PIANIST - Angela Garrison
ORGANIST - Bryan Massengale
ACOLYTE - Rachel Heimel

GATHERING
Bryan Massengale

STRIKING OF THE HOUR
Worship Leader

WELCOME

*HYMN
"All Hall the Power of Jesus’ Name"
No. 154
(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 AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

*HYMN
"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"
No. 206

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY
Bryan Massengale

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
Pastor Tony Collins

Children, ages 2 thru 2nd grade, may now go to Children’s Church.

CHOIR ANTHEM
"Higher Ground"
Chancel Choir

*SCRIPTURE LESSON
James 2:14-26
Worship Leader

WORSHIP LEADER: The Word of God for the People of God

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

MORNING MESSAGE
"Open Doors"
Dr. Tony Collins

*INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP
"Go, Make of All Disciples"
No. 571

*BENEDICTION
Dr. Tony Collins

*CHORAL AMEN
"Sanctuary"
Congregation & Choir

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true. With thanksgiving, I’ll be a living sanctuary for you.

*TITLES

*POSTLUDE
Bryan Massengale

*CONGREGATION STANDS

Personal transmitters for the hearing impaired are available. Please see an usher for assistance. Nursery available near the Fellowship Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THANK YOU: Niran got out of the Life Care Center’s Rehab on Friday and is at home now. We have had so many occasions where we have needed prayer, and our church family has been there for us. There are not enough words to express our thanks to Pastor Tony and to all who have supported us by your love and caring. - Doris Roy

CHRUCH COUNCIL TEAM
meets this afternoon at 3:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

CANTATA PRACTICE
begins at 4:30 p.m. today in the Choir Room.

YOUTH MEET from 5:30 - 7:00 p.m. this evening in the Family Life Center.

INTERESTED IN THE STUDY OF CHRISTIANITY & WORLD RELIGIONS? If so, come to the Fellowship Hall at 6 p.m. this evening as Pastor Tony leads us in this interesting study.

TVA RETIRES MEET IN THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER on Monday, September 14th, at 10:30 a.m.

NEW BETH MOORE BIBLE STUDY FOR WOMEN
begins Tuesday, September 15th, at 10 a.m., in the Fellowship Hall, with Wendy Thurman, facilitator.

LET’S DO LUNCH for women, 60 and up, is at noon, Tuesday, September 15th, in the Family Life Center. Guest speaker is Susan Collins.

DISCIPLE 3 with leader, Walt Morse, gathers for study at 10 a.m., in the Fellowship Hall, Wednesday, September 16th.

HOME PRAYER GROUP
meets at 11 a.m., Thursday, September 17th, at the home of Bill Thurman.

COMMUNITY MEAL
is at 5 p.m., Thursday, September 17th, in the Family Life Center.

SCOUTS BANQUET
is at 6 p.m., Saturday, September 19th, in the Family Life Center.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE and WELCOME RECEPTION for our new DS Hugh Kilgore and wife Susette/Retirement Celebration for Carol Underdown at Wesley United Methodist Church, at 3 p.m., on Sunday, September 20th. Wesley UMC is located at 3405 Peerless Rd NW, Cleveland, TN 37312.

A SPECIAL WACKY WEDNESDAY EVENT
begins in the Fellowship Hall on Wednesday, September 23, 4:15 - 5:30, and concludes on Wednesday, October 7, 4:15 - 5:30. We will explore Newberry Honor book, Because of Winn-Dixie by Kate DiCamillo, watch the video, and make related crafts. To make a wonderful “read a chapter a night bedtime story” if you want to read it at home, before or after our sessions! All Wacky Wednesday events are open to children from PreK through 5th grade and include an after school snack.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

William Ruffner (Bill & Caren Ruffner’s grandson)
Jonathan Harrison (James Weaver’s step-grandson)
Tyler Shaffer (Kathy Heimel’s nephew)
Branson Reed (Nancy Gilliam’s nephew)
Justin Reed (Nancy Gilliam’s nephew)
Trevor Hart (Kathy Heimel’s nephew)
Monty Johnson (John & Judy Johnson’s son)
Tannah Moffett (grandson of Glenn Moffett)
Derek Niehaus (husband of John & Sam Hansons granddaughter)
Dillan Osborne (Arthur & Linda Osborne’s granddaughter)
Christopher Yonke (Dianne Yonke’s grandson)
Troy Brown (Tom Heimel’s friend)
Sam Shaffer (Kathy Heimel’s nephew)
Christopher Eicher (son of David & Joyce Eicher)
Robert Flynn (Whitney Flynn’s brother & Tammy Flanagan’s grandson)
Amy Kester (Eleanor Trull’s cousin)
Charles Krumwiede (Eleanor Trull’s nephew)
John Lewis (Vickie Creek’s other son)
Amon D. Mooneyhan (June Pilman’s grandson)
Colby Nelson (Leon & Nancy Hicks grandson)
Tom Reed (Nancy Gilliam’s nephew)
John Cody Robinson (Virginia Halle’s grandson)
Joshua Russell (Helen Mike’s grandson)
Earl Schaller (George & Phyllis Schaller’s grandson)
Thomas R. Taylor (Maury Cooksey’s daughter-in-law’s brother)
William Wilkey (Eleanor Trull’s grandson)
Larry Ware and Robert Ware (Robert & Kay Ware’s sons)

Dillan Osborne

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Monthly Giving to the General Budget

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SCRIEPTURE READING

JAMES 2:14-26 (NRSV)

14 What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you?
15 If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food,
16 and one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill," and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that?
17 So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.
18 But someone will say, "You have faith and I have works." Show me your faith apart from your works, and I by my works will show you my faith.
19 You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe — and shudder.
20 Do you want to be shown, you senseless person, that faith apart from works is barren?
21 Was not our ancestor Abraham justified by works when he offered his son Isaac on the altar?
22 You see that faith was active along with his works, and faith was brought to completion by the works.
23 Thus the scripture was fulfilled that says, "Abraham believed God, and it was reckoned to him as righteousness," and he was called the friend of God.
24 You see that a person is justified by works and not by faith alone.
25 Likewise, was not Rahab the prostitute also justified by works when she welcomed the messengers and sent them out by another road?
26 For just as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is also dead.