11am Worship
4:30pm *SPR Meeting* /Crosstalk Room
6pm Worship

Mon. Mar. 25th – 6pm Boy Scouts/Pavilion

Tue. Mar. 26th – 11:30am Birthday Lunch/Bread House
7pm Leon P/Pavilion

Wed. Mar. 27th – 6pm FNF
6:30pm Worship
7pm Choir Practice

Thu. Mar. 28th – 5:30pm **BINGO**/Invite Someone

Sat. Mar. 30th – UMW Day

Sun. Mar. 31st – 9:45am S.S.
11am Worship/UMW Day
6pm Worship

Tue. Apr. 2nd – 4pm – 5:30pm Line Dancing
6pm *Worship Committee Meeting*/Conference Room
6pm Boy Scouts/Pavilion

Wed. Apr. 3rd – 6pm FNF
6:30pm Worship
7pm Choir Practice

Sun. Apr. 7th – NO UMM Meeting
9:45am S.S.
11am Worship/Holy Communion
3pm *Children's Council*/Crosstalk Room
6pm Worship

Mon. Apr. 8th – 6pm Boy Scouts/Pavilion

Church Council Committee John Tracy, Chair, Jim Glass, Mary Herman, Ann Owen, Lynne Haggerty, Wayne Barnette, Sheila Creel, Jenni Bode, Terri Stumpe, Mona Faye Williams, Linda Stevens, Leigh Warren, Katye Reed, Carolyn Rentz, Lloyd Mears, Carl Ellis, Wayne Barnette, Josh Hammond, Janet Beard, Jackie Carden, Ken Collins, Anna Z Gabarri, Richard Griffin, Floyd/Mary Herman, Cheryl Laughlin, Elaine Tarpley, Ron Wolfe, Lydia Zuern.

PPR/SPR Committee

Terri Stumpe. Chair, Pastor, Aubrey McClain, Mark Daniel, Rainey Owen, Carol Ellis, Mike Dollar, Sheila Creel, Ida Fowler, Robert Fowler, Roy Stains.

Worship Committee

Jenni Bode, Debbie Zuern, Chair, Pastor, Lloyd Mears, Mary Herman, Ron Wolfe, Anna Zuern, Nola Bricker, John & Sheila Creel, Kaye Blalock, Tina Justice, Amiko Oldham, Tonto Smith, Lay Leader, Music Director: Andrew Bode, Ron Wolfe, Leon Perrett, Bob Smith, Randy Warren,



Circle Of Concern:

Nikki Daniel, Gene & Laverne Hawkins, Dorothy Griffin, Rebecca Smith, Ursula Gaydosh, Mike Ling, Bobby Reese (friend of Barry & Tina Justice), Rebekah Griffin, Gail Mears, Hazel Sellars, Wendy McLeod, Beverly Reese (Bobby Bruner’s daughter), , Martha Nicholson, Martha Darsey, David Michels (Brother of Cheryl Laughlin), Ginger Chamberlain (friend of Cheryl Laughlin), family of Fred English, Glenn Stanford, (Son of Jan Beard,) Jim Warner, Phyl Strawbridge, Jane Everett (sister of Debra Harris), Glenn Creech (Agnes McCorkle son in law), Kathy Hanson (Martha Nicholson daughter), Murray Blackstock, Wilda Rutland, Cathy Lange’s (daughter-in-law & her mother), Ida Fowler, Bill Williams, (friend of Beth West), family of Hazel Andrews. Family of Jimmy Hall (son of Rita Hall)

If you know of anyone that needs to be added or removed please call the church office.

Home Bound – Please join us in this ministry to these members:
 Barry & Nikki Daniel, Ann Dollar, Ed & Nelle Ennis, Gene & Laverne Hawkins, Gay Sheffield, Rebecca Smith, Joyce Waters, Kitty Tomlinson, Bill Coward, Cora Dasher, Lola Moreland, George Anderson, Wilda Rutland.

Total Membership as of Mar. 1	230		
YTD Giving as of March 10	\$81,631.00		
YTD Giving for Building Fund	\$ 186.00		
Receipts for week of Mar. 10	\$.00		
Attendance:			
	2/24/19	3/3/19	3/10/19
11am	82	73	81
6pm	26	--	76
S.S.	53	62	58

UMM will provide Breakfast for Easter Sunrise Service April 21st . Sunrise Service begins at 7am.

Saturday, March 23, 2019
#ServeSouthGA is our Annual Conference's volunteer day, set aside for churches all over South Georgia to move outside the church building and into our communities. An event for all ages, #ServeSouthGA Day allows us to put our faith in action as we serve those in need in our very own town, neighborhood, and community. One Saturday each year, we set aside our personal agendas and head out into the community on a mission to serve others. It is truly a great day of sharing our time and talents with the charitable agencies the South Georgia Conference and your local church supports.

Family Night Fellowship Mar. 20, 2019
 We will serve dinner at 6 pm and Bible Study for Adults and Youth begins at 6:30pm. Choir Practice 7pm.
 Cost - \$6.50 Each takeout is \$.50 extra.
 Children under 12 yrs- \$3.50

MENU: Lasagna, Salad, Bread, Tea. Dessert
 PLEASE be Respectful & RSVP by Noon Tuesday

Place cancellations /reservation in offering plate or call office by noon on Tuesdays.