

**SPRING CITY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
June 7, 2015**

PIANIST- Angela Garrison ORGANIST- Bryan Massengale
ACOLYTE- Hannah Couch

GATHERING Bryan Massengale
STRIKING OF THE HOUR
WELCOME Worship Leader

*HYMN "To God Be the Glory" No. 98
(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 OF FAITH "I Stand Amazed in the Presence" No. 371
PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
THE OFFERTORY "The Lord's My Shepherd" 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 John Hanson
Children, ages 3 thru 2nd grade, may now go to Children's Church.

CHOIR ANTHEM "Where Could I Go from Your Spirit" Chancel Choir
(based on Psalms 139 & 23)

*SCRIPTURE LESSON John 3:1-17 Worship Leader
WORSHIP LEADER: The Word of God for the People of God
PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

MORNING MESSAGE "Where Were You Born?" Dr. Tony Collins
THE GREAT THANKSGIVING
RECEIVING COMMUNION

*INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP "Just as I Am, Without One Plea" No. 357
*BENEDICTION Dr. Tony Collins

*CHORAL AMEN "Make Us One" Congregation & Choir
Make us one, Lord, make us one;
Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let your love flow so the world will know
we are one in You. TFWS # 2224

*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

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are in honor of National Garden Week and God's glorious creation by Bill & Caren Ruffner.

HAVE YOU HAD YOUR PICTURE TAKEN FOR OUR NEW CHURCH DIRECTORY? If you did not have your photograph taken last Sunday for the new directory, please do so today before you leave. Two photographers are available at the stations at the Family Life Center, and one photographer is in the Fellowship Hall. Cards are available at each station to update your current mailing information, phone number, email address, etc. Please take a few minutes and go to the station of your choice.

YOUTH MEET tonight, at 6:00 p.m., in the Family Life Center.

ANNUAL CONFERENCE AT LAKE JUNALUSKA begins today and ends Thursday, June 11. Please pray for safe travel for all those who attend.

TRUSTEES meet Tuesday, June 9th, at 7 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. Attendance at the meeting is important!

A MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR LENNY WINTERBERGER will be held in the sanctuary, Wednesday, June 17th, at 11 a.m.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL (VBS) for children, ages 3 yrs. - 5th Grade, is June 22 - 26th, in the Family Life Center, 6 - 8:30 p.m. Participants may come early (5:45) to enjoy a light dinner. Pre-register at www.groupvbspro.com/vbs/ezi/SpringCityMethodist.

PHONE TREE MESSAGES: Several church members who only have cell phones are experiencing problems receiving phone tree messages from the church office. If you would like to receive messages by email instead of the phone tree, please contact the church office at 365-6324 or email scumc@volstate.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Eddie Boles
Pastor Tony Collins
Mary Conroy
Ray Eldridge
Jesse & Nina Gibbs

Arthur Gilliam
Carl Hesselbach
Betty Ann Huling
Beth Keylon
Bill & Joyce Lavender

Christa Lewis
Fred Mullins
Aud Ray

John D. (Danny) Chattin (Spring City Care and Rehab, #203, Hinch St.)
Alvamae Greathouse (Spring City Care and Rehab, #208, Hinch St.)
Jerry Greathouse (Spring City Care and Rehab, #303, Hinch St.)
Virginia Hale (Spring City Care and Rehab, #301, Hinch St.)
Margie Hughes (Spring City Care and Rehab, #307, Hinch St.)
Ruth Huskins (Golden Years Retirement, 301 Keith Dr., Spring City)
Ray Keylon (Spring City Care and Rehab, #502, 331 Hinch St.)
Edna McCuiston (Abby Mae's Hill, 419 Pin Hook Rd., Spring City)
Kathleen Reece (Spring City Care and Rehab, #306, 331 Hinch St.)
Earl Robbins (Life Care Center of Rhea County, #107, 10055 Rhea Co. Hwy., Dayton, TN 37321)
Margaret Scholz (Spring City Care and Rehab, #201, 331 Hinch St.)
Maggie Tammark (Spring City Care and Rehab, #609, 331 Hinch St.)

Billy Reed (Nancy Gilliam's brother)
Verdice Duff & Family (Dorathy Hastings' brother-in-law)
Maya Adache (friend of Joe & Molly Graham)
Mary Balmer (mother of Christ Haerr)
Grady Austin (friend of Bill & Caren Ruffner)
Baby Evan Proctor's family (friends of Bill & Caren Ruffner)
Patsy Baker (Imogene Robbins' sister)
Stephanie Thomley (Letty Shock's granddaughter)
Janie May (mother of Angie Rose)
Tom Vance (friend of Ken & Ann Hasting)
Sarah Wilson (Theresa Lisa's friend)
Dennis Hernon (brother-in-law of Emmaly and Felix Fisher)
Kennedy Ladd (Norm & Peggy Bowman's friend's baby)
Tom Sanders (brother of Loretta Hale)
Pam Yokley (friend of Dorathy Hastings)
Susan Vaughn (friend of Angie Rose)
Carol Requarth (Linda & Ed Gibbs' friend)
Carolyn Hesselbach (Carl & Kay's daughter)

Richard Southers (Cheryl's husband)
Whitney Miller (Beth Keylon's niece)
David Douglas (Max & Pat's son)
Michelle Nasca & Jae Williams (Bob & Sheila Larson's daughters)
Haleigh Hall (Ed & Linda Gibbs' granddaughter)
Lisa Evitt (friend of Earl & Imogene Robbins)

The Family of Lenny Winterberger
(Gina Winterberger's husband)
Lenny had been a church member since Aug. 25, 1991.)

