





- Rehearsals on Wednesday, October 12 & 19 at 7:00 PM in the choir room.
- Homecoming – October 9 at 10:30 - be here by 10:00 AM – wear red!
- Christmas program – December 11 at 6:00 PM.

We will sing for Homecoming Service  
October 9.  
Meet at 10:00 AM.  
Wear something RED!!!!!!





Rehearsals on Wednesday,  
October 12 & 19  
at 5:00 PM.


We will sing for October 9 worship –  
meet at 10:00 AM for practice.

The Handbell Choir will meet on  
Wednesday, October 12 & 19  
for rehearsal at 5:00 PM.



- The youth will meet at the Foster's for a Bonfire at 6:00 this Sunday, Oct. 9th.
- Wednesday night youth is at 5:45 for supper and then worship upstairs
- On October 16th, the youth will meet at the church with Cheryl Griner and Jeananne Williams for UMYF at 6:00
- Youth, don't forget on Oct. 22nd, "Paint the Town Pink." Talk to your youth leaders for more information!



The calendar for Central's Children's Department has some exciting plans! Please mark your calendars. Miss Susan has been so dedicated to our Upper Elementary class in preparing them for worship on October 16th. Make sure that you are doing your part for this special presentation. Also, our third graders will be trained during Sunday School on October 30th to serve as acolytes. Dr. and Mrs. Tom Mann have graciously offered their home for a Fall Family Night at 5:00 PM on Sunday, October 30th. Please sign up on the bulletin board at the bottom of the stairs. Change the World Sunday is November 13th. Our mission project is to "change the world" by packing shoeboxes with goodies for children around the world. Please begin collecting items for packing. What a blessing to have these opportunities to fellowship with Christians and to do work in the name of the Lord!

With much love, Miss Suzanne

*Catch the Spirit*

# CENTRAL

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Fitzgerald, Georgia

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OCTOBER 9 & 16, 2011 NO. 28

**Mark Your Calendar!**

- Nov. 6: All Saints Sunday
- Nov. 13: Charge Conference at 6 PM
- Dec. 4: Children's Christmas Music Program at 11 AM
- Dec. 11: Celebration Choir Christmas Music Program at 6 PM
- Dec. 24: Christmas Eve Communion at 6 PM

open hearts... open minds... open doors

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### Our Prayer Concerns...

Cancer Patients, College Students, Home Bound, Nursing Home Residents, Military Personnel, Roger Crenshaw (Prayer Beeper #912-260-7027), Virgil Dorminy, Pat Ellis, Laurine Gibbs, R.L. Mulkey, Lillian Robinson.  
The October Prayer Team will meet each Thursday at 5:30 PM in the Prayer Room.  
For immediate prayer needs contact our Prayer Chain at 423-3769 (Judy Hunter-Hill).

## Calendar

### Sunday, October 9

9:45 AM..... Sunday School  
10:00 AM..... Praise Team and Youth Choir Meet  
10:30 AM..... Morning Worship  
6:00 PM..... Ladies' Book Study  
6:00 PM..... UMYF

### Monday

6:00 PM..... Lay Leadership Committee (Library)

### Tuesday

10:00 AM..... Bible Study with B.J.  
3:00 PM..... Church Staff Meeting

### Wednesday

5:00 PM..... Children's Choirs  
5:00 PM..... J.J. Pryor Handbell Choir  
6:00 PM..... Fellowship Supper  
6:30 PM..... Youth WOW and Children's Activity  
7:00 PM..... Celebration Choir Rehearsal

### Sunday, October 16

9:00 AM..... Early Morning Worship  
9:15 AM..... Fellowship Breakfast (Hosts: Women of Faith/Barnabas)  
9:45 AM..... Sunday School  
10:00 AM..... Youth Band Meets  
10:30 AM..... Youth Choir Meets  
11:00 AM..... Morning Worship  
4:30 PM..... Evangelism Committee  
6:00 PM..... UMYF

### Monday

10:00 AM..... UMW Group 1 with Jeri Gilleland  
10:00 AM..... UMW Group 2 with Linda Brantley  
4:00 PM..... UMW Group 3 with Frances Whitworth  
5:00 PM..... UMW Group 4  
7:00 PM..... UMW Group 5 with Ginny Chasteen

### Tuesday

10:00 AM..... Bible Study with B.J.  
3:00 PM..... Church Staff Meeting  
6:00 PM..... Finance Committee

### Wednesday

5:00 PM..... Children's Choir  
5:00 PM..... J.J. Pryor Handbell Choir  
6:00 PM..... Fellowship Supper  
6:30 PM..... Youth WOW and Children's activity  
7:00 PM..... Celebration Choir Rehearsal

