

This Week @ Georgetown First

Childcare is available in the nursery during both worship services and Sunday school.

Sunday, October 9

- Abraham Prayer Group, 7:30am (pr)
- Amen House Sandwich Making, 8-9:30am (k)
- Worship Service, 8:30 & 11am (s)
- Sunday School, 9:45am
- Children's Christmas Play Parent Meeting, 12pm (s)
- Children's Christmas Play Rehearsal, 12-2pm (fh/g, k, n)
- Youth Group, 6-8pm (fh/g, k, y)

Monday, October 10

- Girl Scouts, 5pm (5)
- Handbells, 6-7pm (cr)

Tuesday, October 11

Deadline for bulletin, 12noon

- Men's Breakfast, 7am, (Cracker Barrel)
- Amen House Sandwich Making, 1-2:30pm (k)
- Cross Walkers, 2:30-3:30pm (fh/g)
- Boy Scouts, 7pm (fh/g)
- Wesley Warriors, 7pm (105)

Wednesday, October 12

- Second Breakfast Study, 10:30am (105)
- Fellowship Meal, 5:30pm (fh/g)
- Growth Groups/Kids Club, 6:30pm
- Chancel Choir, 7:30-9pm (cr, s)

Thursday, October 13

- Cross Walkers, 2:30-3:30pm (fh/g)
- Preschool Training, 4:30pm (crA/B)
- Elkhorn District Round Table, 5:30pm (fh/g, pv)

Sunday, October 16

- Abraham Prayer Group, 7:30am (pr)
- Amen House Sandwich Making, 8-9:30am (k)
- Worship Service, 8:30 & 11am (s)
- Sunday School, 9:45am
- Children's Christmas Play Rehearsal, 12-2pm (fh/g, k, n)
- Bible Journaling, 2-4pm (105)
- Youth Group, 6-8pm (fh/g, k, y)

Room location codes: café (cf), choir room (cr), room (rm), community room (crA or crB), conference room (c), fellowship hall/gym (fh/g), gathering space (gs), kitchen (k), narthex (n), pavilion (pv), playground (pg), prayer room (pr), sanctuary (s), Senior Pastor's office (sp), Van (v), Wesley (w), Youth Loft (y).



Monday - Thursday 9-4
(Closed noon to 1pm for lunch)

Church Staff Directory and Email

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Karen Howard, Libby Zaheri and Lisa Wray, Three-Year-Olds Teachers
Jamie Curtis, Jessica Penn, Kandi Young, Kelli Schureman and Trista James, Four-Year-Olds Pre-Kindergarten Teachers
Abby Gray, Amy Ruber, Judy Hambrick and Kristie Anderson, Teacher Assistants
Melissa Askew, Music Teacher
Jennifer Anderson, Yogalove Instructor

Stewardship Report

Income through August \$521,701
 Expenses through August \$576,047

TITHES & OFFERINGS	Budget	Actual	DIFFERENCE
October to Date	\$ 16,437	\$ 16,739	\$ 302
Year to Date	\$ 656,380	\$ 507,731	\$ (148,649)

Special designated gifts/other income for 10/2 /2022

Sunday School Offerings	30
Backpack Ministry (15); Donuts (36)	51
Other Income-Refund	135
Trick Or Trunk Donations	20
For Use Of Facilities	20
Wednesday Night Meals	286
Community Care Communion Fund	390
UMCOR	340
Capital Improvements	20
Weekly Total	1,292
Year to Date	58,668

Did you know you can give online to Georgetown First?