Prayer list is updated monthly. Due to limited space, names are removed the 1st of each month if the church isn't notified.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

William Ruffner (Bill & Caren Ruffner's grandson)
Jonathon Harrison (James Weaver's step-grandson)
Tyler Shaffer (Kathy Heime's nephew)
Branson Reed (Nancy Gilliam's nephew)
Justin Reed (Nancy Gilliam's nephew)
Trevor Harz (Kathy Heime's nephew)
Monty Johnson (John & Judy Johnson's son)
Nathaniel Taft Moffett (grandson of Glenn Moffett)
Derek Niehaus (husband of John & Sam Hanson's granddaughter)
Dillan Osborne (Arthur & Linda Osborne's grandson)
Christopher Yonke (Dianne Yonke's grandson)
Troy Brown (Tom Heime's friend)
Sam Shaffer (Kathy Heime's nephew)
Christopher Eicher (son of David & Joyce Eicher)
Robert Flynn (Whitney Flynn's brother & Tammy Flanagan's grandson)
Amy Kester (Eleanor Trail's cousin)
Charles Krumweide (Eleanor Trail's nephew)
John Lewis (Vickie Cheek's "other son")
Aaron D. Mooneyhan (June Pitman's grandson)
Colby Nelson (Leon & Nancy Hicks' grandson)
Tom Reed (Nancy Gilliam's nephew)
John Cody Robinson (Virginia Hale's grandson)
Joshua Russell (Helen Miko's nephew)
Earl Schaller (George & Phyllis Schaller's grandson)
Thomas R. Taylor (Marilyn Cooksey's daughter-in-law's brother)
William Wilkey (Eleanor Trail's grandson)
Larry Ware and Robert Ware (Robert & Kay Ware's sons)



Colby Nelson

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE
Week of June 7, 2015**

SUNDAY - 6/7

Annual Conference begins today at Lake Junaluska and ends Thurs., June 11th.

- 9:45 Sunday School
- 11:00 Morning Worship
- 6:00 Youth, Family Life Center
- 8:00 AA, Fellowship Hall, Room 105

