

# DECATUR JULY 4 **PIED PIPER** 2023 **PARADE**

## Celebrate the Fourth of July hometown-style in downtown Decatur!

Join in the Pied Piper Parade as it winds through downtown with floats, wagons, and bicycles. Gather friends and family to ride, walk, or skate in this community parade.

It's for anyone and everyone – children and adults! Neighborhoods and organizations are encouraged to join the fun, too. And, of course, remember your red, white and blue!

Prizes will be awarded for best decorated bikes and floats.

Afterward, head to the community bandstand for the Concert on the Square and fireworks!

### Parade Route And Line-Up

Parade line-up begins at 5:30 p.m. at the First Baptist Church of Decatur at 308 Clairemont Ave, Decatur, GA 30030. The parade begins promptly at 6 p.m., and winds its way to the square for the presentation of colors and the Star Spangled Banner. The parade route is approximately one mile long. It turns right out of the church parking lot, left onto Commerce Drive, right onto Church Street, right onto E. Ponce de Leon Avenue, left onto Commerce Drive, left onto W. Trinity Place, ending at N. McDonough Street.

### Parade Guidelines

- Do NOT throw candy (or anything else) from the car or vehicle. This presents a safety hazard.
- Only one car per political candidate may enter the parade.
- Loudspeakers and/or music may be used during the parade itself, but must be turned off during the parade line-up period.
- Those walking should go with the group that walks. If candidates prefer to have supporters walking beside the car, please do not hand out brochures or trinkets along the way. Please be aware of safety precautions when walking near rolling vehicles.
- Parade line-up is strictly first come, first served.



**Register for the Parade It's free! | [decaturga.com/july4](https://decaturga.com/july4)**

Let us know you're joining the parade. Please note that political candidates and those participating with vehicles **MUST** register their vehicles.