

If you are unable to serve on your appointed Sunday, please find a substitute, and then contact Jill Sessions by noon Tuesday with changes for the bulletin.

**SERVING OCTOBER 16, 2011
Laity Sunday**

Preacher, 8:30/11:00 Richard Seibert
Liturgist, 8:30/11:00 Emily Truan
Director of Music Ministries Linda Leslie Bradberry
Organist Pam Dutch
Worship Music
8:30 Al Stocks
11:00 Chancel Choir
Acolytes 8:30 Eliza Epps
11:00 Sam Sessions, Sam Engler
Crucifer 11:00 Travis Crowell
Lay Readers 8:30 Terry Smith
11:00 Megan Gunnels
Greeters 11:00 Beth & Elizabeth Hamilton
Ushers 8:30 John Jopling, Vince Murray
11:00 Robert Harwood, Costa Sivas, Mark Quarles
Audio Tech. Phil Cupp, Jonathan Portinga
Sunday Sch. Adm. Kevin Sessions
Lock-up Jim Showman

**SERVING OCTOBER 23, 2011
Extravagant Giving:
Ministry Flows from the Heart.**

Preacher/Liturgist 8:30/11:00 Rev. John Pinson
Director of Music Ministries Linda Leslie Bradberry
Organist Pam Dutch
Worship Music
8:30 Roger Ford
11:00 Chancel Choir
Acolytes 8:30 Jillian Toole
11:00 Lee Dunbar, Wren Williams
Crucifer 11:00 Rachel Fisher
Lay Readers 8:30 Burt Taylor
11:00 Susan Phillips
Greeters 11:00 Tom Kemp
Ushers 8:30 John Jopling, Vince Murray
11:00 Robert Harwood, Costa Sivas, Mark Quarles
Audio Tech. Phil Cupp, Jonathan Portinga
Sunday Sch. Adm. Paige Barnes
Lock-up Dick Magruder

From the Finance Committee:
January—September 2011

Offerings Received = \$573,898

Expenses Paid = \$610,440

Expenses exceeding Offerings = \$36,542

Balance on church building loan is \$1,206,719.

If you have any questions, feel free to ask any finance committee member.

Susannah Wesley Circle requests your gently used pocketbooks and satchels for Safe Homes of Augusta.

A Bible will be given with each item to the ladies at the shelter.

Place in the bin across from Room A16 from October 30-November 20.

COAT DRIVE through October 23


Gloves, scarves, hats, mittens & blankets too! Donation bins are located in the Education and Office wings.

Nursery Workers needed for 8 am Sundays. Contact Connie Clark at (706) 945-9286.

The Prayer List is available on a separate sheet in the narthex.

Welcome to Aldersgate United Methodist Church.
Childcare is offered in the Children's Wing.
Children's activity bags are available on the rack in the Narthex.
Ask an usher for any assistance with questions/directions.
Please silence cell phones and pagers.
Please refrain from eating and drinking in the Sanctuary.
Visiting today? Please take a welcome packet and striped gift bag found in the Narthex, and complete the guest information card in the pew rack or attendance pad.

ANNOUNCEMENTS




Taste of Aldersgate
TODAY at Family Supper
at 6 pm in the Family Life Center

- EVERYONE is invited
- please bring your favorite DISH from a Recipe which you put into the 50th Anniversary cookbook

ALSO TONIGHT~
Aldersgate Store House Grand Opening!
Great items for sale to help commemorate our 50th Anniversary! Something for the entire family.

Life is Great at Aldersgate!

For more information, please contact Sharon Quarles or Norma Patterson.



THE PUMPKINS ARE HERE!

Pumpkin Patch Hours: Monday through Saturday 9 am-7 pm
Sunday 1 pm-7 pm



Trunk or Treat
Sunday, October 30
from 5-6:30 pm
Church Parking Lot
Parade of Costumes
Pumpkin Carving Contest
Hot Dog Dinner

Candy donations (individually wrapped) are being collected now.

Mission Focus: Bring canned goods for Golden Harvest Food Bank.



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DISCOVER YOUR "HEART STRANGELY WARMED."

October 16, 2011
WORSHIP
8:30 and 11:00 Service of Worship

LAITY



SUNDAY



Flowers this week

The flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in the Honor of the Grady Wigley Sunday School teachers, Jimmy Harrison, Chuck Lanier, Jim Showman, and Gloria Stocks by Dr Richard Magruder.

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

18TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

OCTOBER 16, 2011

Guests and Members, please sign in on the attendance pads to register your attendance.

