

# WALKING IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF WESLEY

August 4 – 7, 2020  
St. Simons Island, Georgia

## Schedule

### Tuesday, August 4

2:00 – 5:00 pm	Registration
1:00 – 3:00 pm	HSUMC Executive Committee Meeting
3:00 – 4:00 pm	SEJHS Executive Committee Meeting
4:00 – 5:00 pm	SEJHS Meeting
5:30 pm	Dinner at EBTS or on your own
7:00 pm	Welcome
7:15 – 8:00 pm	First Program
8:00 – 8:15 pm	Break
8:15 – 9:00 pm	Second Program
9:00	Ice Cream Social

### Wednesday, August 5

7:00 am	Breakfast
8:00 am	Board bus for excursion to Savannah
8:00 – 10:00 am	Drive to Fort Pulaski/Cockspur Island
10:00 – 11:00 am	Walking Tour of Cockspur Island
11:00 – 11:30 am	Drive to Savannah
11:30 – 1:00 pm	Lunch at Pirate's House Savannah
1:00 – 2:00 pm	Walking Tour of Savannah
2:00 – 3:00 pm	Free Time
3:00 – 4:30 pm	Return to St. Simons Island
5:30 pm	Dinner at EBTS or on your own
7:00 – 8:00 pm	Third Program

### Thursday, August 6

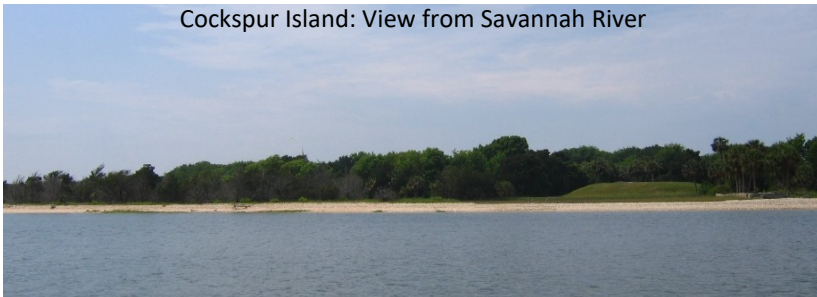
7:00 am	Breakfast at EBTS or on your own
9:00 am – Noon	Tour of St. Simons Island (half of the group)
Noon – 1:00 pm	Lunch at EBTS
1:00 – 4:00 pm	Tour of St. Simons Island (other half of group)
1:00 – 3:00 pm	SEJHS Meeting
3:00 – 5:00 pm	HSUMC Meeting
6:00 – 9:00 pm	Banquet dinner and presentation at EBTS

### Friday, August 7

7:00 am	Breakfast at EBTS or on your own
9:00 am	Closing Communion Service

February 6, 1736 Landing Site for *The Simmonds* and *The Merchant of London*

Cockspur Island: View from Savannah River



Savannah River and Atlantic Ocean from Cockspur I.



## Walking in the Footsteps of John Wesley

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Online Registration will be open on February 1 and can be found on the Moore Methodist Museum website [www.mooremuseum.com](http://www.mooremuseum.com)

Registrations can also be mailed to Moore Methodist Museum

100 Arthur J. Moore Drive Saint Simons Island GA 31522

Registration Cost is \$90 which includes lunch at the Pirate's House in Savannah, charter bus excursions to Cockspur Island, Savannah, and a tour of St. Simons Island, and the banquet dinner at Epworth By The Sea Conference Center

Deadline for registrations is July 15, 2020

Registrations will only be refunded after July 15 if there is a mandatory evacuation called for the coastal region of Georgia

Space is limited to 75 participants and so please register early

Epworth By The Sea Conference Center (912) 638-8688

Our personal reservationist is Trice Roberts and she will handle all of your accommodations and meals

All programs will be held at Epworth By The Sea Conference Center

All excursions will depart and return to Epworth By The Sea Conference Center

The banquet dinner will be held at Epworth By The Sea Conference Center

Many different rooming options with varied price points can be found at Epworth By The Sea Conference Center

Arrangements can be made for physical disabilities by contacting Anne Packard, Curator of the Moore Methodist Museum at [director@mooremuseum.org](mailto:director@mooremuseum.org)

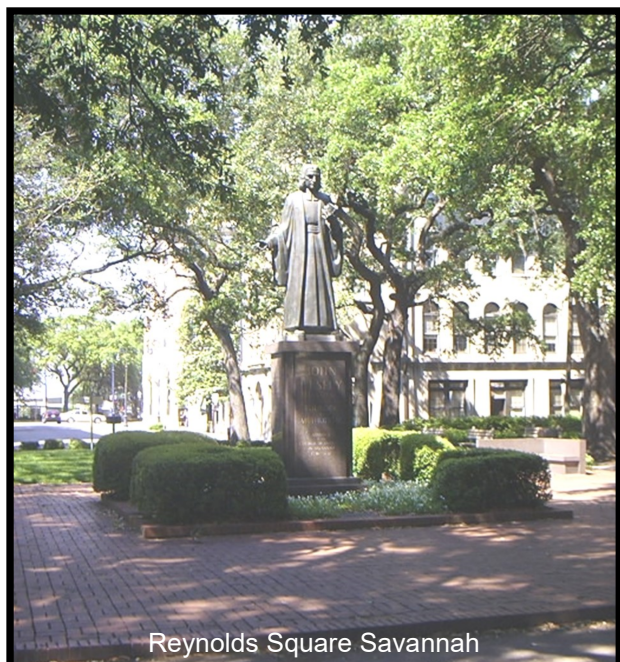
For housing other than at Epworth By The Sea the St. Simons Island website at [www.StSimonsIsland.com](http://www.StSimonsIsland.com) is suggested. (editor's note)