## Sunday Helpers for October

**USHERS:** Louis Costa, Harold Kimball, Jim Owens, Troy Vaughn, Darrell Weeks, James Wiley

**WORSHIP TECHNICIANS:** David Evans, Dwain Smith, Wayne Huggins, Tony Moncus, Jim Owens

**PRAYER TEAM:** Susan Hughes, Judy Hobby, Lynne Smith, Beth Bryant, Karla Foster

### Worship Notes for Sunday, October 9, 2011

**DR. BOB MOON (10:30 AM)**

**GATHERING:** Praise Team

**CALL TO WORSHIP:** Celebration Choir

**OFFERTORY:** Youth Choir

**DISMISSAL:** Celebration Choir

**CHURCH GREETERS:** Bob & Beth Bryant, Dell Merritt

**SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETERS:** Virginia Snowden, Rachel Peavey

**ACOLYTES:** Shelbi Pelham, Margaret Masee

**TV/SOUND ASSISTANTS:** Zachary Miller, Sarah Robinson, Parker Wiley

### Worship Notes for Sunday, October 16, 2011

**MR. TIM ANDERSON (9:00 & 11:00 AM)**

**GATHERING:** Youth Choir

**CALL TO WORSHIP:** Celebration Choir

**OFFERTORY:** Becky Anderson

**DISMISSAL:** Youth Band

**CHURCH GREETERS:** Don Woeltjen, Linda Brantley

**SUNDAY SCHOOL GREETERS:** Anna Brown, Dena Cannon

**BREAKFAST:** Women of Faith / Barnabas

**TV/SOUND ASSISTANTS:** Will Reaves, Tillman Griner, Jarrett Thompson.

# CHANGE THE WORLD

"The sign-up sheets for Change the world" Sunday are right outside Susan Hughes' office. Please go by and sign your name under the ministry you feel lead to work with on November 13th. Please write you phone number next to your signature so you can be contacted by your leader. Please be in prayer for this day of reaching out to the world! Deadline to sign up is October 23rd!"



Please join us for a reception honoring

Connie Watson

on her 90th birthday

Saturday, October 22, 2011

from 2 until 3:30 p.m.

in the church social hall

### Benefit Sing for Blake Johnson

Saturday, October 8th, 7 PM

Arbor Baptist

Blake, a 2011 FHS graduate, is a former Hurricane football player who has been battling cancer since May. Proceeds will go towards Blake's medical expenses.



Congratulations to Steve & Sally Waldorf on the birth of their 6th grandchild. Stella Vivian Lumm was born on September 26th to Brandon & Renee Lumm. Congratulations to you all!

Donations are needed now to help supply food boxes to those who come to Central in need. Each box costs about \$17 to prepare and includes enough food to feed a family of 4 about three meals. By working with a local store to purchase the needed items in bulk, we are able to keep the cost of this box low. Please mark your donation "Food Box".

## Family Night Supper

You may use the form below or phone the church office to make a reservation. Reservations are due by noon on Tuesday.

The serving line is open from 6:00 to 6:30. Take-out plates can be picked up after 6:30. The cost is \$5.00 for adults and teens, \$3.50 for children age 4-12; children age 3 or under eat free. There is a \$17 limit per family (living in the same home).

**Menu (Oct. 12):** Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, Turnips, Blueberry Cobbler, Congealed Salad, Rolls.

**Menu (Oct. 19):** Spaghetti, Garden Salad, Bread, Dessert.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

# Adults/Teens \_\_\_\_\_ # Children \_\_\_\_\_ # age 0-3 \_\_\_\_\_

October 12th only \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Reservation \_\_\_\_\_ October 19th only \_\_\_\_\_



Sunday, September 25

Worship Attendance..... 261  
 Sunday School Attendance..... 126  
 Budget Offering..... \$ 4,479.14  
 Designated Gifts ..... \$ 1,071.97

Sunday, October 2

Worship Attendance ..... 229  
 Sunday School Attendance ..... 84  
 Budget Offering ..... \$14,104.55  
 Designated Gifts ..... \$ 4,377.00



"It's time to get those shoeboxes done! The deadline for turning in your shoebox is November 18th. After that, you will need to take your box to First Baptist Church. See Susan Hughes to get a packing slip for your box. We will also have a shoebox ministry on Change the world Day that will be lead by Suzanne Reaves in our children's dept. If you'd like to sign up to help Suzanne and the children put together shoeboxes, call the church office to sign up!"

### Missing

Video 1 from the Beth Moore, Breaking Free series is missing. If you have borrowed this video, please return it to the church office.

### Ben Hill Community



Monday, October 10  
 2:00 – 7:00 PM  
 First Baptist Church

### United Methodist Men

Quarterly Gathering

October 25th

At Buck Anderson's Cabin

Gather at 6 PM

Eat at 7 PM

### ADULT MINISTRIES

- It's Homecoming Sunday! Don't forget to wear red!
- Some of our older adults will be leaving on Monday the 10th for Epworth by the Sea. Let's remember them in our prayers as they seek to grow in the Lord at this retreat.
- Central's prayer team will meet Thursday's at 5:30 PM for the month of October.
- Evangelism Committee meeting for October will be on the 16th at 4:30 PM in the Parlor.

### Homecoming 2011

Members and friends of Central will celebrate Homecoming 2011 on Sunday, October 9. Worship services will begin at 10:30 AM and will be followed by our traditional dinner on the grounds covered dish lunch. We are delighted to have Dr. Bob Moon as our special guest that day. Dr. Moon is the pastor at First UMC in Valdosta, and we look forward to hearing his message for us. Remember – no 9 AM worship and no Fellowship Breakfast on that day. Sunday School will begin at 9:45 and end at 10:15. Invite your family and friends and plan to celebrate with us – and don't forget to wear something red!

