

### UPPER ROOM PRAYER MINISTERS TODAY

MorningSong: Volunteers Needed  
Traditional Service: Sandra Naifeh and Nancy Peeler

### CHILDREN'S CHURCH WORKERS TODAY

MorningSong: Denise McDow and Earl Beckett  
Traditional Service: Charlotte Quinley and Stefanie Beasley

### NURSERY WORKERS TODAY

MorningSong: Casey Rogers and Lauren Smith  
Traditional Service: Margaret Chind and Brenna Grace Lockhart

### PRAYER REQUESTS

<b>Condolences to the family of:</b> Bill Scruggs	Richard Escue Mike Fleming Morris Griffin Rebecca Harrison Carole Hughey Ricky Hunt Mykle Johnson Greg Knox Katie Laxton Lori Butler Lindley Nancy Lindsey Peggy Massey Edith McBride Pete McDow James Neely	Rachel Neely Larry Peete Raymond Poole Jim Raynor Lauren Smith Nels Tanner Betty Thomas Jimmy Turner Tripp Turner Ashley Whaley Bart White Jo Wigington Martha Yarbrough
<b>Other Requests:</b> Nina Anderson Donna Beard Marta Becton James Boyd Tom Bready Shirley Bready David Buchanan Bobby Buckins Phronia Dailey Billy Dycus Paula Dycus		

### YOUTH 30 HOUR FAMINE

Youth will be attending the 30 Hour Famine Retreat at Lakeshore, **February 27<sup>th</sup> - March 1<sup>st</sup>**. If you would like to participate, the deadline to register is February 11<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Sara Palm, sara.r.palm@gmail.com or call 901-451-0363.

During Famine Awareness Month, each Sunday in February, youth will be doing famine related activities. Those planning to attend are asked to come to UMYF to participate with their "tribe" in weekly competitions. UMYF meets each **Sunday at 5:00 p.m.** in the Christian Life Center.

Youth will be available after each service to discuss their famine fundraiser.

### UMW RUTH CIRCLE



The Ruth Circle of UMW is seeking new members. We meet at noon in the Fellowship Hall the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month. Come join us for lunch, fellowship and programs about UMW missions. Our next gathering is **Monday, February 9<sup>th</sup>**. We would love to have you visit and consider joining our circle. Please contact Jean Jones at 475-6592 for more information.

### CALENDAR FEBRUARY 8-14, 2015

#### Sunday, February 8

- 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
- 5:00 p.m. United Methodist Youth Fellowship (UMYF) - Christian Life Center

#### Monday, February 9

- 12:00 p.m. UMW Ruth Circle - Fellowship Hall
- 6:00 p.m. MorningSong Broadcast - KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19
- 6:00 p.m. Disciple Bible Study - Morrison's Home

#### Tuesday, February 10

- 9:30 a.m. UMW Martha Rebekah/Mary Adah Circles - New Beginnings Classroom
- 12:00 p.m. Traditional Service Broadcast-KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19
- 6:00 p.m. Scout Groups - Education Building and Fellowship Hall

#### Wednesday, February 11

- 5:00 p.m. Praise Band Rehearsal - CLC
- 6:00 p.m. Children's Program - Lower Floor Education Building
- Youth Study - Senior High Room, 3rd Floor Education Building
- Adult Study - *Invitation to Romans* - Fellowship Hall
- 6:00 p.m. Handbell Choir Practice - Sanctuary
- 6:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl - Go Classroom
- 7:00 p.m. Choir Practice - Sanctuary

#### Thursday, February 12

- 7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast - Fellowship Hall

#### Saturday, February 14

- 9:00 a.m. Food Pantry - Brighton

### SCOUT SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 15<sup>TH</sup>

We will honor Scouting programs in the 11:00 service Sunday, February 15<sup>th</sup>. The Boy Scouts of America provides a program for young people that builds character, trains them in the responsibilities of participating citizenship, and develops personal fitness. FUMC is proud to sponsor a Venture Crew and Cub Scout Pack.



### ASH WEDNESDAY



Ash Wednesday, February 18<sup>th</sup>, marks the beginning of Lent, and is a day of prayer, fasting, penitence and reflection. Traditionally on this day, a cross is marked on the forehead (or on the palm of the hand) in ash as a sign of repentance in preparation for the great festival of Easter. Our schedule for observance of Ash Wednesday is a Come and Go Imposition of Ashes in the Sanctuary from 7:00-8:00 a.m. and an Ash Wednesday service at 6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. You are invited to come to either or both observances.



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## A Call To Serve Mark 1:14-20

### SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2015 FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

The liturgical color for the fifth Sunday after Epiphany is green signifying growth in Christ.

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



8:30 a.m.  
Contemporary

*\*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.

GREETING Sara Palm

30 HOUR FAMINE VIDEO/TALK Youth

\*PRAISE SONGS  
 "Awesome is the Lord Most High"  
 "Beautiful Savior"

ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Grace Phelps

CELEBRATIONS Michael and Hope Turner  
 Psalm 105:1-3  
 What I Love About My Church

JOYS AND CONCERNS Rev. Phelps

PRAYER SONG "Open Our Eyes Lord"

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE Rev. Phelps

THE LORD'S PRAYER

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE Ron Jones

OFFERING PRAYER

†OFFERING "Stronger" Praise Band


SCRIPTURE Mark 1:14-20

SERMON Rev. Wade Cox  
 "A Call to Serve"

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

\*CLOSING SONG  
 "This Little Light of Mine"

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Cox



11:00 a.m.  
Traditional

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TFWS-The Faith We Sing UMH-United Methodist Hymnal

WELCOME Rev. Grace Phelps

30 HOUR FAMINE VIDEO/TALK Youth

PRELUDE Justin Hanson, Organ  
 "Praise to the Lord, the Almighty"  
 (arr. Sikes)

\*HYMN OF PRAISE UMH 57  
 "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE Ron Jones

OFFERING PRAYER

OFFERTORY Justin Hanson, Piano  
 "Traveling On Medley"  
 (arr. Smith)

\*DOXOLOGY

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION UMH 261  
 "Lord of the Dance"

CELEBRATIONS Michael and Hope Turner  
 Psalm 105:1-3  
 What I Love About My Church

†PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE Rev. Phelps

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM "Who'll Be a Witness for My Lord?"  
 (arr. Bolks) Choir

SCRIPTURE Mark 1:14-20

SERMON "A Call to Serve" Rev. Cox

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT UMH 398  
 "Jesus Call Us"

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Cox

CHORAL RESPONSE Choir  
 "Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace"

POSTLUDE Justin Hanson, Organ  
 "To God Be the Glory"  
 (arr. Phillips)

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Sermon Notes: "A Call to Serve"

Four types of calls in the life of a Christian:

- 1) To \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus.
- 2) To \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus.
- 3) The call to \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4) The call to \_\_\_\_\_.