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**Week of January 20, 2019**

**Sunday, January 20**
- 9:45 Sunday School
- 11:00 Morning Worship, Sanctuary
- 1:30-3:00 Wedding Tea, Family Life Center
- 4:30 Youth, Family Life Center
- 6:00 Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
- 8:00 AA, Fellowship Hall

**Monday, January 21**
- **MLK, JR. DAY**
- Conference, District, and Church Offices Closed
- Newsletter Deadline

**Tuesday, January 22**
- 8:30 MDO, Level 2 Classrooms
- 4:00 Safe Sanctuary Training, Fellowship Hall

**Wednesday, January 23**
- 10:00 Bible Study, Fellowship Hall
- 9:30 Year End Reports due at the District Office
- 4:30 Youth, Family Life Center
- **KidSpring, Fellowship Hall**
- 7:00 Chancel Choir, Choir Room

**Thursday, January 24**
- 8:30 MDO, Level 2 Classrooms
- 11:00 Home Prayer Group, Parsonage

**Friday, January 25**
- 3:00 Youth leave for Resurrection, Pigeon Forge

**Saturday, January 26**
- **Resurrection (Youth Retreat), Pigeon Forge**

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**Scripture Reading**

**Psalm 36:5-10 (NRSV)**

5 Your steadfast love, O LORD, extends to the heavens, your faithfulness to the clouds.
6 Your righteousness is like the mighty mountains, your judgments are like the great deep; you save humans and animals alike, O LORD.
7 How precious is your steadfast love, O God! All people may take refuge in the shadow of your wings.
8 They feast on the abundance of your house, and you give them drink from the river of your delights.
9 For with you is the fountain of life; in your light we see light.
10 O continue your steadfast love to those who know you, and your salvation to the upright of heart!

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**NURSERY VOLUNTEERS NEEDED:** Please consider joining our team of nursery workers. The implementation of Safe Sanctuary requires two non-related volunteers each Sunday, and we currently have six volunteers to rotate during the month. We rarely have young children, but the nursery is needed for parents to fully experience the worship service. If there are no children by 10:15, volunteers may join the worship service with the provision of going back to the nursery if needed.

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