



**First Cumberland
Presbyterian Church**
McKenzie, Tennessee
August 16, 2020
9:00 am Worship

“To some who were
confident of their own righteousness
and looked down on everyone else,
Jesus told this parable:
‘Two men went up to the Temple to pray...’”
Luke 18:9

Welcome

The Call to Worship & Opening Prayer
Luke Mitchum

Worship in Song
Are you Washed in the Blood

Children’s Message
Jon Davis

We Pray Together

Song
Above All

Morning Scripture Lesson
Luke 18:9-14 (NIV)

Morning Message
“The Forgiving Church”
Kevin Wood, Pastor

Special Announcement

Closing Song
As the Deer

Benediction

Following the Light of Christ Into the World

We Worship Through Giving
(Please place your offerings and attendance cards
in the baskets provided at the exit doors. Thank you!)

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayer Concerns: Robye Lindsey; Linda Edge; Dave Peters; Dorothy Tegethoff (Linda Meek’s mother) @ Christian Care Center; Mary Janie Jackson (June Perritt’s mother)
Sympathy to: the family of Ted Finley
AHC - McKenzie Health Care Center: Ben Surber; Sandi McMahren; Lanier Mabry; Willie Mae Forester; Martha McCadams; Bobby Elliston; Truman Bateman
Lakeside Retirement Center: Robye Lindsey; Frank Claytor; Noel Wiggins; Trudy Bateman; Cecilia Martin; Joan Gibson
Christian Care Center: Bob Quesenberry; Curtis Bray
Other retirement centers & home-bound; Gordon Coleman; Katie Patterson-Harmony Hill; Raymond Gray; Christine Argo; Norma Curtis
Those with long-term illnesses & undergoing treatments, recovering, therapy: David Jarrett; Martha Peters; Wynemia Mouser; Jimmy Carroll; Linda Lewis; Kim Wyatt; Jeff Taylor (Bill Kreuter’s brother-in-law); Rev. Don McCurley; Elinor Warren; Parker Mansson; Shawna Campbell; Walter Waddle; Blake Poole; Rachel & Micah Austin; Elijah Edmonson; Brenda Walker; Reggie Lawrence; Marty Neal; Rev. Merlyn Alexander; Sylvia Heard (Ron Demings’ sister); Tristan Arnold; Virginia Culver; Taylor Roney; Jackie & Phil Berry; Jerry French; Dan Keltner (Zene Malinski’s brother); Jimmy, Linda & Wendy Wolff (Elaine Malinski siblings) Anne Austin; Martha Killen; Mary Jane Martin; Jack Raines (Linda McClure’s brother); Myrna Carter; Jill Robbins; Mike Blankenship; Lindsey Self; Nina Smothers; Julie Tate; Jeremy Redmond; Linda Parker; Tony Michael; Ann Drewry; Carol Simmons; Jennifer Ray; Pauline Rhodes; Ruth Eason; Tim Stone; Wilma Hansen; Leroy Price (JoAnn Ownby’s brother); Diana Cook (Rev. Wood’s cousin); Bobby Babb; Bill McCain; Stacie Smothers; Ray Crocker; Sam Tilley; Demitri Burnett; Matthew Bowlin; Connie Hubbard; Edwin Hawkins; Dan Vaughn; Mary Bass; Ted & Judy Finley; Bobbie Cooper; Kyle Watkins; Jim Verner; Buddy Hutchens; April Knowles; Adriana

D’Adamio; Joyce (Hill) AlKishaly; Rev. Aaron Holmes; Tom Keenan’s brother, Max; Grace McCain Wonderly; Lucille Russell; Leah Sutton; Josh Fisher; Keitha Chism; Charlie Bowman; Frank Knopp; Margeax Ridley; Kenneth Rogers; David Ellis; Linda Crutcher; Mariann Draper; Shane McClelland
MILITARY: Joel Malinski; Josh Owen; Zakkary G. Burke; Josie Fitzgerald; Cameron Rawls; Sean Smith; Matt Warren; Nathan Smith; Ken Powell; Jon & Lisa Rhodes; Caleb Clay, Peter Allen & C. J. Vogel & all military & veterans
OTHERS: Victims of Natural Disasters; Persecuted Christians; The Drop Box Ministry; Session; Committees; Sunday School Teachers; missionaries; the Congo nation; Care givers

