

THE SBC SPOTLIGHT



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Wednesdays:
5:15pm Choir Rehearsal
6:15pm Adult Prayer Meeting &
Bible Study

Sundays:
9:45am Sunday School
11am Worship

DEACON OF THE WEEK:

June 6	Karen Hayes
June 13	Mike Kent
June 20	Doyle Matheny
June 27	Allen Nolan

Deacon's Meeting
6:30pm
June 21, 2021

PASTOR'S CORNER

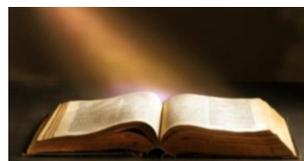
DR. WALLACE MCABEE, SENIOR PASTOR

Pastor Says,

I start my mornings before the sun begins to paint the sky with pinks and blues by opening our breakfast room window for the morning concert series. Before light comes all seems quite as the band is sound asleep to awaken at dawn's first light. Sometimes the still is interrupted with a shrill of a screech owl announcing its presence, a distant coyote howl or some unknown scratching and clawing in the dark suburban forest in my back yard. With the first ray of light, the concert begins with tentative chirps, hesitant notes, and half-awake calls as the band warms up for the first number of the day. Suddenly, the whole orchestra strikes up their wake-up call like revile on a military base. I think all that noise comes from creatures that are excited to announce a new day. That is their thing, part of what Creator designed them to do, and they do it well.

Yes, sort of reminds me of us. Morning person or more of a night hawk, we all are part of a concert God equipped to announce the joy of each day. We survived another night; we see the sun and want everyone to know that our hearts are filled with joy as we live out the purpose of each day. Our Creator loves to hear each note and enjoys each love note. So, maybe when no one is listening, why not join them? Quietly perhaps so your sleepy spouse will not arise with pre-caffeine wrath. But sing with them, after all, *"This is the day that the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it."*

Peace in Jesus,
Pastor Wallace



"HOME HEALTH"
Marriage & Family
Worship Series
June 6—June 20

PRAY ... For our Children's Director Search Committee! The Lord has just the right person for us — pray that we will find them.

The Lord's Supper and Church Conference scheduled for June 27 have been rescheduled for July 18 due to vacations, VBS and the July 4 holiday weekend.

Worship & Upcoming Events

Wednesday Schedules-

5:15pm Choir Rehearsal
6:15pm Adult Bible Study & Prayer Meeting

Thursday Schedule-

10am Adults on Mission Crafts

Sunday Schedules-

9:45am Sunday School
11am Worship Service
5:30pm Ladies Bible Study

Wednesday, June 2

Prayer Meeting with Karen Ridenhour—6:15pm

Thursday, June 3

*Celebrate Summer Swim Party—4pm-8ish
The Tolleson's are hosting this party at their home
and is for children and their families;
dinner will be served so please RSVP Carla if you
plan to attend.*

Thursday, June 10

Olive Branch Meeting 6pm

Saturday, June 12

9am-2pm

*Bike & Car Show with BBQ and Homemade Pork
Rinds; Free Hot Dogs for kids. A special Flyover
will take place from 10am-12pm.*

Volunteers are appreciated!

Please sign up outside the church office.

Sunday, June 13

*Noon—Immediately following worship
YOUTH TEAM Planning and Dreaming Meeting
Youth Team members and parents are
encouraged to help us plan a great summer of min-
istry with our students and their friends.*

Saturday, June 19

Turin Chicken-Q

Monday, June 21

6:30pm Deacon's Meeting

Friday-Wed, June 25-30

Kentucky Mission Trip

*See Frank DeLoach if you have questions about this
mission trip. There are flyers
outside the church office with
details about this trip.*

Mon-Sat, June 28-July 3

YOUTH Centrifuge Camp

Deacon of the Week:

6-6: Karen Hayes
6-13: Mike Kent
6-20: Doyle Matheny
6-27: Allen Nolan

Children's Church:

6-6: Carla Tolleson
No one listed to help with Children's
Church beyond the 6th

Nursery (to help Brandy Phelps):

6-6: Frank & Catherine DeLoach
6-13: Delores Freeman
6-20: Nancy McAbee
6-27: Flo Novak

Go ahead and say to YES,

*To VBS that is! We will need all hands-on
deck with our post-pandemic VBS. We hope
to have a record number of kids as parents
are searching for something to get kids out
and having fun learning about the Lord. Car-
la and her helpers will be asking for help –
please say yes and help us reach children
and families for the Lord.*

*"Destination Dig: Unearthing the truth
about Jesus." VBS, July 11-15*



**Now through Father's Day, June 20 –
Baby Bottles Fundraising for Coweta
Pregnancy Services in Newnan;
Your change can make a difference!
Pick up an empty baby bottle-- fill it
with change/coins-- return!
It's easy and it adds up!!**



Music Notes



“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

“Come, Christians, Join to Sing Alleluia! Amen! Loud praise to Christ, our King; Alleluia! Amen! Let all, with heart and voice, Before His throne rejoice; Praise is His gracious choice: Alleluia! Amen!”

