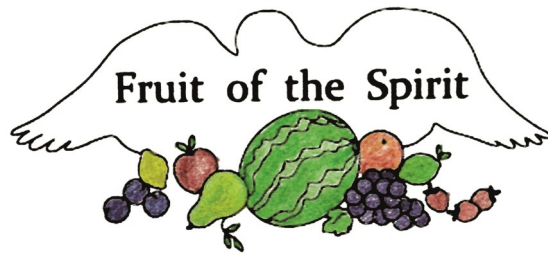




**BOSTON BUTT FUNDRAISER (Rusty Pig) \$40
Effingham Methodist Campground**

- Includes bottle of BBQ sauce
- Must reserve Boston Butt at least 24 hrs. in advance
- Must present ticket at the time of pick up
- Tickets available in church office from now until Feb. 2. **The tickets are valid from Feb. 10, 2025 - May 10, 2025.**
- Make checks out to Effingham Methodist Campground
- \$5 to have the boston butt chopped up
- You may present the ticket for \$3 off quart size stew, slaw, potato salad or green beans.



“But the fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self control. Against such things there is no law.” Galatians 5:22-23

All Ladies are welcome to a Women’s Bible Study on the Fruit of the Spirit. We will meet on Thursday evenings from 6:45pm - 8pm for eight weeks beginning January 16, 2025. We will meet in the Marion Edwards Building. There will be no cost and childcare is available with advance notice.

Expect fun, fellowship and spiritual enlightenment.

Please contact Jeanie Thomas at 503- 910-2314 for more information and to register for the class.

Weekly/Monthly Schedules

Sundays	8:30 a.m.	Praise and Worship - Sanctuary
	9:45 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
	4:00 p.m.	Youth
	4:00 p.m.	Kingdom Kids
	7:00 p.m.	Prayer Service
Mondays	9:30 a.m.	Ladies Chair Aerobics (Social Hall)
	6:30 p.m.	Mission Committee meets 1st Monday
	7:00 p.m.	Administrative Council meets 2nd Monday in the Social Hall.
Tuesdays	10:00 a.m.	Toddler Tuesday meets 1st & 3rd Tuesday. Will meet Jan. 21st.
	10:00 a.m.	Willing Workers meets 3rd Tuesday Will meet Jan. 21st.
	10:30 a.m.	Prayer Focus Group
	11:00 a.m.	Lakeview Worship & Communion 1st Tuesday
	6:00 p.m.	Family Fellowship Meal 3rd Wednesday this month only.
	6:00 p.m.	Praise Team Practice
	7:00 p.m.	Handbell Practice
	7:00 p.m.	Men’s Supper meets 4th Tuesday
Wed.	6:00 a.m.	Adam’s Answer (Social Hall)
	NOON	Bible Study (MEB)
	3:45 p.m. 5:45 p.m.	WOW Kingdom Kids WOW will start back on Jan. 15th
	6:00 p.m.	Praise Team Practice
	7:00 p.m.	Youth Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Chancel Choir
Thursdays		Friends on Wheels - 3rd Thursday
	7:00 p.m.	Trustees Meeting meets first Thursday



**SPRINGFIELD OAKS
CHURCH**

A GLOBAL METHODIST CONGREGATION

January 2025

Preparing for 2025

As the dawn of a new year approaches, many of us find ourselves reflecting on the past while looking forward to the future. It’s a time filled with hope, renewal, and the promise of new beginnings. This year, we have the incredible opportunity to embrace fresh starts and set intentions for a brighter path ahead. For many believers, the New Year serves as an ideal moment to seek God’s guidance, strength, and blessings through prayer.

Incorporating prayer into the New Year can be transformative, allowing us to invite God’s presence into our plans and aspirations. It’s a powerful way to express gratitude for the experiences we’ve had and to ask for divine wisdom as we navigate the uncertainties that lie ahead. Prayer not only helps us to align our hearts with God’s will but also reinforces our commitment to living purposefully and faithfully throughout the coming year.



Children's Corner

Amy Morgan
children@springfieldoakschurch.com

Toddler Tuesday is for children up to age 4 and their parent, grandparent, or guardian. Join us for a morning (10am - 11:30am) of fun - playing, singing, laughing, and learning at Toddler Tuesday. We meet most First and Third Tuesdays Sept. through May in the Family Life Center.

Toddler Tuesday will start back on January 21st.