**How to Become a Member
of First Cumberland Presbyterian Church**

Please share your commitment with the pastor by seeing him after any of our services. You may join First Cumberland Presbyterian Church by:
Profession of Faith: You would like to publicly acknowledge your dependence on Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior.
Transfer of your church membership: You are already a member of another Christian Church and you would like your membership transferred to the roll of First Cumberland Presbyterian Church.
Reaffirmation of Faith: You have previously professed faith in Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, but you would like to reaffirm that commitment in the presence of this congregation.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please fill out the Attendance Cards in your chairs and drop them in the baskets on your way out today

SUNDAY
6:30 - 7:30 pm - Youth Bible Study at Pavilion (Re-evaluate each week)
NEXT SUNDAY
9:00 am - Contemporary Worship Service
11:00 am - Traditional Worship Service

For those of you who want to worship from home, you can watch online at www.mckenziecpc.org and click on “Watch Live” at the top of the screen.

August 9, 2020	Attendance 89
General Fund Offering -	7,032.38
Sanctuary Fund Offering -	320.00
Pews -	750.00
Tree of Life -	1,100.00
TOTAL -	\$9,202.38
(General Fund Amount Needed Weekly - \$7,393))	

Looking Ahead

Aug. 30 - Youth Sunday
 Aug. 30 - Sunday School Promotion Sunday
 Sept. 7 - Labor Day (Office Closed)
 Sept. 9 - WOW Classes and Dinner (Tentative)
 Sept. 13 - Quarterly Sanctuary Offering
 Sept. 14 - Women's Ministry Meeting
 Sept. 20 - Back to Church Sunday

Worship together in the Sanctuary with Guidelines

The chairs are arranged for social distancing. Greeters and ushers are available to open doors. Cleaning will take place between services.

Sunday School classes will NOT meet.

No activities except worship services will take place in the building.

The Session will meet September 9 to re-evaluate. (Unless positive cases within the congregation necessitate to close and have our services online.)

The Gathering Area door and one door off the sanctuary from the side parking lot will be open at 8:45 am for 9:00 am and 10:45 am for 11:00 am service. We will continue to live stream the service. We encourage anyone who isn't comfortable attending in person to continue to participate in worship from their home.

Masks are highly recommended. Hand sanitizer will be available along with paper masks (for one-time use). Cleaning will take place between the services.

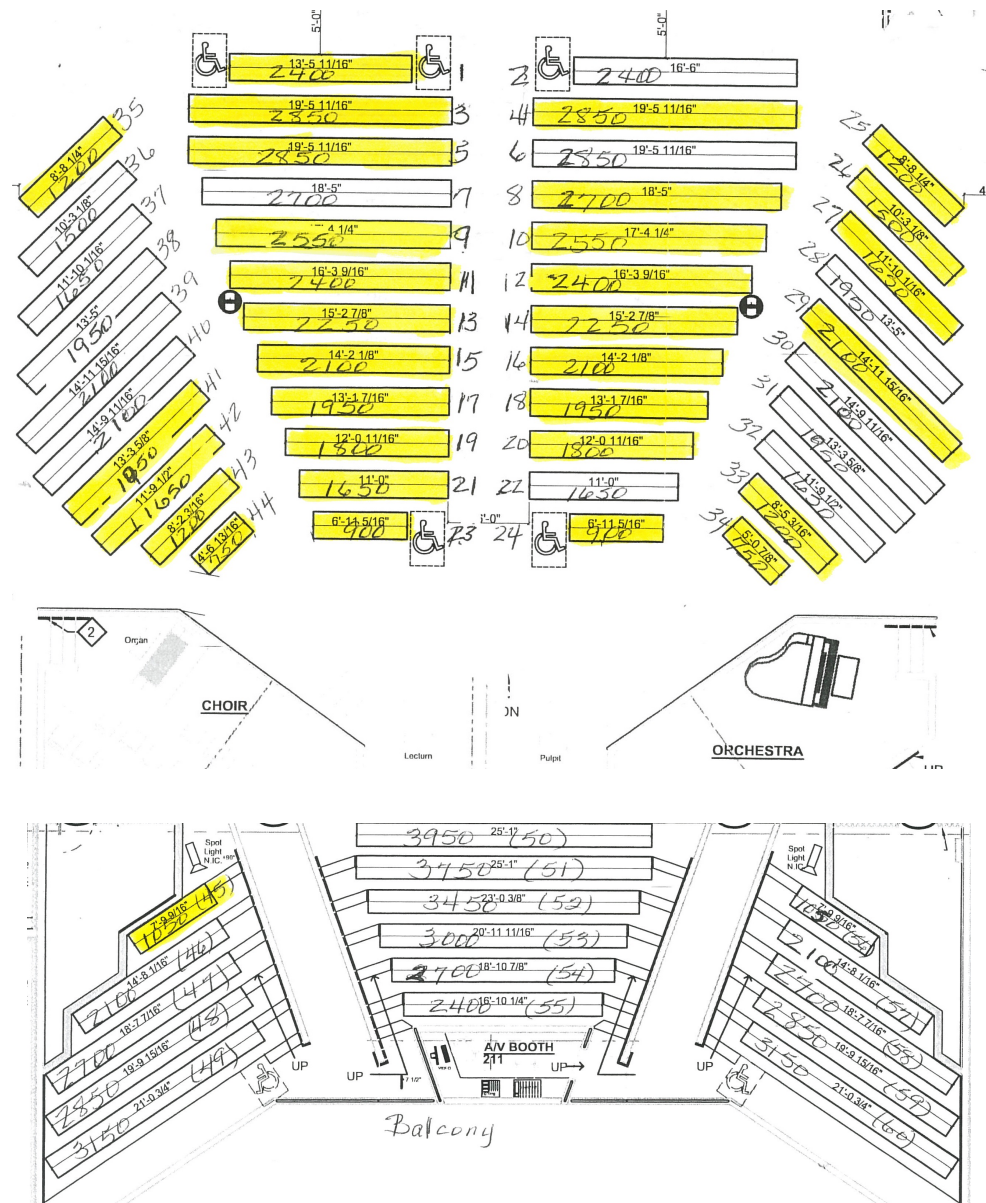
There will be no handshaking, no nursery available, no congregational singing. The bathrooms will only be for emergency use and then only one person at a time. There will be no "social time" and we ask that you leave the building immediately at the close of the service to enable cleaning before the next service.

