

# Wesley Way Window

“Working as God’s living water, winning a world for Jesus Christ”

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Church hours are Monday thru Thursday 8:00am to 4:00pm. If you need to get in touch with the pastor, Rev. Greg Meadows after hours or on the weekend call 770-851-8305 or e-mail greg@wesleyway.org.



## Congratulations to Our 2010 High School Graduating Seniors



*Katherine Abrams*

Will graduate from Ola High School on Friday, May 28. Katherine played soccer with the Griffin Excel Soccer and Ola High School Varsity Soccer (4 year Letterman). She was a member of Ola’s Environmental Team, BETA Club, French Club Vice President, Women’s Treble Choir (3 years)

and Concert Choir (4 years). She was on the Wesley Way Youth Leadership Team and served in the Acolyte/Crucifer Ministry since inception (8 years). Her awards and honors include A/B Honor Roll and Varsity Soccer Academic Award. She will attend Reinhardt College where she received an Academic Award and has been awarded a Music Scholarship. She will be a member of the Reinhardt Concert choir and plans to change the World.



*Matt Clemens*

Will graduate with honors from Union Grove High School on Friday, May 28th. This fall he will be attending Furman University in Greenville, South Carolina on a full Army ROTC scholarship. While in high school Matt was selected for Youth Leadership Henry as a sophomore and was active in Skills USA. He was also a member

of the Freshmen, Junior Varsity, and Varsity football teams at Union Grove.



*Matthew Ellis*

Will graduate from Union Grove on May 28. Matthew has played football, wrestled and ran track. He has been taking Architectural Drawing and Design for four years. He also has a job

doing CAD (Computer Aided Design) with teacher recommendation. He will be attending Southern Polytechnic University to study Architecture.



*Jamie Forster*

Will graduate from Union Grove High School on Friday, May 28th. Jamie was a member of the Youth Leadership Team, Youth Praise Band, Sweet Sunday

Praise Band and a volunteer at Trinity Soup Kitchen. Jamie will be working this summer and plans to enter college in January.



*Doug Hotch*

Will graduate from Eagles Landing Christian Academy on Sunday, May 16. Doug lettered in football, was a member of the

Student Leadership Team for two years, and a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes for 4 years. He plans to attend Gordon College at Barnesville for two years and then transfer to the University of Georgia. He is undecided about a major.



*Ashley Thompson*

Will graduate from Ola High School on Friday, May 28. Ashley was on the Youth Leadership Team for 6 years, BETA Club for 4 years (president for 2 years), Mock Trial Team for 4 years (Attorney for 4

years), Freshman of the Year 2007, Governor’s Honor Program Finalist (Social Studies) 2009, National Honor Society for 3 years (Chaplain 1 year). Ashley will attend UGA in the fall Majoring in Pre-Law. Scholarships include: HOPE, Snapping Shoals Washington Youth Tour Scholarship, BETA Club Scholarship.



*Jessica Graf*

Will graduate from Union Grove High School on Friday, May 28, 2010. Jessica was a Wrestling Manager 8th - 12th grades, was part of FCCLA 8th - 12th grades, was part of Methodist Youth Groups 6th - 12th

grades. Jessica was on the Technical Honor Society and the UGHS Honor Roll in 12th grade. Participated in the North Georgia Youth Music & Arts Camp 6th - 12th grades and was President 2009 /2010. Jessica will attend Georgia Southern University in Statesboro, GA majoring in Sports Medicine.



*Cole Hammonds*

Will graduate from Ola High School on Friday, May 28th. Cole will attend Troy University in Troy, AL in the fall. His major will be secondary

education (history) with a minor in music performance. He has been awarded the Troy University’s Trojan Opportunity Scholarship and Band Scholarship. Cole is also an Eagle Scout.



### Vacation Bible School

Galactic Blast – A Cosmic Adventure Praising God!

Dates: June 7th – 10th,

Time: 9am until 12noon.

