

## PRAYER REQUESTS

Billy Anderson  
Donna Beard  
Faye Beckett  
Joe Campodonico  
Phronia Dailey  
Cassie Evans  
Lauren Gilliland  
Mary Ann Gulley

Houston Hall  
Shirley Hensley  
Jackson Hughey  
Bernie Liles  
Donna Luckey  
Gary Miller  
Charlie Moss  
Frank Racy

Emogene Ray  
Carolynn Scruggs  
Neal Simonton  
Maurice Smith  
Bart White  
Dr. Barney Witherington III

## UPPER ROOM PRAYER MINISTERS TODAY

Sandra Naifeh and Nancy Peeler

## CHILDREN'S CHURCH WORKERS TODAY

Rhonda Castleman and Teri Carter

## NURSERY WORKER TODAY

Joey Caldwell

## CALENDAR NOVEMBER 19-25, 2017

### Sunday, November 19

8:30 a.m. Informational Meeting for Church Security/Door Keys-Sanctuary  
9:00 a.m. Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. One Worship Service-Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. Radio Broadcast of Traditional Service-WKBL 1250AM  
6:00 p.m. Community Thanksgiving Service-Covington Assembly of God

### Monday, November 20

4:15 p.m. Worship Planning Meeting-Fellowship Hall  
6:00 p.m. Yoga Class-Christian Life Center

### Wednesday, November 22-No church activities

### Thursday, November 23-Church Offices Closed - Happy Thanksgiving!

7:00 a.m. Men's Prayer Breakfast-Central Christian Church

### Friday, November 24-Church Offices Closed

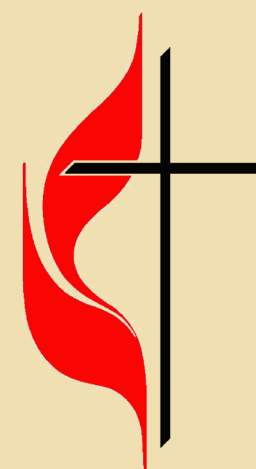
### Saturday, November 25

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



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# ***FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH***



## ***SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2017***

## ***ONE WORSHIP***

# **Order of Worship**

*Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost*  
*Liturgical Color-Green*

PRELUDE *A Thanksgiving Trilogy* Betty Fleming, Piano  
arr. Phillips Justin Hanson, Organ

WORDS OF WELCOME Carole Mathis

\*THE CALL TO WORSHIP Carole Mathis  
Let the nations be glad and sing for joy,  
for you judge the peoples with equity  
and guide all the nations upon the earth.  
**Let all the peoples praise you, O God;**  
**let all the peoples praise you.**  
  
The earth has brought forth its increase;  
may God, our own God, bless us.  
**Let all the peoples praise you, O God;**  
**let all the peoples praise you.**

\*HYMN OF PRAISE *Come, Ye Thankful People, Come* UMH 694  
(stanzas 1, 2 and 4)

NAMING OF CONGREGATIONAL CONCERNS Carole Mathis

TIME OF SILENCE

UNISON PRAYER  
**Most gracious God, you crown the year with your goodness.**  
**We praise you that you have ever fulfilled your promise**  
**that, while earth remains, seedtime and harvest shall not cease.**  
**We bless you for the order and constancy of nature,**  
**for the beauty of earth and sky and sea,**  
**and for the providence that year by year supplies our need.**  
**We thank you for your blessing**  
**on the work of those who plowed the soil and sowed the seed,**  
**and have now gathered in the fruits of the earth.**  
**And with our thanksgiving for these blessings,**  
**accept our praise, O God,**  
**for the eternal riches of your grace in Christ our Lord;**  
**to whom, with you, O Father, and the Holy Spirit,**  
**be all glory and honor and worship, for ever and ever. Amen.**  
*(J. M. TODD, ENGLAND, 20TH CENT., ALT. BOW 418)*

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Andrew Davis  
————— *Children are dismissed for children's church.* —————

\*HYMN OF PREPARATION *For the Beauty of the Earth* UMH 92  
(stanzas 1, 2 and 6)

OFFERTORY PRAYER Carole Mathis

OFFERTORY *10,000 Reasons* Handbell Choir  
arr. Bettcher

\*DOXOLOGY UMH 95  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below:**  
**praise Him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

ANTHEM *I'm Gonna Sing When the Spirit Says Sing* Choir  
arr. Helvey Bonnie Wright, Director

SCRIPTURE Psalm 124 Rev. Dan Camp  
I Samuel 7:12

SERMON "To Be Reminded"

STEWARDSHIP COMMITMENT  
*(Please bring your commitment cards to the altar rail.)*

\*HYMNS OF COMMITMENT *Lead Me to the Cross* UMH 131  
*We Gather Together*  
(all stanzas)

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP Rev. Camp  
*(Those desiring to unite with this Christian fellowship are invited to make their way forward.)*

\*BENEDICTION Rev. Camp

\*CHORAL RESPONSE *Give Thanks* Choir

POSTLUDE *Recessional on 'Nun Danket'* Justin Hanson, Organ  
arr. Hustad

*\*Please stand as you are able.*