Bainbridge First This Week

MINISTRY UPDATES AND UPCOMING EVENTS







Bairbridge First Methodist Church

CHURCH APP





Prayer Requests

Carol Cochran Steve Parker Hank Metcalf Mandy Moye Edward Brown Calhoun Family Todd Martin Henry Metcalf

Prayer requests will be updated quarterly. To leave a name longer than that please resubmit.



Members Who Minister

SUNDAY, JULY 13, 2025

USHERS: John Bridges, Ed Begley, Charles Griffin and

Paul Digby

LITURGIST: Elizabeth Simmons

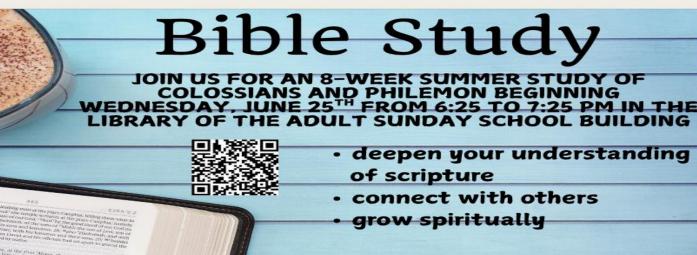
ACOLYTE: Adella Kirbo

GREETERS: Paxton & Stephanie Poitevint, and

Mycla Palmer

FLOWERS: Elizabeth Simmons

VIDEO: Matt Reynolds



Register with QR code or call the Church (229–246–1864), Kent Forrester (229–220–0019), or Stephen Mayfield (229–726–5239).

("Meet Me in the Bible" by Colleen D. Searcy, can be purchased on Amazon, but is not necessary for the study.)



noun

noun: disciple; plural noun: disciples



a personal follower of Jesus during his life, especially one of the twelve Apostles.

Similar: (

apostle

follower

a follower or student of a teacher, leader, or <u>philosopher</u>.

The word disciple is one of the most misunderstood words in the church. If you ask ten people what it means to be a disciple, you will more than likely get ten different answers. While all the answers may share some similarities, this often creates confusion. The unfortunate side of this confusion is that the church's mission is to make disciples. How can the church make disciples if we do not understand what it means to be a disciple?

Beginning in the fall, we will initiate the process of exploring what it means to be a disciple. As part of this process, we will be starting small groups on Wednesday evening, using the book "Practicing the Way" by John Mark Comer. In August, we will start a sermon series, "Covered in the Masters Dust." we will be discussing the discipleship process and our church. So I invite you to begin praying today for our church as we work to understand what it means to be a Disciple.

II YOUTH vited to join us this **Bainbridge First Methodist**



JULY 9-13- MISSION TRIP

July 15-Girl's Bible Study 9:30-11:30

July 16-Youth Meet and Eat, Chick-fil-A 6:30

July 20 Youth will share about Mission Trip in worship

July 23-Ladies Luncheon and Art for Youth Girls-Hosted by our Church Ladies at Marily Collins Home from 12:00 -2:00pm Sign up by July 20

JULY 27 - KAYAK ON KINCHAFOONEE CREEK

Check out our app for other meeting times throughout the summer.

SCAN THE QR CODE TO DOWNLOAD OUR APP TO REGISTER FOR ANY OF THESE EVENTS

For more information call Lisa at 246-1864 or email youth@bainbridgefirstmethodist.org



Generations of Grace Luncheon

TO GUIDETHE NEXT GENERATION WITH GRACE AND WISDOM

Luncheon hosted by the Ladies of the Church for the youth girls.

Wednesday, July 2-3 at the home of Marilyn Collins 1903 <u>Lake</u> Douglas Road 12:00-2:00pm

After Lunch Art with Mrs. Ginger

Contact Martha Hatcher for more information. Sign by July 21

SIGN UP ON OUR APP BAINBRIDGE FIRST METHODIST OR USE THE QR CODE





























good morning



Methodist Men's Breakfast 8 am on JULY 13, 2025

Flowers for the Altar

Please contact
Elizabeth Simmons or
the Church office
(246-1864) if you'd
like to place flowers
on the altar for the
month of July.

EVERTS 2025 SCHEDULE



SING AND SERVE 1:30-3:30 PM

Meet in the Circle Room. We'll go to Magnolia Place to sing VBS songs and do an activity.





MOVIE @ ZEBULON 9AM-12PM

Meet in the parking lot. Bring \$7 for your ticket and snack. Movie is Despicable Me.

We'll buy your ticket if you dress like a minion.





WET WEDNESDAY GAM_12PM

Water games + lunch.
Meet at the church. Bring a towel.

WED 23RD



MORE INFO:

ON THE CHURCH APP & WEBSITE

Attention Youth Grades 7-12th:

Join the Youth Leadership Team 2025-26

Application Deadline: July 28 Interviews: July 30

Applications available in the church office or see Mrs. Lisa for more details.

This is your chance to grow in faith, serve your community, and become a leader.

Don't miss it!

Children's Ministry

Sing & Serve Thursday, July 10th

1:30-3:30PM

Drop off and pick up at the church. Meet in the Circle Room. We're going to Magnolia Place to sing our VBS songs and do an activity with the residents.



Youth Mission Trip Commissioning

During morning worship on Sunday, July 6

Come be part of this special moment as we commission and encourage our youth to be the hands and feet of Jesus. We will surround them with prayer and ask the congregation to commit to praying for them and those they encounter throughout the mission trip.

Meet our team of youth.

ANNACLAIRE



and become closer to God to on the mission trip is I things, meet new people What I'm looking forward get to learn about new

VALLEY



and meet new people. I know others, grow closer to God I'm excited for this trip it's going to be a special because I get to help experience

RUTH



going to be awesome! make a difference. It's to lend a hand and really I'm so ready for the mission trip! I'm excited

JACOB



and simply feels good because I enjoy helping the example, represents Him positively important because it follows Jesus' community and it reminds me how I'm participating in the mission trip fortunate I am. Serving others is



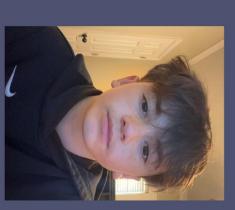
grow alongside everyone else. I believe this trip I've been anticipating. I'm looking forward to chance to make a real difference is something I'm really excited about the mission trip! The jumping in and helping out, hoping to learn and will be incredibly impactful."

MADDOX



themselves and possibly learn a few I'm looking forward to uniting with know them to help other people other churches and getting to that might not be able to help things while I'm there.

CULLEN



mission trip because I want to I am excited to go on the more about God to in general better and I want to learn learn how to work together