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

MorningSong: Volunteers Needed Traditional Service: Cathy Adams

#### **CHILDREN'S CHURCH WORKERS TODAY**

MorningSong: Charlotte Quinley and Earl Beckett Traditional Service: Jenny Nix and Lydia Anderson

#### **NURSERY WORKERS TODAY**

MorningSong: Annette Maxwell and Neely Turner

Traditional Service: Christal Fisher and Brenna Grace Lockhart

#### **PRAYER REQUESTS**

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Billy Anderson	Carol Fenton	Pete McDow
J.C. Bailey	Lisa Flanders	Charlie Moss
Donna Beard	Mike Fleming	James Neely
Faye Beckett	Thad Glenn	Bobby Pace
Brenda Bedard	Cindy Graves	Joyce Richardson
Inette Bennett	Rusty Hamilton	Larry Roy
L.C. Bierman	Orbin Holland	Carolynn Scruggs
Tom Bready	Linda Holt	Dave Seagrave
John Erik Bryant	Becky Horstkoetter	George Robert Shoaf
David Buchanan	Carole Hughey	Neal Simonton
Don Chastain	Ricky Hunt	Buddy Smith
Clara Conley	Mykle Johnson	Chad Smith
Gloria Cook	Jean Jones	Jimmy Turner
Bobby Coulston	Mary L. Kimery	Laurene Turner
Phronia Dailey	Greg Knox	Tripp Turner
Darryl Dickerson	Lori Butler Lindley	Ashley Whaley
Billy Dycus	Peggy Massey	Bart White
Jack Allen Edwards	Wallace Mathis	Dr. Barney Witherington III
Claudine Elder	Edith McBride	Martha Yarbrough
	Catherine McCalla	

#### COMMUNITY-WIDE THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Please join us for the Community-wide Thanksgiving Service, **Sunday, November 22**<sup>nd</sup>. FUMC will host the service in our Sanctuary at 6:00 p.m. Choirs from several area churches will provide special music.

### STEWARDSHIP COMMITMENT SUNDAY NOVEMBER 22, 2015

#### **EMMANUEL NURSERY SCHOOL COMMUNION OFFERING**

Thank you for your generous Communion offering of \$1,180.20.
This will cover school fees, uniforms, daily lunch, etc. for almost 4 students for the entire year at Emmanuel Nursery School. That is amazing! Thank you again for your continued support of our ministries in Tanzania. -Eric and Liz Soard

#### NURSERY



Each Sunday during services, a Nursery is available for children birth to 3 years of age in the lower level of the Education Building, room 102. See an usher for directions.

#### CALENDAR NOVEMBER 8-NOVEMBER 14, 2015

#### Sunday, November 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

2:00 p.m. Charge Conference-Sanctuary

**5:00 p.m.** United Methodist Youth Fellowship (UMYF)-

Fellowship Hall

#### Monday, November 9

12:00 p.m. UMW Ruth Circle Meeting-Fellowship Hall6:00 p.m. MorningSong Broadcast-KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19

#### Tuesday, November 10

9:30 a.m. UMW Mary Martha Circle Meeting-New Beginnings
12:00 p.m. Traditional Service Broadcast-KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19
6:00 p.m. Scout Groups-Education Bldg. and Fellowship Hall
6:00 p.m. Staff-Parish Relations Committee Meeting-Chapel
6:30 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting-New Beginnings Room

#### Wednesday, November 11

**12:00 p.m.** Traditional Service Broadcast-KBJ Cable Ch. 5 & 19

**5:00 p.m.** Praise Band Rehearsal-Christian Life Center **5:30 p.m.** Youth Gathering-Youth Room, Fellowship Hall

6:00 p.m. Bible Studies:

Children-Education Building Lower Level

Adult-Fellowship Hall Youth-Christian Life Center

6:00 p.m. Handbell Choir Practice-Choir Room

**6:00 p.m.** Prayer Shawl-Go Classroom **7:00 p.m.** Choir Practice-Choir Room

#### Thursday, November 12

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

**9:30 a.m.** Study Group with Rev. Grace Phelps-New Beginnings Classroom

**6:30 p.m.** Scout Adult Leader Meeting-Fellowship Hall

#### Friday, November 13

Community

4:30 p.m. Youth Leave for Weekend Retreat at Lakeshore UMA

#### Saturday, November 14

9:00 a.m. Food Pantry-Munford

#### **CHARGE CONFERENCE**

Today at 2:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary, we will hold our Charge Conference in celebration of ministry and election of our church lay leaders. This will be a cluster conference with other churches in the area. A light reception will be held afterwards. All are invited to attend.

#### JR./SR. HIGH RETREAT

Junior/Senior High Students (grades 6-12) will participate in the Fall retreat, *Illuminate*, at Lakeshore UMA **November 13-15**<sup>th</sup>. They will leave the church Friday at 4:30 p.m. and return Sunday afternoon.



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## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 2015 TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

The liturgical color for the twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost is green signifying growth in Christ.

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



<sup>\*</sup>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** 

Rev. Grace Phelps

\*PRAISE SONGS

"Let Everything That Has Breath Praise the Lord"

"He Is Exalted"

THE NICENE CREED Kim Stewart

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Ron Jones

JOYS AND CONCERNS Rev. Phelps

PRAYER SONG "Give Thanks"

PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE Rev. Phelps

THE LORD'S PRAYER

†OFFERING "Our God" Praise Band

SCRIPTURE Genesis 4:2b-5

SERMON "A Giving Attitude" Rev. Wade Cox

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

\*CLOSING SONG "Lord, Be Glorified"

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Cox



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TFWS-The Faith We Sing

UMH-United Methodist Hymnal

WELCOME Rev. Grace Phelps

PRELUDE Handbell Choir

"Pizzicato" (arr. Lloyd)

\*HYMN OF PRAISE UMH 73

"O Worship the King"

\*THE NICENE CREED UMH 880 Cynthia Ford

STEWARDSHIP MOMENT Ron Jones

OFFERING PRAYER Rev. Phelps

OFFERTORY Justin Hanson, Piano

"Morning Has Broken" (arr. Ham)

\*DOXOLOGY UMH 95

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION UMH 467

"Trust and Obey"

†PRAYER FOR THE PEOPLE Rev. Phelps

THE LORD'S PRAYER

ANTHEM "God Will Make a Way" Choir (Moen/Hayes)

SCRIPTURE Genesis 4:2b-5

SERMON "A Giving Attitude" Rev. Wade Cox

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT UMH 399

"Take My Life, and Let It Be"

BENEDICTION Rev. Cox

\*CHORAL RESPONSE Choir "Give Thanks"

POSTLUDE Justin Hanson, Organ

"Mighty Maker of All" (arr. Sawyer)

#### Sermon Notes: "A Giving Attitude"

The longer I live the more I realize the impact of "attitude" on life. "Attitude", to me, is more important than facts. It is more important than the past, than education, than money, than circumstances, than failures, than successes, than what other people think or say or do. It is more important than appearance, giftedness or skill. It will make or break a company . . . a church . . . a home. The remarkable thing is we have a choice every day regarding the attitude we will embrace for that day. We cannot change our past . . . we cannot change the fact that people will act in a certain way. We cannot change the inevitable. The only thing we can do is play on the one thing we have, and that is our Attitude . . . I am convinced that life is 10% what happens to me and 90% how I react to it. And so it is with you . . . we are in charge of our Attitudes. (By Charles Swindoll)