

## First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

McKenzie, Tennessee March 15, 2020 11:00 am Service

Welcome

Bringing in the Light of Christ Acolytes **Chancel Choir** "For the Beauty of the Earth" - # 182

**Opening Prayer** 

Call to Worship (Please read the bold print)

Come, let us sing a new song to our God.

Make joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Let us enter God's presence with thanksgiving.

Make a joyful noise with songs of praise. God is a great ruler, above all other gods.

The depths of the earth are in God's hands.

The highest mountains belong to God.

The farthest reaches of the universe are God's own.

O come, let us worship and bow down. Let us kneel before God our Maker.

We are the people of God's pasture. Today we will listen to God with open hearts.

# 210 \*Hymn "Praise to the Lord, The Almighty"

Time with the Children

#### Call to Confession

Just as our ancestors in the faith quarreled and complained and tested God, we are tempted to do the same. We have hardened our hearts and turned away from the Source of Life. Yet God comes to us with reconciling grace. Are we ready to return to the relationship God intends with us? Prayer of Confession (Please read in unison)

What will you do with us, God? We are never satisfied with our lot. We rebel and complain when things don't go our way. Our hearts chase after things that become gods to us and consume our time. energy, and attention. We spend little time in communion with you and then begin to doubt your presence. You seem far away and unavailable. We create barriers among ourselves that separate us from one another and from you. Send your living water to cleanse us, O God. Empower us to worship in spirit and in truth. Amen.

#### Assurance of Forgiveness

Christ died for us, demonstrating the vastness of God's love for us, bringing reconciliation and the assurance of salvation. We are offered a new quality of life in which faithfulness is valued more highly than security. Rise up, all who have been drifting through life. Christ has come to lead us through the shadowed valleys. Let us respond in spirit and truth.

Praise, Prayer Concerns, Morning Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Choral Worship "Whosoever Will" **Chancel Choir** 

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

When we stop to consider the amazing riches God has provided on this planet, how thankful we should be. Good soil and water give us food in abundance. Gifts of the Spirit grant life with eternity in it. Let us express our wonder and gratitude through our offering of tithes and lives.

\*Doxology - No. 815 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.

\*Prayer of Dedication

"Are You Washed in the Blood?" # 330 Hymn Lenten Testimony Abbi Miller Scripture Isaiah 53:3-12 Morning Message "King's Ransom" Kevin L. Wood Pastor # 517 \*Closing Hymn "I will Sing of My Redeemer" \*Benediction \*Benediction Response "The Bond of Love" # 423 Following the Light of Christ into the World

#### **JOYS AND CONCERNS**

Prayer Concerns: Barbara Harbin; Jackson Bennett; Victims of Tornadoes; Curtis Bray Sympathy to: Family of Mike Green

McKenzie Health Care Center: Ben Surber; Katie Patterson; Lanier Mabry; Martha McCadams; Bobby Elliston; Truman Bateman; Beulah Ognibene; Willie Mae Forester Lakeside Retirement Center: Robye Lindsey; Frank Claytor; Linda Crider; Noel Wiggins; Trudy Bateman; Ken Mitchum; Cecilia Martin; JoAnn Gibson

Christian Care Center: Edward McDearmon; Bob Quesenberry

Other retirement centers & home-bound; Gordon Coleman; Mary Margaret Williams; Raymond Gray; Dorothy Tegethoff; Christine Argo

Those with long-term illnesses & undergoing treatments, recovering, therapy:

Kim Wyatt; Jimmy Stambaugh; Walter Waddle; John Arnold; Blake Poole; David Lankford; Byron Pate; Ben McClure; Joyce Sims; Dave & Martha Sue Peters; Wynemia Mouser; Kevin Arnold; Rebekah Townsend (Dinah Brush's sister); Sylvia Heard (Ron Demings' sister); Susie Marshall; Rev. David Bayer; Margaret Sanders, Shirley Smith; Tristan Arnold; Virginia Culver; Taylor Roney; Ricky Chandler; Larry Yates; Steve Wechter; Jackie & Phil Berry; Randy Presley (Fran Musser's son); Andy Williams; Willow Pate; Keith Stanley, Joy, James & Billy (nephews & nieces of Linda McClure); Jerry French; Dan Keltner (Zene Malinski's brother); Jimmy, Linda & Wendy Wolff (Elaine Malinski siblings) Anne Austin; Martha Killen; Mabel Bone (Josi Webb's grandmother); Mary Jane Martin; Jack Raines (Linda McClure's brother); David & Linda Bishop; Myrna Carter; Jill Robbins; Mike Blankenship; Lindsey Self; Nina Smothers; Julie Tate; Jeremy Redmond; Kanon McVicker; Kurt Rodenberger; Carolyn

