



September 7, 2025 | 13th Sunday after Pentecost



“Outrage, Inc.” | Matthew 5:21-26



## Check-In



### Let us know you are here!

If you have Worshipped with us before and are in the database, scan this QR code with your phone. Put in your 10-digit phone number to Check-In for attendance.

If you are not in our system, simply fill out the Connect Card you received with your bulletin this morning.



### Connect Card

Use the Connect Card to let us know you are Worshipping with us, update your information, or submit a prayer request. Please make a note of who is in attendance in your family - each family member does not need to fill out a card. You can place this card in the Offering baskets as they come by during the service or you can place them in the offering boxes location in the Narthex or the Connector. If your prayer request is confidential in nature, feel free to hand the Connect Card directly to the pastor at the end of the service.



### Wi-fi Network: “Cannon Family”, Password: CCConnect



**Hearing Assistance Available.** Upgraded devices are available for those who need them. Please see Mark in the sound booth.



**For information on Children’s Ministry**, contact Rebecca Rhodes (678.501.6417 or [rebeccar@cannonchurch.org](mailto:rebeccar@cannonchurch.org))

Join us Sunday Mornings at 9:30 or 11am for our Kids Service



**For information on Youth Ministry**, contact Jan Dwyer ([jand@cannonchurch.org](mailto:jand@cannonchurch.org) or 678.501.6413).

Join us Sunday Mornings at 9:30 for Youth Sunday School and 5pm Sunday Evenings for Youth Group.



### Make a Joyful Noise - Come join the Music Ministry!

**Worship Choir:** rehearses Wednesday @ 7pm

**Praise Band:** rehearses Thursday @7:30pm

**Orchestra:** rehearses Thursday @ 6:30pm

**Handbells:** rehearses Wednesday @ 6pm

Email Joseph ([josephb@cannonchurch.org](mailto:josephb@cannonchurch.org)) with questions!

Order of Worship

WE GATHER TO  
WORSHIP GOD

Welcome	Rev. Tim Emmett Pastor
Announcements	Pam Freeman
Opening Hymn	“Christ is Made the Sure Foundation” Orchestra
Opening Prayer	
Children’s Message	
Anthem	“Lord, Make Me an Instrument” Worship Choir featuring Melissa Hearn, clarinet

WE LISTEN TO  
GOD’S WORD

Message	“Outrage, Inc.” <i>But I Say to You: Finding Happiness by Following Jesus</i> Matthew 5:21-26	Rev. Tim Emmett Pastor
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WE RESPOND  
TO GOD’S CALL

Hymn of Response	“Dona Nobis Pacem” #376
Prayers of Thanksgiving and Intercession	
Invitation to the Table	
Prayer of Confession	
Assurance of Pardon	
Invitation to Give	
Offertory Music	“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” arr. by Camp Kirkland
The Great Thanksgiving	
The Lord’s Prayer	
<b>Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.</b>	
Holy Communion	
Prayer after Communion	

WE GO FORTH  
TO SERVE GOD

Closing Praise	“Open My Eyes That I May See” #454
Benediction	
Song of Response	“On Eagle’s Wings” #143 Mike Gaul & Joseph Brewer, Director of Music Ministry



## But I Say To You A few possible next steps

*Would you like to find happiness by following Jesus? Take time each day to read, reflect, practice, and pray!*

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### READ

This fall we are reading and reflecting on the speeches of Jesus in the Gospel of Matthew. As we will discover, these speeches have changed, and are changing, the world by inviting us to live toward the world as it will be. In other words, they both challenge and help us to *be* the change God has promised to bring when Christ comes again. Three weeks ago we read the Sermon on the Mount in one week. We are now slowing down to read the Sermon at a slower, more meditative pace.

Monday: Matthew 7:1-11

Tuesday: Matthew 7:12

Wednesday: Matthew 7:13-14

Thursday: Matthew 7:15-20

Friday: Matthew 7:21-23

Saturday: Matthew 7:24-29

Sunday: Catch up on your reading!

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### REFLECT

The Sermon on the Mount is the best known, most often quoted, and most widely ignored teaching of Jesus. After reading the passages above, take a moment to reflect on any or all of the following questions.

