#### **UPPER ROOM PRAYER MINISTERS TODAY**

MorningSong: Ray and Janice Newbill

Traditional Service: Phyllis Richmond and Brenda Wrather

#### CHILDREN'S CHURCH WORKERS TODAY

MorningSong: Charlotte Quinley and Sandy Burgess Traditional Service: Jenny Lazure and Brooke Shipley

#### **NURSERY WORKERS TODAY**

MorningSong: Sharman Coley and Katelyn Stewart Traditional Service: Cynthia Ford and Alyssa Burgess

#### PRAYER REQUESTS

Condolences to the family of: Edith McBride Mike Fleming Paul Erwin Roger Ganier Tibithia Miguel Lloyd Rhea, Jr. Thad Glenn Charlie Moss **Cindy Graves** James Neely Other Requests: Billy Anderson Rebecca Harrison Raymond Poole Bill Hensley J.C. Bailey Larry Roy George Robert Shoaf Donna Beard Orbin Holland Linda Holt Buddy Smith Inette Bennett Carole Hughey Jimmy Turner Tom Bready Laurene Turner Ricky Hunt David Buchanan Mykle Johnson Tripp Turner Penne Bomar Campbell Don Chastain Jean Jones Ashley Whaley Bart White Clara Conley Greg Knox K.D. Laxton Jo Wigington Phronia Dailey Lori Butler Lindley Jennifer Worley Billy Dycus Claudine Elder Peggy Massey Martha Yarbrough

## CLC OPEN FOR WALKERS AND RUNNERS

The Christian Life Center will open Monday, July 20<sup>th</sup> for walkers and runners during the following days and hours:

Monday: 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 6-7 p.m.

Tuesday: 7-9 a.m.

Thursday:11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 5:30-7:30 p.m.

Friday: 7-9 a.m.

Thanks to those who have committed their time to make this possible. If you would like to help with this effort, please contact Grace Phelps, 476-9694 or email gphelps@covingtonfumc.com. If there are more church members who are willing to be here to do their walking, we can be open more hours to the community.

#### PRESENTATION OF BIBLES TO THIRD AND FOURTH GRADERS

Bibles will be presented during both services **Sunday, August 9**<sup>th</sup>, to children entering third and fourth grade. Please contact Charlotte Quinley, 901-476-9694 or email cquiney@covingtonfumc.com, if you know of a child attending FUMC that will be entering third or fourth grade in the Fall.

# CALENDAR JULY 19-JULY 26, 2015

#### Sunday, July 19

**8:00 a.m.** Youth Depart for Mission Trip to St. Louis, MO **8:30 a.m.** MorningSong Worship-Christian Life Center

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

**11:00 a.m.** Traditional Worship-Sanctuary

1:00 p.m. Traditional Service Broadcast-KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19

#### Monday, July 20

**6:00 p.m.** MorningSong Broadcast-KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19

#### Tuesday, July 21

**8:30 a.m.** Children's Activity-Discovery Park in Union City **12:00 p.m.** Traditional Service Broadcast-KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19

#### Wednesday, July 22

**9:45 a.m.** Children's Free Movie at Atoka Cineplanet

#### Thursday, July 23

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast-Fellowship Hall6:30 p.m. Scout Adult Leader Meeting-Fellowship Hall

8:00 p.m. Youth Return from Mission Trip

#### Saturday, July 25

9:00 a.m. Food Pantry-Munford UMC

## Sunday, July 26

8:30 a.m. MorningSong Worship-Christian Life Center

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Traditional Worship-Sanctuary

**12:30 p.m** Baptism at First Baptist Church Pond

**1:00 p.m.** Traditional Service Broadcast-KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19

# HOPE AND HEALING SERVICE

Wednesday, **July 29<sup>th</sup> at** 6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary, there will be a Hope and



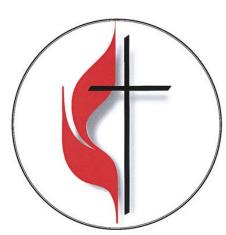
Healing Service. Persons who desire healing in some way – for physical, mental or emotional health; for those who are struggling with grief, brokenness in a relationship or other kinds of loss. This service is open to anyone in the community who would like to be lifted in prayer for God's healing and sustaining presence and power. Please invite friends, neighbors and family.

# CAMP MEETING WORSHIP, PROMOTION SUNDAY & POTLUCK

Sunday, August 2<sup>nd</sup>, we will have One Worship service at 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary with a potluck lunch to follow in the Christian Life Center. The service will be in the old "Camp Meeting" format with the singing of lots of old time favorite hymns! You are invited to dress casually.

This will also be Promotion Sunday when children will be promoted to the next grade in their Sunday school classes.

The next edition of the FOCUS will be Wednesday, July 29th.



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"Growing Up In Faith"

# SUNDAY, JULY 19, 2015 EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

The liturgical color for the eighth Sunday after Pentecost is red recalling that through the Holy Spirit, God in Christ became available to every believer.

"Leading Others to Christ, Learning to Be Disciples, Loving through Service."



\*Denotes to please stand as you are able.

†Children (PreK-2nd Grade) are invited to attend Children's Church. Parents may pick up their children on the lower level of the Education Building.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Joey Caldwell

\*PRAISE SONGS

"I Will Call Upon the Lord"
"Be Glorified"

UNISON PRAYER

Sue Jones

**JOYS AND CONCERNS** 

Joey Caldwell

PRAYER SONG

"Grace, Grace, God's Grace"

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE

Joey Caldwell

THE LORD'S PRAYER

†OFFERING "Facedown" Praise Band

SCRIPTURE Ephesians 3:14-21

SERMON "Growing Up In Faith" Rev. Wade Cox

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

\*CLOSING SONG

"I Could Sing of Your Love Forever"

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Cox



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TFWS-The Faith We Sing

UMH-United Methodist Hymnal

WELCOME Joey Caldwell

PRELUDE Carole Mathis, Piano

"Holy, Holy, Holy" (arr. House)

\*HYMN OF PRAISE UMH 133

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms"

UNISON PRAYER Melissa Mitchell

OFFERING PRAYER Joey Caldwell

OFFERTORY Carole Mathis, Piano

"My Lord is Near Me All the Time" (arr. Sikes)

\*DOXOLOGY UMH 95

SPECIAL MUSIC Women's Ensemble

"It Is Well With My Soul" (arr. Carter)

Bonnie Wright, Director

†PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE Joey Caldwell

THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION UMH 337

"Only Trust Him"

SCRIPTURE Ephesians 3:14-21

SERMON "Growing Up In Faith" Rev. Wade Cox

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT UMH 338

"Where He Leads Me"

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Cox

\*CHORAL RESPONSE Choir

"Go In Peace"

POSTLUDE Carole Mathis, Piano

"Be Thou My Vision" (arr. Hayes)

Sermon Notes: "Growing Up In Faith"

"Ties" that grow our faith in the right direction.

Verse 14 - H\_\_\_\_\_

Verse 15 - C\_\_\_\_\_

Verse 16 - S\_\_\_\_\_

Verse 17 - S\_\_\_\_\_

Verses 18 and 19 - F\_\_\_\_\_ of God

Verses 20 and 21 - P\_\_\_\_\_ of God's S\_\_\_\_\_