PIANIST- Angela Jackson
ORGANIST- Bryan Massengale

PRELUDE
Bryan Massengale

STRIKING OF THE HOUR WELCOME
Worship Leader

*HYMN “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” No. 139
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH “The Apostles’ Creed” No. 881

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

*HYMN OF FAITH “Great Is Thy Faithfulness” No. 140

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY “The Lord is King!” Bryan Massengale

*THE DOXOLOGY No. 95

*GREETING EACH OTHER IN CHRISTIAN LOVE

CHILDREN’S SERMON Dr. Mike Jackson

Children, ages 3 thru 2nd grade, may now go to Children’s Church.

CHORI ANTHEM “Lord, I Stretch My Hands to You” Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON Psalm 42:1-5

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

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

MORNINGS MESSAGE “The Sigh of the Soul” Dr. Mike Jackson

*HYMN “It Is Well With My Soul” No. 377

*BENEDICTION Dr. Mike Jackson

*CLOSING HYMN “The Spirit Sends Us Forth to Serve” TFWS No. 2241 (black hymnal verse 4)

Then let us go to serve in peace, the gospel to proclaim.
God’s Spirit has empowered us; we go in Jesus’ name.

*POSTLUDE

*CONGREGATION STANDS

Nursery available for babies & toddlers up to 3 yrs. in Room #109 near the Fellowship Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY TODAY are placed by Joe & Ryan Lisa in loving memory of V. J. Lisa (Joe’s father) and Theresa Lisa on her birthday (October 8th).

FALL BREAK: Due to Fall Break beginning tomorrow, youth will not meet today or Wednesday, October 17th. The Youth’s Fall Retreat is Friday, October 19th - Sunday, October 21st, so the next regular youth meeting is Wednesday, October 24th at 4:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

KIDSCHRND AND MDO are cancelled this week, too, for Fall Break.

NO CANTANTA PRACTICE today.

FINANCE TEAM meets at 6 o’clock, Tuesday evening, October 18th in the Fellowship Hall. All team members are urged to attend.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN’S (UMW) BOOK CLUB reviews The White Umbrella at 6:30 p.m. in the Library, Tuesday, October 18th. All women in our church are invited.

JOIN THE HOME PRAYER GROUP at the Parsonage (238 Moon Circle), Thursday, October 19th.

COMMUNITY MEAL served at 5 p.m., Thursday, October 18th in the Family Life Center.

G.R.O.W. gathers for their monthly meeting in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, October 18th.

CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED all day Friday, October 19th.

FALL FESTIVAL AND TRUNK ‘N TREAT ARE COMING!

Volunteers are needed to help with games, prizes, donations of candy, cupcakes, hot dogs and buns, and of course trunks for Trunk ‘N Treat! There is a candy donation box in the side hallway, and signup sheets are on the big bulletin board at the side entrance. Please turn in hot dogs and buns on Sunday, October 28th in the Family Life Center kitchen so we can get a count. Cupcakes can be dropped off Tuesday or Wednesday in the Family Life Center. Come dressed up or not, but come and have fun and help us reach out to the community. Wednesday, October 31, 5:30 - 8:00 p.m. in the Family Life Center.

MORGAN SCOTT “GIFTS FOR TEENS”: There is a great need to help reach out to the preteens and teens of Morgan Scott Counties at Christmas time to let them know they are loved. Please bring unwrapped gifts for teens as we share gifts and love with local children in need. We will collect items until October 28th, and they will be delivered to Morgan Scott the first of December. A box marked MORGAN SCOTT is near the side entrance to the sanctuary for gift donations from all who wish to give some Christmas love to a TEEN.