This praise song expresses excitement; just like the excitement going on at Sharpsburg these days! I am happy to say that our music ministry at SBC is going strong! We have had several “pink tie” Sundays, with 16 or more in the choir loft. Better yet, we have three new members: Vern Darley joined us a few months ago, and just recently, Walt and Terry Buyck have become our newest members.

In other news, a church in the Atlanta area has graciously loaned us a beautiful, three-octave handbell set, complete with music! This is an incredible opportunity for us! Jill will be training and leading the handbell choir, so look for an announcement in the next few months. Handbells is a new ministry opportunity—and a lot of fun!

One more item to mention is a summer break-out social for all choir members and their families at the Exner home on Turkey Creek Road on June 19th. 5:00 till dusk. We’ll eat, swim, talk, and maybe even play horseshoes!

It is truly a great time at SBC. We have so much to be thankful for. “Alleluia! Amen!”

Keep on Singing! - Mike





Youth News



Hello Church Family,

It's hard to believe we are almost halfway through 2021! Stepping outside these last few days has made it evident that summertime is just about here. While I've never been a fan of the hot weather, I am quite excited for the summer ahead of us in our student ministry. We are kicking things off this Sunday with Graduation Sunday honoring our two graduates of the class of 2021 (Congrats, Eddie and Destiny!). Also, next Thursday, the Tolleson family has graciously invited all students and children to their home for a summer kickoff pool party! If you plan to attend, please contact Carla to RSVP. Of course, FUGE Camp is going on as planned this summer from June 28-July 3 in South Carolina! We will be taking 7 students this year and we couldn't be more excited for what God is going to do! Finally, I have some exciting news to share with you all. This summer on Wednesday nights starting on June 23, we are going to be partnering with several other churches in the Western Baptist Association for Summer Youth Swap! Each week from that point on, we will be taking our students to other local churches where several smaller youth groups in the association will join for a group Wednesday night service. I am so excited about this because it will connect our students with other like-minded young Christians and also strengthen our own group in the process. Please be in prayer not only for our students but also the other churches that are participating. The Crum family will be there in full very soon so Macie and I can't wait for you all to meet little Norah! Being a dad is truly amazing! We love you all! God Bless!

In Christ,
Jon Crum
Col. 3:1-4

YOUTH BAKE SALE >>>>>>
Thank you to all who supported
this great event for our Youth!



FINANCE NEWS

Generous and Faithful – that's Sharpsburg Baptist Church! In the month of May, you have given generously and faithfully to the budgeted areas of the church. And you have given abundantly in second mile giving – gifts over and above your usual tithes and offerings.

Special giving this month included \$240 given to the ministry of the Georgia Baptist Children's Home and Family Ministry, \$620 toward the Kentucky Mission trip in June, \$3,000 through the BBQ/Yard sale for the Dental Clinic and Upward Soccer outreach programs planned for the fall, and \$935 raised by the youth bake sale for their summer mission trip/camp.

Thank you for witnessing to your faith in action through giving to mission projects locally and beyond!



Adults on Mission

JUNE News

May was a good month for the Adults on Mission Craft Group. We were excited to welcome new church member, Terry Buyck to our Thursday crafting group. Terry brings a sincere desire to craft as a way to share the gospel.

May found us creating bears, bracelets, barrettes, dishcloths, washcloths and dresses for little girls. We created dishcloths and washcloths and wrapped them around donations of dish detergent and bar soap for the I-58 Mission. Our upcoming projects are providing crafts to be used as witness tools for SBC’s mission trip to Kentucky later this month, the Senoia Tractor Pull in August, and hopefully the Coweta County Fair in September.

As we craft each week, we share mission facts and uplifting stories from the Missions Mosaic, a publication from WMU. The articles help us to cultivate hearts for missions. In May, we learned about one woman’s journey to help end human trafficking in her homeland of Moldova. We learned that after the collapse of the Soviet Union in 1991, Moldova became a hotspot for human trafficking. Because of Southern Baptists, like us, and Baptist churches in both America and Moldova, much has been done to give emotional and spiritual support to many women, but still, much remains to be done. Mrs. Ann Watts, WMU Director for our Western Baptist Association, has made six mission trips to Moldova, and we were honored to have her share her experiences which created an even deeper desire within us to care about, pray for, and assist these women who are victims of human trafficking through no fault of their own. Because of Southern Baptists, a number of these women have come to know Jesus and experience hope in their lives.

