

The Americus FMC Bulletin

April 26, 2026

ENJOY

The Resurrection Power

Romans 6:11-12

Today, we begin a sermon series entitled, “ENJOY”, which will focus on embracing God’s presence with us through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus Christ. As we embrace God’s presence, we will also look at cultivating contentment and seek to find joy in daily life, rather than just enduring life.

We begin with “Enjoy: The Resurrection Power”. Enjoying the resurrection power means living in daily victory of Christ’s resurrection. This way of living brings power to overcome sin, endure suffering with joy, as well as stamina and guidance to live out God’s purpose. This is not a superficial power, but a divine power to help us focus on hope in the present reality, which transforms us during life’s struggles with opportunities to experience God’s miraculous and saving intervention in our daily life.

1. Discuss your understanding of redemption.
What is the impact of God’s redemption for us?
2. What does it mean to “reckon” or “consider” yourselves dead to sin?
Is this a feeling, a hope, or a fact?
Why?
3. How is it possible to be “alive to God in Christ Jesus” while still living in a physical, unredeemed body?
4. What is one area of your life in which you struggle, and how does viewing yourself as “dead” to it change your approach?
5. How does believing that our future is secure help us experience the power of the resurrection today?
6. Discuss the importance of realizing sin has no dominion over the resurrected Christ and how that gives us victory over sin.
7. What does enjoy the resurrection power look like in life?
Is it just about resisting sin?
How can we be more in tune with God that empowers us to be alive in God?

God bless you as you walk with Him in the resurrection power through Jesus Christ!

Daryl

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First Methodist Church of Americus

Worship 11:00 am

April 26, 2026

4th Sunday of Easter

WORSHIP Sam Morris
Praise the Lord Who Reigns Above (#10 OGRP; #96 UMH)
O Worship the King (#11 OGRP; #73 UMH)

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #881Rev. Daryl Brown

GLORIA PATRI #71 Sam Morris

PRELUDE Sylvia McDaniel & Alwen Yeung
My Shepherd Will Supply My Need (arr. Dick Wall)

PASTORAL PRAYERRev. Daryl Brown

ANTHEMChancel Choir
Give Me Oil in My Lamp (arr. Joseph M. Martin)

OFFERTORY PRAYER Sam Morris

OFFERTORY Sylvia McDaniel & Alwen Yeung
Be Thou My Vision (arr. Christine D. Anderson)

DOXOLOGY #95Alwen Yeung

SERMON.....Rev. Daryl Brown

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Trust and Obey (#334 OGRP; #467UMH)

BENEDICTION.....Rev. Daryl Brown

POSTLUDEAlwen Yeung

Media: Bob Slenker

Greeter: Jane Arnold : Sandra McNeill

Ushers: Ginger Starlin (Captain), Jan Bird, Karen Austin,
Nancy Jones, Mara Durham, Judy Tott, Beth NeSmith,
Jean Buchanan, Lisa Simpson, Sandra McNeill,
Meagan Speegle, Lydia Ann Fowler, Penny Bolin,
Pam Smith, MaryLen Walker

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

April 26th - 9:00AM - Social Hall

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Rev. Daryl Brown

This Week's Worship

John Cook, Rebecca Ferguson, Jackson McSweeney,
Rev. Daryl Brown, Randy Saye

Media & Sound

Camille Cochran

Greeters

Smitty & Linda Eason

Gifts in Memory of

Floyd Martin

From

Keith & Teresa Teasley

Jim & Nyla Franklin

Betty Lee Scott

from

Keith & Teresa Teasley

Jim Bolin

From

John & Alice Argo Jr

Carolyn Lovett

Jim & Nyla Franklin

Gayle Price

From

Keith & Teresa Teasley

Linda Thomason

from

Arnold & Mara Durham

Robin Lowrey

Mary Comer

from

Keith & Teresa Teasley

John & Alice Argo Jr

Reggie Comer

from

John & Alice Argo Jr

Marice Richardson

from

Jim & Nyla Franklin



Attention ACF Participants and Ladies of FMC:

Join us for the **LOVE LIFE – Joyce Meyer Women's Conference**, taking place at the Amalie Arena in beautiful Tampa, Florida, from Thursday, October 22 through Saturday, October 24, 2026.

Worship will be led by Natalie Grant and Hope Darst, with guest speakers Christine Caine, Lisa Harper, and Joyce Meyer.

Cost: \$674.95

Includes:

- Admission to all three days of the conference
- Two-night hotel stay
- Transportation
- Three meals

Important: Full payment is due at the time of registration.

Registration deadline: June 7, 2026

For more information or to reserve your spot, please contact Teresa Flynt.



This week, our theme is Fairy Tales! Next week, we will be celebrating our amazing teachers for Teacher Appreciation Week. We are so grateful for each of them and the love and care they pour into our children every single day. We hope everyone has a wonderful week!

