



Thought for the Month

Life goes on...Whether you choose to move on,
and take a chance in the unknown. Or stay behind,
locked in the past, thinking of
what could've been.



**ST. MARY'S ROAD
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

*"A Christ-centered church,
where we are,
Loving, Living, Learning and Leading in the kingdom of God"*

June 2016						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
5/29 Exercise Group after service	5/30 Memorial Day ADMIN OFFICE CLOSED	5/31 Exercise Group @ 5:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study @ 6:00 p.m.	1 Bible Study @ 12:00 p.m. Kids Night Out @ 6:00 p.m. Youth Group @ 6:00 p.m. Prayer Ministry @ 6:15 p.m. Unity Choir @ 7:00 p.m.	2 Bible Study @ 6:30 p.m.	3	4 Boy Scout Mtg. @ 10:00 a.m.
5 Health screenings Children's Church @ 10:00 a.m. Exercise Group after service	6 VBS 6:00-8:00 p.m.	7 VBS 6:00-8:00 p.m.	8 VBS 6:00-8:00 p.m. SGAUMC Conference in Tifton, GA	9 VBS 6:00-8:00 p.m. SGAUMC Conference in Tifton, GA	10 SGAUMC Conference in Tifton, GA	11 UMM Mtg. @ 8:00 a.m. Jocabed's Daughters Mtg. @ 10:00 a.m. SGAUMC Conference in Tifton, GA
12 Exercise Group after service	13	14 Exercise Group @ 5:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study @ 6:00 p.m.	15 Bible Study @ 12:00 p.m. Children/Youth Choir @ 6:00 p.m. Prayer Ministry @ 6:15 p.m. Youth Group @ 7:00 p.m. Unity Choir @ 7:00 p.m.	16 Bible Study @ 6:30 p.m.	17	18 Boy Scout Mtg. @ 10:00 a.m. Disciple's Mentoring Program @ 9:00 a.m.
19 Health screenings Children's Church @ 10:00 a.m. Exercise Group after service Father's Day Men's Day	20	21 Exercise Group @ 5:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study @ 6:00 p.m.	22 ACTIVITIES SAME AS June 15 th	23 Bible Study @ 6:30 p.m. UMW Mtg. @ 6:00 p.m.	24	25
26 Exercise Group after service	27 Council Mtg. @ 6:30 p.m.	28 Exercise Group @ 5:30 p.m. Men's Bible Study @ 6:00 p.m.	29 ACTIVITIES SAME AS June 15 th	30 Bible Study @ 6:30 p.m.	<u>Trustees June 2016</u> Sheila Woodbury (706) 536-8508 Roy Sumlin, Jr. (706) 984-3236 <u>Pro-Active Care Team</u> <u>June 2016</u> Emery Ramsey (706) 326-0785	

Welcome Visitors...The *Road*UMC is the place to be!

The mission of The Road UMC is to become a community of believers committed to helping all people to personally know Jesus Christ by delivering a biblically based teaching and preaching of the gospel to those saved and seeking Christ and thereby developing disciples, families and communities through the power of the Holy Spirit. If you are new to our community and looking for a church home or desire to explore your spirituality, please consider us.

At The ROAD, we are engaged in the L4 experience:

Loving God with all our heart, mind, soul, and strength and loving neighbor as thyself.

Living a life that is Christ-centered and biblically oriented.

Learning to be a disciple of Jesus Christ as we live counter to the culture following wholeheartedly after God in a broken world.

Leading others to experience God; being light in darkness and salt in a decaying environment.

If you would like to enter into fellowship with *The ROAD UMC*...

- Come during the Invitation to Discipleship
- See our pastor or a member after church
- Call the church office and schedule an appointment to speak with the pastor
- Email us at stmarysrd@theroadumc.org
- See one of our ushers after the worship service

This is the working church!
The lazy church is down the street!



James R. King, Jr., Resident Bishop Rev. Dr. Buddy Cooper, D.S.
Cynthia Williams, Lay Leader Willie Belfield, Associate Lay Leader

The SMRUMC Staff

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Sunday, June 5, 2016 / 10:00 a.m.

Rev. Dr. L.K. Pendleton, Pastor



*"But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation.
God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of
him who called you out of darkness into
his wonderful light."*

1 Peter 2:9

Our Time of Worship

3rd Sunday after Pentecost/in Kingdomtide

Color: Green

Liturgist

Willie Belfield

THE GATHERING *(Time of Prayer and Meditation)*

Lighting of the Candles Acolytes
Song of Praise "Hallelujah, We Are Glad" Choir/Congregation

*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles Creed UMH #881

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.

Song of Praise "Lord, You Are Good" Congregation
Morning Prayer William Quick

Response "I Shall Wear A Crown" Congregation

The Ministry of Music The Unity Choir
The Sermon Pastor K
Holy Communion UMH #15

The Presentation of Tithes, Commitments & Offerings
Parish Notices/Welcome & Recognition of Visitors Helen Gibson
Benediction

LISTENING TO THE SERMON

Listen to the message from God's Word and use this sheet to write down your personal notes. Reflect over them during the week and let God's truths take root in your heart and produce fruit in your life.

