


Welcome to the Senoia UMC 2018 Homecoming. If you are a guest with us today please complete the Connection Card included in your bulletin and place it in the offering plate. A nursery for children birth to under 4 years old is available. Please see an usher for assistance.

 **Assisted Listening Devices:** There are assisted listening devices available for use during worship. Please see an usher if you would like the use of one of these devices.

Blood Drive: Come give the gift of life tomorrow, Monday, May 7th from 1-6pm in the Fellowship Hall.

Alabama Mission Trip: You are invited to join group going on the mission trip to Alabama to work in the UMCOR (United Methodist Committee on Relief) Warehouse June 24-28. For more information about the mission trip please contact Linda D'Allen at acedallen@bellsouth.net or call 770-599-3055.

Vacation Bible School is June 18-21. Sign up for VBS, Rolling River Rampage, is available now at www.senoiaumc.org. We also need volunteers. Sign up sheets are at the Welcome Center & Narthex. You can make a difference in a child's life!

Holy Strollers: Join in any Monday, Wednesday, Friday at 9:30 in the parking lot for a stroll around Senoia. Enjoy fresh air and fellowship!

Ladies Eat Out: On Thursday, May 17 at 11:30, we will meet at Palmer's Restaurant in Peachtree City.

Office Hours: On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, May 15, 16, 17, 22, 23, 24, the office will be open from 9am to noon only.

HVAC Capital Campaign

The Trustees have kicked off a major capital fund raising effort to replace the aging heating and air conditioning units in the Fellowship Hall with the goal of \$30,000. This HVAC system was installed in 1979 when the Fellowship Hall was built. We have made many repairs to keep it going but now we are on borrowed time.

To date we have donations totaling \$5,700! This is a challenging pledge campaign, but we can meet this goal with everyone's support. Please use the special HVAC Fund envelopes or mark HVAC Fund on your gift.

If you have any questions please contact any Trustee. Thank you! Sharon Boyer, Trustee Chair

OUR ATTENDANCE STEWARDSHIP

HOLY WEEK	4/8	4/15	4/22	4/29
322	104	119	141	117

ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday	9:30am Holy Strollers
	1:00pm Blood Drive
	6:45pm Boy Scouts
Tuesday	6:00pm Mission Team Meeting
Wednesday	9:30am Holy Strollers
	6:00pm Wednesday Night Supper
	6:30pm Cantaré Practice
	7:00pm Chancel Choir Practice
	7:00pm Water Bottle Labeling
	7:00pm Giving & Gratitude Connection
Thursday	1:30pm Spirit Journey Connection
	7:00pm AA
Friday	9:30am Holy Strollers
Saturday	12:15pm Youth Field Trip

Wednesday Night Supper - May 9:

Team 2 Menu: Fried Chicken, Green Peas, Corn Casserole, Cole Slaw, Dessert
 Children 5-12: \$3 Children under 5: Free
 All Others: \$7

You will need to make a reservation, as we do have to purchase your meal in advance.