Tim Stone; Wilma Hansen; Leroy Price (JoAnn Ownby's brother); Diana Cook (Rev. Wood's cousin); Bobby Babb; Rev. Jim Pinnell; Bill McCain; Stacie Smothers; Clint Todd; Ray Crocker; Linda Davis; Nancy Daniels; Sam Tilley; Rev. Don Tabor; Demitri Burnett; Matthew Bowlin; Connie Hubbard; Edwin Hawkins; Rev. Mike Justice; 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; Maddox Hurst; Keitha Chism; Charlie Bowman; Nathan Pratt; 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

Roney: Ashley Machuca; Debra Tuberville; Linda Parker; Sally Branon; Tony

Michael; Ann Drewry; Carol Simmons; Jennifer Ray; Pauline Rhodes; Ruth Eason;

The rose on the altar is given to the Glory of God in honor of the birth of Hazel Grace Webb, born March 9, 2020 to Brice and Allison.

Ministry; Session; Committees; Sunday School Teachers; missionaries; the Congo

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The ushers will pass out the Attendance Registers. (Visitors, please write your address & phone number on the register)

nation; Care givers

POSTPONED - Dessert & Coffee, Sanctuary Progress & Commitments

6:00 pm - Praise Choir Rehearsal 6:30 pm - Youth (Grades 6-12)

**TUESDAY** 

9:00 am - Craft Ladies will meet

#### **WEDNESDAY**

9:00 am - Prayer Group in Conference Room

5:50 pm - WOW - Team 1- Elders Brown & Heath will serve meatballs, green beans, bread and dessert

6:30 pm - Bible Classes for all ages

#### **THURSDAY**

POSTPONED - Seekers Luncheon

#### **SATURDAY**

10:00 am - Pop-A-Thon - Fund-raiser for Sanctuary Building

#### **NEXT SUNDAY**

9:00 am - Contemporary Worship Service

10:10 am - Sunday School Classes

11:00 am - Traditional Worship Service

2:00 pm - Bridal Shower for Rachel Nzemo

4:00 pm - Springs (Grades 3-5)

Attendance 160
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237.00
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\$7,393)

#### **LOOKING AHEAD**

Mar. 22 - 2:00 to 3:00 pm - Bridal Tea for Rachel Nzemo

Mar. 22 - 4:00 pm - Springs (Grades 3-5) will meet

Mar. 25 - 5:50 pm - WOW - Team 2 with Elders Trout & Watkins

Mar. 27 - Young Adult Retreat at Montgomery Bell State Park

Mar. 29 - 6:00 pm - Worship and Prayer Service led by Luke Mitchum & Youth

Apr.1 - 5:50 pm - WOW Team 3 with Elders Espey and Nanney

Apr. 5 - Palm Sunday

Apr. 5 - 2:00 pm - Wedding for Rachel Nzemo and Wundi Bora

Apr. 5 - 4:00 pm - East Egg Hunt

Apr. 6 - 10 - Carroll Co. Schools Spring Break

Apr. 8 - WOW will NOT meet

Apr. 9 - 7:00 pm - Living Lord's Supper @ Park Theater

Apr. 12 - EASTER Sunday

Apr. 15 - 5:50 pm - WOW Team 4 with Elders Carroll & Stambaugh

March 21, 2020 10:00 am - Check In Time Event Starts at 10:30 am



# Tons of Prizes

Ways to enter to win? Buy poppers in advance by contacting the church during business hours 731-342-2440 or check in at 10:00 am to purchase poppers on March 21 to pop the balloons. One for \$5 or two for \$8. Once the signal is given at 10:30 am, you pop as many balloons as you can and you keep the prizes inside.

All Proceeds will go in the Sanctuary Building Fund.

#### **BAKE & CRAFT SALE - March 21**

In the Gathering Area

In conjunction with the Pop-a-thon, the Craft Ladies will have their spring decorative crafts for sale. Everyone is also invited to bring pies, cakes, breads, cookies, & candies to sell. All proceeds will go into the Sanctuary Building.



### The New Sanctuary

Lots of work has begun in the new sanctuary. Plumbing, electrical, framing, duct work etc. has happened this week.

The Building Commission meets on March 10 to make final decisions about the pews. On March 15, the church will come together at 5:30 pm for dessert, coffee and information about the progress thus far and our commitments to finishing the sanctuary.

