

## PRAYER NEEDS FOR OUR PEOPLE

### OUR MEMBERS

Bennie Agee  
Andy Beaudoin  
Dennis Davis  
Carol Echols  
Erby Garrett  
Mark Godfrey  
Joey Hilliard  
Lillie Jones  
Pete Jones  
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### OUR LOVED ONES

Braeden Bagley  
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Christina Becker  
John Bridges  
Matt Conley  
Nolan DeRamus  
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Leslie Tamplin  
Phillip Zeigler

### OUR LOVED ONES ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE MILITARY

Imani Blocker, USA  
Alex Mullen, USCG  
Adam Stewart, USCG

## COVERED DISH & FELLOWSHIP LUNCH



All are welcome to stay for the Fellowship Lunch today – grilled chicken is on the menu, with many delicious side dishes. As someone said, when friends eat together, hearts are nourished along with the body!

## THANK YOU



Thank you to the Worship Committee for all they do to freshen up the sanctuary each season. I love the fall colors we have up now, hope some cooler weather follows!

## FAMILY NIGHT SUPPER

Wednesday, September 20, 6 PM

Featuring  
**The Men's Trio,**  
Eric, Bruce and Joey



### Menu:

Country Fried Steak w/White Gravy  
Home Made Mashed Potatoes Butter Beans  
Tomato-Cucumber Salad  
Beverages Dessert

(Please Mark Number Attending and put in offering box.)

\_\_\_\_\_ Adults (\$ 8)      \_\_\_\_\_ Children 4-12 (\$ 4)

\_\_\_\_\_ Children 3 & Under (Free)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## CHURCH MEETINGS

There are several church meetings this month, including:

Nominations Committee:

September 13 - 11:15 AM

Preschool Committee:

September 14 - 12 PM

SPR Committee:

September 18 - 6 PM

Administrative Council:

September 24 - 12:15 PM



## VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We already have 4 volunteers on the Burns Soup Kitchen Team. We are looking for 6 more! The Master's Table Soup Kitchen (702 Fenwick St, Augusta, GA 30901) serves a free hot lunch every day from 11 AM to 12 PM to more than 300 guests with the help of volunteers. There is a need for food servers on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays each month. The shift would be from 10:15 to 12:30 PM. Please call the pastor if you would like to be part of the Burns Master's Table volunteer team.



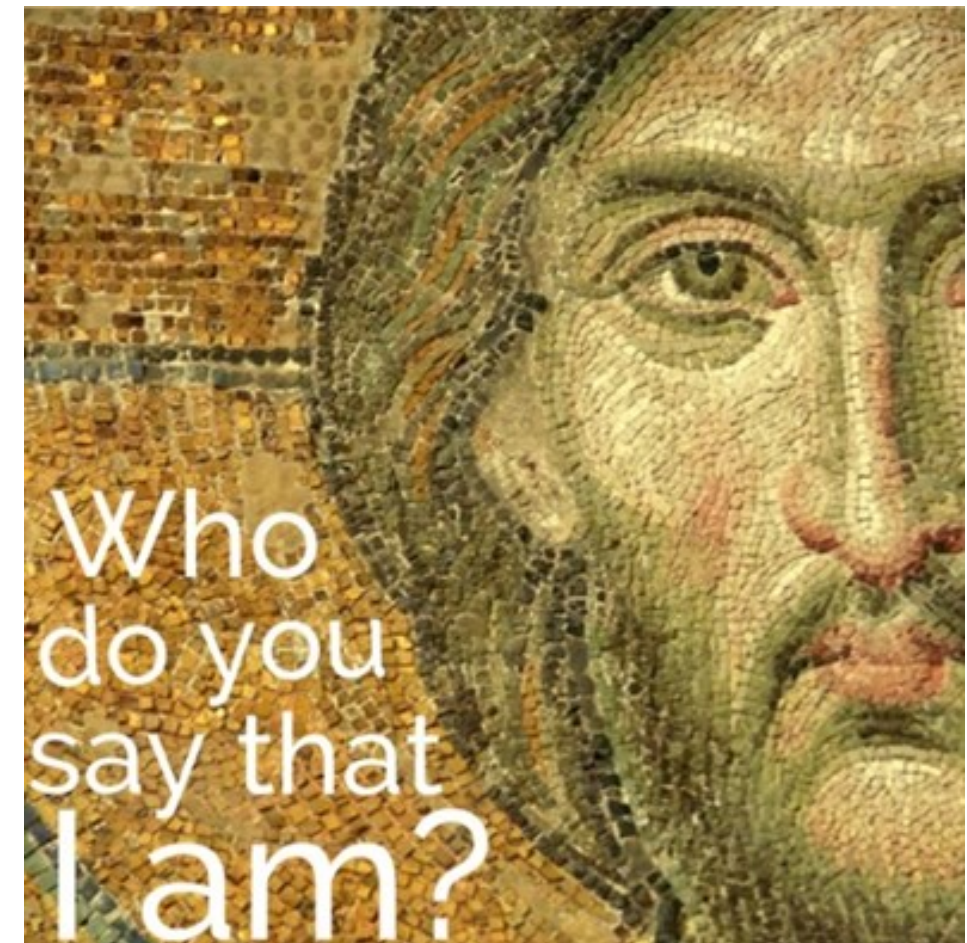
## QUOTABLE

“Fellowship means, among other things, that we are ready to receive of Christ from others. Other believers minister Christ to me, and I am ready to receive.”