Spread the word! All children are welcome! Many volunteers will be needed. Please consider giving your time for the children this week. Please check out the VBS bulletin

board across from the Nursery! A big thank you to Amanda Anderson!

### Children Ringing and Singing

The Little Children's Bell Choir will be ringing on Mother's Day May 9th and The Children's Choir will be singing on Sunday May. 16th. I know we will be richly blessed!

### They Deserve a Break

Our Sunday School teachers give so much to our children and adults! We are certainly blessed to have each one of them. It may seem a little early, but I would ask that you prayerfully consider being a "summer substitute," for one of our children or adult Sunday School classes. If you are able to volunteer for a Sunday or two, or a month, so these teachers can take a well deserved break, please let me know the dates you are available. Sunday school is from 9:30am – 10:20am. Lesson plans and supplies are provided.

As always, please contact me with any questions or suggestions.

Cindy Bednarz – Director of Christian Education

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The United Methodist Men want to personally invite all men 16 years and older to share in Christian fellowship and community outreach. Check the upcoming schedule and see when and where you can join us. We have some

great projects planned for the summer. Hope to see you there.

### UMM Schedule

**Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup>** – UMM Monthly meeting, skeet shoot and barbeque. Griffin Gun Club at 3:00pm.

**Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup> thru Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2010** – UMM annual deep sea fishing trip in Destin, FL. For more information or to make your reservation contact Chris Anderson or Kim Alley. Reservations need to be made by May 1st.

For more information about UMM or upcoming events please contact Chris Anderson at 678-898-9518.



### Cathy Kasych

I walked into the church office this afternoon, I had an appointment scheduled to meet with Cathy, and was greeted with a smile and a "Thank Goodness you are here. The copy machine broke down this morning and I need some help with this Sunday's bulletins!" If you have had much of an opportunity to spend time with our Office Manager Cathy Kasych you will already have a smile on your face. Cathy is a super organized and energized person who is exceptional at delegating. While we were folding and stuffing this week's bulletins she also demonstrated another trait that I am sure you will recognize. Thoughtfulness, my birthday is next week and she came into the workroom and gave me a cupcake to celebrate just because she had remembered!

Born and raised in Cleveland Ohio, Cathy married her high school sweetheart Ron and they have two married daughters. Christine Harris, her oldest, is married to Tony and Kelly Rowell, youngest, is married to Matt. Cathy and Ron have been attending Eagle's Landing First Baptist and although they have only been there a short time she has taken to participating in the Women's Bible Study and the Children's Activities. Cathy told me her favorite ministries that she has participated in the past have involved "Joni and Friends" a camp for the disabled and Operation Homes where she served as a site coordinator through her church to provide food, shelter and fellowship for the homeless in her community.

# Wesley Ramblers

Wesley Way Ramblers is a group of older members and visitors meeting together for Christian fellowship, food and fun. We meet at various times depending on our plans for the day, it may be the IMAX, some gardens, the rodeo or just to a new place to eat. Whatever we are doing you are welcome to join us. Watch the bulletins for the latest happenings. For more information on any of our dates contact Betty Brown at 770-914-6702.

**Tuesday, May 11** – Meet at the church 9:00am for an Outing to Downtown Atlanta

**Thursday, May 20** – Meet at the church at 6:00pm, we will go out to dinner

**Friday, May 28** – Game night at the Brecks at 6:30pm

Our May hosts are The Breck's, please RSVP to them at 678-432-4549.

**Tuesday, June 1** – Meet at the church 8:30am and go to Hills and Dales home and gardens in LaGrange \$15.00 plus lunch.

**Thursday, June 17** – Meet at the church at 6:00pm, we will go out to dinner

**Friday, June 25** – Game night at the Breckenridge's at 6:30pm

Our June hosts are The Breck's, please RSVP's to them at 678-957-6857.



## New Class to Get You on Your Way to Financial Peace!

Have you ever wondered where your money goes? Come learn how to better manage your money and your life. Our church is hosting Dave Ramsey's Financial Peace class to teach God's way of handling money. The class is Dave teaching on video followed by small-group discussion.