Connect here at this secure link to give: <https://goo.gl/pWBTos>



**Order of Worship
18th Sunday after Pentecost + October 9, 2022**

*"Faith shows the reality of what we hope for; it is the evidence of things we cannot see. Through their faith, the people in days of old earned a good reputation."
—Hebrews 11:1-2 (NLT)*

Welcome, Announcements and Prayer		Marcus Price II
Prelude	"You Raise Me Up"	Dr. Rachel Taylor
Hymn	"Great is Thy Faithfulness"	140
Children Dismissed to Kid's Own Worship		(11:00)
Act of Praise	Psalm 25	Kathleen Halpin
Song	"Gloria Patri"	
Song	"I Will Follow"	Mike Tevis
Morning Prayer		Kathleen Halpin
The Offering		
Offertory	"This is My Father's World"	Dr. Rachel Taylor (8:30)
	"There is Grace"	Chancel Choir (11:00)
Doxology	"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"	95
Scripture	Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-12	
Sermon	"By Faith"	Tom Eblen
Hymn	"He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought"	128
Benediction		Marcus Price II
Postlude		Dr. Rachel Taylor

Georgetown First United Methodist Church

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Welcome!

We thank God for your presence here today and **request that you register attendance for all in your family** so that we might get better acquainted and pray for you (please print).

October 9, 2022

Name(s)

First time guest

Second time guest

Member/Regular Attenders

Address or change of address:

Email:

Telephone:

Please tear off & leave in the offering plate.

October 9, 2022

Celebrating Pastor Phil's Birthday

Pastor Phil's birthday is **October 21**. Since we cannot celebrate in person, we would like to encourage all to send him birthday wishes. You can bring them to the office or mail to **401 Seminole Trail, Georgetown KY 40324**.

Join us for Wednesday Night Activities

On the menu this Wednesday at **5:30pm**, we will be taking a trip to Mexico with chicken enchiladas and Spanish rice. The cost is **\$4** for adults and youth. **\$2** for children. **Family maximum is \$14**. **Growth Groups** for all ages (including children & youth) start at **6:30pm**. **Chancel Choir** rehearses at **7:30pm**.

Unexpected Blessings Adoption & Foundation

Please join Unexpected Blessings on **Friday, October 14th**, at **6pm** at **Cardome Chapel Hall** for an 80's themed Murder Mystery Dinner Fundraiser to launch their new non-profit arm, Unexpected Blessings Foundation. The Foundation is exclusively designed to provide support and resources to birth mothers during their pregnancy crisis and throughout their adoption journey. Please contact **Caitlin Tudor** at **502-370-5055** with questions or for registration information or rsvp at <http://evite.me/E7z8bw4U4n>.

Scout Sunday is October 16

All you old Scouters, we will be celebrating **Scout Sunday on October 16**. If you have any scouting memorabilia that you would like to share with the congregation, we will have tables set up in the narthex for you to display your items. Our Boy and Girl Scout troops will be helping with worship.

Bible Journaling Meets Sunday, October 16

Join us for Bible Journaling **Sunday, October 16**, at **2pm** in **Room 105**. We will be discussing **Eunice**, Timothy's mother. She is considered a model of motherhood and the importance of teaching children about God early in their lives. When Timothy was young, her faithfulness to train a child in the way he should go created the strong beginnings that later led him to be chosen by the apostle Paul to help preach the gospel. No bible journaling experience is needed. New journalists are welcome to join us for fellowship and fun!

Widow's Connection meets October 21

All widows are welcome for fellowship, fun, and devotions. We will meet on **Friday, October 21**, in **Room 105** at **11:30am** for a potluck lunch. More information to follow. Please call **Lois Mulcahy, 859-576-1114**, to let us know if you are coming. We look forward to seeing you!

All Saints Sunday is November 6

Our congregation will observe All Saints' Sunday on **November 6th** in the morning worship services. We will honor the memory of loved ones and parishioners who have passed away during the past years (2020-22). We would like to honor your loved one in a slide show. Please send one photo with the name of the relative, relationship to you, birth year and year of death. Pictures and information can be submitted to **office@georgetownfirst.com**. The deadline for submission is **11/2/2022**.

Stock the Youth Pantry

There is a basket in the **narthex** to help 'Stock the Youth Pantry' for the upcoming school year. If you feel so led, please bring in bottled water, cans of soda, Capri Sun type drinks, non-perishable snacks and paper products. Other little things such as decorative journals or pens/pencils that the youth can use during bible study would be greatly appreciated.

