

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE  
Week of March 3, 2013**

**SUNDAY - 3/3**

- 9:30 - Children's Choir, Room 207
- 9:45 - Sunday School
- 10:30 - Fellowship with coffee & donuts, FLC - Gym
- 11:00 - Morning Worship, Sanctuary, Room 100
- 6:00 - Bible Study, Fellowship Hall, Room 105
- 6:00 - Youth
- 8:00 - AA- Fellowship Hall, Room 105

**MONDAY - 3/4**

- 10:00 - Prayer Shawl Team, Library, Room 106
- 7:00 - Scouts, FLC-Gym & Fellowship Hall, Room 105

**TUESDAY - 3/5**

- 8:30 - MDO, Rooms 200, 204, 207, 208, 210
- 10:00 - Beth Moore Bible Study, Fellowship Hall, Room 105
- 6:30 - UMW, Fellowship Hall, Room 105
- 7:30 - Trustees Meeting, Parlor, Room 111

**WEDNESDAY - 3/6**

- 10:00 - Disciple II, Fellowship Hall, Room 105
- 6:00 - First Wednesday Fellowship Meal, FLC- Gym
- 7:30 - Chancel Choir, Choir Room, Room 110

**THURSDAY - 3/7**

- 8:30 - MDO, Rooms 200, 204, 207, 208, 210
- 11:00 - Home Bible Study Group, Bill Thurman's home
- 6:00 - Disciple Short Term Bible Study, Fellowship Hall, Room 105

**FRIDAY - 3/8**

**SATURDAY - 3/9**

"My concern is not whether God is on our side; my greatest concern is to be on God's side, for God is always right." — Abraham Lincoln

(Copied)

**FINANCIAL ACTIVITY - February 2013**

	<u>Sunday 2/24</u>	<u>Month-to-date</u>	<u>% of Budget</u>
Operation Funds Rec'd	\$ 4,871	\$24,061	91%
Budget Requirement	\$ 6,638	\$26,552	

**TODAY'S SCRIPTURE  
LUKE 13:1-9 (NRSV)**

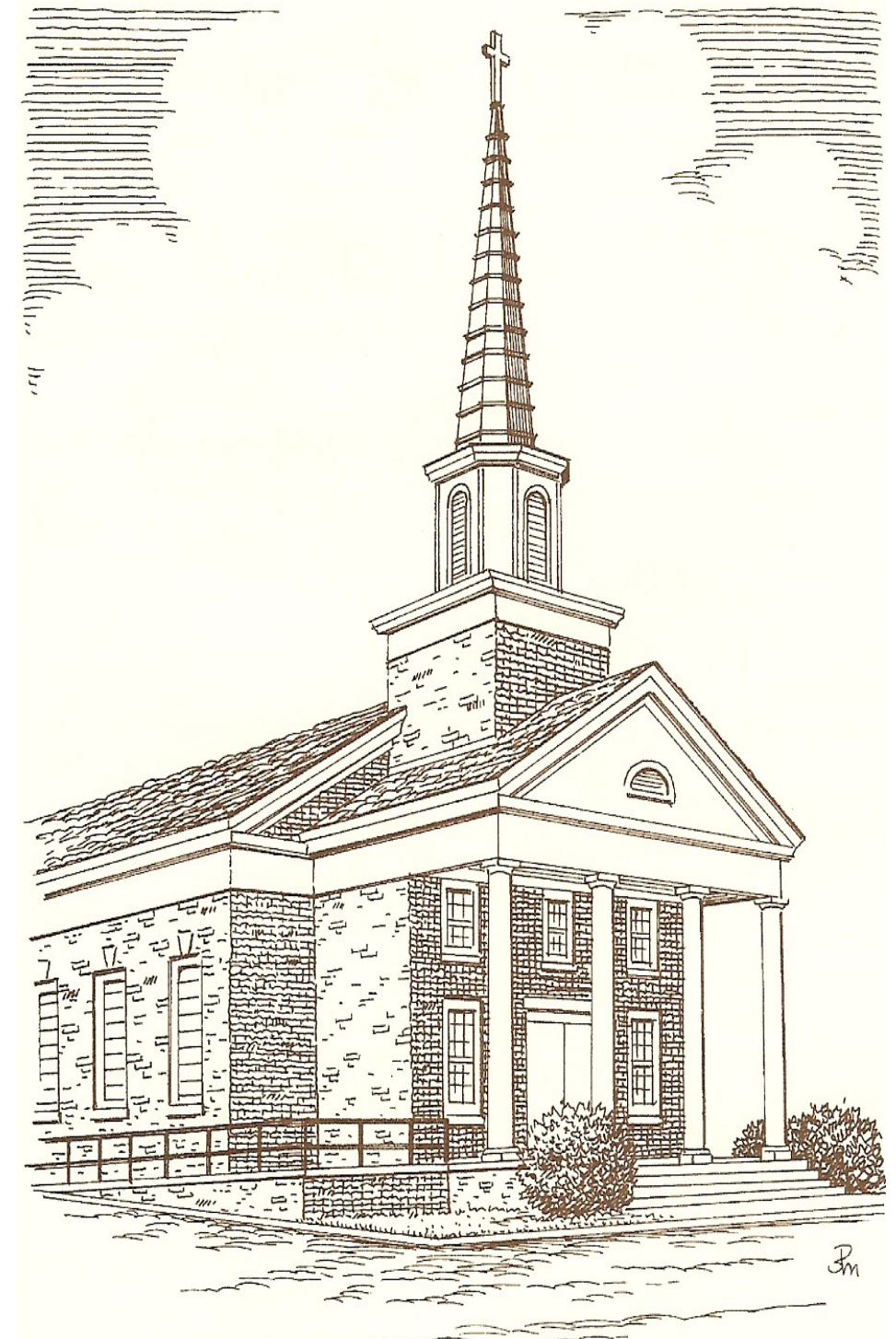
**<sup>1</sup> At that very time there were some present who told him about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mingled with their sacrifices.**  
**<sup>2</sup> He asked them, "Do you think that because these Galileans suffered in this way they were worse sinners than all other Galileans?"**  
**<sup>3</sup> No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish as they did.**  
**<sup>4</sup> Or those eighteen who were killed when the tower of Siloam fell on them—do you think that they were worse offenders than all the others living in Jerusalem?**  
**<sup>5</sup> No, I tell you; but unless you repent, you will all perish just as they did."**  
**<sup>6</sup> Then he told this parable: "A man had a fig tree planted in his vineyard; and he came looking for fruit on it and found none.**  
**<sup>7</sup> So he said to the gardener, 'See here! For three years I have come looking for fruit on this fig tree, and still I find none. Cut it down! Why should it be wasting the soil?'**  
**<sup>8</sup> He replied, 'Sir, let it alone for one more year, until I dig around it and put manure on it.**  
**<sup>9</sup> If it bears fruit next year, well and good; but if not, you can cut it down.'"**