How is this teaching counter-intuitive (not what we expect) and/or counter-cultural (not how we live)?

What do you find most challenging or disturbing in this passage?

What's most exciting?

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### PRACTICE

Here at Cannon we're committed to four basic steps in our discipleship to Jesus: *gathering* for worship, *growing* in love, *giving* to bless, and *going* to serve. This week, if you haven't done so already, give to bless by signing up to run, walk or pray during the Relay for Love on Thursday, September 11! See our bulletin for more information.

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### PRAY

Before (and after!) reading the Scriptures listed above, take a moment to pray this prayer:

*Lord Jesus, you are not a dead founder, but our living Lord. Be our Priest to forgive us, our Prophet to teach us, our King to rule us, and our Shepherd to guide us; for the good of our neighbors, the blessing of our enemies, and the glory of our God. Amen!*



## SE Gwinnett Co-op Donations

### Most Needed Item for September: Peanut Butter

Each month, each church will be focused on one item for donation to the SEGC. For September, Cannon's item is ***Peanut Butter***. While all items are still welcome, Peanut Butter will be the item they most need from us.



Place your donations in the bins at the lower level entrances. Thank you for your generous support of SE Gwinnett Co-op!



## Feed My Lambs - Help Feed Hungry Kids!

Thank you for your generous support last school year. We provided 1173 breakfasts, lunches, and snacks, 1700 dinners, and 40 family bags during Spring Break, Thanksgiving, and Christmas breaks.

As we gear up for the next school year, please consider a monetary donation and/or purchased items listed below that can be dropped off in the designated bin at the Main entrance during church hours, Monday-Thursday 9am-3pm, or on Sundays. Generally, the preference is to have everything single-serve and/or for the cans to be pop-tabs.

### Most Needed Items:

- ♦ Individual Cereals
- ♦ Chicken - can/packets
- ♦ Mac 'n Cheese - individual cups
- ♦ Pasta Meals - cans
- ♦ Peanut Butter - jar
- ♦ Ramen Noodles
- ♦ Shelf Stable Milk
- ♦ Tuna - can/packages

### Other Needed Items:

- ♦ Applesauce Cups
- ♦ Beanie Weenies
- ♦ Fruit Cups
- ♦ Granola Bars
- ♦ Hearty Soups
- ♦ Oatmeal - individual packets
- ♦ Pudding
- ♦ Vienna Sausage

**Our neighbors need us now more than ever!**



## Mission of the Month for September is Wellroot

On Communion Sundays, a special offering is taken to support a Mission of Cannon Church. The Special

Offering and Mission of the Month for September will support Wellroot. You can give on Communion Sunday, September 7, at the altar rail or any time throughout the month.



With a focus on the whole family and over 150 years of faith-centered service, Wellroot's programs are designed to keep families together whenever possible, provide short-term foster families when needed, and nurture and educate teens and young adults to break the cycle of trauma in their lives.

You can give online at [cannonchurch.org](http://cannonchurch.org), give, give online and choose Communion Rail Offering, in the Offering plate, or in the boxes located in the Narthex and the Connector.



**Relay for Love** - 9/11/25

Don't drop the baton.

**Sponsor a friend!**

Scan the QR code to donate.

All proceeds go to the **World Service Fund**.



## **Don't Drop the Baton - Join the Relay for Love Run. Walk. Pray. Give.**

On **Thursday, September 11**, Cannon members and friends will take turns running or walking one mile to raise money for the **World Service Fund**. This vital United Methodist fund helps support missionaries, build churches, train pastors, feed hungry children, and serve at-risk youth around the world.

### **How to join:**

- **Register at:** [cannonchurch.org](http://cannonchurch.org) – Registrations
- **Cost:** \$35 (includes a Relay for Love t-shirt!)
- **T-Shirt Pickup:**
  - o Before/after worship on **Sunday, September 7**
  - o Reception Desk: **September 8–10**, 9am–Noon

### **Run or Walk Anywhere!**

Join from your favorite trail or neighborhood—or come to our campus where a one-mile loop will be open from **9:30am to 6:30pm on September 11**.

