

## THIS WEEK AT ALDERSGATE

**Sunday, July 3, 2011**

*Mission to Belize*

8:30am Worship (S)  
9:45am Sunday School  
11:00am Worship (S)  
Children's Church

**Monday, July 4, 2011**

*Mission to Belize*

Church Office Closed in Observance of Independence Day

**Tuesday, July 5, 2011**

*Mission to Belize*

6:00pm Ladies Night Out (Monterrey's at Flowing Wells)

**Wednesday, July 6, 2011**

*Mission to Belize*

5:45pm Summer Suppers (FLC)

**Thursday, July 7, 2011**

*Mission to Belize*

9:00am Walking Ministry (FLC)  
10:00am Prayer Quilt Group (A16)

**Friday, July 8, 2011**

*Mission to Belize*

7:30pm Square Dancing (FLC)

**Saturday, July 9, 2011**

*Mission to Belize*

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

### Aldersgate

#### United Methodist Church

Office Hours: Monday-Friday,  
8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.  
Office Phone: 706-733-4416  
[www.aldersgateum.com](http://www.aldersgateum.com)

#### Our Church Staff

John Pinson, Senior Pastor  
Linda Bradberry, Music Ministries  
Laura Lowe, Church Organist  
Wendy Crowell, Congregational Care  
Julie Lewis, Children's and Family Coordinator  
Tina Lancaster, Church Administrator and Financial Secretary  
Connie Clark, Nursery Director  
James Baughn, Church Host and Facilities Manager  
Jill Sessions, Church Communications  
Jeanna Sargent, Receptionist

*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 JULY 3, 2011

#### Preacher/Liturgist

8:30/11:00 Wendy Crowell

#### Director of Music Ministries

Linda Leslie Bradberry  
Laura Lowe

#### Organist

#### Worship Music

8:30 Chancel Choir

11:00 Chancel Choir

#### Acolytes

8:30 David Fisher

11:00 Josie Engler

#### Crucifer

11:00 Travis Crowell

#### Lay Readers

8:30 Donna Ford

11:00 Norman Williams

#### Greeters

11:00 Tina & Steve Zimmerman

#### Ushers

8:30 Dave Bolyard,  
Barry Goldsmith

11:00 Fred Sims, Mark  
Quarles, Jim Showman,  
Bob Rowland

#### Audio Tech.

Phil Cupp,  
Jonathan Portinga

#### Sunday Sch. Adm.

Judy Bentley

#### Lock-up

Mark Quarles

### SERVING JULY 10, 2011

#### Preacher/Liturgist

8:30/11:00 Rev. Gary Dean

#### Director of Music Ministries

Linda Leslie Bradberry  
Laura Lowe

#### Organist

#### Worship Music

8:30 Good News Gospel Choir

11:00 Chancel Choir

#### Acolytes

8:30 Elizabeth Carter

11:00 Sam Sessions

#### Crucifers

11:00 Eliza Jane Sessions

#### Communion

8:30 Beverly Tarver, Sharon  
Smith

11:00 Gloria Stocks, Tina  
Zimmerman

#### Lay Readers

8:30 Joy McGaha

11:00 Tina Zimmerman

#### Greeters

11:00 Terry Smith, Sherri  
Rivers

#### Ushers

8:30 Dave Bolyard,  
Barry Goldsmith

11:00 Dan LaSure, Jay Weidman,  
Norman Williams

#### Audio Tech.

Phil Cupp,  
Jonathan Portinga

#### Sunday Sch. Adm.

Jeff Barrett

#### Lock-up

Dick Magruder

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING A MEMBER OF ALDERSGATE?**

Please contact John Pinson, Senior Minister, at 706-733-4416. Visit our website, [www.ALDERSGATEUM.COM](http://www.ALDERSGATEUM.COM), to learn more about who we are and our ministries.

