



# BASCOMB NEWS

JULY 27, 2023

BASCOMB FAMILY AND FRIENDS ARE HOSTING A  
**Let's Go To The Hop!**

Open to the public!  
Family Fun, all ages welcome!  
NO Cover Charge!  
Refreshments Available!  
Costumes Optional!  
Donations are very much appreciated!

**FRIDAY JULY 28TH**  
**7:00-9:00PM**  
IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL

JOIN US FOR A NIGHT OF FUN AND DANCING  
**SOCK HOP**  
ENJOY 50'S & 60'S MUSIC WITH FAMILY & FRIENDS!  
Bascomb UMC | 2295 Bascomb Carmel Rd., Woodstock  
770-926-9755 | bascombumc.org



TOMORROW! Join us for a fun night of dancing to some wonderful 50's & 60's music or just listen. Bring your family and friends! All ages are welcome! Refreshments will be available as well. Costumes are optional!



## 5th Sunday—One Service— Potluck Brunch

Join us this Sunday July 30th for One Service at 10:00AM with a potluck brunch afterwards. Please click the image above (in the PDF) to RSVP and signup to bring a dish and/or help set-up/cleanup. See RaeLena Rodriguez for details or help to RSVP and signup.

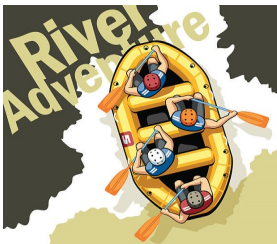
## UMM Rafting Ocoee

### River Trip

Saturday Aug. 5th

\$58.00 per person—money due by Monday July 31st.

Contact Charlie McLemore for more details. 404-863-6457



And we know that in ALL things  
God works for the good  
of those who love him,

who have been called  
according to his purpose.

-Romans 8:28



July 30—One Service  
"Pop Quiz" - Romans 8: 28-39

One of the things I love about Wesleyan Theology is the doctrine of free will in our lives. The choice to accept or deny Christ is our decision, and our decision alone. Heaven or hell have not been chosen for us and as long as we have breath, we can accept Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior.

In our passage for Sunday, Romans 8:28 says, "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose." This verse is often used by others to show that God will cause both the good and bad of all situations to accomplish God's will.

Wesleyan theology does not support that belief and many other Scriptures don't either. A God who loves the world so much would not cause tragic events to anyone for God's Will to be accomplished. God's love would never harm or kill God's children in order to punish us or grieve us. God's Will for us is about loving God with all of our being and loving our neighbor in the same we would want to be loved.

The Apostle Paul asked the church in Rome some 2,000 years ago this very question, "Who shall separate us from the love of Christ?" For the balance of our reading, Paul tells the Roman church then and us today that there is nothing in this world or this universe that can keep us from our loving Heavenly Father. And "nothing" means no thing, no person, no theology will be able to keep us from the Agape Love of God which is found in the life, death, and resurrection of God's Son and our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

**GIVE  
ONLINE**

## CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

There will be a Church Council Meeting Immediately following the 11AM service on Sunday, August 6th in the Fellowship Hall. There will be only item to discuss and vote on in this meeting. Per a letter dated 7/27/23 from Dr. Beth Sanders, our District Superintendent, the Church Council must vote again "to reaffirm their desire for a vote" for our church on whether or not to disaffiliate from the UMC.



### Bascomb Kids

Parent Meeting: Sunday August 6th @ 4:45PM  
in the Big Room



### Youth Group

Parent Meeting: Sunday August 6th @ 5PM  
in the Youth Wing



### **Visit Our Thrift Store!**

9550 Main Street  
Woodstock, GA 30188  
678-324-7937  
Tuesday – Friday  
10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

**Volunteers needed!** If you are available to help, contact Susan Austin  
at [BascombMissionThrift@gmail.com](mailto:BascombMissionThrift@gmail.com).

**Food Pantry needs:** Canned Meats & Fruit, Hearty Soups

**ENROLL TODAY  
MUSIC  
LESSONS**

**ALL AGES WELCOME  
LESSONS AVAILABLE NOW!!**

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