

UPPER ROOM PRAYER MINISTERS TODAY

MorningSong: Elizabeth Posey and Kathy Wallace
 Traditional Service: Rhonda Patton and Nancy Peeler

PRAYER REQUESTS

Frances Austin	Susan Huffman	Charlie Peeler
Ann Caldwell	Doris Jackson	Russell Phelps
Gary Cranford	Lucy Krull	Rachell Ruppe
Rain Critz	Ann Lazure	Forrest Scott
Joe Daniels	Lori Lindsey	Adeline Shankle
Shannon Daniels	Nancy Lindsey	Sonny Sherrod
Celia Demery	David Marshall	Family of Fontaine Smith
Betty Ferris	Peggy Massey	Chad Stafford
Rocky Gilbreath	Edith McBride	Leslie Trumbo
Ruth Glass	Walter McIntosh	Mark Wilson
Bruce Gray	Patsy Morris	Mae Belle Wright
Jeanette Hathcock	Jean Patton	

175th Anniversary Worship and Celebration

Sunday, September 29, 2013 10:30 a.m.

September 29 is a special day in the life of the church as we celebrate 175 years of ministry, as well as the future of First United Methodist Church.



Bishop McAlilly will be on hand, orchestral instruments will help to lead worship, and we will have a fellowship meal as well as a church wide photograph.

Please RSVP to Holley Morris, Administrative Secretary

901-476-9694 or hmorris_fumc@bellsouth.net

Food will be available according to reservations.

(Suggested donation of \$5.00)

CALENDAR SEPTEMBER 22 - SEPTEMBER 28, 2013

Sunday, September 22, 2013

8:30 a.m. Morning Song Service
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School - Educational Building
 11:00 a.m. Traditional Service
 1:00 p.m. Delayed broadcast of Traditional Worship service on KBJ, Ch. 5 in county and Ch. 19 in city
 5:00 p.m. UMYF

Tuesday, September 24, 2013

6:00 p.m. Scouts - Edu. Building/Fellowship Hall
 6:00 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting - New Beginnings - CANCELLED

Wednesday, September 25, 2013

5:00 p.m. Praise Band Rehearsal - Friendship Classroom
 6:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl - Go Classroom
 6:00 p.m. Adult, Youth and Children's Bible Studies
 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice

Thursday, September 26, 2013

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast - Fellowship Hall
 9:30 a.m. Women's Study Group - New Beginnings
 1-3:00 p.m. Altar Guild

Friday, September 27, 2013

4:30 p.m. Jr. High Retreat - Lakeshore

Saturday, September 28, 2013

9:00 a.m. Food Pantry, Trust Co. Bank - Brighton

Sunday, September 29, 2013

9:15 a.m. Sunday School
 10:30 a.m. 175th Church Anniversary - Sanctuary
 12:00 p.m. 175th Anniversary Meal - Fellowship Hall
 5:00 p.m. Senior High Gathering- Home of Judson and Dana Naifeh



NURSERY

Each Sunday, Nursery Service is available for children birth to 3 years of age in the lower level of the Education Building, room 102, during Traditional service; and upstairs at the Chamber Center during MorningSong service.



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Today's theme for scripture and sermon


Bulletin for

SEPTEMBER 22, 2013 4TH SUNDAY OF KINGDOMTIDE

The liturgical color for the season of Kingdomtide is green, signifying the life and growth of the Kingdom.



Please mute your cell phone during worship



Morning Song
An Outreach of Praise and Worship
Of First United Methodist Church

8:30 a.m.
Contemporary
Service

at the Chamber Center
Covington, TN 38019

*—Denotes to please stand as you are able.

GREETING Grace Phelps

*OPENING PRAISE SONG Praise Band
Bonnie Wright, Music Director
"Be Glorified"

WELCOME / PASSING OF PEACE

PREPARATION SONG
"Seek Ye First"

SCRIPTURE READING Hope Turner
Psalm 79:1-9
1 Timothy 2:1-7

JOYS AND CONCERNS Bill Face

PRAYER SONG
"We Are Surrounded"

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S CHURCH INVITATION (Pre K to 2nd grade)

OFFERING AND SPECIAL MUSIC
"The Family Prayer Song"

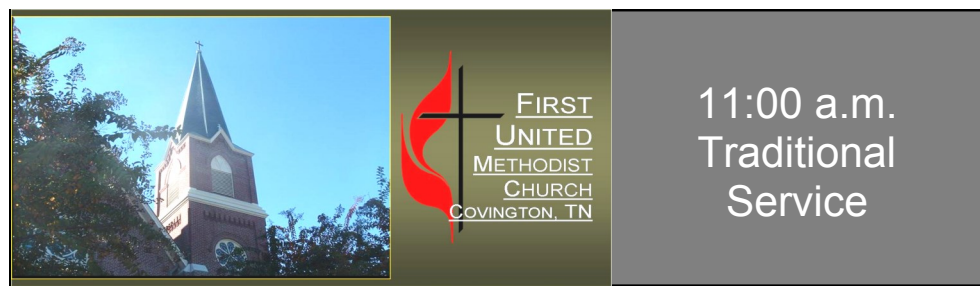
GOD STORY Don and Carliss Chastain

*SCRIPTURE READING Grace Phelps
Luke 16:1-13

SERMON "The Shrewd Manager" Tim Carpenter

*CLOSING SONG
"My Redeemer Lives"

*BENEDICTION



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11:00 a.m.
Traditional
Service

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WELCOME Grace Phelps

PRELUDE Justin Hanson, Organ
Russell Phelps, Piano
"He Touched Me" (arr. Innes/Fasig)

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP Choir
"We Are Surrounded"

*HYMN OF PRAISE 2001 TFWS (screen)
"We Sing to You, O God"

*APOSTLE'S CREED 881 UMH (screen)

*GLORIA PATRI

SCRIPTURE READING Justin Hanson
Psalm 79:1-9
1 Timothy 2:1-7

GOD STORY Don and Carliss Chastain

OFFERING PRAYER Bill Face

OFFERTORY Choir
Bonnie Wright, Music Director
"Legacy of Faith" (arr. Martin)

*DOXOLOGY

*HYMN OF PREPARATION 453 UMH
"More Love to Thee, O Christ"

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PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE Bill Face

THE LORD'S PRAYER

*SCRIPTURE Luke 16:1-13 Grace Phelps

SERMON "The Shrewd Manager" Tim Carpenter

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT 354 UMW (screen)
"I Surrender All"

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION RESPONSE Choir
"Legacy of Faith"

POSTLUDE Justin Hanson, Organ
"March Magnifique" (arr. Williams)

Sermon Notes
"The Shrewd Manager"

Because it was unlawful to charge additional i_____ to a fellow l_____, often the interest would be figured into the total. The overcharge was refunded by the dishonest steward.

Lessons from the Shrewd Steward

He took the l_____ s_____

(Notes)

Learned real purpose of w_____

(Notes)

Employed f_____

(Notes)