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**PASTOR:** Dale S. Wyrick  
**WORSHIP LEADER:** Richard Stair  
**DIRECTOR OF YOUTH:** Beth Keylon  
**DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN:** Angela Rose  
**DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S CHOIR:** Sandy Gilliam  
**CHOIR DIRECTOR:** Judy Ezell  
**USHERS:** Eddie Garrison, Kevin Garrison, Marty Gilliam, Clyde Thurman, Jr.  
**HOSTS:** Sharon Cowart, Mary Drinkard  
**NURSERY:** Peggy Bowman, Wanda McCarter  
**CHILDREN'S CHURCH:** Beth Keylon  
**YOUTH:** 3/3 Sharon Baker 3/6 1st Wed. Meal (No Youth)  
**WEBSITE TECHNICIAN:** Jay Maddux



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# SPRING CITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Third Sunday in Lent - White  
March 3, 2013

PIANIST- Angela Garrison    VIOLIN - Linda Gibbs    ORGANIST- Bryan Massengale  
ACOLYTE – J. T. Baker

## GATHERING

STRIKING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS & DISTRIBUTION OF GUEST CARDS

Bryan Massengale

Worship Leader

Worship Leader

\*THE PROCESSIONAL HYMN "Majesty, Worship His Majesty"    No. 176

(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.)

\*OPENING PRAYER    Page 6

\*HYMN OF FAITH "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty"    No. 64

\*PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION    Page 6

\*SCRIPTURE LESSON    Luke 13:1-9    Worship Leader

WORSHIP LEADER: The Word of God for the people of God

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

MORNING MESSAGE    Rev. Dale S. Wyrick

"Opportunity is Like a Fast Horse"

\*RESPONSE TO THE WORD    Page 7

\*THE AFFIRMATION OF FAITH    Page 7

\*GLORIA PATRI    Page 70

INVITATION    Page 7

\*CONFESSION AND PARDON    Page 8

PASSING OF THE PEACE

\*HYMN "Surely the Presence of the Lord"    No. 328

THE OFFERTORY    Bryan Massengale

\*THE DOXOLOGY    No. 95

CHORAL ANTHEM "We Are Yours, Lord"    Chancel Choir

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING    Page 9

THE LORD'S PRAYER    Page 10

THE BREAD AND CUP    Page 11

\*BENEDICTION    Rev. Dale S. Wyrick

\*CHORAL AMEN    Congregation & Choir

"Christ Beside Me"  
Christ beside me, Christ before me,  
Christ behind me - King of my heart;  
Christ within me, Christ below me,  
Christ above me - never to part.  
Christ on my right hand,  
Christ on my left hand,  
Christ all around me - shield in the strife;  
Christ in my sleeping, Christ in my sitting,  
Christ in my rising - light of my life.