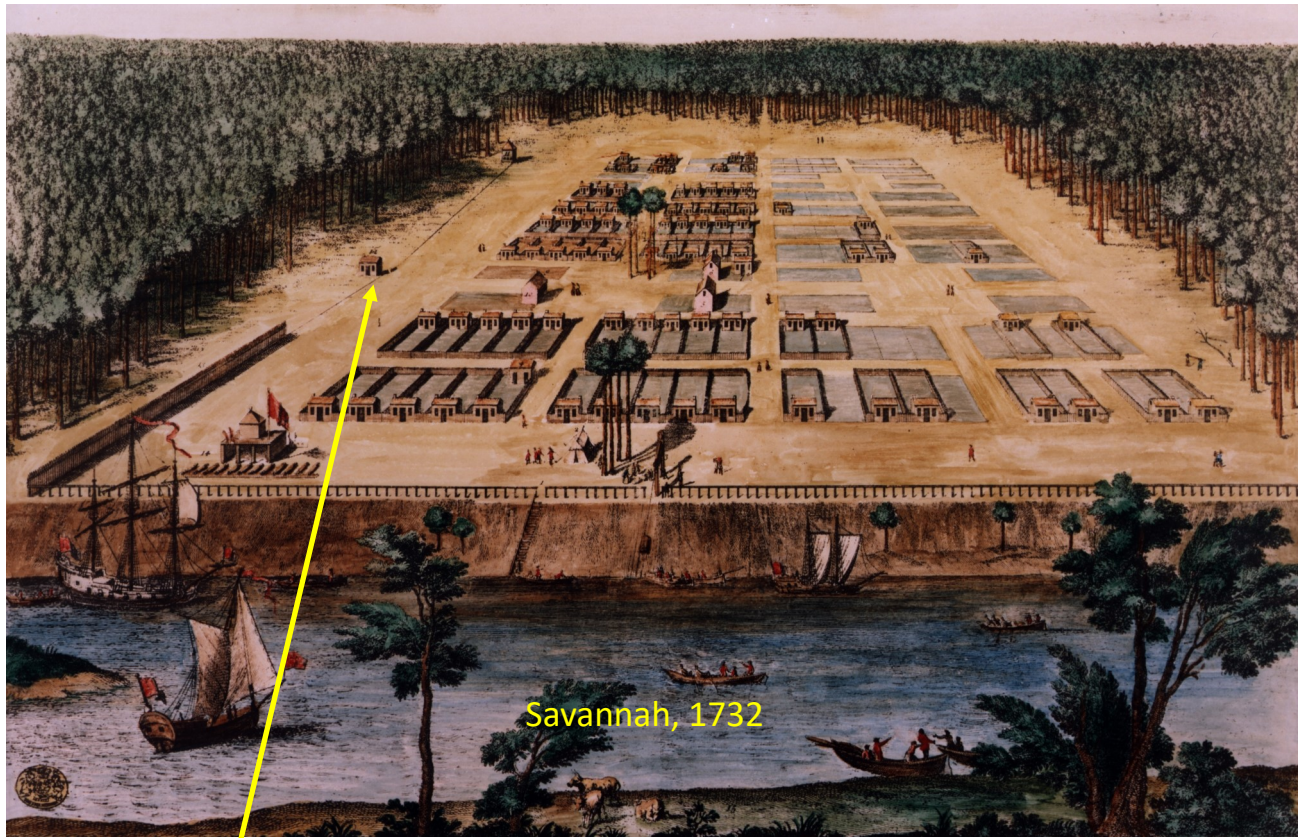
Ft. Frederica National Monument



Pirates' House, Savannah



Reynolds Square Savannah



Parsonage on corner of Abercorn Street and E. St. Julian Street (Reynolds Square)

## 2020 Annual Meeting Excursions

Unlike Charles Wesley, many people regard St. Simons Island as a “cool” place to visit, year-round, but the island does heat up in the summertime. Planners considered the summer heat for the August 2020 meeting when they included two bus tours: one half-day tour to Fort Frederica National Park and other sites on the island; the other tour, a full day for Methodist sites and buffet lunch at *The Pirates’ House* in Savannah.

Because of the distances and availability of parking, car-pooling would introduce problems for drivers. A comfortable, AIR-CONDITIONED bus will make the tours far more enjoyable for everyone. But busses and meals at nice restaurants are expensive; planning for an uncertain number made including the cost necessary and increased the proposed registration fee significantly as presented to the Executive Committee November 7.

The Executive Committee has therefore supplemented support from available funds to reduce the registration fee to a normal level. **All registrants will be welcome to join the tours and share in the meal at no additional cost.**

The Savannah trip will include some program discussion during the two-hour drives to and from Savannah. An interesting bonus: a part of *The Pirates’ House* served as living quarters and work shed for the gardener in the colonial Trustees Garden. The oldest part of the building is the only structure in modern Savannah known to John and Charles Wesley. Although the menu does not include buffet meals, it does provide an interesting history of the building. The menu may be found on the internet at [thepirateshouse.com](http://thepirateshouse.com).

*-Franklin Buie, Membership*