SPRING CITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT March 12, 2017

PIANIST- Angela Jackson	ORGANIST - Bryan Massengale
ACOLYTE - Kennedi Pruett	

GATHERING STRIKING OF THE HOL	IR	Bryan Massengale
WELCOME		Worship Leader
*PROCESSIONAL HYM	N "Amazing Grace"	No. 378
*AFFIRMATION OF FAI PASTORAL PRAYER A	TH The Apostles' Creed ND THE LORD'S PRAYER	No. 881
*HYMN OF FAITH	"There's Within My Heart a Melody"	No. 380

(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.)

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY	"Softly and Tenderly"	Bryan Massengale
THE DOXOLOGY		No. 95
*GREETING EACH	OTHER IN CHRISTIAN LOVE	
*HYMN	"Surely the Presence of the Lord"	No. 328
CHILDREN'S SERM	ION	Pastor Dale

CHOIR ANTHEM "What Wondrous Love Is This?" **Chancel Choir**

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

MORNING MESSAGE	"In the Moment"	Rev. Dale S. Wyrick
*HYMN	"It Is Well with My Soul"	No. 377
*BENEDICTION		Rev. Dale S. Wyrick
*CHORAL AMEN	"Christ Beside Me"	Congregation & Choir
	Christ beside me. Christ before me, Christ behind meKing of my heart; Christ within me, Christ below me, Christ above menever to part.	
	The Faith V	Ve Sing Hymnal No. 2166

*POSTLUDE

Bryan Massengale

Worship Leader

*CONGREGATION STANDS

Personal transmitters for the hearing impaired are available. Please see an usher for assistance. Nursery available near the Fellowship Hall.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

ATTENTION PARENTS: When the worship service ends, please go upstairs to pick up your child from Children's Church. Thank you!

A CALLED CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING begins after the worship service today in the Fellowship Hall. All Church Council members are urged to attend.

STAFF PARISH RELATIONS TEAM (SPRT) meets in the Parlor today at 5 p.m. All SPRT members should be present at the meeting.

THE JOY MINISTRY TEAM invites those of you who are 60 and up to join them for a visit to the Tennessee Aquarium in Chattanooga on Monday, March 13. Travel will be on the church bus with Tommy Hale, driving. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board near the side entrance. The bus will leave the church parking lot at 9 a.m. You will need to bring \$29.95 for admission, plus money for lunch.

TVA RETIREES' guarterly meeting begins at 10:30 a.m. in the Family Life Center on Monday, March 13.

DEADLINE FOR LET'S DO LUNCH (LDL) RESERVATIONS is Thursday, March 16th for ladies, 60 and up, who plan to attend the LDL meeting on Tuesday, March 21 at noon in the Family Life Center. RSVP by calling 365-6324 or send an email to scumc@volstate.net by the deadline.

COMMUNITY DINNER will be served at 5 p.m. in the Family Life Center on Thursday. March 16th. May God bless our Community Ministries Team for their faithful work in providing this meal for those less fortunate in our community.

G.R.O.W. meets in the Fellowship Hall on Thursday, March 16th, at 6 p.m.

THE MINISTRY TEAM has a special meeting on March 19 at 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall to discuss the Congregational Ministry Plan, and everyone who is interested in discussing current and future ministries of our church is welcome to attend. The Congregational Ministry Plan was originally done in 2011 to assess the needs of the church and the community and to set specific goals for the church's ministries. The purpose of this meeting is to provide an update on the 2011 report and to explore how the needs have changed and how best to address them currently. Everyone's ideas are welcome!

THE YOUNG ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS will begin a study of Luke on April 2. If you are between the ages of 18 - 45, you are invited to join this study with leader, Walt Morse. The class meets in the Family Life Center in Room 301

ADULT AND YOUTH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT THE EASTER FESTIVAL on Sunday, April 9 from 2 - 3:30 p.m. in the Family Life Center. We need help with crafts, games, snacks, and an egg hunt. Please contact Constance Garrison at constance264@gmail.com or call 710-5285 if you would like to volunteer.

SPRING CITY SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT is scheduled in the Family Life Center for Saturday, March 18th. The FLC will be closed for pageant set-up on Friday, March 17th.

Margaret Scl **Eleanor Trail** The Alley Fa Gilbert) Marie Rundi Anne Batts (**Tim Litteken** George Wald Vickie Benne Michelle McC Beth Keylon Jenelly Kinse Moorshead) Stephanie Ki Hudson) Linda Fugate **Richard Ree** Olga Conroy (daughter-in-law of John Conroy) Barbara Swafford (aunt of Scott Messimer) Tom Swafford (uncle of Scott Messimer) Jim McPherson (cousin of Peg Caudill) Trina Koon (Donna Hudson's niece) Julie York (friend of Emmaly Fisher) **Doyle Montgomery** (friend of Emmaly Fisher)

