ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are in loving memory of our parents, Mr. & Mrs. Miller True by daughters, Diane, Jerrie, Cindy, and Andrea.

THANK YOU TO MY CHURCH FAMILY for your prayers, cards, visits, memorials, and other acts of kindness for my cousin, Doris Roy. -Susie Strunk

YOUTH GATHER IN THE FAMILY LIFE CENTER today at 4:30 p.m. and again on Wednesday, December 5th.

CANTATA PRACTICE today at 5 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

SPRING CITY WOMEN’S CLUB meets in the Fellowship Hall, 11 a.m. – 3 p.m., Tuesday, December 3rd.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN (UMW) gather in the Family Life Center at 6 p.m., Tuesday, December 3rd for their monthly meeting. All women in our church are cordially invited.

KIDSPRING begins at 4:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall, Wednesday, December 5th.

PLEASE COME TO THE HOME PRAYER GROUP at the Parsonage (238 Moon Circle) at 11 a.m., Thursday, December 6th.

JOY MINISTRY TEAM meets at 3 p.m. on Sunday, December 9, in the Fellowship Hall Those who should attend are Sheila Larson, Nancy Herhold, Betty Crowder, David & Nancy Gilliam. Be prepared to discuss suggestions of fun & interesting trips and events for 2019.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE is noon, Monday, December 10th. The church office is closed during the week of Christmas, so plan how to submit your newsletter articles/announcements by the deadline. Thank you.

KIWANIS CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS: It’s that time of year again, and the Kiwanis Club has begun to plan for another year of helping our community in their time of need. We’ve expanded our baskets to include not only the usual staples but milk, butter, a whole chicken, vegetables and fruit. Your donations will help in providing food to our needy and are greatly appreciated.

TVA RETIREES’ meeting begins at 10:30 a.m., December 10th in the Family Life Center.

PIANO TUNING IN THE SANCTUARY AND CHOIR ROOM scheduled for Wednesday, December 12th beginning at 11 a.m.

TRUSTEES meet at 7 p.m. in the Parlor, Thursday, December 13th.
**Upcoming Events**
**Week of December 2, 2018**

**Sunday, December 2**
- 9:45  Sunday School
- 11:00  Morning Worship, Sanctuary
- 4:30  Youth, Family Life Center
- 5:00  Cantata Practice, Sanctuary
- 8:00  AA, Fellowship Hall

**Monday, December 3**
- 10:00  Mercy Mats, Family Life Center

**Tuesday, December 4**
- 8:30  MDO, Level 2 Classrooms
- 11:00  SC Women’s Club, Fellowship Hall
- 6:00  UMW, Family Life Center

**Wednesday, December 5**
- 10:00  Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
- 4:30  Youth, Family Life Center
- 7:00  KidSpring, Fellowship Hall

**Thursday, December 6**
- 8:30  MDO, Level 2 Classrooms
- 11:00  Home Prayer Group, Parsonage
- 6:30  Worship Team, Fellowship Hall

**Friday, December 7**

**Saturday, December 8**

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**SCIENCE READING**

25 “There will be signs in the sun, the moon, and the stars, and on the earth distress among nations confused by the roaring of the sea and the waves.
26 People will faint from fear and foreboding of what is coming upon the world, for the powers of the heavens will be shaken.
27 Then they will see ‘the Son of Man coming in a cloud’ with power and great glory.
28 Now when these things begin to take place, stand up and raise your heads, because your redemption is drawing near.”
29 Then he told them a parable: “Look at the fig tree and all the trees;
30 as soon as they sprout leaves you can see for yourselves and know that summer is already near.
31 So also, when you see these things taking place, you know that the kingdom of God is near.
32 Truly I tell you, this generation will not pass away until all things have taken place.
33 Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.
34 “Be on guard so that your hearts are not weighed down with dissipation and drunkenness and the worries of this life, and that day does not catch you unexpectedly,
35 like a trap. For it will come upon all who live on the face of the whole earth.
36 Be alert at all times, praying that you may have the strength to escape all these things that will take place, and to stand before the Son of Man.”

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**Monthly Giving to the General Budget**

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**Serving in Worship Today**

**Minister:** Rev. Dale Wyrick

**Worship Leader:** Kevin Rose

**Choir Director:** Judy Ezell

**Acolyte:** Madison Hinely

**Children’s Church:** Susan Maddux, Erin Couch

**Greeters:** Mary Drinkard, Lynda Smith

**Nursery:** Katie Rose

**Ushers:** Bernie Arp, Walt Morse, Ken Rose, Jerry Smith

**Website Administrator:** Jay Maddux

**Sound Operators:** Silas & Linda Booker  **Backup:** Josh Heimel