



*From the Desk of Pastor Keya*

October 19, 2020

## Blessings St. Paul Family!

We are in the midst of Breast Cancer Awareness Month! We recognize those who conquered the disease, remember those who succumbed to it and urge all women to get their annual mammograms.

We are also in election season. If you have not yet requested your absentee ballot or voted, please do so. While we believe God can and will change things, we must also walk out our faith by doing our part. We are grateful for our members in public service or are running to be elected to public service: Mrs. Barbara B. Brooks, Gainesville City Councilwoman - Ward 3 and Emory Turner, write-in candidate for Hall County Commission District 4. Thank you for your willingness to serve our community!

We have just finished our Charge Conference season when we celebrate the work of our local church and the churches in our district. Much has been accomplished despite COVID as the work of the church continues in new and different ways.

**As a reminder, the church is still closed due to COVID-19.** While we are anxiously awaiting the time when we can be back in the sanctuary for worship, please join us online for worship on Facebook. Hall county is still in the orange. If we all do our part by wearing a mask, social distancing and washing our hands, we can turn the tide of this disease.

## Pastor Keya Meet and Greet

It is not too late to arrange a time to meet with me. I am still making appointments and would love to see everyone to get to know you! If you would like to receive a call or set up a Zoom conversation with you and your family, please contact the church at [SPUMC705@gmail.com](mailto:SPUMC705@gmail.com).



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## Joys and Concerns



Please keep the Buffington/Ramsey family, Mack family and Shields family in your prayers. Please contact the church to submit your prayer requests, illnesses and bereavements.

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## Connecting to our Digital Media

Are you staying connected, St. Paul? Please make sure you have subscribed to our social media pages!

**Facebook and Instagram** @SPUMC705

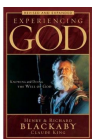
**YouTube** @SPUMC705

If someone you know needs to be included on the email list, please email me their email address.



## Worship Opportunities

Wednesday Night Bible Study, 7:00-8:00pm (**Is returning October 28th!**)



We will be reading the book, *Experiencing God: Knowing and Doing the Will of God* (Revised and Expanded) by Henry and Richard Blackaby and Claude King. It is “based on seven Scriptural realities that teach us how to develop a true relationship with the Creator.” If you desire your own copy, books can be purchased at [Experiencing God on Amazon](#).

Please contact the church at [spumc705@gmail.com](mailto:spumc705@gmail.com) to receive the syllabus via email.

### Via Video Conference:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/2747619761?pwd=bXVBbVg3dVArcVlMMHN1SGJEMExuQT09>

**Meeting ID:** 274 761 9761

**Passcode:** 348311

**Call in Via Phone:** The phone number is 1 (929) 205-6099. The meeting ID and security password is the same as above.

**Also on Facebook Live @SPUMC705**

### Thursday Corporate Prayer, 11:00am-12:00pm

The call-in number is (978) 990-5129. The access code is 263262. Need Prayer during the week as well? Feel free to email us [@spumc705@gmail.com](mailto:@spumc705@gmail.com) with your Prayer Requests.



### Live Stream Sunday Worship at 10:30am

Join online from Home:

**Facebook Live @SPUMC705**



## Ways to Give

Thank you for your continued giving! Here's how you can be a blessing to others through our ministry at St. Paul:

**Online:** Church Website at [www.spumc705.org](http://www.spumc705.org)

**Cash App:** \$stpaulsummitst

**Mail:** St. Paul UMC, PO Box 943, Gainesville, GA 30503

## Community News

### North Georgia Chamber Symphony - Free Concert - Sunday, October 25, 2020

Featuring music by Joseph Bologne, Chevalier de Saint-Georges a Black Caribbean born composer from the 1700s, jazz and music of Motown.

Masks and Social Distance Required

@Westminster Presbyterian Church, Gainesville, GA

### Questions about Voting?

Call the Voter Protection Hotline - 888-730-5816

### Dates, Times, Locations for Early Voting

Early voting for the Nov. 3 general election will be held from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday through Oct. 30. Voting will also be available on Saturday, Oct. 24, from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

- **Chicopee Woods Agricultural Center Activity Hall**, 1855 Calvary Church Rd., Gainesville, GA 30507
- **City of Gainesville Downtown Building** (old Turner Wood and Smith building), 100 Brenau Ave. Gainesville, GA 30501
- **East Hall Community Center**, 3911 P. Davidson Rd., Gainesville, GA 30507
- **Mulberry Creek Community Center**, 4491 J.M. Turk Rd., Flowery Branch, GA 30542
- **Mundy Mill Precinct**, 4335 Mundy Mill Road, Oakwood, GA 30566
- **Murrayville Library**, 4796 Thompson Bridge Rd., Gainesville, GA 30506
- **North Hall Community Center**, 4175 Nopone Rd., Gainesville, GA 30506
- **Spout Springs Library**, 6488 Spout Springs Rd., Flowery Branch, GA 30542