— **Watchman Nee**, (1903-1972), Chinese Christian Church Leader



Thanks to David A. Depew (See Luke 13:23-30) 11-22-2005  
JESUS WHO?



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[www.youtube.com/@burnsmemorial](http://www.youtube.com/@burnsmemorial)

ORDER OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 118:24, 29

This is the day the Lord hath made!

**Let us rejoice and be glad in it!**

O give thanks unto the Lord, for he is good!

**And his mercy endures forever!**

HYMN Crown Him With Many Crowns 327

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH A Modern Affirmation 885

Where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is the one true church, apostolic and universal, whose holy faith let us now declare:

**We believe in God the Father, infinite in wisdom, power, and love, whose mercy is over all his works, and whose will is ever directed to his children's good.**

**We believe in Jesus Christ, Son of God and Son of man, the gift of the Father's unending grace, the ground of our hope, and the promise of our deliverance from sin and death.**

**We believe in the Holy Spirit as the divine presence in our lives, whereby we are kept in perpetual remembrance of the truth of Christ, and find strength and help in time of need.**

**We believe that this faith should manifest itself in the service of love as set forth in the example of our blessed Lord, to the end that the kingdom of God may come upon the earth. Amen.**

GLORIA PATRI 71

**Glory 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.**

GREETING ONE ANOTHER

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

God is good, **All the time!**

SPECIAL MUSIC The Men's Trio

RESPONSIVE PRAYER From 1938 UM Hymnal, modified

Almighty God, we are thankful to be citizens of this wonderful country. Draw our nation back to yourself, that we might please you and follow your will.

**Bless our land, our industries, our schools, our churches, our families.**

Defend our freedoms.

**Preserve our unity.**

Save us from violence, divisions, and confusion.

**Save us from pride, from arrogance, and from every evil way.**

Make into one people the multitudes that have come here from many nations.

**In times of prosperity fill our hearts with thankfulness; and in times of hardship help us to hold fast to you.**

Empower with a spirit of wisdom those whom we entrust with the authority of government,

**to the end that we might have peace at home and be a force for good in the world. In the name of our savior, Jesus Christ, we pray, Amen.**

PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHORUS On Eagles' Wings 143

**And God will raise you up on eagles' wings  
Bear you on the breath of dawn  
Make you to shine like the sun  
And hold you in the palm of His hand.**

CHORAL ANTHEM

VIDEO CLIP I AM

SCRIPTURE Matthew 15:13-20

13 When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, "Who do people say the Son of Man is?"

14 They replied, "Some say John the Baptist; others say Elijah; and still others, Jeremiah or one of the prophets."

15 "But what about you?" he asked. "**Who do you say I am?**"

MESSAGE Who Is Jesus?

HYMN Jesus Shall Reign 157

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



It is so nice to have you join us this morning at Burns Memorial UMC! We are glad you are here!

If you have any questions about the service, restrooms, hearing devices, nursery, children's activity bags or anything else, please ask one of the Ushers.

THIS WEEK AT BURNS

**Monday, September 11**

Morning Movers 10:30 AM

**Tuesday, September 12**

Morning Movers 10:30 AM  
Zoom Bible Study 6:00 PM

**Wednesday, September 13**

Bible Study 10:00 AM  
Nominations Committee Meeting 11:15 AM  
Morning Movers 11:15 AM

**Thursday, September 14**

Morning Movers 10:30 AM  
Preschool Committee Meeting 12:00 AM

**Friday, September 15**

Morning Movers 10:30 AM

**Saturday, September 16**

NA Open Meeting 9:00 AM

**Sunday, September 17**

Sunday School 9:30AM  
Choir Practice 10:15 AM  
Worship Service 10:55 AM  
NA Open Meeting 5:00 PM

**SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY**

LITURGIST Bruce Moore USHER CAPTAIN Wayne Allen  
SONG LEADER

PIANIST & CHOIR DIRECTOR Mike Kelley SUNDAY COUNTERS Linda Johnson Fredda Jackson

NURSERY WORKER Colleen Browne AV TECHNICIANS Thomas & Jordan Donaldson