### **Prefer to Pray Instead?**

No problem! Become a **Prayer Walker**—register, sign up, and dedicate time to pray instead of walk.

### **Multiply Your Impact:**

Invite family and friends to **sponsor your mile** or give directly to the cause by scanning the QR code or visiting:

**[cannonchurch.org](http://cannonchurch.org) → Give → Give Online → World Service Fund – Relay for Love**



## **Become More Like Jesus!**

Would you go on a cruise and stay in your cabin, attend a play and leave at intermission, or head for the exits right after the Bulldogs run onto the field? Then why would you settle for less than of the gospel, less of God's grace, less of God's power, and less of God's call than he's offering to you through the presence and power of the Spirit of Jesus? Starting Sunday, September 14 at 9:30am and Wednesday, September 17 at 6pm, Pastor Tim will lead *From the Inside Out*, a 6-session class on spiritual formation from Renovare, a ministry that helps people experience God's grace in their everyday lives. Sign up today at [Cannonchurch.org](http://Cannonchurch.org), Registrations! As with previous classes from Pastor Tim, sign up for Sunday or Wednesday, but feel free to come to whichever day works best for you in any given week. For more information, contact Pastor Tim at [TimE@cannonchurch.org](mailto:TimE@cannonchurch.org).



### **Donuts & Coffee in the Connector - September 14**

Join us in the Connector on September 14 at 10:30am. Come enjoy fellowship, coffee, and donuts!

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### **Sarah Circle - September 15**

All ladies are invited to join the Sarah Circle for September 15 meeting. One of our favorite former Cannon kids, Kristen Williams, will give the latest updates on her non-profit, Kids Boost, that gives kids “seed money” and helps them develop their own charity event. We will gather at 6:30pm for fellowship and food in the Youth Center - enter the church at the Education entrance (aka Grand Lobby), then the program will begin at 7pm. For more info or if you arrive after the doors are locked, contact Diane Cline (770.317.0751) or Marilyn Otroszko (770.380.4108).

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### **Trivia + Pizza + Friends = The Perfect Night!**

Join us for a fun evening hosted by the Music Ministry - it's all about laughter, good food, and showing off those random facts you *swear* would be useful someday!

- ♦ September 20
- ♦ Fellowship Hall
- ♦ 6pm
- ♦ Pizza & Dessert (included!)
- ♦ Team Trivia (all general knowledge - no PhDs required!)
- ♦ \$8/adults | \$4/kids

Grab your crew and register now @ [cannonchurch.org](http://cannonchurch.org), Registrations

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### **Reception of New Members: September 21**

We would love to be your new (or first) church! Therefore, we'll receive new members on September 21 during the service of worship. For more information - or to sign up for September 21 - please register at [cannonchurch.org](http://cannonchurch.org), Registrations or contact Jan Dwyer, our Director of Discipleship and Hospitality, at [JanD@cannonchurch.org](mailto:JanD@cannonchurch.org).

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### **Prayer Shawl Meeting**

Calling all those who enjoy crocheting and knitting! The Prayer Shawl Ministry invites you to bring your needles and yarn and join us on the second Monday of each month at 7pm in the Staff Conference Room (1st floor-enter at the Main entrance). For information or to request a shawl for someone, call Carol Upreti (404.731.0835).



**For information on  
Children's Ministry**

Contact: Rebecca Rhodes  
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A colorful graphic with a brown paper background and decorative borders. It features the text "JOIN US SUNDAY MORNINGS" in green, "9:30AM" in orange, and "11AM SUNDAY MORNING KIDS' SERVICE" in orange. Below the 11AM service, there is a list of activities and a "NEW" section for Pre K-K classes.

**JOIN US SUNDAY MORNINGS**

**9:30AM**

- Nursery (0-3 years)
- Combined 4-year-old through 5th Grade Sunday School Hour

**11AM SUNDAY MORNING KIDS' SERVICE**

- Nursery (0-3 years)
- **NEW** Pre K-K (ages 4,5,6) – Class in the Nursery hallway, Room 123. An age-appropriate Bible Lesson will be provided with Worship, games, crafts, and other activities! We are excited for you to join us!
- 1st-5th Grade will begin in the Sanctuary and then be dismissed downstairs to resume a morning of Bible, games, and activities.



