# Spring City **UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 16th Sunday After Pentecost**

**September 12, 2021** 

Pianist- Angela Jackson Organist- Bryan Massengale Bryan Massengale Prelude Striking of the Hour Welcome **Billy Ray Patton Rev. Dave Grant** Invocation "How Great Thou Art" Hymn No. 77 **Affirmation of Faith** "The Apostles' Creed" No. 881 **Peanut Butter Blessing** Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer "Majesty, Worship His Majesty" No. 176 **Hymns** No. 177 "He Is Lord" **Choir Anthem** "How Can I Keep From Singing?" **Scripture** James 3:1-12 **Rev. Dave Grant Morning Message** "Doing Speech" **Rev. Dave Grant** Response Hymn "The Gift of Love" No. 408

**Rev. Dave Grant** 

#### **Announcements**

- If you are interested in coordinating the annual **Fall Festival** in October, please contact the church office.
- The **Nominating Committee** will meet at 6:00 on Monday in the parlor.
- The JOY (Just Older Youth) group has organized their first outing of 2021, which are on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month. This month we will be going to TN Historic Rock House near Sparta, then lunch at Cumberland Park Restaurant. We will be leaving on the church bus at 9:30am on Friday the 17<sup>th</sup> of September. There is a signup sheet in the Fellowship hall near the outside door, please sign up if you intend to come so we know who's coming and won't leave anyone behind! If you or someone you know is 60+ in age, please join us. We look forward to seeing you there!
- Women's Wednesday Bible Study will begin again for a 6-week study of Galatians beginning October 6 and going



through November 10 from 6:00-7:00 in the FLC. Please sign up on the bulletin board at the side entrance or contact Susan Maddux (718-9809) by September 14 so that study guides can be ordered.

Thank you all so much for the flowers, cards, and other gifts I received for my birthday! —Imogene Robbins.

#### REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Stella Ray Jenny Lou Hallums James Weaver Sandy Morgan John Powell Carol Price Manuel Christi Liz Stair

**Eddie Garrison** Golden Years, 301 Keith Dr., Spring City

The Courtyard, Apt. 258A, 195 Deer Ridge Dr. Dayton Barbara Hardy Spring City Care & Rehab, #306, 331 Hinch St. Kathleen Reece Imogene Robbins Golden Years, 301 Keith Dr., Spring City

**Grace Fugate** 

(aunt of Emmaly Fisher) **Beverly Wilkey Louallen** (friend of Connie Roberts)

Debbie McCullough

(friend of Walt & Linda Morse)

**Kent Daum** 

(friend of Walt & Linda Morse)

Clyde Thurman, Sr. (father of Clyde Thurman, Jr.) **Rick McGrath** 

(son-in-law of John Powell)

Karen Aikman

(friend of Caren Ruffner)

**Larry McCuistion** 

(brother of Pat Douglas)

Kyrsten Coleman

(friend of Walt & Linda Morse)

Dean Hunsberger

(Brother of Linda Booker)

Joyce Hamill

(friend of Jerrie Patton)

Amy Scurlock

(granddaughter of Walt & Linda Morse)

Steve Hoosier

(son-in-law of Bob & Angie Burkhardt)

Jan Pitts

(friend of Peggy Bowman)

Mary Hardy

(sister-in-law of Peg Caudill)

**Boyd Alley** (Neighbor)

Ronnie Morgan

(friend of Norman & Peggy Bowman)

Kristen Wagner

(friend of Connie Roberts)

Judy VanWinkle

(friend of Walt & Linda Morse)

**Alex Cohen** (brother of Rita Uhler)

**Dave Heimel** 

(father of Tom Heimel)

The Family of Gary McCampbell

(friend of Ken & Barbara Rose, John Powell, & Connie Roberts)

The Family of Nancy McIlwain (SCUMC member since 1994)

Nathan Shaver (Betty Barnes's grandson)

J.T. Baker (SCUMC member)

Jonathan Harrison (James Weaver's step-grandson)

Branson Reed (Nancy Gilliam's nephew)

Justin Reed (Nancy Gilliam's nephew)

Monty Johnson (Judy Johnson's son)

**Christopher Yonke** (Diane Yonke's grandson)

John Cody Robinson (Tommy Hale's nephew)



I.J. Baker

**Benediction** 

# **Upcoming Events**

Week of September 12, 2021

Sunday, September 12

9:45 Sunday School, *Classrooms*11:00 Morning Worship, *Sanctuary* 

**4:00** Youth, Youth Room

Monday, September 13 10:00 TLC, Library

**6:00** Nominating Committee Meeting, *Parlor* 

Tuesday, September 14

8:30 MDO, Classrooms

Wednesday, September 15

**6:00** Choir Practice, Sanctuary

Thursday, September 16

8:30 MDO, Classrooms

Friday, September 17

**9:30** JOY Outing, Leaving from the church

## Serving in Worship Today

Acolyte: Ashley Grant

**Ushers:** Lynda Smith and Margo Hinsdale **Sound & Video**: Chris & Carolyn Haerr

### SCRIPTURE READING James 3:1-12 (NLT)

<sup>1</sup> Dear brothers and sisters, not many of you should become teachers in the church, for we who teach will be judged more strictly. <sup>2</sup> Indeed, we all make many mistakes. For if we could control our tongues, we would be perfect and could also control ourselves in every other way. <sup>3</sup>We can make a large horse go wherever we want by means of a small bit in its mouth. 4 And a small rudder makes a huge ship turn wherever the pilot chooses to go, even though the winds are strong. <sup>5</sup> In the same way, the tongue is a small thing that makes grand speeches. But a tiny spark can set a great forest on fire. <sup>6</sup> And the tongue is a flame of fire. It is a whole world of wickedness, corrupting your entire body. It can set your whole life on fire, for it is set on fire by hell itself. <sup>7</sup> People can tame all kinds of animals, birds, reptiles, and fish, <sup>8</sup> but no one can tame the tongue. It is restless and evil, full of deadly poison. 9 Sometimes it praises our Lord and Father, and sometimes it curses those who have been made in the image of God. <sup>10</sup> And so blessing and cursing come pouring out of the same mouth. Surely, my brothers and sisters, this is not right! 11 Does a spring of water bubble out with both fresh water and bitter water? 12 Does a fig tree produce olives, or a grapevine produce figs? No, and you can't draw fresh water from a salty spring.



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