

October 22, 2023



I AM A CHURCH MEMBER

**Proclaim the Word and equip disciples to draw others
into a relationship with Jesus.**



MAULDIN
METHODIST CHURCH

PRELUDE

CALL TO WORSHIP

“Come & Worship”

WELCOME

Dr. Webb Belangia

Children’s Church dismissal (11am)

HYMN (No. 98)

“To God Be the Glory”

CHORAL SPECIAL

“How Great Thou Art”

SERMON-I Timothy 3:1-6a

Dr. Webb Belangia

HYMN (No. 140)

“Great Is Thy Faithfulness”

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (No. 881)

Rev. Dick Herd

OFFERTORY PRAYER

Rev. Dick Herd

OFFERTORY SPECIAL

“I Will Rejoice”

Lisa De Norris, Kathryn Paluszak, Michaela Ceballos, Jahanna Reck,
Van Broad, James Douglas, Matt Richardson & Michael Norris

DOXOLOGY

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Rev. Dick Herd

MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

Jon Brooks

HYMN (No. 99)

“My Tribute”

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE



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MAULDIN METHODIST

WELCOME	Rev. Dick Herd
PASSING OF THE PEACE	
OPENING PRAYER	Rett Crocker
SONG OF PRAISE	“Battle Belongs”
SONG OF WORSHIP	“How He Loves”
OFFERTORY PRAYER	Rett Crocker
	<i>Children’s Church Dismissal</i>
OFFERTORY SONG	“Break Every Chain”
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE	Jon Brooks
SONG OF PRAYER	“What A Friend We Have in Jesus”
SERMON	Dr. Webb Belangia
	I Timothy 3:1-6a
SENDING FORTH	“God Of This City”
BENEDICTION	

I Am a Church Member Pledge

I will pray for my church staff every day. I understand that the work of the staff is never ending. Their days are filled with numerous demands that bring emotional highs and lows. They constantly deal with critics. They must also be good spouses and parents. Because they cannot do all these things under their own power, I will pray for their strength and wisdom daily.

Costa Rica Informational Meeting-TODAY

Everyone is welcome at 4pm, in the Spirit Center, to learn more about this exciting opportunity coming in July 2024.

New Wednesday Evening Bible Study-6:30pm

Join Brandon as he leads through the books of Jonah and Nahum beginning Wednesday, October 25th, 6:30pm in the Spirit Center. This will be a six-week study.

Charge Conference-Thursday, October 26

Our very first Charge Conference as a Global Methodist Church will be held on Thursday, October 26, 2023 at 6:30pm in the Spirit Center. Everyone is encouraged to attend as this Charge Conference will look very different from those in the past. There will be a time of worship, a business session, communion, and blessing of church leadership.

Consecration Sunday-October 29

“Estimate of Giving” cards have been mailed and can also be found at the Welcome Desk in the Son Room and Spirit Center. Please take time in the next week to give thanks to the Lord with a grateful heart, and reflect on the many blessings in your life—the blessings that lead to gratitude and to showing your thanks through being a steward of all the gifts that God has given you. Plan to be present on Consecration Sunday, October 29th when we will celebrate our blessings as each member is invited to present their Estimate of Giving for 2024.

Fall Fest Volunteers Needed

Sign-ups are now available for our annual Fall Fest on October 29th, 4-6pm. There are many opportunities so sign-up today. Please contact Jon with any questions (jon@mauldinmethodist.com).



Safe Sanctuary Training-Sunday-November 5

Jon will be leading the next Safe Sanctuary training on Sunday, November 5, immediately following the 11am worship, in the Kidz Chapel. This training is required for all basketball coaches, and anyone working with children. Please contact the church office if you are not sure if your previous training has expired.

All Saints Sunday–November 5

On November 5th, at all worship services, we will remember those persons who have joined the church triumphant in the past year. You can add persons who have died since November 1, 2022 to our Record of Remembrance by calling or emailing Carol in the church office before Friday, October 27th. Please include their name, date of death, their relationship to you, and your name. Thank you.