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REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Jesse & Nina Gibbs	Gary Gilmore	Mike Jackson	Linda Mullins
Nancy Carr (Golden Years, 301 Keith Dr., Spring City) Barbara Fischesser (Spring City Care and Rehab, #404, Hinch St.) Mary Galloway (195 Deer Ridge Dr., Room #A5, Dayton, 37321) Nancy Jo McClendon (Spring City Care and Rehab, #203, Hinch St.) Sue Patton (Spring City Care and Rehab, #305, Hinch St.) Kathleen Reece (Spring City Care and Rehab, #306, 331 Hinch St.) Margaret Scholz (Spring City Care and Rehab, #511, 331 Hinch St.) Eleanor Trail (Spring City Care and Rehab, # 406, Hinch St.)			
The Alley Family (friend Gilbert) Marie Rundio (sister of Anne Batts (sister of To Tim Litteken (Gil & Judy George Waldo (friend of Vickie Bennet (friend of Michelle McCuistion (fr Beth Keylon	Richard Stair) m Heimel) y Litteken's son) f Angie Rose) Margo Hinsdale)	John Johnson (frien David Lenear (broth Grace Ruffner (nieco Ruffner) Beth Hower (friend o Wilma Jean Waldo (Boles, Lesia Garrisor Whitney Miller (Beth	e of Bill & Caren of Rita Uhler) (friend of Tammy n & Angie Rose)
Jenelly Kinsey (friend of Moorshead) Stephanie Killius (daug Hudson) Linda Fugate (sister of l Richard Reed (Nancy G	hter of Donna Naomi Hinely)	The Mockbee Famil (in the death of the h Barnes' daughter, Ch	usband of Betty rrissy Mockbee)

The Family of Anthony Collins (son of Dr. & Mrs. Tony Collins) c/o Burks UMC 6433 Hixson Pike Hixson, TN 37343

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

R. E. Nail (friend of Kevin Garrison)

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

- Michael Seth Crane (Margaret Crane's grandson) William Ruffner (Bill & Caren 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 (John & Judy Johnson's son) Nathanial Taft Moffett (grandson of Glenn Moffett) Derek Niehaus (husband of John & Sam Hanson's Christopher Yonke (Dianne Yonke's grandson) Christopher Eicher (son of David & Joyce Eicher) **John Lewis (**Vickie Cheek's "other son") Aaron D. Mooneyhan (June Pitman's grandson)
- John Cody Robinson (Virginia Hale's grandson) Earl Schaller (George & Phyllis Schaller's grandson) Larry Ware and Robert Ware (Robert & Kay Ware's sons)



Justin Reed

Upcoming Events Week of March 12, 2017

Sunday, March 12

9:45	Sunday School
11:00	Morning Worship, Sanctuary
12:00	Called Church Council Meeting, Fellowship Hall
4:30-8:30	Youth, Family Life Center
5:00	Staff Parish Relations Team, Parlor
8-9 p.m.	AA, Fellowship Hall

Monday, March 13

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9:00	Joy Ministry Team & Friends depart for the Aquarium
10:30	TVA Retirees, Family Life Center
6:30	TLC, <i>Library</i>
6:30	Cub Scouts
7:00	Boy Scouts

Tuesday, March 14

8:30	MDO, Level 2 Classrooms
10:00	Beth Moore Bible Study, Fellowship Hal

Wednesday, March 15

10:00	Disciple 4, Fellowship Hall
4:30-8:30	Youth & Children's Class, Family Life Center
5:00	Youth Choir, Sanctuary
6:00-7:00	Beth Moore Study, Room 205
7:00	Chancel Choir, Choir Room

Thursday, March 16 Let's Do Lunch Reservations' Deadline

8:30 MDO. Level 2 Classrooms

- 5:00 Community Dinner, Family Life Center
- 6:00 G.R.O.W., Fellowship Hall

Friday, March 17

Family Life Center Closed for SC Scholarship Pageant set-up

Saturday, March 18

8 - 11:30 Spring City Scholarship Pageant, *Family Life Center*

SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

MINISTER: Rev. Dale S. Wyrick WORSHIP LEADER: Kevin Rose CHOIR DIRECTOR: Judy Ezell **GREETERS:** Sharon Cowart, Susie Strunk ACOLYTE: Kennedi Pruett CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Natalie Bowman, Peggy Bowman **SS NURSERY:** Peggy Bowman, Angie Couch WORSHIP NURSERY: Angle Couch, Katle Rose USHERS: Bennie Arp, Marty Gilliam, Steve Keylon, Walt Morse WEBSITE ADMINISTRATOR: Jay Maddux SOUND OPERATOR: John Moorshead BACKUP: Silas/Linda Booker

Monthly Giving to the General Budget		
March Budget	Funds Rec'd as of 3-5-17	% Rec'd for Monthly Budget
\$28,384	\$9,095	32%

SCRIPTURE READING John 3:1-17

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.

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SOLAR ECLIPSE MEETINGS are scheduled every second and fourth Mondays at the Library Annex at 6 p.m. with City Manager, Stephania Motes. Everyone is velcome.



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