Trunk or Treat is Sunday, October 30

Join us on **Sunday, October 30** for Truck or Treat from **4:30 to 6pm!** Dress up and bring your family and friends to trick or treat in the **front church parking lot**. There will be lots of games for the children and food for all! Here are three ways to volunteer:

- * Bring your car, decorate your trunk and pass out candy. Please sign up on the sheet in the **Narthex**. We welcome 'group' trunks, so if your small group or families would like to partner up, come on out for the fun.
- * Donate candy! Donated candy can be left in the designated box by the Church Office in the **Narthex**. Donated candy will be given to trunk participants for distribution.
- * Volunteer for setup and cleanup.

It All Happened in the Country - Rehearsals Start TODAY

Our first rehearsal for the Children's Christmas Play is **Today** following the **11am** service until **1:30pm**. **Parents please meet in the sanctuary for a short meeting** while the kids are provided lunch. **Children (as young as 5), youth and beyond** are invited to participate. We look forward to seeing you and your child as we prepare for a fun and meaningful performance that will kick off Advent and Christmas. To sign up for communications concerning the play, go to <https://www.remind.com/join/ak89828>.

Our performance will be **Sunday, December 4** during both the **8:30** and **11am** services.

Yard Sale to Benefit Preschool Scholarships

Mark your calendars and start cleaning out the clutter! The yard sale will be **Friday, November 4** and **Saturday, November 5**. We will have a **pre-sale on Thursday from 3-7pm** for church members and preschool families. Items can be placed in the **hallway adjacent to the kitchen/fellowship hall** beginning **Sunday, October 23**. Stop by or call the **church office (502-863-0173)** to sign up to work setting up items for the sale on **November 3** and **November 4** or to work during the sale on **November 4** and **5**.

Mountain Mission Truck

As you are cleaning out your clutter, keep in mind the tentative date for the Mountain Mission Truck is **November 8**. Drop off will be **Sunday, November 6** and **Monday, November 7**.

Youth and Student Ministries Activities

(All students in grades 6-12 are welcome.)

Sunday School 9:45am; Youth Group 6pm

To sign up for youth group text—text the message: **@gfumcyouth** to the number **81010**. This should automatically enroll you into our group.

Children's Ministries

Sunday School - Children 3 years - 5th grade meet from **9:45-10:45** in the following rooms: **Pre-K - 1st grade in Room 104** and **2nd - 5th in Room 106**.

Kids Own Worship is an interactive time of praise and worship, with a group lead lesson and then hands on activities for **ages 3 through 5th grade** during the **11:00** service. Children can be picked up immediately after the service in the gym.

Sermon Notes

Scripture: Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-12

Message: "By Faith"

Preacher: Tom Eblen

Prayer Request/Praise Report

Please remember the following concern/praise in prayer this week (**please print**):

Name of person making request:

I would like for this request to remain confidential. Please do not publish on any prayer list such as Care Mail or placed in the prayer room.

You may also email requests to the Abraham Intercessory Group at: **GFUMC.prayer.group@gmail.com**.

Care Mail Request

Please add my email address to the church e-newsletter of celebrations, announcements and prayer needs. **Print** email address below:

Opportunities to Serve

I would like more information about the following volunteer opportunities:

Name, phone number and email:

If you would like a visit from one of our pastors, please check below and someone will call to arrange for an appointment.

Pastoral visit requested

Internet access at church

Network: **fumc**. Password: **ourguest**. **Please silence all devices during worship. If you must answer your phone, please leave the sanctuary.**

We're on Facebook

Georgetown First can be found on **Facebook**, where we livestream at **11am on Sunday**, and make posts including announcements, photos, reminders and devotional thoughts.

Check us out on the internet at www.georgetownfirst.com or on YouTube

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUuS2qpUQv4TmS1a9jYDDag>

Attendance for 10/2/22

Sunday School 49

Sunday Worship Services 207