

Welcome In the Name and Love of Jesus Christ

Welcome! We are thankful for your presence as we share in the worship of God. We pray you will find the blessing of fellowship among us. If you are visiting, please know that no one is really a visitor. This is God's house and all are welcome. We invite you to pray with us, sing with us, rejoice with us, and hear Christ's call with us. Since we all have needs, during the closing hymn, the altar is open for you to pray, give thanks, dedicate, or re-dedicate your life.

Worship Resources: A Nursery is provided during our service. We invite you to use this facility for infants and toddlers. Children's bulletins are available from the ushers. You will find at the center aisle end of each pew a Hospitality Pad. Please fill out the information and pass it along the pew. In the pews, you will also find Prayer Cards that you are invited to use to share specific prayer concerns. Please place the card either in the offering plate or in the prayer boxes located in each entryway.

Order of Worship

Come in and chat, but when the prelude begins – prepare for worship in a spirit of prayer and expectation! As we begin worship, please silence and put away all cell phones!

**Indicates people stand as they are able.*

Prelude	<i>All Praise to Thee</i>	Tallis
Welcome and Announcements		Minister
*The Call to Worship -Insert	<i>To God Be the Glory</i>	Crosby
*The Invocation		Minister
*Hymns (Camp Meeting style) - Insert	<i>Here I Am To Worship</i> <i>I Stand Amazed in the Presence</i>	Hughes Gabriel
*The Fellowship Moment – Greet your brothers and sisters in Christ		
The Children's Time		Minister
The Sharing of Joys and Concerns		Minister
Recognition of 2009 College and High School Graduates		
The Prayer Chorus – Insert	<i>Oh How He Loves You and Me</i>	Kaiser
The Prayer Time including the Lord's Prayer		
	<i>Our Father, Who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the Kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever, Amen.</i>	
The Anthem		
The Worship with God's Tithes and Our Offerings		
The Offertory	<i>In His Time</i>	Ball
*The Doxology #95	<i>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.</i>	
*Hymns (Camp Meeting Style) -Insert	<i>Love, Mercy and Grace</i> <i>Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed</i> <i>If That Isn't Love</i>	Miles Watts
The Scripture Lessons	<i>Ephesians 2:1-10, John 1:1-14</i>	Minister
The Sermon	<i>What If God Had Just Stayed Home?</i>	Minister
The Invitation to Christian Discipleship and Faith Renewal		Minister
*The Hymn of Invitation - Insert	<i>The Old Rugged Cross</i>	Bennard
*The Benediction		Minister
*The Choral Response #99	<i>My Tribute</i>	Crouch
*The Postlude		

Assisting with Today's Service

Pianist..... Gielda Reese Organist.....Charlotte Newman
Chancel Choir Director.....Becky Jaquish
Nursery Attendants....Cortney & Elaine Davidson

Church Calendar

10:00 AM Sunday: Sunday School	9:00 AM Tuesday: Bible Study
11:00 AM Sunday: Morning Worship	6:00 PM Wednesday: Prayer Ministries
12:00 PM Sunday: Youth/Graduation Meal	6:30 PM Wednesday: Body and Soul
12:00 PM Sunday: Medical Team Meeting	
4:30 PM Sunday: Youth	

Our Stewardship Last Week

Sunday School	76	Church Budget	\$2,533.41
Morning Worship	219	Parsonage Fund	\$ 255.00
		Sunday School O/Reach	\$ 8.00
		Bus Maintenance Fund	\$ 75.00
		Mother's Day Pars. Fund	\$ 20.00

Announcements

Altar Flowers: The flowers are given by Brian, Kelly & Wesley Bean in honor of Madi's first birthday.

Youth Luncheon: Immediately following worship service today, the Youth will offer a Hamburger Luncheon. The menu will be hamburgers and all the trimmings, French fries, baked beans, and "Graduation Cake". There will be no charge for the meal but donations will be appreciated. This meal will also serve as our Graduation Luncheon this year as we honor our 2009 Graduates.

Graduates: Today we honor our 2009 high school and college graduates. This year we only have two college graduates: Brandon Hashe, who graduated from Tennessee Tech in December and Jared Wright who graduated from Tennessee Wesleyan yesterday. Congratulations to both and we pray God's richest blessings on their future endeavors.

"Hope for Sudan": Today will be the first opportunity for you to give to our 2009 Holston Annual Conference Special Offering. Again this year, the offering will go to the Hope for the Children of Sudan project. The country of Sudan has been ravished by civil war for many years. Our Annual Conference has entered into an agreement with the church in Sudan to be a partner in ministry. This offering is to help fulfill our covenant with East Africa Annual Conference and the people of southern Sudan. The offerings in the past has already helped to provide clean water, class room space so that children can go to school and get an education, educational scholarships, and many things that we take for granted every day. If you have watched the news reports from Sudan and read from our own Conference teams that have visited Sudan, you know the great need. Thank you as always for your continued support in all our opportunities to reach out in the name and love of Christ.

Church Medical Team: We want to form a Church Medical Team and are asking that all persons in the medical field including EMT and paramedic training, to please meet at the front of the sanctuary (piano side) for a brief meeting after worship. We will explain how we can respond to medical emergencies and situations during church activities.

