There are many accounts of springs in the middle east and the Holy Land. When civilization looked for a place to build and the city, the priority was to have a fresh water source. Megiddo, Jerusalem, Jacob’s Well in Samaria, The Pool of Bethesda, En Gedi, Hezekiah’s Tunnel, the oasis of Wadi-Ghazala, springs of the head waters of the Jordan River, Wadi-Musa or the spring of Moses in Petra, the spring of Moses on Mount Nebo, and the seven spring flowing into the Sea of Galilee just to name a few springs. Without these springs, survival would have been very difficult. With these springs, life happens.

Our story today is a story of the transformation of life desperately needing change. The encounter with Jesus at Jacob’s well gives this woman the opportunity for a new life. Jesus uses the water from the well as a teaching method to share to her how her life can be changed forever. It took some time, but she finally understood Jesus was not offering water, but living water, which is a gift from God? Her life was changed because she had met the Messiah.

On August 4th, we are adding a new worship experience. Join us at 9:00 a.m. for “The Spring.” A contemporary worship service for worship and celebration. Primarily praise and worship music, some traditional creeds, prayer, fellowship, and biblical preaching.

Dress is casual. A nursery is provided. If you want more information, please contact Pastor Dale at the church office (423 365 6324) or by email (daylebread@gmail.com).

“The SPRING” – a place to experience the living water from the living God. A worship experience that can change lives. Let God quench our thirst.

This is an open invitation.

Shalom,
## August Calendar

### Daily Events

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### Special Events

- **Newsletter Deadline**: 9:00 The Spring
- **TLC Grief Support Group, FH**: 6:00 UMW
- **First Wednesday Fellowship Meal**: 7:00 Choir
- **8:30 MDO**: 6:30 UMW Book Club
- **8:30 MDO**: 6:00 Bible Study
- **8:30 MDO**: 7:00 Choir

### Weekly Activities

- **Ushers**: 8/4 Bennie Arp, Trish Cole, Richard Cole, Jim & Sylvia Baldwin
- **Nursery**: 8/11 Teresa Hooper, Carol G. Hasee, Loretta Hale, Peggy Bowman
- **Acolyte**: Emily & Gabby McBride
- **Children's Church**: Cindy Rose, Natalie Baker

### Anniversaries

- **8/4**: Jim & Sylvia Baldwin 9
- **8/11**: Mark & Joanne McKinnon 2
- **8/18**: Silas & Linda Mathis 6
- **8/25**: Bob & Angie Burkhardt 7

### Birthdays

- **8/4**: Joey Heimel 2
- **8/11**: Bob Larson 4
- **8/18**: Carolyn Haerr 6
- **8/25**: Mark Neal 7

### Office Hours

- **Office Closed at Noon**: 11:00 Home Prayer Gr.
- **Office Closed**: 11:00 Home Prayer Gr.
Monthly Report
Giving & Money Disbursed

JUNE 2019

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| EXPENSES                      |                |              |               |                         |
| Salary & Benefits             | 23,066.04      | 114,436.02   | 25,310.00     | 68.9%                   |
| Property Maintenance          | 5,690.54       | 28,790.02    | 68,500.00     | 42.0%                   |
| Office Administration         | 697.96         | 3,134.52     | 10,400.00     | 30.1%                   |
| Nurture & Music               | 3,515.53       | 4,706.83     | 7,700.00      | 61.1%                   |
| Witness                       | 97.50          | 303.50       | 1,700.00      | 17.9%                   |
| Outreach - Missions           | 75.00          | 450.00       | 1,900.00      | 23.7%                   |
| Conference/District           | 3,453.00       | 22,649.08    | 46,500.00     | 48.6%                   |
| Church Support                | 636.55         | 3,944.25     | 8,110.00      | 48.6%                   |
| Children’s Ministries         | 1,258.96       | 2,210.56     | 6,000.00      | 36.8%                   |
| Adult Ministries              | 0.00           | 42.33        | 1,600.00      | 2.6%                    |
| Youth Ministries              | 0.00           | 3,112.84     | 6,000.00      | 51.9%                   |
| MDO Expenses                  | 1,480.00       | 15,003.45    | 25,310.00     | 59.3%                   |
| **TOTAL EXPENSES**            | **39,971.08**  | **198,783.40**|              | **45.5%**               |

**NET INCOME**                 | **-9,041.12**  | **14,656.32**|              | **100.0%**              |

**FINANCIAL & ATTENDANCE REPORTS**

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**SS ATTENDANCE**            | 47    | 61    | 36   | 54    | 52   |
**Worship Attendance**      | 130   | 128   | 75   | 136   | 115  |

Since our First Sunday...First Dollar Mission Project was such a great success last year, we hope you will join us in making it even more successful this year. We ask that everyone bring a dollar in addition to your gifts, offerings, and tithes on the first Sunday of every month. For the months of August, September, and October, the First Sunday dollars will go to support our locals schools.

In August and September, dollars collected on first Sundays will be used to purchase school supplies for Spring City Elementary School and Spring City Middle School. First dollars collected on the first Sunday in October will be used for the purchase of supplies for our Rhea County High School students.

I would like to thank all of my Church family for the many condolences, prayers, and cards, which I found much comfort in at the time of my Father’s death. We will take his ashes along with my Mother’s on Nov. 1 to Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery to be interred with full military honors.

I have been truly blessed having you as Family.