These principles apply to everyone—whether you're financially secure or are struggling with debt. The class will show you how to really live like never before with lessons on saving, debt elimination, investing and real estate to name a few. Over a million families have changed their family trees through Financial Peace, and we want to give you the opportunity to do the same.

### Class Details

Free Preview: We have two dates: Thursday, May 13 at 6:30 or Sunday May 16 from 9:30-10:15 during the Sunday School hour, or you can even watch it online: <http://www.vimeo.com/9055938>

Class Start: Thursday, May 20 at 6:30

Registration Deadline: Thursday, May 20

For more information,

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Pam Buckner [pbuck123@bellsouth.net](mailto:pbuck123@bellsouth.net) 678/565-4151

Please make plans to join us on the journey to true financial peace!

She told me that "everyone has a story to tell", and I know that she enjoyed hearing those stories.

A huge animal lover, Cathy "always wanted a pot bellied pig, but never got one". She is very partial to cats, dogs, and birds! She has a few quirks, she told me that she is not afraid of bugs, but will go very far out of her way to not kill them. She doesn't like to hear the squishy or crunching sound. Some of her hobbies include sewing and she dearly loves to go for a walk. She loves movies starring Julie Andrews, Sandra Bullock, Dick VanDyke and Harrison Ford. She watches Drop Dead Diva and Chuck and will watch most anything on TV Land!

Cathy feels blessed to be working here at Wesley Way and can't imagine being anywhere else. She says that her favorite part of working with us is You, the people of this church and her least favorite part is folding the bulletins! To be honest after this interview, I thoroughly understand that statement!

# Servant Schedule

## May 2, 2010

Greeters: Front Door—Brenda Craig, Leigh Brannon and Pam Buckner  
 Side Door—Jack Brassell and Miriam Brassell  
 Ushers: Mike Craig (TL), John Webb, Steve Collins and Mark Howington  
 Liturgist: Mike Barr  
 Cookie Delivery: Barb and Bob Jessop; Janet Smith

## May 9, 2010

Greeters: Front Door—Sharon Anderson, Clyde Gaddy and Steve Bednarz  
 Side Door—David Brassell and Betty Moore  
 Ushers: Frank Bailey, Jr. (TL), Tim Godwin, Tony Baird and Jack Brassell  
 Liturgist: Jason Forster  
 Cookie Delivery: David and Shawn Anderson; David and Helga Brassell

## May 16, 2010

Greeters: Front Door—Shirley Hotch, Julie Davies and Arch McGarity  
 Side Door—Leon Going and Kathy Going  
 Ushers: Jim Braswell (TL), Chris Anderson, John Uessler and Nelson Fonville  
 Liturgist: Tommy Thompson  
 Cookie Delivery: Steve and Phyllis Abbott; Kathy and Leon Going

## May 23, 2010

Greeters: Front Door—Tom Jones, Pat Spieks and Chris Anderson  
 Side Door—Bob Jenkins and Edie Coppolino  
 Ushers: Kim Alley (TL), Steve Bednarz, Mark Maycock and Doug Foreback  
 Liturgist: Cindy Jones  
 Cookie Delivery: Tom and Cindy Jones; Rob and Lisa Beall

## May 30, 2010

Greeters: Front Door—Eleanor Breck, Judy Bailey and Laura May  
 Side Door—Annabelle McCuen and Eileen Hill  
 Ushers: UMW  
 Liturgist: Bob Jenkins  
 Cookie Delivery: Dixie and Tony Rogers; Laura May