Body and Soul: Our Body and Soul will be on Wednesday at 6:30 PM. Joyce Grubb, Yvonne Raper, and the Pastor will be cooking up a meal of brown beans, cornbread, kraut and wieners, potatoes, slaw, drinks and dessert. Rev. Cliff Amos of the Holston Conference Foundation will present the program on *Planning for Your Financial Future Even in Uncertain Times*. Please tear off the reservation form off the back of your bulletin and put in the offering plate or call the church office by Monday morning.

Honors: We would like to print in the newsletter a list of those in our church who have won honors or special recognitions. You can either hand it to Kathy or Jeff or email it.

Something For Everyone: Due to a scheduling conflict, the location for our picnic has been changed. We will now be going to Quinn Springs for our picnic on June 2nd. Our menu will consist of sandwich fixings, chips, potato salad, baked beans and homemade desserts. After the picnic, we will visit the Amish Store. We will leave the church at 11:30 and return around 3:30. The cost for the picnic is \$3.00 each. Please let us know by Sunday, May 31st, if you will be joining us. Call Kathy (745-1560) or Charlotte (745-1915).

Coats: Last chance before they hit the yard sale!We have placed collections of umbrellas, coats, and hats that have been left at the church on the bench in the side vestibule. If any of the items are yours, please take them. All unclaimed items will be donated to the Youth yard sale.

Pentecost: Sunday: May 31st will be Pentecost Sunday. You are encouraged to wear red clothing as a way of helping to provide a visual setting for our Pentecost celebration.

Cookbooks: We still have a few copies of our cookbook left. If you have not gotten a copy yet, and you would like one, please see Charlotte Newman or call the church office at 745-1560.

Flowers Next Sunday: Bruce & Carolyn Delmas **Pew Pal this week:** Susette & Michael Moore

We are Praying For.....

Carl Anderson, Tonya Arsenault, Jerry Bartola, Nancy Barton, Chris Beaton, Darren Beckett, Cindy & Kenny Benton, Tina Bouchard, Reba Brown, Elmer Bryant, Houston & Ruth Bryant, Bonnie Burmood, Alexander Burnette, Teresa Carpenter, E.J. Castillo, Melynda Caylor, Leona Clark, Connie Coleman, Tamera Coleman, Melanie Cook, John Cooley, Nancy Cranfield, Shirley Dalton, Chris Davidson, Elaine Davidson, Ron Davis, David Derrick, Eva & Glenn Dockins, Randle Dockins, Linda Dodson, Nancy Ferguson, Francis Fitzpatrick, Leroy Foster, Joshua Freeman, Steve Garren, Rebecca Gray, J.R. Griggs, John Hall, Sr., Jim Harrison, Kristen Harrison, Richard Hashe, Garrett, Jason, and Wendy Henderson, Chris & Kristal Henley, Dan Herron, Gene Higham, Gary Hooper, Don Hutsell, Pam Hutsell, Angie Hutson, Jim Hyde, Dewey Jackson, Larry Jackson, Jimmy Johnson, Jennifer Kittle, Cheryl Lambert, Gwen & Larry Lane, Barbara Leedy, Charlie Littleton, Ed Long, Glenn Mason, Zachery Mason, Rubye Maupin, Patricia McDonald, David McKee, Jerry McLemore, Wanda Sue Messer, Anne Monroe, Charlene Moore, Brock Moses, Nathan Murray, Paul Pettyjohn, Rev. Jim Purser, Jason Richards, Jerry Roberts, Paul Rose Family, Gene & Sherry Sabo, Darlene Schenck, Danny Shannon, Fredia Skidmore, Bud Smidt, Mildred Smith, Nell Smith, Eric Sohmer, Mary Sparkman, Debbie Stewart, Britianie Stieb, Roy Thomas, Becky Tynes, Bruce Vincent, Mildred Vincent, Barry Wade, Gladys Wallace, Robert Wallace, Willard Walden, Gretchen Watson, Earl Wenger, Bill Wiggins, Bill & Sandy Yielding; *In nursing homes, assisted living or shut-in:* Evelyn Black, Lorene Ensminger, Nell Gambill, Violet Goodner, A.C. Lockmiller, *Expecting Mothers:* Carrie Tydingco; *Missionaries or in Mission Work:* Ryan & Candice Hewitt, Neal Hicks & family, Steve King Family, Patrick Moore, Amy Roberts, Chris Russell Family, Mary Diana Samuel Orphanage and Herbert & Mary Zigbuo, Pray for our Pastor, our District Superintendent, Mike Travis, our Bishop, James Swanson. *Pray for our Service men and women:* Josh Arsenault, Joe Betterton, Brandon Carter, Joe Clark, Keith Coleman, Tyler Cooley, Taylor Creasman, Duane Diebold, Michael Dyer, Josh Gary, Taylor Gray, Eric Greisenhaur, Brent Harbin, Brandon Hashe, Lee Hashe, Paul Herron, Daniel Hickey, Derek Hickey, Tim Lammers, Wayne McKenzie, Will Nation, Klaus Ohman, Adam Randle, Alex Randle, Zach Roberts, Brittany Rupert, Raymond Shumate, Dwain Sliger, Brent Stephens.

If you know of someone who has improved and can be taken off the list or if we have removed someone from the list who still needs to be listed, please fill out a new card and give us an updated report. Thank You.

Church Prayer Focus for the Week: Pray a prayer of thanksgiving for the Christ who came to save us.

Reservations for Body & Soul

Name _____ Adults _____ Children _____

Cost: Adults \$3.00 and Children \$1.50