MONDAY - 6/8

- 7:00 Boy Scouts, Family Life Center

TUESDAY - 6/9

- 7:00 Trustees, Parlor

WEDNESDAY - 6/10

- 6:00 Youth, Family Life Center

THURSDAY - 6/11

FRIDAY - 6/12

SATURDAY - 6/13

- 12-9:00 Private Event, Family Life Center

**SCRIPTURE READING
JOHN 3:1-17 (NRSV)**

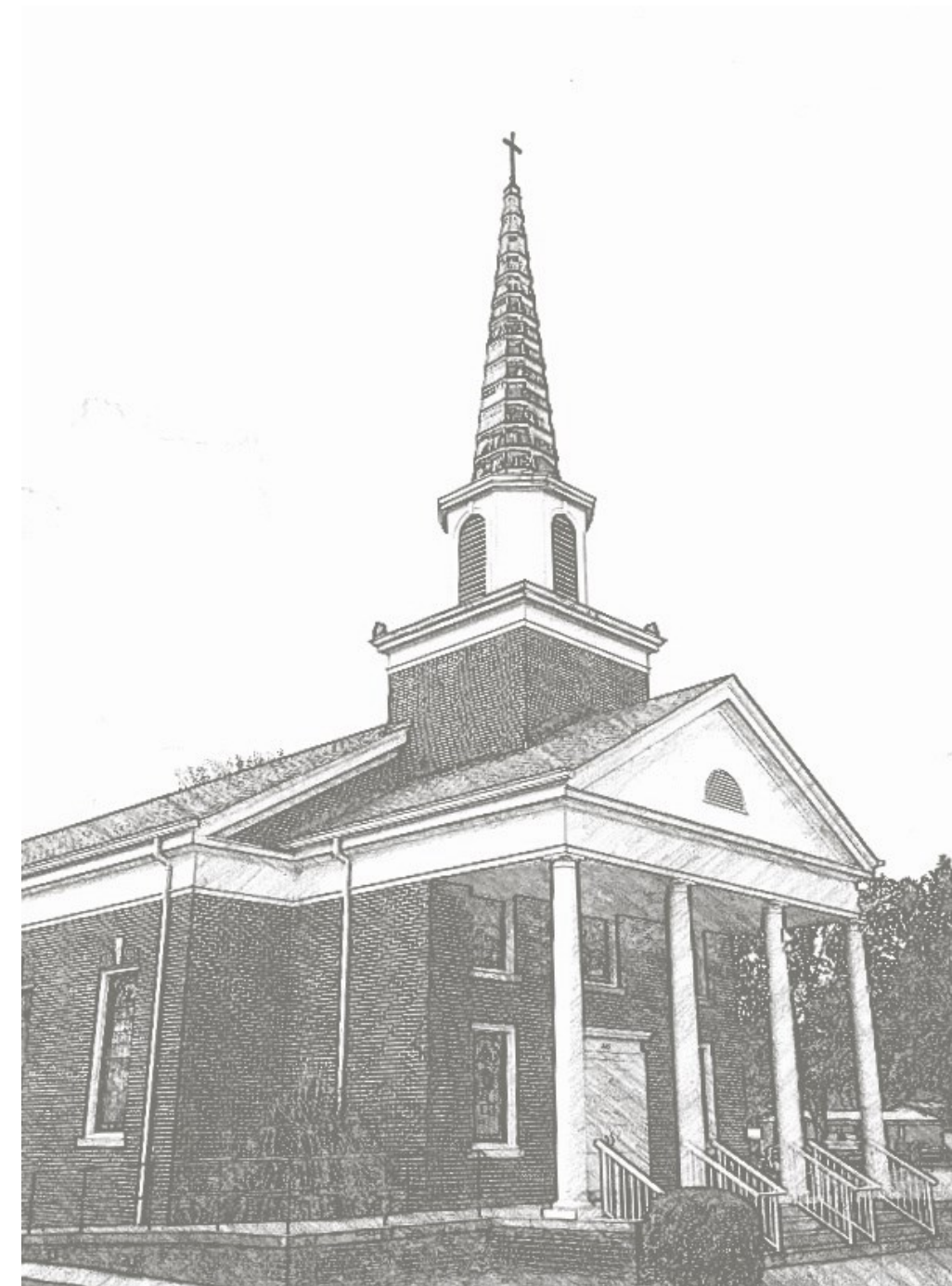
¹ Now there was a Pharisee named Nicodemus, a leader of the Jews.
² He came to Jesus by night and said to him, "Rabbi, we know that you are a teacher who has come from God; for no one can do these signs that you do apart from the presence of God."
³ Jesus answered him, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God without being born from above."
⁴ Nicodemus said to him, "How can anyone be born after having grown old? Can one enter a second time into the mother's womb and be born?"
⁵ Jesus answered, "Very truly, I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God without being born of water and Spirit.
⁶ What is born of the flesh is flesh, and what is born of the Spirit is spirit.
⁷ Do not be astonished that I said to you, 'You must be born from above.'
⁸ The wind blows where it chooses, and you hear the sound of it, but you do not know where it comes from or where it goes. So it is with everyone who is born of the Spirit."
⁹ Nicodemus said to him, "How can these things be?"
¹⁰ Jesus answered him, "Are you a teacher of Israel, and yet you do not understand these things?
¹¹ "Very truly, I tell you, we speak of what we know and testify to what we have seen; yet you do not receive our testimony.
¹² If I have told you about earthly things and you do not believe, how can you believe if I tell you about heavenly things?
¹³ No one has ascended into heaven except the one who descended from heaven, the Son of Man.
¹⁴ And just as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, so must the Son of Man be lifted up,
¹⁵ that whoever believes in him may have eternal life.
¹⁶ "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life.
¹⁷ "Indeed, God did not send the Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him.

What a wonderful thing it is to be sure of one's faith!
 How wonderful to be a member of the evangelical church,
 which preaches the free grace of God through Christ
 as the hope of sinners! If we were to rely on our works--
 my God, what would become of us?
 -George Frederick Handel

Monthly Giving to the General Budget			
May Budget	Funds Rec'd as of 5/31/15	% Rec'd toward Monthly Budget	
\$34,040	\$35,705	105%	
Income & Expense Statement (Does not include Special Designated Gifts)			
Income	% Annual	Expenses	% Annual
1 st Qtr 2015	Budget	1 st Qtr 2015	Budget
\$93,621	24.7%	\$99,475	26.2%

PASTOR: Dr. Tony Collins
WORSHIP LEADERS: Norman Bowman, Kevin Rose
CHOIR DIRECTOR: Judy Ezell
CO-DIRECTORS OF CHILDREN: John Hanson, Angie Rose
DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S CHOIR: Kaitlyn Couch
USHERS: Earl Keahey, Steve Keylon, Arthur Osborne, Pete Williams
GREETERS: Mary Drinkard, Linda Mullins
NURSERY: Angie Rose & Katie
CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Susan Maddux
YOUTH: 6/7 The Heimels 6/10 The Heimels
WEBSITE TECHNICIAN: Jay Maddux

PASTOR'S EMAIL: tonycollins@volstate.net
OFFICE HOURS: Mon. - Fri. • 8:30 a.m. to 12 noon • 1 to 4:30 p.m.
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