#### **Worship on Wednesdays**

Wow begins at 5:50 pm with dinner. Classes are available for all age groups at 6:30 pm. Elder Teams help in the kitchen and prepare desserts.

March 18: Team 1 with Elders Stephen Brown & Don Heath and team members: Tom & Debby Aljancic; Roger & Melissa Baker; Ron & Alice Barnhart; Chris and Missy Blount; Allen & Tonya Brown; Ron & Julia Hinton; Chester & Janie Jackson; Joe & Jean McKinnie: Kim Moss: Kyle & Brandy Parham: Ed Perkins: Larry Ridley: Mark & Amy Smith; Andrew and Josi Webb; Tracy & Marcia Webb; Mark & Jill Warren.

March 25: Team 2 with Elders Jody Trout and Paula Watkins and team members: Mike & Vicki Ainley: Nancy Bean: Stuart & Meredith Daffron: John & Katrina Holancin; Tony & Mary Ann Janner; Roger Johnson; Tommy Johnson; Bill & Marlene Kreuter; Patricia Lee: Zene & Elaine Malinski: Jason & Brittany Martin: Tim & Starr Martino: Rachel Nzemo; Amy Scott; Kenneth & Amanda Seward; Randy & Derrinda Thomas; Mark & Sue Thompson; Joel and Teresa Washburn

> You are invited to a Kitchen and Bath Bridal Shower for Rachel Nzemo on Sunday, March 22 Come & Go from 2:00 to 3:00 pm at the church

#### **Young Adult Retreat**

The Young Adult Retreat is March 27-29 at Montgomery Bell State Park. The theme is "This I Know" and will focus on loving yourself and mental health. For more information and to register go to https://cpcmc.org/young-adults/ and click on Young Adult Retreat.

#### **Summer Camp Dates at Camp Clark Williamson**

May 30, 2020 - Day Camp (K-2nd Grades)

June 1-6 Senior High Camp @ Resident Camp (Grades 9-12)

June 8-13 Junior #1 Camp @ Resident Camp (Grades 3-5)

July 5-11 Junior High Camp @ Resident Camp (Grades 6-8)

July 13-18 Junior #2 Camp @ Resident Camp (Grades 3-5)

CAMP REGISTRATION: Go to www.wtpcpc.orgclick on WTP Youth Facebook page. From there you will find the Presbyterial Youth information including SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION FORM. For more summer camp or youth retreat information call Matt Tyler 731-676-1992 or Jamie Adams 731-796-1814

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

10:10 am - 10:50 am

**CHILDREN'S CLASSES** 

Nursery: Newborns-18 months

Nursery Attendants: Linda Krushe; Amy Scott, Patricia Lee Beginners: (18 months-3 years)-Toddler Nursery

Toddler Teachers: Melissa Herris; Johnna Toombs

Pre-K & K - Upstairs above Gathering Area

Pre-K & K Teachers: Hunter & Heather Garrett; Kim Moss;

Christian Nunnery, Allie Chappell

1st & 2nd Grades - Upstairs above Gathering Area

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Teachers: Meredith & Tommy Surber;

Tracy & Marcia Webb

3rd, 4th & 5<sup>th</sup> Grades - Upstairs above Gathering Area

3<sup>rd</sup> ,4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Teacher - Susan Bouldin

Jennifer & Mike Beasley

#### **YOUTH CLASSES**

6th, 7th & 8th Grades - Upstairs above Gathering Area

Teachers: Peggy Espey, Stacie Warman

9th -12th Grades - Youth Room

Teachers: Jon Davis; Amanda Morris

College Class - Conference Room

Teacher: Jean Hollomon & Garrett Burns

#### **ADULT CLASSES**

Fellowship Class - Ground level - 1st room on South End

Rotating Teachers

Faithweavers Adult Class - Upstairs above Gathering Area

Rotating Teachers

Revelation Class - Prayer Room, Teacher Linda Kemp

Fireside Class - Library, Teacher Debby Aljancic

#### **Devotional Booklets**

"These Davs" 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**

Justin Stambaugh

**Acolytes** 

Charlie Scott Frannie Trout

**Nursery Helper** 

Suzanne Howell

**Bell Ringer** 

Caleigh Lunn

Greeters

Amanda & Marty Morris

Safety

Paul Carroll Tim Nanney

Ushers - 9 am Service - MARCH

Tracy Webb, Chris Blount, Dennis Sutton, Hayden Garrett

Ushers - 11:00 am Service - MARCH

Larry Watkins, Ron Hinton, John Holancin, Matthew Espey

#### Information

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