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September 30, 2018

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Kids

We love kids in worship! However, if you prefer, a nursery is available for infants to kids age four on the first floor of the A-building. Kids' Church is available for kindergarten through fifth graders. Kids should be checked in by 10:50am in Room A201. A greeter is happy to escort you there.

Restrooms

Exit a rear door of the worship space, take a left, and the restrooms are on the right near the end of hall.

WiFi (DFUMC-Guest)

Password: #lovedouglasville



GENEROSITY REPORT

Operating Giving.....\$20,604
Faith Promises Total....\$41,207
Capital Campaign.....\$516,824



THE JOURNEY DOUGLASVILLE FUMC



Finances

Luke 12:13-21; 22-34
2 Corinthians 9:6-15

Five horizontal lines for notes.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Nut Sale Underway | LIFE Circle is selling pecans, walnuts, almonds and cashews for delivery before Thanksgiving. Look for us in Huffine Hall during breakfast and in The Journey lobby before and after worship. Deadline to order is October 21. Proceeds fund our annual high school senior scholarship and other church missions.

Wednesday Nights | Dinner is served from 5:30-6:30pm in Huffine Hall. The cost is \$5 per person. October 3 featured entrée: Subway sandwiches. Kids and youth programming available from 6:30-8:00pm.

Christmas Pageant Rehearsals Begin, October 3 | Kids meet every Wednesday from 6:30pm to 8:00pm in A201. Our Christmas Pageant will be held on Sunday, December 9 at the 11:00 am Traditional service.

Boys & Girls Club Open House, October 11 | Jimmy Haddle and Brett DeHart invite you to see first-hand what the Boys & Girls Club is doing for kids in Douglas County at an Open House at the club from 11:30am-1:00pm. Lunch will be provided and you'll have the opportunity to tour the Club. RSVP to www.bgcma.org/douglasopenhouse.

Sunday School Teacher Training, October 16 | Choose one of the two options: Option #1– *Teaching The Adult Bible Study Series*. David Hall will teach you how to put a lesson together for those classes that use the Adult Bible Study Series. Option #2– *Engaging Sunday School Lessons – Myth or Reality?* Robin Payne will teach you how to prepare a lesson that is focused, engaging and FUN! Both options meet from 6:30-8:30pm. An RSVP is required either online at www.douglasvilleFUMC.org/SSteachertraining or with Robin Payne at RobinP@douglasvilleFUMC.org.

Join The Journey Team | Ushers, Hospitality, Media Tech, Sound, and Service Hosts are needed. Interested and want to know more? Contact Rev. Heather Jallad at HeatherJ@douglasvilleFUMC.org.

INVITATIONS

AN INVITATION TO FOLLOW JESUS

Jesus loves you and desires to be in relationship with you. Jesus offers you abundant life (peace, joy, meaning, purpose, love, fulfillment) now and forevermore.

AN INVITATION TO MEMBERSHIP

While membership is not required to worship or participate at Douglasville First UMC, membership is integral for the maturing believer. Along with devotion to Christ, the Christian life includes learning, living and growing together with other Christians as a part of the Body of Christ. To be a member is to be part of a living organism- a vital community animated by the Spirit to love and to serve.

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