5-1 Mark Long	5-16 Jessica Morgan
5-1 Cassy Baxter	5-17 Michael Korb
5-1 Katie Owens	5-20 Shirley Pope
5-2 Iris Tatham	5-20 Emma Uessler
5-2 Debye Baird	5-21 Daniel Nash
5-3 Larry Fallin	5-21 Frank Bailey III
5-3 Susan Keen	5-22 Chris Owens
5-4 Joyce Vaughn	5-23 Hannah Tobin
5-4 Jackson Hogan	5-23 Courtney Crosby
5-5 Rachel Foster	5-24 Drew Abbott
5-6 Debra Ross	5-24 Morgan Phelps
5-6 Tim Godwin	5-27 Evelyn Akanno
5-7 Don Cheyne	5-28 Katherine Turner
5-8 Caroline Hayden	5-28 Sara Martin
5-10 Cindy Knight	5-28 Carly Headrick
5-10 Patty Nicolella	5-28 Lucas Iddings
5-12 Mark Lunsford	5-28 Carly Headrick
5-12 Keith Batchelor	5-29 Collier Uessler
5-15 Clara Jenkins	5-30 Vic Stenson
5-15 Esther Brooks	5-30 Claudine Eash-Ladd
5-16 Jean Dodsworth	5-31 Frank Bailey Jr.

## Stewardship Report



### April 4, 2010 - Easter Sunday

Attendance 8:30 — 67  
 10:30 — 333

**Total Attendance 400**

Regular 14,218.80  
 Building 25.00  
 Building (Principal) 470.00  
 Benevolence 105.00  
 Communion 13.00  
 Haven House 12.00  
 UMCOR 10.00  
 MYF NLB 40.00  
 Missions 25.00

**Total 14,918.80**

### April 11, 2010

Attendance 8:30 — 27  
 10:30 — 198  
 7:30 — 29

**Total Attendance 254**

Regular 8,066.00  
 Building 125.00  
 Building (Principal) 70.00  
 Benevolence 5.00  
 UMCOR 10.00  
 MYF NLB 65.00  
 Sunday School Books 84.50

**Total 8,425.50**

### April 18, 2010

Attendance 8:30 — 50  
 10:30 — 225

**Total Attendance 275**

Regular 6,978.00  
 Building (Principal) 70.00  
 Designated Building 300.00  
 Benevolence 5.00  
 UMCOR 10.00  
 MYF NLB 40.00  
 Guatemala 150.00  
 Native Americans 60.00

**Total 7,613.00**

### April 25, 2010

Attendance 8:30 — 71  
 10:30 — 265

**Total Attendance 336**

Regular 11,514.00  
 Building (Principal) 70.00  
 UMCOR 10.00  
 Guatemala 50.00  
 Benevolence 55.00

**Total 11,699.00**



## May 2, 2010

Crib Room — Diana DePew  
 Toddler Room — Lydia Meadows  
 4 to 5 yrs — Dody Morris  
 1st and 2nd — Lisa and Dwayne Radford

## May 9, 2010

Crib Room — Stephanie Gordon  
 Toddler Room — Lisa Wilson  
 4 to 5 yrs — Carrie Spainhour and Carol Braswell  
 1st and 2nd — Gabe and Michelle Cerie

## May 16, 2010

Crib Room — Steve and Alyson Fowler  
 Toddler Room — Christina Pike  
 4 to 5 yrs — William and Jamie Lyons  
 1st and 2nd — David and Helga Brassell

## May 23, 2010

Crib Room — Eleanor Breck  
 Toddler Room — Pam Buckner  
 4 to 5 yrs — Dody Morris  
 1st and 2nd — Kurt and Cathy Steckman

## May 30, 2010

Crib Room — Jean Bouts  
 Toddler Room — Wendy Evans  
 4 to 5 yrs — Dena Norris and Jessica Morgan  
 1st and 2nd — Dave and Karla Scarzafava



## Rent-A-Teen

Would you like help with yard work, housework or any other kind of work around your house? The youth will be for rent on Saturday, May 8 from 9:00 am till 2:00 pm. If you would like to finish up those projects that you have been putting off as well as make a donation to a very good cause (our youth ministry mission River of Life) then call Gail to hire a team of youth at 770-898-3023 or 770-312-3042.