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE "Fairest Lord Jesus" Wasson

***PROCESSIONAL HYMN #89** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

GREETING AND PRAYER

PSALTER LESSON **PSALM 99**

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** **UMH 881**

(TRADITIONAL VERSION)

**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.**

***GLORIA PATRI** **UMH 70**

**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.**

***PASSING OF THE PEACE**

The Peace of the Lord be always with you.

And also with you. (people greet one another)

CHILDREN'S TIME

JULIE LEWIS

***HYMN #73**

"O Worship the King"

A TIME OF PRAISE, PRAYER, AND MEDITATION

LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM 8:30 am "Hide Thou Me" Tolbert/Harris
11:00 am "I Want Jesus to Walk With Me" Nelson

***GOSPEL LESSON**

MATTHEW 28:20B

SERMON "The God Who is Always There" MR. RICH SEIBERT

THANKSGIVING

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY "There is a Balm in Gilead" Proulx

***PRESENTATION OF GIFTS AND DOXOLOGY #95**

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all crea-
tures here below;
praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and
Holy Ghost. Amen.**

SENDING FORTH

***CLOSING HYMN #126**

"Sing Praise to God"

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

POSTLUDE "Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above" Hopson

UMH is the United Methodist Hymnal

* The congregation will please stand as you are able.

THIS WEEK AT ALDERSGATE

Sunday, October 16, 2011

Laity Sunday

8:30am Worship (S)
9:45am Sunday School
11:00am Worship (S)
Children's Church
12:00pm Youth Choir (CR)
1:00pm Pumpkin Patch open until 7 pm
4:00pm He Speaks to Me Study (A16)
Children's Choir (CR)
Middle School Youth (YL)
4:30pm Immersion Bible Study-Romans (L)
5:00pm Bible Zone (MP)
6:00pm Taste of Aldersgate (FLC)
6:30pm High School Youth (YL)

Monday, October 17, 2011

9:00am Pumpkin Patch open until 7 pm
6:00pm Trustees Meeting (L)
8:30pm Intern Bible Study (the Way House)

Tuesday, October 18, 2011

9:00am Faithful, Abundant, True Study (A16)
9:00am Pumpkin Patch open until 7 pm
11:00am Staff Meeting (Office)

Wednesday, October 19, 2011

9:00am Pumpkin Patch open until 7 pm
5:45pm Wednesday Night Supper (FLC)
6:30pm Fearless Bible Study (A16)
Disciple IV (L)
Kids' Power Zone (MP)
7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (CR)
Youth Bible Study (Martin Home)

Thursday, October 20, 2011

9:00am Pumpkin Patch open until 7 pm
9:30am Bible Study (A16/A11)
7:00pm Ruth JOY Circle (YL)

Friday, October 21, 2011

9:00am Pumpkin Patch open until 7 pm

Saturday, October 22, 2011

9:00am Pumpkin Patch open until 7 pm
10:00am Peace by Piece Quilters (A16/A11)

MP-Multi-Purpose Room C19,
L-Library, **CR**-Choir Room, **YL**-Youth Lounge,
S-Sanctuary, **PR**-Prayer Room,
FLC-Family Life Center

Aldersgate

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Office Hours: Monday-Friday,
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

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Our Church Staff

John Pinson, Senior Pastor
Linda Bradberry, Music Ministries
Pam Dutch, Church Organist
Shelley Martin, Director of Youth and
Young Adult Ministry
Wendy Crowell, Congregational Care
Julie Lewis, Children's and Family
Coordinator
Connie Clark, Nursery Director
Tina Lancaster, Interim Financial Sec.
James Baughn, Church Host and
Caterer
Jill Sessions, Church Communications
Jeanna Sargent, Receptionist/
Administrative Assistant

I am . . .
 a first time guest
 a regular attendee
 a member of Aldersgate
 new to the area
 single
 married
 separated
 single parent
 widowed

Name _____
Email _____
Address _____
City/State/Zip _____
Phone (____) _____
 cell home work
 I would like to receive information about Aldersgate via email.
Children: name/age/grade _____

I attended . . .
 8:30a Sanctuary
 11:00a Sanctuary
 11:00a Family Life Center
Reservations for dinner for
 This Wed.: ____ Adult (15+) ____ Child (6-14) ____ Child (<5)
 Next Sun.: ____ Adult (15+) ____ Child (6-14) ____ Child (<5)
Prayer request: _____
 would like to speak with pastor