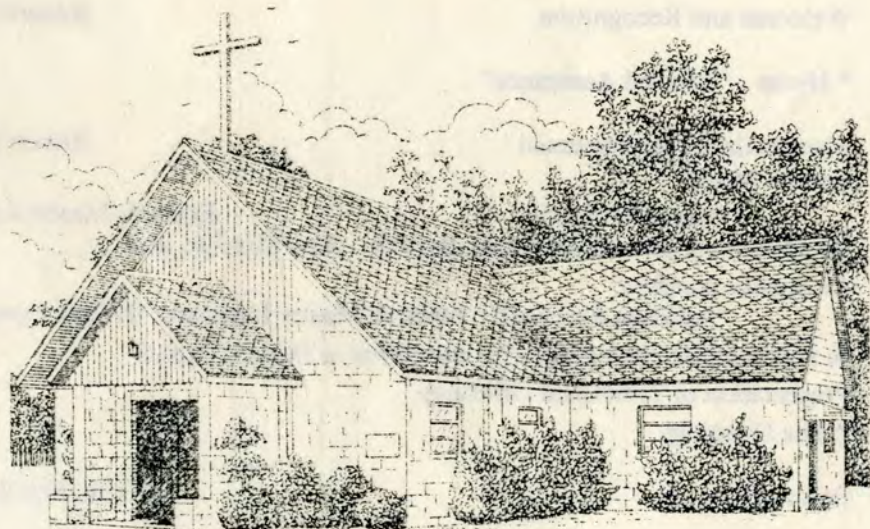


*Welcome to
Homecoming*



*Pope's Chapel
United Methodist Church
(Tignall Charge)*

ESTABLISHED AUGUST 1786

POPE'S CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

56th Annual Homecoming

October 7, 2012

11:00 A.M.

Ben Walker, Pastor

Linda Aycock, Pianist

Prelude

Invocation Rev. Ben Walker

* Hymn "The Church in the Wildwood" 121

Welcome and Recognition Robert Smith

* Hymn "Blessed Assurance" 64

Memorials for the Deceased Robert Smith

Special Music

"Abide With Me" Ethan & Mason Jones

In Memory of Mr and Mrs John Boyd Sr, John Boyd Jr. and

Dr Sophia Bamford

"Ashoken Farewell" Ethan & Mason Jones and William Leveret

In honor of Malcolm Chafin for his efforts at Pope's Chapel

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

* The Doxology

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Ben Walker

Message Robert Smith

* Hymn "Take the Name of Jesus With You" 38

* Blessing and Benediction Rev. Ben Walker

** Please Stand*

Everyone is invited to "Dinner on the Grounds" immediately following the service.

We welcome you to our 56th Annual Homecoming at Pope's Chapel.

We pray God's rich blessing upon you.

Flowers are placed on the altar
In *loving memory* of Landis Faulk
by Nanci Faulk
and in honor of

Mrs. Evelyn Rambo who was 90 years old October 6th
by her family

Flowers are placed on the piano

in memory of Hazel Combs and Emmie Pullen,

whose birthdays would have been October 7th and 11th

by Malcolm and Elizabeth Chafin and Family

.....
We welcome Robert Smith, a native of Wilkes County, who attended Pope's Chapel as a child. He is employed by the Richmond County Health Dept. as an environmental health specialist. Robert and his wife Carissa are active worshippers of their God and Savior at New Life Baptist Church in Washington and serves as the Church Treasurer. Today he is honored to bring God's Word on this 56th anniversary of Homecoming

Afternoon Session

Secretary's Report - Nancy Norman Faulk Treasurer's Report - Malcolm Chafin

Report of Committee of Nominations - -Election of Officers -- Other Business

Officers and Committees for 2011

President - Robert Smith Vice President - Laurie Page Kepner
Secretary - Nancy Norman Faulk Treasurer - Malcolm Chafin
Ushers - David Sale, David Chafin Nominations -Elizabeth Chafin, John Keen
Table Committee - Malcolm Chafin, George Smith, Jimmy Norman, John Keen
Charlie Jones, Jarrett Keen, Miles Chafin and Chase Chafin