"Be doers of the Word, and not hearers only." James 1:2

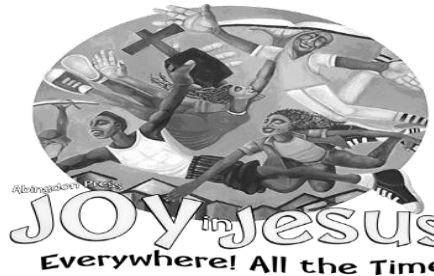
The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in haven, 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.

And lead us not into temptation
But deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom, the power
and the glory forever, Amen.



GET READY! GET READY!
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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 6 - 9, 2016
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Preschool - Adults

(An Intergenerational Learning Experience)

We are in need of servants to serve in every area,
as well as monetary donations.

Contact: Dr. Burl Levins at BURLBurlco2@aol.com
or Paula Shaw Powell
michealpau@aol.com or pshawpowell@gmail.com

Register at:

<http://2016.abingdonpressvbs.com/stmarysrdumc>

Congratulations to
our very own Music Ministry Director,
Mrs. Jacqueline Ekins!

She has been nominated to receive The MLA Music Legends Award.

The event is scheduled on Sunday, June 12, 2016 at
The Columbus Trade Center Red Carpet at 5:00 p.m.
Awards Ceremony and Dinner at 6:00. p.m.

For more information, contact Mrs. Jackie Ekins at (706) 566-9121.

A Message from the Finance Ministry

Dear Congregation:

We would like to thank you for reinforcing your commitment to our church through your tithing, sacrificial offering and pledges. Three months ago, we made an appeal to you and asked you to give in addition to your regular support, to help with our conference apportionment of \$50,539.00. In 2016 let us be committed to giving of our:

- Tithes and Offering
- Supporting the mortgage pledge
- Paying towards the apportionment each quarter

We are grateful for all that you do!
Your Finance Ministry

News in the Pews

The Noon Day Bible Study will not meet next week.

The Road Is Going Casual for The Summer! During the months of June-August you are invited to "dress down" when coming to church. However, we stress that you dress accordingly, which means no halter tops or open back dresses, miniskirts, shorts above the knees. Refrain from exposing nakedness. We ask you to be modest. This is a House of Prayer!

The Anniversary Committee is offering the 60th Anniversary Keepsake Goblet for \$5.00 each. If you desire a keepsake, stop by the narthex today or the church office during regular business hours.

Quarterly UMW Meeting: The UMW will be meeting immediately after service today for our quarterly meeting. All ladies are requested to attend. Please contact Ms. Georgette Martin for more information.

The United Methodist Men will gather for a photo immediately following our morning worship service at the front entrance of the church.

Older Adult Sunday will be next Sunday, June 12, 2016 at our 10:00 a.m. worship service.

Men's Day Potluck: The UMM will have a potluck dinner after the Men's Day celebration on June 19, 2016 immediately after worship service. The men will provide the meat and request that the congregation bring side items, i.e., vegetables, breads, desserts, etc.


Men's Day Choir Rehearsals are being held every Tuesday after Men's Bible Study until June 13, 2016. All men are invited to attend.

The Worship Committee will not meet during the month of June. The next meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 11, 2016 at 6:30 p.m. All ministry chairpersons are expected to attend to share ministry dates for the remainder of the year.

The South Georgia Annual Conference is June 8-11, 2016, convening in Tifton, Georgia at the University of Georgia - Tifton Campus Conference Center. For more information retrieve, <http://www.sgaumc.org/annualconference>.

TRUSTEE ALERT! The use of church facilities, including church vans, should receive approval from the Trustees prior to use. All events should be placed on the church calendar. The Trustees meet on the first Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Meetings are open to all church members.

Note: Worshippers use the time before morning service to pray. Please limit your talking during this time. Remember to silence cell phones and technology devices during our morning worship. Thank you!

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Lectioary Readings, Week of June 5, 2016	
1 Kings 17:8-24	Psalm 146
Galatians 1:11-24	Luke 7:11-17
Prayer Warrior On-Call June	
William Quick (334) 291-9153	
Prayer Concerns	
Mrs. Delores Thomas	6801 Playfield Drive, Cols, GA (07) (706) 464-3364
Mrs. Alice Jackson	6670 Woodberry Road, Columbus, GA 31907 (706) 660-9913
Mrs. Emily Walker	P.O. Box 8208, Columbus, GA 31908 (706) 569-0760
Christ in our Homes, Christ in our Church, Christ in our Community, Christ in Us!	
Call the church office to notify the staff of any known Prayer Request or, you may enter your Prayer Request on our website, www.theroadumc.org .	