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## UMW News

The Bake Sale brought in \$253.40 half of which will go to the mission team. We have also sent checks to The Food Pantry, A Friend's House, Atlanta Day Shelter for Women and Children and to our Mission Team as per our decisions at the last Executive Board meeting. Monies are going out to 5 missionaries also, including the Sims Family in Ghana.

Thanks to all who performed and attended the Mother-Child Dinner "A Tribute to Mothers" on April 30th.

Envelopes are available for the Mother's Roll. Proceeds will go to the Crisis Pregnancy Center. Envelopes must be turned in by May 4th to the offering plate or to Jean Bouts.

**Haven House Loose Change Sunday** will be on May 16<sup>th</sup>.

### Circle Meetings:

**Ruth Circle** will meet on Tuesday, May 11<sup>th</sup> at 11am at Dogwood Assisted Living. For more information contact Mary Poore at 404-402-7833.

**Martha Anderson Circle** will meet on Thursday, May 13<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at the church. For more information contact Jean Bouts at 770-957-6645.

**Wesley Women Circle** will meet on Tuesday, May 18<sup>th</sup> at 7pm at Betty Moore's house. For more information contact Yvonne Baldwin at 770-898-5458.

**Friendship Circle** will meet on Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm at Bethany Iddings house. For more information contact Bethany Iddings at 770-898-5949.



**Friday, April 30<sup>th</sup> - Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>:**  
 Confirmation Retreat to St. Simons Island

### Sunday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>:

3:00 - 5:00 By Grace Practice  
 5:00 - 7:00 MYF

Jr. High: Sam

Sr. High: Alli and Ronni

### Wednesday, May 5<sup>th</sup>:

6:15-7:30 Confirmation  
 6:30-7:30 Youth Bible Study

### Saturday, May 8<sup>th</sup>:

9:00-2:00 Rent-A-Teen

### Sunday, May 9<sup>th</sup> - Confirmation Sunday and Mother's Day

NO By Grace Practice or MYF

### Wednesday, May 12<sup>th</sup> - Senior Night

### Friday, May 14<sup>th</sup> - Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup>:

Boy's Retreat at the Nicollela's 234 Jones Rd, Hampton

Girl's Retreat at Jackson Lake

### Sunday, May 16<sup>th</sup>:

3:00 - 5:00 By Grace Practice  
 5:00-7:00 MYF - Jr. High Program: Darbi  
 Sr. High Program: Rebekah

### Sunday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>:

3:00 - 5:00 By Grace Practice  
 3:30 Youth Leadership Team meet to set up for Star Wars Night  
 5:00-7:00 MYF - Star Wars Night

### Sunday, May 30<sup>th</sup> - Memorial Day Pool Parties:

3:00 - 6:00 Jr. High: Iddings  
 3:30 - 6:30 Sr. High: Williams

## Senior Night

You are invited to join us for Wednesday Night Supper and Senior Night on Wednesday, May 12. Supper begins at 5:45 and the program will begin at 6:30. We will be honoring our 2010 graduating seniors with a program and slide show. Please come and support our seniors and their families.



### Church Sextons for May

2<sup>nd</sup> John Uessler  
 9<sup>th</sup> Beetle Bailey  
 16<sup>th</sup> Carol Music  
 23<sup>rd</sup> Steve Abbott  
 30<sup>th</sup> Brenda Craig



### Altar Flowers for May

2<sup>nd</sup> By Pixie and Steve Collins in Honor of Buddy's Birthday  
 9<sup>th</sup> By Shirley Hotch and Family in Honor of Blessings received  
 16<sup>th</sup> By Roger's Family in Memory of Joel Rogers  
 23<sup>rd</sup> By Ruby Bastian in Memory of Pete Bastian  
 30<sup>th</sup> By Ross and Bethany Iddings in Honor of Sam and Luke's Birthday's and  
 By Chad Brooks in Honor of Jennifer's Birthday

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