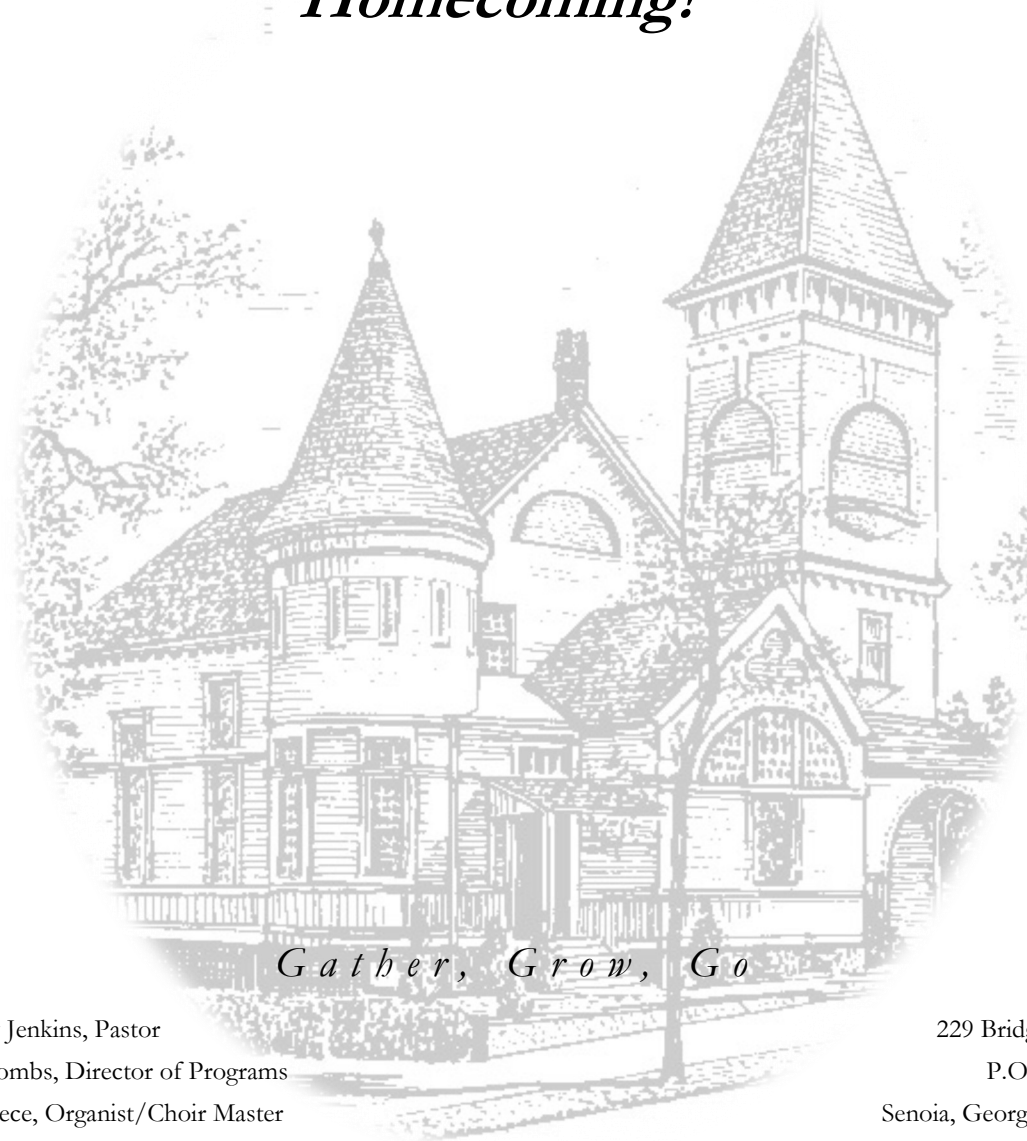
Please use the Connection Card or let the office know by phone or email before 10am, Tuesday, May 8.

Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped with today's Homecoming preparations!

Senoia United Methodist Church

May 6, 2018

Homecoming!



Rev. Ashley Jenkins, Pastor

Ms. Barb Combs, Director of Programs

Mr. Jim Preece, Organist/Choir Master

Ms. Lee Berry, Administrative Assistant

Mrs. Bereatha Brooks, Nursery Coordinator

Mrs. Polly Watson, Housekeeping

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WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

The Words of Welcome Rev. Ashley Jenkins, Pastor

HVAC Update Leigh Morgan

The Chiming of the Hour Jim Preece, Organist/Choirmaster

*At the sound of the chimes, please prepare
Your hearts and minds for worship.*

The Lighting of the Candles The Organ Voluntary

The Choral Introit Father, We Have Heard You Calling - *Hyfrydol* The Chancel Choir

*Father, we have heard you calling to your church in every age;
for a sign of true devotion for a sacrifice of praise.*

*In this place where you have brought us, may we always seek to be one in love and
one in worship children of eternity.*

*The Call to Worship

The Lord be with you.

And also with you.

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.

**It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it
keeps no record of wrongs.**

Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth.

It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

Love never fails. Amen.

*The Hymn *God Is Here* UMH 660

*The Affirmation of Faith *The Apostles' Creed* UMH 881

*The Gloria Patri *Glory Be to the Father* UMH 71

*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.*

The Children's Sermon Karen Cotton-Everett

The Organ Interlude Mr. Preece

The Choral Meditation *And Are We Yet Alive - Dennis* The Chancel Choir

And are we yet alive, and see each other's face? Glory and thanks to Jesus give for his almighty grace!

Preserved by power divine to full salvation here, again in Jesus' praise we join, and in his sight appear.

The Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer Rev. Jenkins

*Congregational Response TFWS 2205

Lord, may our prayer rise like incense in your sight,
May this place be filled with the fragrance of Christ. Amen.

*The Hymn *Amazing Grace* UMH 378

The Worship with Tithes and Offerings The People

*The Presentation and Doxology UMH 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.*

The Anthem The Chancel Choir++

The Church's One Foundation - Dan Forrest, 2017

WE GROW THROUGH THE SPOKEN WORD

The Scripture *1 Corinthians 12* Ann Littell, Reader

The Sermons *Faith* Cheryl Crook Thompson

Hope Tray Baggarly

Love Karen Cotton-Everett

*The Hymn *In Unity We Lift Our Song* TFWS 2221

WE GO TO SERVE

*The Benediction

*The Responsive Affirmation Number 690, v. 1

All singing: *The morning thou gavest, Lord, is ended;*

The darkness falls at thy behest;

To thee our morning hymns ascended;

Thy praise shall hallow now our rest. Amen.

The Organ Postlude Reflections on this morning's worship

*Those who are able please stand.

United Methodist Hymnal (UMH)

++ It is requested that the congregation respectfully refrain from applause

The Faith We Sing (TFWS)