Today’s Scripture
Matthew 16:21-28 (NRSV)

21 From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised.
22 And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, “God forbid it, Lord! This must never happen to you.”
23 But he turned and said to Peter, “Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.”
24 Then Jesus told his disciples, “If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me.
25 For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it.
26 For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life?
27 For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done.
28 Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.”

Opportunities for the Week of August 28, 2011

Sunday - 8/28
9:45 - Sunday School
10:30 - Fellowship with coffee and donuts in the Family Life Center (FLC)
11:00 - Morning Worship
2:30 - District Conference, Allen Memorial UMC, Athens
6:00 - Youth, FLC
8-9 p.m. AA- Fellowship Hall (FH)

Monday - 8/29
7:00 - Cub Scouts, FLC
Girl Scouts, FLC

Tuesday - 8/30
8:30 - MDO

Wednesday - 8/31
6:00 - Youth, FLC
6:30 - Young Adults Gathering
7:00 - Chancel Choir

NOTE: Ding-a-Lings will begin rehearsals Wed., Sept. 7.

Thursday - 9/1
8:30 - MDO

Friday - 9/2
No Scheduled Events

Saturday - 9/3
10-11:30 - Boy Scouts, FH

REMINDER: Please be sure to check with the church office for availability of a room before you plan an event. Thanks!

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Financial Activity - August 2011

Sunday 8/21
Month-to-date
Ahead/Behind Budget

Avg. Wkly Budget: $6,061
$24,244
n/a

Budget Contribution: $4,295
$24,183
(61)

Loan Reduction Offering: 60
570
n/a

Wesley Parking Lot Loan: n/a
14,500
n/a

Worship Leader: Norman Bowman
Director of Youth: Beth Keylon
Director of Children: Angela Rose
Director of Children’s Choir: Angela Garrison
Choir Director: Judy Ezell

Users: Earl Robbins, Billy Ray Patton, Steve Keylon, Fred Mullins
Hosts: Tammy Boles, Sharon Cowart
Nursery: Laura Messimer & Anna
Children’s Church: Wendy Thurman
Youth: 8/28 Barbara Lemons 8/31 Beth Keylon

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Offer Them Christ
ANNOUNCEMENTS

ALTAR FLOWERS are given by Charles & Nancy McIvor to the honor and glory of God in thanksgiving for His love, grace, and mercies for 55 years of marriage. YOUTH will meet tonight at 6 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

NO BIBLE STUDY due to District Conference this afternoon.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE is today at 2:30 p.m., at Allen Memorial United Methodist Church, Athens, TN.

EAGLE SCOUT CEREMONY You are invited to attend an Eagle Scout Ceremony for David Evan Horton, son of Boy Scout Leader, David Horton. The ceremony is Sunday, August 28, 3 p.m. EST, at Meridian Baptist Church, Crossville, TN.

CUB SCOUTS AND GIRL SCOUTS will meet Monday, August 29, at 7 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

UMW LADIES! Holston Conference Annual Meeting is Sept. 17-18 at Lake Junaluska. “Faith, Love, Hope in Action” is our topic. Great music and speakers as usual. Registration fee is $20.00. The rooms will be $52.00 for a double. Meal tickets are $29.00 for 3 meals. See registration forms on the UMW’s bulletin board. For more info, call Judy Litteken at 365-0199, or Carolyn Haen at 365-9346.

NURSEWORKERS are needed on Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings. The Young Adults will be allowed to focus more closely on their discussions at their gatherings if their children are in the nursery, and they do not have to worry about them. If you would like to serve in the nursery, please contact Angie Rose at 365-2765, or call the church office at 365-6324.

SUPPORT OUR YOUTH by sorting through your household items and donating anything you no longer need to the youth for their upcoming Flea Market, which will be held in the Family Life Center, Saturday, October 1, 8 a.m.—12 p.m. Clothing will NOT be accepted for the sale. If you have any questions, please contact Beth Keyston at 365-4821.

WITNESS TEAM’S CHRISMON TREE The Witness Team is making plans now to have a Chrismon Tree at the annual Parade of Trees at the History Museum Annex in December. If you would like to volunteer and/or have a Chrismon to donate for the tree, please contact Witness Chairperson, Frank Snyder, at 365-7502, or any member of the Witness Team.

Witness Team Members: Norman Bowman (365-7259), Pat Douglas (365-5219), Marty Gilliam (413-1335), Ginny Hatcher (365-5486), Angela Moffet (365-0345), Glenda Keylon (365-5363), and Nancy McIvor (365-5540).

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

DeMarcus Cranfill (Beth Keyston’s nephew) Christopher Eicher (son of Dave & Joyce Eicher) Zachary Eisen (grandson of Betty Thomas) Robert Flynn (Whitney Flynn’s brother & Tammy Flanagan’s nephew) Ian Haddock (The Klaes’ friend) Jacob Hubbard (grandson of Ron & Fran Hubbard) Ben Johnston (Elizabeth Stair’s grandson) Amy Kester (Richard Tral’s cousin) Charles Krumweide (Eleanor Tral’s nephew) John Lewis (MOO teacher Vickie Cheek’s “other son”) Aaron D. Moneyen (June Pitman’s grandson) Colby Nelson (Leon & Nancy Hicks’ grandson) Clarence Oakerson (Sandy Gilliam’s nephew) Bobby Reece (Kenneth Reece’s son) Andrew Reed (Nancy Gilliam’s nephew) Tom Reed (Nancy Gilliam’s nephew) John Cody Robinson (Virginia Hale’s grandson) Joshua Russell (Helen Miko’s nephew) Earl Schaller (George & Phyllis Schaller’s grandson) Thomas R. Taylor (Marilyn Cooksey’s daughter-in-law’s brother) Larry Ware (Robert & Kay Ware’s son) Robert Ware (Robert & Kay Ware’s son) William Wilkey (Eleanor Tral’s grandson)
Loan Reduction Fund Closed

The Finance Committee has decided to pay off our loan that was taken out for the new parking lot. The loan interest is higher than what we can get by renewing our Certificate of Deposit. Please direct any future giving that you have intended for the Loan Reduction Fund to any other items you desire. This will allow us to close the Loan Reduction Fund in the next few weeks. Thank you for the past donations for the Loan Reduction Fund, which has brought the loan down to $14,500.

Chris Haerr, Chairperson
Finance Committee

Pictured on the left is a view of the graveled parking lot. Gary Gilmore, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees, directed 40 cars to be parked on the newly graveled parking lot on Easter Sunday, April 4, 2010.

The parking lot is shown at the right as it looked the day it was paved, May 13, 2010.

Pastor Dale took the photograph below of the parking lot on Wednesday, August 24, 2011.

The note will be burned on Homecoming, Sunday, October 23, 2011.