

## Welcome Sessions

Welcome/Information Sessions are held on the second Wednesday evening of each month at 6:45 p.m. in room 155. Those attending are invited to be our guest at Wonderful Wednesday Night Supper. The supper buffet is open from 5:45-6:15. Balloons mark a table for the welcome session. If you are attending, please call the church office by Monday noon or drop a note in the offering plate to make your reservations. Please mark your note or let the office know you are attending the welcome session and your meal will be complementary.

## More About Our Church

If you would like to know more about our church, please sign up for Basic Beginnings. This class will provide information about being a United Methodist member. It will also provide you with information about our local church programs and ministries.

## Other Educational Opportunities

### Children

- Vacation Bible School
- Bible Fun Night-Preschool Age—Wednesdays
- Mission Minded Kids (K-5th) - Wednesdays
- Weekday Preschool
- Summer Fun Days
- Fall Festival

### Youth

- Short Term Studies-Wednesdays
- Youth Fellowship/Worship-Sunday Evenings

### Adult Groups

Many adult classes and opportunities are offered at Winder First UMC. Please request/see the Adult Opportunities Brochure for days/times/topics.  
Also available: Wonderful Wednesday Night Brochure

Questions? Interested In Training to Teach?  
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## Sunday School and More 9:45 a.m.

### Start Here

- \*Crib-2 Years Go Directly to Classroom
- \*3 Years-4th Grade Gather in Chapel
- \*5th Grade-Sr. High Go Directly to Classroom
- \*Adults Go to the Fellowship Hall for coffee time
- \*Classes begin at 10:00 a.m.

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## Children: Birth-5th Grade

### *Where do I take my child for Sunday school?*

Individual classes are provided for each age group.

Nurseries for infants and toddlers are located downstairs in the Educational Hall.

K2 (children 2 years by September 1): Parents are asked to take their children directly to their classroom. The K2 Classroom is located downstairs in the Educational Hall.

Children in K3 – 4th assemble at 9:45 in the chapel. At 10:00 the teachers will take the children to their classrooms for lesson time.

Classrooms for grades K4-4<sup>th</sup> grade are located upstairs in the Educational Hall. Parents are asked to pick children up at 10:50 from their classroom. If your child is 4 years or younger you can make arrangements for your child to remain for church nursery.

### *Want to know more....*

#### Teachers of grades 3yrs, 4yrs. and

Kindergarten use “New Invitation” curriculum provided through Cokesbury, our United Methodist Supplier. The materials immerse your child in the Bible with fun, hands-on, Bible-Centered learning.

1st—4th Grade rotate to a different station each Sunday. A schedule is posted for parents outside of the chapel entrance. The rotation workshop curriculum is developed to allow the children to experience Bible stories and how they apply to their life through different learning mediums. The children attend a different learning workshop each week. Workshops include cooking, art, games, drama, video. See children’s brochure.

## 5th Graders, Youth and College

### 5<sup>th</sup> Graders

Fifth grade Sunday school is an extra special year for children as they begin confirmation studies. Through these studies participants learn basic principles of Christian living, Biblical theology, and United Methodist doctrines and beliefs. Field trips and retreats are part of this learning experience. Fifth graders go directly to their classroom. Class begins at 10:00 in Rm. 219

Youth and Young Adults Gather from 9:35-9:55 for in the Youth Ministry Center breakfast and fellowship.

6th Grade Youth Class: Rm. # 221

7th and 8th Grade Youth Class: Rm. # 202

9th and 10th Grade Youth Class: Rm. #201

11th Grade—23ish: Rm. #204

Youth Sunday school teachers assist youth in discovering the Christian faith as a real, valid and genuine experience in their lives. Our youth classes attempt to help youth relate the Bible and their religious experience to the needs and concerns they encounter in daily life.

## Adult Classes

**NEW\* Young Adult Class: ages 18-20**  
**Beginning October 1, 2006 in Family Life Center**  
**Rm. # 131**

**Transformers:** Young adults - 20’s, 30’s  
Fellowship Hall, Rm. # 164

**Pathfinders:** Young adults - 20’s, 30’s, 40’s  
Fellowship Hall Rm. # 152

**Crusaders:** Young Adults - 20’s, 30’s, 40’s  
Fellowship Hall Rm. # 156

**Genesis:** Adults - 40’s, 50’s  
Fellowship Hall, Rm. # 162

**Seekers:** Multi-generational class.  
Fellowship Hall Rm. # 160

**50/50 Class:** Adults—40’s, 50’s  
Fellowship Hall Rm. # 155

**Spares and Pairs:** Adults - 50’s  
Fellowship Hall Rm. # 161

**Covenant Class:** Adults—Multi-generational Class  
Fellowship Hall Rm. # 154

**Fellowship Class:** Adults—60’s, 70’s, 80’s  
Located downstairs, Educational Hall, Rm. 116

**W. Y. Smith Class:** Adults—50’s, 60’s  
Fellowship Hall Rm. # 157

**Adult Classes Continued on other back side...**

Then Jesus came to them and said, ...Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.

Matthew 28:18-20