Casey Pitts, Director



FIELDS OF FAITH

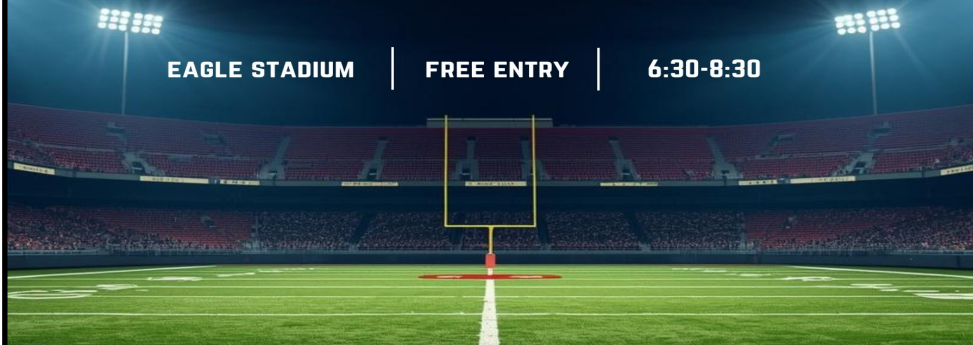
APRIL 29, 2026



WORSHIP · MESSAGE · PRAYER



VENDORS OPEN FROM 6-7
REOPENING AFTER SERVICE



EAGLE STADIUM | FREE ENTRY | 6:30-8:30

Youth will not have Bible Study On Wednesday in the Foundry, instead we will meet at FMC and leave at 5:30 going to Fields of Faith in the church van. Everyone is invited - Chaperones needed.



PRESENTS:

UNDER THE DOME

A PATRIOTIC TALENT SHOWCASE

JUNE 28, 2026

5:00PM



RECEPTION TO FOLLOW

**A PATRIOTIC TALENT SHOW
CELEBRATING "GOD AND COUNTRY,"
FEATURING LOCAL TALENT FROM OUR
CHURCH AND COMMUNITY. JOIN US FOR
AN INSPIRING EVENING OF FAITH,
MUSIC, AND CREATIVITY!**

FREE ADMISSION!

INTERESTED IN PERFORMING?

**CONTACT SAM MORRIS, DIRECTOR OF WORSHIP ARTS
SMORRIS@FMCAMERICUS.ORG | (229) 924-3169**



Family Night Supper

**BBQ, Brunswick Stew, Coleslaw, Baked Beans and
Dessert**

Monday at Noon

to the office or on Communication Cards for

April 29th

5:15 pm in the Social Hall

Come Enjoy the Food and Fellowship!

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Cuyler Barr, Holly Roquemore Bickel, Penny Bolin, Alice Buchanan Brown,
Christina Brown, Mary Tom Byram, Diane Corning, Brenda Davis, Evelyn Dean,
Trey Dixon, Lyn Dozier, Sharon Dutton, The Family of Betty Ellis,
Waylon English, Holli Farr, Anne Gilfoil, Melanie Hahn, Steve Hudson,
Marcia Johnson, Nick Klein, Lynne Knecht, Tyler Mazey, Brooks Starlin Mechler,
Tracy Palmer, Christian, Robert & Jennifer Parks, Lutrelle Perry, Joyce Perry,
Gene Pierce, Chris Revell, Gene Richardson, George Roquemore,
Jennifer Sizemore, Harriet Smith, Caden Stone, Connor Taylor,
Landon Thorpe, Terry Thorpe, Emily Waller, Jimmy Whaley, Rick Whaley,
Karen Willis, Carolyn Wright, Kathleen Wright

Events This Week

Sunday, April 26th

9:00 am Early Worship in the Social Hall
10:00 am-12:00 pm Infant Nursery in the Sanctuary Building
10:00 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Service in the Sanctuary

Monday, April 27th

10:00 am WSC Ellis-Lanier Circle meeting in the Parlor
11:00 am Ministry Staff Meeting in Pastor Daryl's Office

Tuesday, April 28th

8:00 am Red Roosters Reunion Group in the
Coffee Café
5:45 pm ACF Meeting in the Coffee Café
6:45 pm FMC Softball Game: Green Field

Wednesday, April 29th

3 :30 pm Stitches in the Parlor
4:00 pm ACF Women's Small Group in the Youth Foundry
4:30 pm Butterfly Reunion Group in the Coffee Café
5:15 pm Family Night Supper in the Social Hall
6:00 pm Adult Bible Study in the Social Hall
6:00 pm Children's Activities in Children's Ministry Area
7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal in the Music Suite

Thursday, April 30th

8:00 pm FMC Softball Game: Green Field

Friday, May 1st

Office Closed

Upcoming Events

May 3rd, Celebration Luncheon for confirmands and their families in the Social Hall at 12 noon

May 4th, Missions Committee Meeting in the Coffee Café

May 5th, FMC Softball Game: Green Field at 8:00 pm

Total Sunday Worship Attendance for April 19, 2026:

OUR RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS

Rise Against Hungry..... 158

Giving as of April 12th & 19th:

Budget Giving This Week.....	\$	15,293.29	3,871.87
YTD Budget Giving	\$	177,116.27	192,519.46
YTD Budget Expenditures	\$	214,724.34	247,347.39