

The Journey....

**DRAWING OTHERS TO GOD THROUGH FAITH,
HOPE, LOVE AND SERVICE**

September 2026



**Bushnell Methodist Church
Bushnell, Florida
Jason Lynn, Pastor**



**GLOBAL
METHODIST CHURCH**

Whole Heart, Whole Life: Loving God with Everything You Are

Dear Church Family,

When Jesus was asked what the greatest commandment was, He didn't create a new answer. Instead, He pointed back to the words God had already given His people in Deuteronomy: Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all you strength. This is more than a command; it is an invitation into the life God created us to live.

Far too often, we divide our lives into compartments. We give God our Sunday mornings but keep Monday through Saturday for ourselves. We trust Him with our eternity but struggle to trust Him with today's worries. Yet Scripture reminds us that God desires our whole heart, not just a portion of it. He is not interested in being one priority among many. He desires to be the center from which every other priority flows. To love God with all our heart means surrendering our deepest desires to Him. To love Him with all our soul means allowing our identity to be rooted in Christ rather than the opinions of the world. To love Him with all our mind means filling our thoughts with His truth instead of fear, doubt, or bitterness. To love Him with all our strength means using our gifts, energy, and daily actions to honor Him in everything we do. The wonderful news of the Gospel is that even when we fall short, God's love never does. Through Jesus Christ, we are not condemned for our failures but invited into a restored relationship with the Father. His redeeming grace replaces guilt with hope, shame with forgiveness, and fear with peace. As we surrender every area of our lives to Him, He transforms us from the inside out.

Today, ask yourself this. Is there any part of my heart that I have been holding back from God? Is there a burden, habit, relationship, or fear that I need to place into His hands? The Lord is faithful to receive every surrendered piece of our lives and shape us into the people He has called us to be.

May we, as individuals and as a church family, seek to love God with everything we are. As we draw closer to Him with our whole hearts, He will strengthen our faith, deepen our love for one another, and use us to shine His light throughout our community. Wholehearted devotion always leads to wholehearted transformation.





COMMUNITY BREAKFAST

Saturday, September 5th

Due to the Labor Day holiday there will be
No community breakfast. Thank you!



Choir Practice begins September 20th,
Sunday, 9:30 a.m.



MEN'S BREAKFAST

**Beginning in September, the Men's
Breakfast will be held on Wednesday's
instead of Tuesday!**

**Wednesday, September 16th, 9:00 a.m.
Darrell's Diner, CR-48, Bushnell**



LADIES LUNCHEON

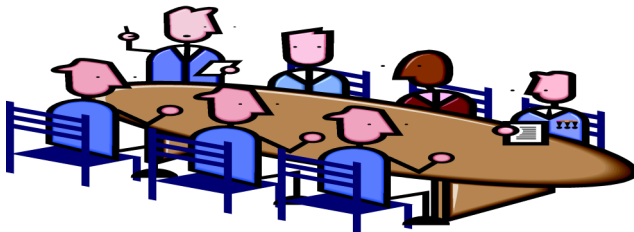
September 15th, Tuesday at 1:00 p.m.

Ladies Luncheon will be held at the Breakfast Station in Ridge Manor. Please contact Celeste Hayes to confirm your reservation at 352-346-1304. Hope to see you there!

Come and join the fun!



**Chime Choir, September 23rd begins
at 10:00 a.m.**



Committee Meetings

September 23rd, Wednesday

**Trustees-4:00 p.m., Finance-4:30 p.m. and
Leadership-5:00 p.m.**



HAPPY LABOR DAY
September 7th Monday
(church office will be closed)



Thanksgiving Basket Ministry
September 27th - October 25th



September 1st, Tuesday

Monday & Wednesday, 10a-2p
Tuesday & Thursday, 9a-3p



Happy Birthday to:

09/09 Stacey Gideons
09/23 Jack Jordan



Happy Anniversary to:

09/07 Charlie/Patty Morrow

Angie Bartel
116 Shawnee Trail
Ringgold, GA 30736

Bert Park
110 Creekside Dr. Apt 204
Painted Post, NY 14870
607-689-6019

Betty King
2020 Harbourside Dr. # 422
Longboat Key, FL 34228



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11:00 a.m. Sunday, September 6
Scripture: Deuteronomy 6:5, Mark 12:30 (NIV)
Sermon: “Whole Heart, Whole Life: Loving God with
 Everything You Are.”

11:00 a.m. Sunday, September 13
Scripture: Proverbs 3:5-6, Matthew 6:33,
 John 14:27 (NIV)
Sermon: “Peacefully Unsettled”

11:00 a.m. Sunday, September 20
Scripture: Job 38:4, Romans 8:28, Matthew 27:46 (NIV)
Sermon: “Learning to Trust When We Don’t
 Understand”

11:00 a.m. Sunday, September 27
Scripture: Matthew 13:1-23 (NIV)
Sermon: “Tending the Soil of Your Soul”

**Praying with you and for you,
Pastor Jason Lynn**



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**COMING
SOON**

EVENTS COMING YOUR WAY OCTOBER 2026

10/04 - 11:00 a.m. - World Communion

10/18 - Laity Sunday

10/25 - Staff Appreciation



**FARM SHARE
Wednesday**

**Farm Share will be held the second
Wednesday of each month. Please
make sure to mark your
calendar!**

SEPTEMBER 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Thanksgiving Basket Ministry 9/27- 10/25		1	2 Food pantry 11-1p	3	4	5 No Comm. Breakfast
6	7 Labor Day	8	9 Food pantry 11a-1p Farm share	10	11	12
13	14	15 Ladies Lunch 1:00 p.m.	16 Food pantry 11a 1p Men's B-fast 9:00 a.m.	17	18	19
20 Choir prac, begins 9:30a	21	22	23 Food panty 11a 1p Chime prac.10a Committee Mtg.	24	25	26
27	28	29	30 Food Pantry 11a-1p			

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You're INVITED!

Sun. Worship at 11:00 AM

See you then!