OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK OF APRIL 4, 2010

SUNDAY - 4/4
9:45 - Children’s Choir – Upstairs
9:45 - Sunday School
10:30 - Fellowship with coffee and donuts in the Family Life Center
11:00 - Morning Worship
3:00-5:00 Young Adults
6:00 - NO Bible Study
6:00 - NO UMYF meeting tonight

MONDAY - 4/5
2:00 - Covenant Prayer Group @ Eicher’s
6:30 - Prayer Shawl Ministry – Library
7:00 - Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY - 4/6
8:30-2:30 NO Mother’s Day Out (Rhea County Schools’ Spring Break)

WEDNESDAY - 4/7
5:00 - Ding-A-Lings Rehearsal
6:00 - NO Youth
6:30 - First Wednesday Dinner – Family Life Center
7:00 - NO Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY - 4/8
8:30-2:30 NO Mother’s Day Out (Rhea County Schools’ Spring Break)

TODAY’S SCRIPTURE
JOHN 20: 1 - 18 (NRSV)

1Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. 2So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, “They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.” 3Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. 4The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. 5He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. 6Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, 7and the cloth that had been on Jesus’ head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. 8Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; 9for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. 10Then the disciples returned to their homes. 11But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; 12and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. 13They said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping?” She said to them, “They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.” 14When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. 15Jesus said to her, “Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?” Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, “Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.” 16Jesus said to her, “Mary!” She turned and said to him in Hebrew, “Rabbouni!” (which means Teacher). 17Jesus said to her, “Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, “I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.” 18Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, “I have seen the Lord”; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

CONTACT INFORMATION
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WORSHIP LEADER: Norman Bowman
DIRECTOR OF YOUTH: Beth Keylon
DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN: Angela Rose
DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN’S CHOIR: Sam Hanson
CHOIR DIRECTOR: Judy Ezell
USHERS: Leon Hicks, Marla Hinzman, Earl Keahey, Steve Keylon
HOSTS: Jim & Sylvia Baldwin
NURSERY: Barbara Lemons, Allison Neal
CHILDREN’S CHURCH: Susan Maddux
YOUTH: 4/4 - NO Youth, 4/7 - NO Youth (First Wednesday Dinner)
WEBSITE TECHNICIAN: Jay Maddux
SPRING CITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
Easter Sunday - White  
April 4, 2010

PIANIST: Angela Garrison  
VIOLINIST: Linda Gibbs  
ORGANIST: Bryan Massengale  
ACOLYTE: Natalie Baker

ANNOUNCEMENTS

*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN  “He Lives”  No. 310  
(Enter your name in the friendship pad and pass it to the person next to you. When the pad reaches the end of the pew, pass it back, noting the names of others.)

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH  “The Apostles’ Creed”  No. 881

*PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD’S PRAYER

HYMN OF FAITH  “Christ the Lord Is Risen Today”  No. 302

THE PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY  
“O How He Loves You and Me / His Eyes on the Sparrow”  
“The Doxology”  No. 95

*GREETING EACH OTHER IN CHRISTIAN LOVE

HYMN  “Surely the Presence of the Lord”  No. 328

RECOGNITION OF GUESTS  
Worship Leader

CHILDREN’S SERMON  John Hanson  
(Children will now be going to Children’s Church upstairs, ages 3 years to 2nd grade)

CHORAL AMEN  “Resurrection Victory”  
Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON  
John 20: 1 - 18  
Worship Leader

WORSHIP LEADER: The word of God for the people of God  
PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

MORNING MESSAGE  
“What if?”  Rev. Dale S. Wyrick

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP  “Up from the Grave He Arose”  No. 322

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL AMEN  “O How He Loves You and Me”  
Congregation & Choir

O how he loves you and me!  O how he loves you and me!

POSTLUDE  “Hallelujah Chorus”  
Lynn Hinkle

ANNOUNCEMENTS  

There is NO BIBLE STUDY nor YOUTH MEETING this evening.  
UNITED METHODIST WOMEN will meet Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center. The fellowship will be followed by a meeting at 7:00 p.m.

TRUSTEES will meet on Tuesday, April 6, at 7:30 p.m. in the Parlor.

NOTHING BUT NETS - The youth are collecting donations for Nothing But Nets. This organization sends nets to Africa to help prevent Malaria. There will be a jar at each entrance of the church during the month of April. Please donate and save a life.

Thank you, Spring City United Methodist Youth Group

FIRST WEDNESDAY DINNER for April will be a fund raiser for the Bereavement Committee. The dinner will be on April 7, at 6:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center. The proceeds will go to help the Bereavement Committee to cover the cost of meals they provide for funeral receptions and other expenses. The menu for the Wednesday dinner is: ham, sweet potatoes, green beans, salad, rolls, and dessert. The reservation deadline is April 4th, Easter Sunday. Please call the church office at 365-6324 to make your reservations.

JUBILATION 2010 is the tenth annual gathering of senior adults in the Holston Conference held at MeadowView Resort and Conference Center in Kingsport, Tennessee from April 11th thru 13th. Please refer to the additional information posted on the bulletin board.

CHANGE FOR CHILDREN goes to benefit economically disadvantaged children in the Holston Conference and in Africa. Please share your change (or dollar bills) with children in need. The change jars will be at both entrances.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to teach children’s church on Sunday mornings. If you like working with children, and want to help out with Sunday School classes by teaching them about God and His love, please call Angie Rose at 363-2765.

On behalf of my family, I would like to show our appreciation to this congregation for the kindness you have extended to us during the passing of our precious and loved one, Jean. To the church as a whole, we thank you very much and there is a few I must call by name: Pastor Dale was always there for us, so were Jesse & Nina Gibbs, who brought food to our home, Jenny & Martin Hatcher, Ella Bell, Liberty Baptist Church, Jeanette Long & Eldeena Perry, The Bowman’s who brought Jean Sunday Service CD’s every week. Also, the Bereavement Committee who furnished us a delicious dinner after the service, Vickie Snyder, Donna Vaughan, Joe Marler, Chuck & Nancy McIlwain, who are a blessing, and Mrs. Booker, who was sick herself, came to visit Jean. I hope I am not missing someone, if so I am sorry, please forgive me.

The family of Ray Eldridge

FINANCIAL ACTIVITY - March 2010

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*CONGREGATION STANDS  
Personal transmitters for the hearing impaired are available. Please see an usher for assistance. Nursery available by Fellowship Hall.