**For information on  
Youth Ministry**

Contact Jan Dwyer  
678.501.6413  
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## Youth Schedule for August & September

Cannon Youth are off to a great start. A team of volunteers are assembled and ready to be with our fantastic youth on Sundays for Sunday School and Sunday Night.

Register online to feed our kids as well as for the Gwinnett Stripers game. Please help us serve these teens by feeding and getting to know them better.

We will be following the sermon series for Scripture focus on Sunday nights and learning about resources to help us dig a little deeper.

REGISTER AT CANNONCHURCH.ORG, REGISTRATIONS

**AUGUST 31**  
Labor Day Weekend - No Youth

**SEPTEMBER 7**  
12pm - Leave for Gwinnett Stripers Game (Cannon buses)  
Return for snack supper finishing at 7pm.  
**Scripture:** Matthew 5:21-26

**SEPTEMBER 14**  
**Meal:** Taco Bar - Dwyers  
**Scripture:** Matthew 5:33-37

**SEPTEMBER 21**  
**Meal:** Sign Up Online  
**Scripture:** Matthew 5:38-48

**SEPTEMBER 28**  
**Meal:** Sign Up Online  
**Scripture:** Matthew 6:1-6, 16-18

# Prayer List

## August

### Prayer Focus:

Back-to-School / students, parents, educators

## August Mission

### Prayer Focus:

GO Team / Feed My Lambs

\*In an effort to keep the Prayer List up-to-date, please submit updates to any requests currently posted, including the Armed Forces section.

**New Concerns** will run for three weeks unless an update is submitted. **Ongoing Concerns** will run for three months unless an update is submitted.

### New Concerns (Listed for 3 weeks)

- Dante Buckley's father – suffered a stroke
- Helena D. Bell – Coronary Angiogram on August 29
- Kimora Harris – to seek God
- To be diligent in my walk with God and to be blessed to be a blessing
- Our Amazing Son – that God's mighty hand and presence will guide the medical team through his successful recovery to health
- Gwen Gangloff – for strength as she faces a long series of chemo
- Haley – having biopsy on a mass in her throat
- Dustin – prayers for him, family, and friends
- For God's healing presence and guiding hand on the medical team of our special friend, Kathy, her husband and family, through surgery and recovery in her serious medical emergency.
- Difficult business decisions. For God to guide us and help us navigate through it
- Detroit Lions Safety Morice Norris – Injured during pre-season game
- World Peace
- Daughter – to find a godly husband this year, who would be faithful to her, love her and protect her
- Son – to stop putting harmful substances in his body
- Rose – Prayers for me to be able to sleep more than 3 hours each night
- Snellville Farmer's Market Peach stand man – comfort, his 34-year old son passed away this past week

### Praises (Listed for 3 weeks)

- Molly and Frankie Claxton – after having twin baby girls delivered at 29 weeks, both girls are now at home
- The birth of Calvin Hendrix Bass on 8/2 to Stacy & Brandon Bass. Big sisters are Harper and Halley. Grandparents are Denice and Rocky King.
- The birth of Robert King Iseley on 8/3 to Kate King and Robert Iseley. Grandparents are Denice & Rocky King.

- I praise and thank God that 80 doesn't look nor feel so bad. I was dreading it but when I am reminded of so many blessings, how can one not be thankful, in Jesus' name, AMEN!

### Our Sympathy to (Listed for 3 weeks)

- Janelle Bingham and family on the death of her father, Isaac Martin, on July 27
- Our dear family friend passed away on August 8 at the age of 48. During 32 years of living with only her brain functioning she was able to practice her faith and write her poetry

### Ongoing Concerns (Listed for 3 months)

- Cathie Rhames – has ALS, getting weaker everyday
- Deloris Mims – need prayer for healing
- Eric Schott – health concerns
- Carol – prayers for healing – ongoing treatments