#### Prayers for Members

Richard Amundson

Melva and

Tim Anderson

Donna Barrett

Sue Carstarphen

Courtney Claxton

Ernest & Ruby Daniel

Rev. Rudolph Dixon

Jef Flourmoy

Betty Haines

Wade Hammer

Marilyn &

Jeff Hardin

Pat Harrison

Flo Harveston

Russ Holloman

Camilla Huddleston

Jimmy & Evelyn

Johnson

Jeff LaSure

Jean Madden

Charles Masters

Dessie Montgomery

Judy Moore

Eleanor Mosley

Jennifer Poole

Constance Reid/family

Christel Robison

Doris Rowland

Barbie Sayers

Carol and Joe Sayers

Julie Showman

Marjorie Skinner

Merrill Sloan

Lillian Smoak

Lee Stutts

Marion Tappan

Kathryn Weidman

#### Prayers for Family of Members

Gigi Blalock, Beth Hamilton's cousin

Jackie Boatwright, Betty Sivas' sister

Harriet Bruner, Betsy Taylor's mother

William Chandler, Bart and Tina Chandler's nephew

Henry and Loulie Coulter, Barbara Sims' infant twin cousins

Betty Gardner, Tracy Showman's mother

Nancy Grant and family, Sherry Grant

Robert Hancock, Kevin Howard's brother-in-law

Pat Harrison, Mike Harrison's mother

Mark Kilgore, Nancy Miller's son

Vidette McElveen, Wendy Crowell's grandmother

Vicki Norwine, Bob Miller's daughter

Bob Sherman, Rob Sherman's father

David Smoak, Lillian Smoak's son

Meg Stocks, Al Stocks' mother

Luther and Anne Welsh, Anne Matson's uncle and aunt

Rebecca Whipple, Margaret Amundson's daughter

Billy Yates, Patsy Pennington's cousin

#### Prayers for Friends

Judy Bentley: Ralph & Mary Hall

Bowden Family: Katie McDonald, Ross Bowden

Carstarphen Family: Candy McDaniel Farler

Doris Charnock: Susan Burbine

Wendy Crowell: Phu Doan Van

Deppen Family: John D'Amico, Brooke Moye, Carole Peberdy

Regina Garrard: Johnathon Tisdale

Hap & Frances Harris: Joe Oetjen, Brennan Simkins, Margaret Tyson,

Andrea Adams family

Ellen Harrison: Sherry O'Steen

Jim Showman: Kelli Carl

Jimmy Langhouse

Theresa Mandelae family friend, Luke

Connie Clark's grandmother, Catherine Gibbs

Local nursing homes, residents and caregivers

Richmond and Columbia County Schools, students and teachers.

U. S. troops

Tensions in the Middle East and Africa

**Prayers of Sympathy for the families of:** Bert Bailey (Cupp family friend) and Ray

Cupp (Phil Cupp's uncle).

**Prayers of Praise for:** a beautiful day spent by the youth and their families at the church lake property.

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

DISCOVER YOUR "HEART STRANGELY WARMED."

July 3, 2011

## WORSHIP

8:30 and 11:00 Service of Worship



# Independence Day



Flowers  
this week

The flowers today are given by Emily and Noel Truan to the Glory of God and in thanks for our family, our church, and our country.

# THE WORSHIP OF GOD

3RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 3, 2011

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

## ENTRANCE

**PRELUDE** "Our God, Our Help in Ages Past" arr. Biery

**\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN #696** "America the Beautiful"

## GREETING AND PRAYER

**PSALTER LESSON** **PSALM 45:10-17**

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** **UMH 888**  
(*I CORINTHIANS 15:1-6 AND COLOSSIANS 1:15-20*)

This is the good news  
which we have received,  
in which we stand, and by which we are saved:

**Christ died for our sins,  
was buried, was raised on the third day,  
and appeared first to the women,  
then to Peter and the Twelve,  
and then to many faithful witnesses.**

**We believe Jesus is the Christ, the Anointed One of God,  
the firstborn of all creation, the firstborn from the dead,  
in whom all things hold together,  
in whom the fullness of God was pleased to dwell  
by the power of the Spirit.**

**Christ is the head of the body, the church,  
and by the blood of the cross  
reconciles all things to God. 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)

## PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

**CHILDREN'S TIME** JULIE LEWIS

**\*HYMN #437** "This is My Song"

## A TIME OF PRAISE, PRAYER, AND MEDITATION

### LORD'S PRAYER

**ANTHEM** "Jesus Loves Me" Bradbury

**\*GOSPEL LESSON** **MATTHEW 11:16-19, 25-30**

**SERMON** **WENDY CROWELL**

## THANKSGIVING

### OFFERTORY PRAYER

**OFFERTORY** "Oh Beautiful, for Spacious Skies" arr. Callahan

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

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

## SENDING FORTH

**\*CLOSING HYMN #697** "My Country, 'Tis of Thee"

### \*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING

**POSTLUDE** "Trumpet Tune" Kihlken

*Please be in prayer for our Mission Team in Belize from July 2-9.*

Team Members: Sharon Atkinson, Jacob Beltz, Judy Bentley, Andy Caudell, Chris Caudell, Michael Caudell, Patty Caudell, Lateef Daly, Joan Earl, Brooke Epps, Marvin Goodin, Pat Hennessey, Tom Hennessey, Dick Magruder, Juan Menjivar, John Pinson, Bill Phillips, Susan Phillips, Kip Putt, Larry Putt, Carol Sayers, Joe Sayers, Amy Sherman, Becky Sherman, Frank Spears, Genie Spears, Al Stocks, Gloria Stocks, Albert White, David White.

UMH is the United Methodist Hymnal

\* The congregation will please stand as you are able.

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 brochure and striped gift bag found in the Narthex.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Summer suppers are here! Sign up by emailing James Baughn at [jbaughn@aldersgateum.com](mailto:jbaughn@aldersgateum.com) or call the church office at 706.733.4416.*

### Camp "Shiver Me Timbers!"

**Wanted: Treasure Seekers**  
Embark on an adventure of high seas sailing and treasure hunting as we explore God's Word.  
Search for Clues ~ Hunt for Buried Treasure ~ Discover Hidden Secrets  
**July 11-14 (3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade) 9AM-2PM Cost: \$50.00**  
**July 18-20 (K5-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade) 9AM-2PM Cost \$30.00**

\* Campers bring their own lunches.

**Sign Up Now! Registration Forms in the Education Wing**



### Jr. High Mission Trip

"Missions in your Backyard" July 24-29  
This in-town "trip" will take place right here in Augusta. The Jr. High Youth will stay at the church and reach out to our local community. Registration forms are available in the church office. Cost is \$80. Forms and money due by July 11 to financial secretary box (Tina Lancaster). Contact Kevin Sessions, (706) 650-1672.



Our 50th Anniversary Cookbooks are now available for pre-order. Write "cookbooks" in the memo section of the check and put in the offering plate or turn in to the Church Office. All proceeds from the book sales will benefit our 50th Anniversary fund.