Upcoming Event for Senior Adults

“The Scarlet Pimpernel” Musical at Logos Theatre

Thursday, November 9/10am or Sunday, November 11/2pm
Tickets are \$25 and you can reserve your ticket on the sign-up sheet in your Sunday School class, register and pay on Realm, or call Michael to register and drop your payment off in the church office.

Backpack Ministry Needs

We are now packing for 68 children every week so we are going through our food closet quickly. We are in need of: Pop tarts, Easy Mac, tuna packs, ritz crackers, Chef Boyardee (ravioli, spaghetti & meatballs, etc.). Please make sure all canned foods have pop tops. Thank you for your continued support of this important ministry.

New Logo Church Merch

T-shirts, magnets and window decals are still available for sale. We also have set up a shop with Custom Ink and you can order hats, hoodies, polos, and coffee mugs. Check out the QR codes at the Welcome Desk in the Son Room and Spirit Center. You can use the code to order and pay online and then the merchandise will be shipped to the church.

October Mission Box

We continue to collect bags of individually wrapped candy for our Fall Festival. This year's Festival will be Sunday, October 29th, 4-6pm. We would love a great variety of candy to give away at our game stations and trunk-or-treat.

Community Meal Every Tuesday 5:30-7:30pm

We welcomed three neighbors to the community meal last week as well as sending a few to-go plates to others. There are still opportunities to volunteer so please contact Michelle McKee (mmmladybug@gmail.com) or Jill Cornwell (jill.cornwell@att.net).

November Family Meal

Our November Wednesday evening meal will not be the first Wednesday of the month but the third Wednesday, November 15th. Hope you can join us.

For Your Prayers

Sympathy to the family of Vernon Trammell. Vernon passed away on October 18, 2023. A private graveside service was held on October 20, 2023.

Sympathy to Barb Nichols and family. Barb's mother passed away on October 18, 2023.

Sympathy to Janet Landrum and family. Janet's mother passed away on October 19, 2023.

Sam Stamps

Tony DeYoung recovering from kidney transplant

Tommy Mack (friend to Webb Belangia)

Jesse (Dilsa Johnson's nephew)

Jeanie and Jeff Tennant

Anna Armstrong

Joan Kenney

Charge Conference on Thursday

Stewardship Campaign

Fall Fest

Community Meal

Praise Report-Thank you for your prayers & cards for Lynn Swainbank (Jan Moretti's sister). Lynn's needle biopsy for her lung abnormality came back negative for cancer.

This week's Senior Adult focus

Tennie Terrell

Irene Terry

David & Gloria Worthington

Dick & Sue Wright

Email prayer request to: pray@mauldinmethodist.com

Our Sunday prayer list is condensed to our most recent updates (at the time of printing). We have a lot of names and needs on our long-term list also in need of your prayers. This full list is e-mailed out weekly to our Prayer Group. Please consider joining the Prayer Group so you can be in prayer over all of the needs of our church family and friends. Contact Carol (carol@mauldinmethodist.com) in the church office to receive the weekly e-mail of the long-term list as well as daily prayer updates that we receive.

Sunday-October 22

8:45am-Worship
10am-Sunday School
11am-Worship
12:30pm-Membership Class
12:30pm-Nomination Committee
4pm-Costa Rica Information
4pm-SPRC
5pm-GC (Malone)
5pm-Handbells
5pm-Youth (6th-8th Grade)
6:30pm-Youth (9th-12th Grade)
6:30pm-Kidz POP Choir

Monday-October 23

9:30am-Deborah Circle
6:30pm-Church Council

Tuesday-October 24

1pm-Backpack Ministry Packing
5:30pm-Community Meal
6:30pm-GC (Cornwell)

Wednesday-October 25

6pm-Luke Bible Study
6:30pm-Kidz POP Jr
6:30pm-Mission Kids
6:30pm-Confirmation
6:30pm-Youth
6:30pm-Jonah/Nahum Study
7:30pm-Chancel Choir Practice

Thursday-October 26

6:30pm-Charge Conference
6:30pm-GC (Cooper)
7pm-GC (Meyer)

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