Offering will be collected in baskets at the doors as you enter or leave. Or, we encourage you to take advantage of our online giving capabilities.

Index cards will be placed in the chairs for you to fill out for attendance.

We want to keep all of our church family safe. Pray for each other during these uncertain times.

Pews for the New Sanctuary



Pews have been very popular with members of our congregation, purchasing them in memory or honor of a loved one and anonymously. A few weeks ago a letter was mailed to members giving them named gift opportunities to help fund the completion of the new sanctuary. Twenty-seven pews have been purchased as of August 7, 2020. There are 60 pews (including balcony) in the new sanctuary. If you are interested in purchasing a pew, please call the church office at 731-352-2440. The pews have been sold on a first-come, first served basis.

Many thanks to everyone who is helping to make the new sanctuary a reality.

A larger Diagram is displayed in the Gathering Area.

Raffle Blackstone Tail-gater Grill/Griddle Combo

Tickets - \$5.00 Each
or 5 tickets for \$20.00

Drawing on September 20

All proceeds go to
Sanctuary Building Fund



See Stephen Brown or Reggie Wiggins for tickets.
The grill/griddle was donated by Men's Fellowship Group



Snack Sticks for Sale Youth Fund-Raiser

Our youth will be selling snack sticks on Sunday mornings as a fund-raiser for camps, retreats, CPYC and Convocation. The snack sticks come in a variety of flavors. They cost \$1.00 each.

Devotional Booklets

"*These Days*" published for Cumberland Presbyterians, and other churches are available on the table under the bulletin board in the hallway. "*Our Daily Bread*" published by RBC Ministries is also available on the table in the hallway.

Elder of the Week

Don Heath

Acolytes

Lola Sumrok Reid Warman

Nursery Helper

Donna Ward

Greeters

Chris & Missy Blount

Ushers & Security - 9 am Service - AUGUST

Stephen Brown, Paul Carroll, Chris Blount, Chester Jackson

Ushers - 11:00 am Service - AUGUST

Tom Harbin – Chairperson, Linda Meek, Zene Malinski, Larry Watkins

Information

Church Office: 731-352-2440 Fax: 731-352-7838

Rev. Kevin Wood - 865-228-0710 - Pastor

Luke Mitchum - 210-316-0963 - Minister to Youth

E-Mail: church@mckenziecpc.org

Website: www.mckenziecpc.org live streaming worship service

Online Giving link: <https://onrealm.org/mckenziecpc/give/now> .