TEEN GIFT SUGGESTIONS: Boys: Basketballs, footballs, soccer balls, wallets, how to books, building birdhouses, crafts, etc. Girls: Scarves, nail polish, jewelry, Cologne, lotions, jewelry making, crafts, etc.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Michael Seth Crane (Margaret Crane’s grandson)
William Ruffner (Bill & Carol Ruffner’s grandson)
Jonathon Harrison (James Weaver’s step-grandson)
Tyler Shaffer (Kathy Heimel’s nephew)
Branson Reed (Nancy Gilliam’s nephew)
Justin Reed (Nancy Gilliam’s nephew)
Monty Johnson (Judy Johnson’s son)
Christopher Yonke (Diane Yonke’s grandson)
John Cody Robinson (Tommy Hale’s nephew)

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Lauretta Cash
T. C. Cash
David Gilliam
Becky Knox

Fred Mullins
Linda Mullins
Jack Phillips
Doris Roy

Susie Strunk
James Weaver
Pastor Dale Wyrick

Ella Bell (Golden Years, 301 Keith Dr., Spring City)
Mary Galloway (195 Deer Ridge Dr., Room A5, Dayton, 37321)
Jeanette Long (The Veranda at Life Care, #506,1005 Rhea Co. Hwy, Dayton, 37321)
Kathleen Reece (Spring City Care & Rehab, #306, 331 Hinch St.)

The Family of David Pulling (brother of Connie Dove)
Larry Hallums (friend of Leon Hicks)
Treva Orender (Steve’s wife)
Ross Irvin (Steve & Kevin Garrison’s friend)
LENORAS Brooks (friend of Nancy Gilliam)
Harold Newby (Connie Roberts’ cousin)
Dawn Dize & Craig Fine (Connie Roberts’ friends)
Danny Brown (Connie Roberts’ nephew)
Chris Norris (son of Jerry & Shari Norris)
Richard Larson (brother of Bob Larson)
Mary Heimel (Tone Heimel’s mother)
S. Birdwell (Bennie & Susan Arp’s neighbor)
Lillian Shaffer (Kathy Heimel’s mother)
Ginny Weir (friends of Susan Arp)
Diane Yonke’s grandson

Due to the lack of space, names listed over two - three months are removed in order to add new requests for prayer.
Thank you

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Upcoming Events
Week of October 14, 2018

Sunday, October 14
9:45  Sunday School
11:00  Morning Worship, Sanctuary
8:00  AA, Fellowship Hall

Monday, October 15
10:00  Mercy Mats, Family Life Center
12:00  Newsletter Deadline
6:30  TLC, Library

Tuesday, October 16
10:00  A Woman’s Heart Bible Study, Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, October 17
10:00  Invitation to Romans Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
6:00  Defiant Joy Bible Study, Library
7:00  Chancel Choir, Choir Room

Thursday, October 18
8:30  MDO, Level 2 Classrooms
11:00  Home Prayer Group, Parsonage
5:00  Community Meal, Family Life Center
6:30  G.R.O.W., Fellowship Hall

Friday, October 19 (Office Closed All Day)
Youth’s Fall Retreat begins

Saturday, October 20
Fall Retreat for Youth

SCRIPTURE READING
Psalm 42:1-5 (NRSV)

1  As a deer longs for flowing streams, so my soul longs for you, O God.
2  My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and behold the face of God?
3  My tears have been my food day and night, while people say to me continually, "Where is your God?"
4  These things I remember, as I pour out my soul: how I went with the throng, and led them in procession to the house of God, with glad shouts and songs of thanksgiving, a multitude keeping festival.
5  Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my help and my God.

Monthly Giving to the General Budget

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Serving in Worship Today

GUEST SPEAKER: Dr. Mike Jackson
WORSHIP LEADER: Billy Ray Patton
CHOIR DIRECTOR: Richard Stair
ACOLYTE: Madison Hinely
CHILDREN’S CHURCH:
NURSERY: Wanda McCarter
GREETERS: Sharon Cowart, Shelby Williams
USHERS: Norman Bowman, Margo Hindale, Ken Rose, Clyde Thurman, Jr.
WEBSITE ADMINISTRATOR: Jay Maddux
SOUND OPERATOR: Marty Gilliam

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