We invite all women to join us on Thursdays from 10:00 a.m. to Noon for fellowship and crafting one with another, but mostly we offer an opportunity for you to become a missionary from right here in Sharpsburg, GA!

God Bless,
AoM Team
Denise Jones, Nancy McAbee and Yvonne Pleasant



The Adults on Mission Craft Group created 24 eye glass cases for our friends at the I-58 Mission in Senoia.



Ann Watts joined us to share about Mission Trips she has made to Moldova.



JUNE News

Our May meeting was well attended.....and we welcomed some “newcomers”! There is a lot of energy in Olive Branch these days and we are doing much work for our church and community outreach efforts. We continue to raise money to finance much of what we set out to accomplish. Many of us (and our husbands) spent the weekend of April 30/ May 1 working alongside others in our church as we had a very successful Yard Sale/ BBQ event! Using the money we raised from that effort (part of it was donated back to OB by the event leader, David Bearden), we recently gave \$500 to our Church Cemetery account. We donated \$250 to the family of a young boy, neighbors of the Thomas’, who was killed in a tragic accident in Sharpsburg. We sent \$250 to a local family, who are neighbors of the Zehm’s and McCall’s, whose house burned. The dad is a state trooper.

On the horizon, we are preparing to be a part of the June 12 Car Show at SBC by selling homemade baked goods and cool DIY crafts that many of our members have been working on this spring.

At our June meeting we will host an author by the name of Norma McMurry.....if that name rings a bell.....she is the wife of Pastor Don McMurry, who spent many weeks with this very congregation while Pastor Wallace was out with his surgery in 2018. She will be discussing her book, Loving Life from A to Z. We encourage you to come and hear her and invite your friends. Let one of us know so we can prepare enough refreshments. *****Hope to see you all Thursday, June 10th at 6pm in FH.

Psalm 68:11 “The Lord announces the word, and the women who proclaim it are a mighty throng.”

~ The Olive Branch Ladies



“Outreach involves extending ourselves, our talents, and our resources, to help others.”

SBC Happenings

SBC Yard Sale



BBQ Fundraiser for KY Mission Trip



Mother's Day



New Members



Walt & Terry Buyck

VOW RENEWAL CEREMONY



June 2021						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Sundays: 9:45am Sunday School 11am Worship 5:30pm Ladies Bible Study		1	2 Prayer Meeting with Karen Ridenhour	3 10am AoM Crafts 4pm-8ish Celebrate Summer Swim Party at the Tolleson's house for kids and their families; Dinner will be served so be sure to RSVP Carla	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 10am AoM Crafts Olive Branch 6pm	11	12 Car & Bike Show – BBQ and More 9am-2pm
13 Noon- Youth Team Planning & Dreaming Meeting	14 Flag Day	15	16	17 10am AoM Crafts	18	19 Turin Chicken-Q Choir Social @ the Exner's Home 5pm-Dusk
20 Summer Begins Quarterly Fellowship Lunch	21 Deacon's Meeting 6:30pm	22 July Newsletter Articles due to the office	23	24	25 KENTUCKY MISSION TRIP Jun 25-30	26 KENTUCKY MISSION TRIP Jun 25-30
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JUNE BIRTHDAYS		
Jun 2 – Tate McElwaney	Jun 16 -Seth Waggoner	Jun 22 – Denise Jones
Jun 3 – Becky Cates	Sandy Townsend	Lori Wray
Sicily Holmes		Donna Young
Jun 5 - Philip West	Jun 17 - Susan Cowart	Jun 23 – Linda Dunson
Jun 6 - Charles Mull	Noah Wilson	Jun 26 – Annette Holland
Jun 8 - Doyle Matheny	Cortney Worth	Georgia Ann Tolleson
Jun 9 - Lyndsey Stevenson	Jun 19 – Ryan Cruse	Brittany Worth
Jun 10 – Landon Corley	Jun 20 – Fonda DeLoach	Jun 29 – Lynn Horton
Jun 13 – Anne Ridenhour	Thomas Jenkins	Jackie Kent
Jun 14 – Katie Dulyea	Haley Ward	Cheri O'Neal
		Megan Pailer
		Jun 30 – Brandy Phelps



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We would love to have you as our guest. We have many upcoming events that we are sure will be great fun as well as be a blessing to you. We have classes and fun events for our children on Sunday mornings and Wednesday nights as well as Sunday School classes, Prayer Meeting and Worship time for our adults. If you have any questions, feel free to ask us, fill out a visitor's card in the pew when you visit or just speak to one of us to let us know how we can be of assistance to you. We are here to serve each other and those in our community.

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JOIN US!

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Sunday Worship: 11:00 am

Wednesdays:
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6:15pm
Prayer Meeting & Bible Study

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Check out our website for any events that may be going on and to see and learn about our church. We seek to share the love of Christ with those around us. And, we hope that you will come visit our church soon!

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