

PLEASE REGISTER YOUR ATTENDANCE IN THE BLACK FOLDERS

8:15 & 11:00 AM Traditional Services

PRELUDE John Ford

WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Michael Ramsey

CALL TO WORSHIP (Choir 8:15 & 11:00)

*OPENING HYMN # 254 *"The First Noel"*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH # 881 *"The Apostles' Creed"*
I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.
 [*refers to the universal church]

*GLORIA PATRI (Response to God)
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.

OFFERTORY (Choir 8:15 & 11:00)

*DOXOLOGY # 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.

*SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 2:1-12 Pg. 956
 Speaker: The word of God for the people of God.
People: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE "Born King of the Jews" Rev. Michael Ramsey

COMMUNION "A SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE II" Pg. 12

*CLOSING HYMN # 254 *"We Three Kings"*

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE John Ford

* The Congregation is invited to stand if able.

9:45 AM ALIVE Contemporary Service

PRAISE SONG Praise Band

WELCOME

OPENING PRAYER

SONGS OF PRAISE Praise Band

CONNECTION TIME & ANNOUNCEMENTS (Greet those around you)

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COMMUNION

CLOSING SONG Praise Band

BENEDICTION

PRAYER REQUESTS

Shut-Ins of GUMC;
 Phyllis Greear would like to thank everyone for your prayers and cards, This has meant so much to her. She is still limited in what she can do and hopes to be home @ the 1st of February;
 Many others in our church and community who need lifting up.

Family List: Jim & Connie Daniels, Rodney & Cindy Daniels, Stephen & JoAnn Davidson, Scott & Melissa Davis, Louis & Helen Dumas, Cynthia Dunlap, Kevin & Mandy Dunlap, Tim & Valerie Dunsford, Jerod & Monika Durbin, Adam & Ruth Dymecki, Lamond Edgecumbe, Frank & Pat Emond, Forrest & Anne Fillingim, Hosea Fitch, Alan Fitzgerald, Clayton & Jeanette Flaming, Cleveland & Roberta Fleming, John & Anita Ford.
 Prayer Requests or Praise Reports: talk@gumc.gccoxmail.com

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All **Wednesday evening activities** will resume this week. Be sure to sign up for the Wednesday Meal!

Three **Wednesday evening studies** will be starting January 7th:
"The World Shattering Ministry of Jesus" led by Anita Ford,
"A Work in Progress - How Jesus Taught Us To Live" led by Dean Allerheiligen,
"That the World May Know" led by John Robinson.
 Sign up sheets are available in the Narthex or contact the church office.

On Friday, January 9th, the youth will be having a **Rock-A-Thon** to raise money for their Meltdown trip at the end of January. The Rock-A-Thon will be from 8:00 pm to 8:00 am, if you would like to come join us for the night or just for a little while. Our youth will be asking for sponsors on Wednesday nights and Sunday mornings during fellowship time. You can sponsor them per hour, or for the whole night. Please contact Kevin Jackson or Sherri Pitts if you would like to sponsor someone or would like to join in the fun!

Dear GUMC Family, I am so excited for 2015 to begin! Our church has overcome quite a bit in 2014 from employee retirements to our financial and architectural woes. But these are opportunities the Lord has blessed us with to not only strengthen our church family, but more importantly to remind us that He is in control, and that if we pray to Him and trust Him, God will bring us through any storm. And He has. We still have a ways to go in our growth, but I believe we are on the path God intends for us to follow. As chairperson for the Church Council, I invite all who want to attend and/or bring issues, missions, and ideas to the table. While only those on the Council may vote during the meeting, the entire Church is welcomed and encouraged to attend. Our first meeting will be Tuesday, January 20th at 6:30 pm in the CLC gym. All new ministry heads are required to attend and/or submit an update on their committee/position each month prior to the meeting. If you are unable to attend, please ask another person in your group to represent you at the Church Council meeting. This ensures that we are all up to date and can lend assistance where needed. We will be focusing on our annual event calendar in the first meeting and would love to have a good overview of the coming year. Lastly, I would like to thank Mr. Dave Cook for leading our Church Council over the past two years. He has done a wonderful job keeping us on track and helping us work through some difficult issues while keeping a calm demeanor through it all. God knew just who we needed to lead us through this season. Thank you Mr. Cook for your service and dedication! I look forward to seeing what God has planned for our Church this year and how we can further grow His kingdom! I know you do as well. Happy New Year! In Christ's love, Melissa Williams
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Beginning January 1, 2015 the following people are on the **Staff Parish Relations Committee**: Chair: Joe Vanderburg 850-854-9695 back9joe@gmail.com
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Please address any ideas or concerns that you may have with them. Even though I am not on this Committee any longer, effective January 1, my thoughts and prayers will always be with them. Please know that they will always listen to you and try to find the best solutions because we have the ONE to serve that depends on us to give our best! Best wishes for the New Year and God bless you! Sharon Collins, Chair/SPRC

There is a RESTROOM located in the Church Office (across from the Sanctuary and in the CLC—Gym.

A Nursery is available for all three Sunday services at 8:15, 9:45, and 11:00 AM for children from Birth-Three and on Wednesday nights from 6:00-7:30 PM.

Email or phone bulletin announcements to office by NOON each Wednesday.

