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March 10, 2019



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

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**GENEROSITY REPORT**

3/3 Attendance.....361  
3/3 Operating.....\$23,915  
Faith Promises.....\$14,430



**Change Up  
Philippians 4:6-8 NLT**

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March 27 - Crafting, Loom Knitting, and More

April 3 - Seder meal with Disciple Class

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**United Methodist Women Birthday Celebration, March 18** | The UMW invites everyone to help us celebrate 150 years of mission and service at 6:30pm in Huffine Hall. Please bring a dish to share.

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## 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.

To discuss either invitation, please contact Rev. Heather Jallad via email at [HeatherJ@douglasvilleFUMC.org](mailto:HeatherJ@douglasvilleFUMC.org) or call 770-942-3146.

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