Kingdom Kids W.O.W. (Worship on Wednesdays) is for children from 4 year old Pre-K - 5th grade. We meet on Wednesdays from 3:45pm - 5:45pm in the FLC for Worship, Interactive Bible Study, art, gym time, fun, games & snack. We hope you will join us for a great time with good friends!

Kingdom Kids will start back on January 15th.

Kingdom Kids - Sunday Nights - Join us from 5:30pm - 6:45pm - Sunday Nights. We meet in the Social Hall for a fun time of games, snack supper, and worship as we learn about being a part of God's Kingdom. Children in 2nd - 5th grades may be dropped off. Younger children are welcome with a parent or grandparent in attendance.

Children's Retreat - Jan. 24th - Jan. 26th
(for 3rd - 5th grade)
Jekyll Island



The Youth at Springfield

Bryan Price
youth@springfieldoakschurch.com



This link will take you to the website to see information about youth events, Bible studies, permission forms, and calendars. You may also sign up for events on the website. To subscribe for ongoing reminders about the Youth schedule and events, text **youthofsoc** to the number **81010**. If you or your SS Class would like to provide a snack supper or donations for a snack supper, you may sign up on the website or call the office.

Prayer List:

Jeffery Ambrose
Matt Kieffer
Don Exley
Ric Nettles
Max Neidlinger
Cynthia Rahn
Grady & Dottie Rahn
Don Walker
Joe & Ansley Rahn-Wrenley
Dalton & Jessica-Suzie Kate
Beth Mosley
Olivia Allen - Al H - granddaughter
Laurie Hill - Al H.-sister
Joann Nease
Wayne McDaniel
Kristen Achtziger
Georgia Lee (Ken)
Chap Bennett
LeiAnn Sapp
Robert Williams
Eddie Cox & Gwen Rahn
Patsy Williams
Danny Smith
Stan Riner
Danny Cadle
Dwight Cribbs
Bill Fillingim
Dave Volden
Mark Estes
Susan Exley
Donnie Woodcock Family
Denese Parker

Expectant Mothers

Kyndle Brant

Nursing Home/ Lakeview

Mary Ann Kutcher
Omie E.(Exley) Hinely
Brenda Dasher
Wilma Pace
Virginia Hatfield

Effingham Swingbed

Gwen Rahn

Military & Country

Stephen Strickland
Jaiden Strickland
Frank Patterson Jr.
William Patterson
Jackson Swindell
Michael Banister
Zach Pitts
Jacob Cuatt

Missions

Christopher Morgan
Evan Zeigler

2025 Flower Chart

The Flower Chart is located on the bulletin board in the hallway. Please sign up at your convenience. You may also call the church office at 754-6646 to signup.

Upper Rooms

The Upper Room for January/February may be picked up at any of these locations: mailbox on the porch outside the church office, narthex, hallway outside of the church office, and by the coffee pots.

Our Church Family would like to thank each person from the Class of 2024 who has served on one of our church's committees. We appreciate your time, wisdom, service, prayers and your love for Jesus as you have served on these teams. Thank you!

Thank You

It is a wonderful blessing to be in ministry with our incredible church family. We are so thankful for all the ways that you lift us up in your prayers, for all the ways you come along side of us in sharing the love of Jesus in service to our church family and community as well as all the encouraging words you share with us through out the year. We are extremely thankful for the generous love offering you blessed us with. We cherish your love and friendship to us!

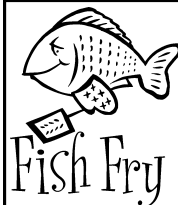
*In Christ,
Springfield Oaks Church Staff*

FINANCIAL REPORT THROUGH NOVEMBER 2025

Budget for the year	\$821,156.00
YTD Budget	\$752,726.33
Received vs. Budget	\$631,155.20
YTD Surplus	\$(121,571.13)

WORSHIP/SS ATTENDANCE AVERAGE FOR DECEMBER

8am Worship Service	145
11am Worship Service	108
Sunday School	157
Children's Musical	150
Adult Cantata	154
Longest Night Service	16
Christmas Eve Service	256



Men's Supper
January 28th ~ 7pm
Scout Hut in Guyton

January

Ushers:

8:30am - Bill & Jesse Strickland
11am - Gary, Tripp & Jake Johnson

Greeters:

8:30am - Macky & Suzie
11am - Macky & Suzie