POPE'S CHAPEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The Methodist Society, which was later organized into Pope's Chapel Church, was first organized in August 1786 by Thomas Humphries at the home of James Marks located in what is now Elbert County about 1½ miles Northeast of Old Baker's Ferry on Broad River. When Elbert County was formed in 1790 from Wilkes County, it left most of the church members in Wilkes County, so the church was relocated into Wilkes County, south about 2 miles from Broad River, on property owned by John Landrum adjoining his homeplace on the east side of Baker's Ferry Road. It was in this location that it received its name, in honor of Rev. Henry Pope, who provided most of the timber used in the building. Bishop Francis Asbury delivered the Dedication Sermon there in 1805. In 1852 the church was again relocated about 2 miles south to its present location. In 1871 Trustees of the church were Benjamin W. Fortson, M. T. Cash, Augustus A. Neal, and James W. Boyd. A second structure was erected in 1897 in which two stained glass windows were installed as a memorial to Benjamin Winn Fortson and his wife Hannah Rebecca Ogilvie by their children. The Dedication Sermon was delivered by Lundy Harris in 1898. This building was severely damaged by a windstorm and a third building, presently in use, was erected in 1957.



*Pope's Chapel
United Methodist Church*

Dear Friends,

I am writing to remind you the 56th annual Homecoming Day at Pope's Chapel United Methodist Church is very close at hand. Please join me on Sunday, October 7th to celebrate this special day for Pope's Chapel. This year has been especially difficult for me and a day of worship at Pope's Chapel is very much likened to a balm for a wound; a day of reflection, fellowship with friends and recalling memories of years past at a much slower pace and simpler time.

Our speaker for this year is Robert Smith of Washington, Georgia who is also the Homecoming president. Robert, who is the son of Doris and George Smith of Washington, grew up attending Pope's Chapel. Worship service will begin at 11:00 am followed by lunch under the oaks. A short business session will be held at 2:00 pm.

Please don't disappoint me, let me see you at Pope's Chapel on October 7th, Homecoming Day!

Sincerely,

Nanci Norman Faulk

● Marjorie Gibson of Dallas came Friday to visit with her mother Lois Sale and her sister, Peggy Sale. She returned home on Monday. While here, Marjorie attended the Freeman family reunion at Tabor Baptist Church on Saturday and Pope's Chapel Homecoming on Sunday.

● David and Gloria Sale of Dewey Rose visited Lois and Peggy Sale on Saturday and attended the Pope's Chapel Homecoming on Sunday.

● Evelyn Oglesby of Elberton visited Lois and Peggy Sale on Sunday. Also visiting Lois and Peggy on Saturday were Joyce Satterfield Suttles of Broxton and her nieces, Lauree Belle Caplan and Angie McClellan of Yulee, Florida. Joyce's son must be very interested in history because he had been in the Broad area looking for the old school which was near Pope's Chapel. They had really done their research because they found out that the school went from first to ninth grade. After that grade they went to school in Tignall and stayed with someone during the week in Tignall. The Broad area was a long distance from Tignall when one didn't have a car. We might have to do that now that gas is so high.

M. Faulk
P O Box 181
Tignall, Ga 30668

● Pope's Chapel will be having Homecoming on Sunday, Oct. 7th. There will be no service at Independence Methodist on that day. Many people look forward to this homecoming every year for they see their friends and relatives that they only see once a year.

— October 4, 2012

on Hand 1556.21

2100.00 today 745

Flowers are placed on the altar
In loving memory of Landis Faulk

by Nanci Faulk

and in honor of

Mrs. Evelyn Rambo who was 90 years old October 6th

by her family

CD 13, 215.00

Flowers are placed on the piano

in memory of Hazel Combs and Emmie Pullen

whose birthdays would have been October 7th and 11th

by Malcolm and Elizabeth Chafin and Family

Country for 3011.72
172.94
2072.
2265

1524.9

We welcome Robert Smith, a native of Wilkes County, who attended Pope's Chapel as a child. He is employed by the Richmond County Health Dept. as an environmental health specialist. Robert and his wife Carissa are active worshippers of their God and Savior at New Life Baptist Church in Washington and serves as the Church Treasurer. Today he is honored to bring God's Word on this 56th anniversary of Homecoming

2cc 24,649.00

TR 5820

Afternoon Session

Secretary's Report - Nancy Norman Faulk Treasurer's Report - Malcolm Chafin

Report of Committee of Nominations -- Election of Officers -- Other Business

Officers and Committees for 2011

- President - Robert Smith
- Vice President - Laurie Page Kepner
- Secretary - Nancy Norman Faulk
- Treasurer - Malcolm Chafin
- Ushers - David Sale, David Chafin
- Nominations - Elizabeth Chafin, John Keen
- Table Committee - Malcolm Chafin, George Smith, Jimmy Norman, John Keen
- Charlie Jones, Jarrett Keen, Miles Chafin and Chase Chafin

VP Jean Hillard
Flossie
Laurie