In Christ, Nancy Gilliam

Seleana Kile
This year, Peanut Butter Sunday is on the fourth Sunday of September — **September 22, 2019**, when we once again have the opportunity to help those in need in our community by purchasing a jar or two of peanut butter.

Peanut butter is packed with nutrition. About two tablespoons consumed at least five days a week can lower the risk of developing diabetes by almost 30%. It is also full of good, heart-healthy fat, and peanut butter is filling. There is nothing better to satisfy a hungry child (or adult) than a peanut butter sandwich.

Let us work together this year to collect more jars of peanut butter than ever before, so Our Daily Bread has plenty to share with so many in our community.

Boxes will be available at the side entrance beginning the first of September for you to drop off your peanut butter.

May God bless you for your willingness to support this much-needed ministry in our area.

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**Boarding the Bus with Joy!**

The Joy Ministry Team left the church at 10 a.m. Friday, July 19th to visit the University of Tennessee Knoxville (UTK) campus. Barbara Tallent, Patty Crowder’s daughter, was the personal tour guide for the group. Barbara took them to visit the West Club, Tennessee Terrace, the Peyton Manning Locker Room, and the Lauricella Letter Person’s Club. They enjoyed lunch at the Student Center. Barbara Tallent was the Interior Designer for all the places the Joy Team saw on this tour. Thank you, Barbara, for showing us around places at UTK where others are not privileged to see. We are grateful, too, for Tommy Hale driving the church bus for this fun trip.

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**MINISTRY SURVEY**

Everyone has gifts. Listed below are the current ministries of the church. Please prayerfully consider how you will share your talents in service. Place a check in the box and sign it. You may place it in the offering plate or return it to the church office.

- Lay Leadership (nominations)
- Community Ministries
- Family Life Team
- Finance Team
- Acolyte Team
- Audit Team
- Board of Trustees
- Children & Youth Council
- Parsonage Team
- Staff/Parish Relations Committee
- Higher Education/ Campus Ministry
- History & Records Team
- Sunday School Teachers & Substitutes
- Visitation Team
- Nursery Workers
- Long-Range Planning
- Memorial Team
- Ministry Team
- Music Team
- Mother’s Day Out
- Transportation Team
- Usher Team
- Worship Team
- Outreach
- Witness
- Church Council Members-At -Large
- Altar Guild
- Security
- Bereavement Team
- Joy Ministry Team
- Children’s Church

**Signature:** ____________________________

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The Women’s Wednesday Night Bible Study facilitated by Susan Maddux will begin August 21 from 6:00-7:00 pm in the Library. Join us for a 6-week study of *REDEEMED: Seeing the Messiah in the Book of Ruth* and get a close-up look at the lives of Naomi, Ruth, and Boaz. Find out how their love, sacrifice, and faithfulness is an illustration of Christ. The study has a companion DVD by Dr. Sam Nadler, a Jewish believer in Jesus who has a passion for communicating the Good News and currently serves as president of Word of Messiah Ministries. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board at the side entrance.

Participant Guides are $6.00

Come to the United Methodist Women’s Book Club August 20th at 6:30 p.m. in the church library as we share

*A haunting account of teaching English to the sons of North Korea’s ruling class during the last six months of Kim Jong-il’s reign.*

Our Guest speaker on Sunday, July 7, 2019, was Dean Sparks featured above with Worship Leader, Kevin Rose. Dean filled in for Pastor Dale who was away on vacation. Dean’s message was entitled, “Remembrances.” We are grateful to him for being with us and to Kevin Rose for being such a great worship leader.

Patricia (Trish) Cole was the guest organist in Bryan Massengale’s absence. Her prelude, “Patriotic Medley” was beautiful, and for the offertory, Trish played, “Assurance.” Thank you, Trish!

Thank you Caren Ruffner, Angela Jackson, and Connie Roberts for singing “The Star-Spangled Banner” at the beginning of the worship service and “I Asked the Lord” as the special music, Sunday, July 7th. How blessed we are to have these gifted ladies in our church family.

Everyone is invited to the Wednesday morning Bible study which begins September 11 at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Our class starts with a study of the *Gospel of Mark*. There are no student books, so all you need is your Bible.
Join Us for Our Homecoming Celebration at Spring City United Methodist Church Sunday, September 8, 2019 11:00 a.m.

After the worship service, a covered dish lunch will be served in the Family Life Center. Please come casual. Reservations are not required, but numbers would be appreciated. Contact the church office at (423) 365-6324 or send an email to scumc@volstate.net.

Homecoming is a time to visit with your Sunday School teachers, youth group leaders, old friends, and church members who loved you then and would love to see you now! Spread the word with other former members. Hope you come and enjoy this special day with our church family. We’ll be looking for you!

David Gilliam, featured above, performed the special music on Sunday, July 14, 2019, at the 11 o’clock morning worship service. His solo was, “Wayfaring Stranger,” and David’s voice was in fine form. What a blessing! Thank you, David.

Above, left to right, members of the Praise Team - Angela Jackson, Caren Ruffner, Kaitlyn Miller, and Pastor Dale are leading the congregation in the song of praise, “Ten Thousand Reasons” on Sunday, July 14th. The words of the song viewed on the big screens were easy for everyone to see and follow. At 9 a.m. on Sunday, August 4th, our new contemporary service, “The Spring,” begins and will have many more songs of praise. Join us!