ATTENDANCE	8:15	9:45	11:00	Total
Dec. 28, 2014	64	42	32	138
2014 Average	63	55	45	163
A Year Ago	62	53	34	149
GIVING	Dec. 28, 2014	Year To Date	YTD Budgeted Needs	YTD +/- Needs
Total Giving	\$4,475.91	292,277.71	315,000	(\$22,722.29)



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USHERS		FLOWERS	
8:15 AM	11:00 AM		
1/4 Jack Livingston Heath Stuckey	Jess Milstid Tom McRae	1/4	Communion
1/11 William Boyd Margie Marti	Keith Gwaltney Alan Fitzgerald	1/11	Open
1/18 Thomas Brown Randy Brasch	Jess Milstid Tom McRae	1/18	Open

Please contact the Church Office to schedule Altar Flowers.

CHILDREN'S CHURCH		ACOLYTES	
8:15 AM	11:00 AM	8:15 AM	11:00 AM
1/4 Communion		1/4 Blake Godwin	Natali Holt
1/11 Teresa Lott	Pam Kingry	1/11 Josh Nagle	Bryant Walsh
1/18 Margie Martin	Melissa Williams	1/18 Eli Pitts	Taylor Williams

MINISTRY STAFF

Senior Pastor	Rev. Michael Ramsey
Child Enrichment Center Director	Tammy Hicks
Minister of Music	Richard Jernigan
Pianist	John Ford
Church Office Administrator	Brian Childress
Day Custodian	Ed Beasley, Sr.
Night Custodian	Karen Straughn
Youth Leader	Kevin Jackson

EMAIL ADDRESSES

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TELEPHONE NUMBERS

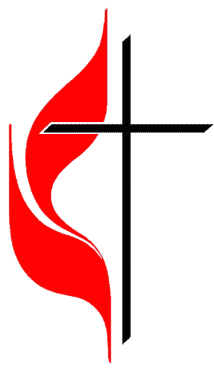
Church Office	968-6006
Church Fax	968-5971
Pastor's Cell	1-251-979-1522
Pastor's Home	1-251-621-2231
Child Enrichment Center	968-6245
Church Kitchen	968-3547

WEB SITE

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Opportunities Coming Up At GUMC

THIS WEEK	LOOKING AHEAD
<p align="center">Sunday, January 4th</p> <p>8:15 AM Traditional Service 8:15 AM Children's Church 9:15 AM Fellowship CLC 9:45 AM Contemporary Service CLC 9:45 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Traditional Service 11:00 AM Children's Church 4:00 PM Venture / Scouts 5:00 PM Youth</p> <p align="center">Monday, January 5th</p> <p>6:00 PM RISK Group Rm. 106</p> <p align="center">Tuesday, January 6th</p> <p>6:00 PM Five Flags Dogs CLC 6:00 PM Wolf</p> <p align="center">Wednesday, January 7th</p> <p>5:30 PM Dinner CLC 6:00 PM Kid's Chorus Stage 6:15 PM Adult, Children, Youth Activities CLC 7:30 PM Choir Practice Sanctuary</p> <p align="center">Thursday, January 8th</p> <p>6:00 PM Super Sonic Dogs CLC 6:00 PM Troop PLC Mtg. Rm. 111 6:30 PM Scout Cmte. Mtg. Rm. 106</p> <p align="center">Friday, January 9th</p> <p>8:00 PM Rock-A-Thon CLC</p> <p align="center">Saturday, January 10th</p> <p>8:00 AM Church Work Day</p> <p align="center">WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER MENU January 7th Meatloaf, Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad, Roll, Dessert.</p> <p>Cost for Adult Meals is \$6 each, Children 10 and under is \$4. Please register for meals by emailing or calling church office by Noon Monday, or on the Registration Pad Sunday mornings.</p> 	<p align="center">Sunday, January 11th</p> <p>6:45 AM UMM Breakfast CLC 8:15 AM Traditional Service 8:15 AM Children's Church 9:15 AM Fellowship CLC 9:45 AM Contemporary Service CLC 9:45 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Traditional Service 11:00 AM Children's Church 4:00 PM Venture / Scouts 5:00 PM Youth</p> <p align="center">Monday, January 12th</p> <p>6:00 PM RISK Group Rm. 106 6:00 PM Brownies CLC</p> <p align="center">Tuesday, January 13th</p> <p>11:00 AM Community Friendship Club CLC 6:00 PM Five Flags Dogs CLC 6:00 PM Wolf 6:30 PM Trustee Mtg. Rm. 106</p> <p align="center">Wednesday, January 14th</p> <p>5:30 PM Dinner CLC 6:00 PM Kid's Chorus Stage 6:15 PM Adult, Children, Youth Activities CLC 7:30 PM Choir Practice Sanctuary</p> <p align="center">Thursday, January 15th</p> <p>6:00 PM Super Sonic Dogs CLC</p> <p align="center">Sunday, January 18th</p> <p>8:15 AM Traditional Service 8:15 AM Children's Church 9:15 AM Fellowship CLC 9:45 AM Contemporary Service CLC 9:45 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Traditional Service 11:00 AM Children's Church 4:00 PM Venture / Scouts 5:00 PM Youth</p> <p align="center">Monday, January 19th</p> <p>6:00 PM RISK Group Rm. 106 6:00 PM Brownies CLC 6:30 PM Finance Mtg. Rm. 115</p> <p align="center">Tuesday, January 20th</p> <p>11:00 AM Community Friendship Club CLC 6:00 PM Wolf 6:30 PM Council Mtg. CLC</p>



Gonzalez United Methodist Church

Sunday, January 4, 2015



The Sacrament of HOLY COMMUNION

**Sunday Services:
Traditional Worship in Sanctuary
8:15 and 11:00 AM**

**ALIVE Contemporary Worship
In Community Life Center
9:45 AM**

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