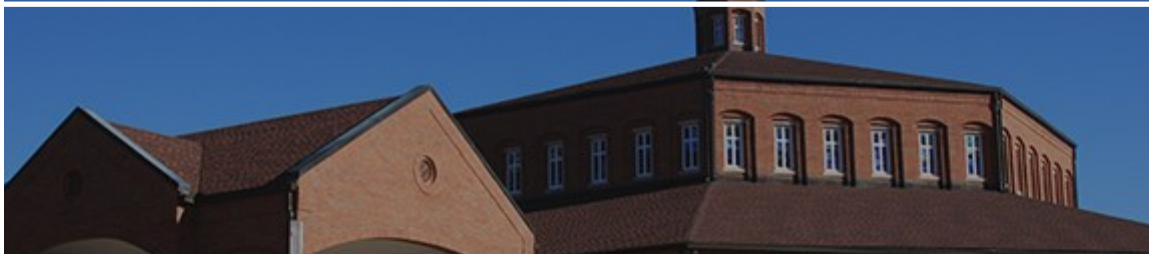
### Armed Forces

- Lt. Colonel Lane Daigle (USMC) – Pentagon, Washington, D.C.
- Major Jon Brown (Air Force) – Eglin AFB, FL
- Parker Travis (Navy) – ABFC (Select) – USS Kearsarge LHD3, Norfolk, VA
- Christian Peterson (Navy)
- Staff Sgt. Jeff Wells (Army) – Syria
- Drew Moseley (Navy) – Whidbey Island Naval Air Station
- Levi Reulecke (Navy) – Chief Master at Arms – stationed in Guam
- Nate Smith LCpL (Marines) – stationed at Camp Hansen, Okinawa Japan
- Capt. Grant Capps, MD (Air Force) – Tinker AFB in Oklahoma
- Lieutenant Colonel (LTC) Clay Bagwell – Aviation Task Force Commander

### Missionaries

- Our missionaries in Egypt
- Donald and Cristy Stretch and family (Dominical, Costa Rica)

# How Can I Give?



Your generosity enables our church to continue its mission and ministry.  
Thank you for your faithful support!

## Ways to Give

### Offering Baskets

Place your offering in the baskets as they are passed through the pews during the service. This is a way to give and participate in the worship experience.

### Designated Giving Boxes

Offering boxes are located in the Narthex and Connector for your convenience. You can drop your contribution before or after the service.

### Online Giving

Give securely online through the website: [cannonchurch.org](http://cannonchurch.org), Give, Give Online

Online giving allows you to set up a pledge, recurring donations, or make one-time gifts.

### Mail Your Gift

You are also welcome to mail your gift to the church at:

2424 Webb Gin House Road  
Snellville, GA 30078

Please make your checks payable to  
Cannon United Methodist Church.

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Your gifts support our ministries, outreach, and day-to-day functions of the church. We are grateful to you for your continued generous support.



Scan the QR Code to go to the Giving Page.

## THIS WEEK <sup>at</sup> GLANCE



### Sunday, September 7

9:30am Adult Sunday School  
 9:30am Youth Sunday School  
 9:30am Cannon Kids  
 11am Worship Service  
 5:12pm Youth Group leaves for  
 Gwinnett Stripers Game

### Monday, September 8

6pm Boy Scouts  
 6pm SPRC Meeting  
 7pm Families Anonymous  
 8pm Alcoholics Anonymous

### Tuesday, September 9

8am Tuesday Morning Men's  
 Bible Study  
 6:30pm Trustees Meeting

### Wednesday, September 10

7pm Worship Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, September 11

9am Relay for Love  
 6:30pm Praise Band Rehearsal  
 8pm Alcoholics Anonymous

### Friday, September 12

10am Art Bee Group

### Saturday, September 13

7:30am Men's Bible Study  
 9:45am DITR Gem Camp Kick-Off and  
 Parent Orientation  
 7:45pm Narcotics Anonymous

### Sunday, September 14

9:30am Adult Sunday School  
 9:30am Youth Sunday School  
 9:30am Cannon Kids  
 10:30am Donuts & Coffee  
 11am Worship Service  
 12pm SAM (Senior Adult Ministry)  
 Meeting  
 5pm Youth Group

## Meet Our Staff

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