

It's been a long time since we did a food drive. Thank you Northeast Georgia Foodbank! But, occasionally, they have a slow time and this is one of them. So for the next 3 weeks we are asking for donated cans of beans, vegetables, meat, and fruit only. Please don't go through your cupboards and get rid of old and odd stuff. Our SON family is very special to us. We pack 12 boxes at a time so bringing a case of 12 green beans, etc. is wonderful.

Donations may be left anytime under the carport at the annex.

# Calling all Youth-

Please submit your ideas for a scarecrow as soon as possible. Remember the scarecrow must include recycled or reused items. We'll pick one or maybe two to build.

We'll meet early in October to build the scarecrow. They will be displayed in Veteran's Park in Homer from October 16<sup>th</sup> through November 3<sup>rd</sup>.

-Kim Turk

The Marilyn Class is starting a study by Max Lucado entitled "Anxious for Nothing", finding calm in a chaotic world. This class is led by Susan Mitchell.



# CALENDAR: SUNDAY, Sept.16 MONDAY, Sept.17 Handbells 6:30 TUESDAY, Sept.18 WEDNESDAY, Sept.19 Sorting 3 til 7:30 YOUTH 5:45-7:30 THURSDAY, Sept.120 Sorting 1-3 if needed Sisters Bible Study 4 pm Chancel Choir 6:30 pm FRIDAY, Sept.21 SATURDAY, Sept.22



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### ASSISTING WITH WORSHIP

**Bell Ringer:** Abram Wilbanks Acolytes: Ada Rae & Lorali Thomas Cross Bearer: Annabelle Wilbanks

Nursery: Dixie Merck

**Greeters:** Tim & Phyllis Carter

### **USHERS:**

Harlee Pearce, Offering Steward.

Ushers: Matt Chambers, Dustin Chapman, Chuck Enslen, Mike Gordon

Offering Counters: Harlee Pearce & Usher

# CIRCLE OF PRAYER



The "Circle of Prayer" is included in the bulletin each week and updated monthly. Please email to the church any for whom you would have the whole church pray during the month of September. Harlee and Jackie Pearce, Family of Mary Ann Nelson, Family of Bob Myers, Wayne Deaton, Carol Harrison, Tom & Merritta Thompson, Christy Gibson, Mike McLendon

# **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY:**

Richard & Nancy Cochran, Sept 18

\*\*\*\*\*Want to read the Scripture one

homermethodist@gmail.com and we'll

Sunday? Send in your request to

get you on the schedule.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY: Fred Wendt, Sept 19

# SORTING CLOTHES FOR KENTUCKY

In early October, we will be sending Mike Boomer back up to Harlan, Kentucky with a bus full of winter clothing. For those of you who would love to help sort, we will sort Wednesday the 19th from 3pm til 7:30 (dinner is at 6 - you may eat or continue sorting!). We will finish up on Thursday if

needed from about 1-3.

Our clothing goes up sorted by man, woman, girl, boy. This makes it much easier on those receiving the bags - especially since we send 100 plus bags at a time.

Come for an hour or whatever you can. It's great fun!

> Lastweek's **CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP:**

Offering, 3107 Building Fund, 380 SecondMile. SON, 200

TOTAL: \$ 3687

# **CONTACT INFORMATION:**

Rev. David Collins

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If you have a pastoral need or just need to talk to Pastor David, please call him on his cell or email him.

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

Sunday, September 16, 2018

Altar Color: Green

## THE GATHERING CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

RINGING OF THE HERITAGE BELL PRELUDE WITH LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES CHORAL INTROIT

\*HYMN No. 160 Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart \* AFFIRMATION OF FAITH No. 889 An Affirmation from Timothy \*HYMN OF PRAISE No. 71. The Gloria Patri

> ALTAR ADVENTURES with Pastor David (A sharing time for kids 0-12) CELEBRATIONS AND CONCERNS THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*OFFERTORY HYMN No. 528 Nearer, My God to Thee OFFERTORY PRAYER **OFFERTORY** \*HYMN OF PRAISE TO GOD No. 95, The Doxology

MUSIC SPECIAL by The Chancel Choir

READING OF THE WORD Mark 8: 27-38

THE SPOKEN WORD by Rev. David Collins "Lost & Found"

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION No. 338 Where He Leads Me

\*TAKING OF LIGHT INTO THE WORLD **POSTLUDE** 

\*Denotes standing if you are able and so desire.

### NURSERY AVAILABLE

We offer a Nursery across the street in the Family Life Center which parents may want to consider for their youngest from birth through 3 years.