-TFWS 2166

POSTLUDE    Bryan Massengale

## \*CONGREGATION STANDS

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

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**JOIN US FOR BIBLE STUDY** tonight at 6:00 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall, Room 105. The Book of Revelation is the topic of our study.

**YOUTH MEET IN THE FLC-GYM** at 6:00 p.m. this evening.

**UNITED METHODIST WOMEN** will meet, Tuesday, March 5, at 6:30 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall, Room 105.

**TRUSTEES MEETING** is Tuesday, March 5, at 7:30 p.m., in the Parlor, Room 111. All Trustees are urged to attend.

**HOME PRAYER GROUP** meets, Thursday, March 7, 11:00 a.m., at Bill Thurman's home. Everyone is invited.

**DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME BEGINS SUNDAY, MARCH 10, 2013.**  
**CLOCKS SHOULD BE MOVED FORWARD ONE HOUR.**

**THANK YOU** for Kenzie's bed by my pew. How thoughtful!

God Bless,

Becky Knox Breedlove

**BE THE HANDS AND FEET OF JESUS!** Are you looking for a way to answer the call to serve that God places on each of us? Why not live out the parable of the Good Samaritan by responding to the needs of survivors of disasters. One way to do that is to be a member of the Holston Conference Early Response Team (ERT). Completion of an ERT Basic Training Class is a requirement for anyone wanting to be certified to participate in Holston Conference ERT responses to disasters. The following classes are now scheduled:

**16 March 2013** - First UMC, 501 Church St., Sweetwater, TN 37874

**6 April 2013** - Trinity UMC, 110 Main St., Wise, VA 24293

Each class is scheduled for 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. \$25 will be required for a Background Investigation.

Registration closes Wednesday, March 13, for the Sweetwater class, and Wednesday, April 3, for the Wise class. Please register with Ralph Brock at [edwinb2756@bellsouth.net](mailto:edwinb2756@bellsouth.net).

**First Wednesday Fellowship/Fundraiser  
Dinner Reservation - Wednesday, March 6, 2013  
6:00 p.m. • FLC- Gym**

**Menu: Subway Sandwich, Dessert, & Beverage**

**Cost: \$6.00**

**Sponsored by the Loyalty Sunday School Class**

**Proceeds go to the Church Library Fund.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_

*Please tear off & drop in the Offering Plate*

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Ethan Kincannon  
Bryan Massengale  
Ernestine Simpson  
Bill Crowder  
Joyce Lavender

Ray Keylon  
Aud Ray  
Joe Graham  
Ronnie Barger  
Tim Guthrie

Ardoth Martin  
Patsy Burdette  
Max Douglas

Mary Curtis (Spring City Care and Rehab, #411)  
Virginia Hale (195 Deer Ridge Dr., A6, Dayton, TN 37321)  
Ruth Huskins (Golden Years Retirement, 301 Keith Dr., S.C.)  
June Pitman (c/o Terri P. Depp, 2516 Gray Hendrix Road, Knoxville, TN 37931)  
Kathleen Reece (Spring City Care and Rehab, #613)  
Elsie Robbins (Dayton Life Care Center, Room 39A)  
Hiley Brady Smith (Horizon Healthcare, 811 Keylon St., Manchester, TN 37355)

Leona Brown (Pastor Dale's friend)  
Carlton Rogers (Linda Gibbs' brother-in-law)  
Bonnie Bowman (Norman's mother)  
David Long (Jeannette's brother)  
Alcibee Tharp (Tia Gilmore's mother)  
Ermitt Huskey (Joe & Molly Graham's friend)  
Cathie Lipka (Joan Carty's daughter)  
Megan Ware (Deanna Ware's daughter-in-law)  
Sandi Ellis (Deanna Ware's daughter)  
Jenny Thurman (Bill Thurman's daughter-in-law)  
Larry Lee (Judy Litteken's nephew)  
Betty Shelby (Sandy Gilliam's mother)  
John Kile (Sandy Gilliam's uncle)  
Randall Smedley (Beth Keylon's stepfather)  
Whitney Miller (Beth Keylon's niece)  
Gail Cranfield (Beth Keylon's friend)  
Richard Southers (Cheryl's husband)  
Sissy Gentry (Shelby Williams' sister)  
Nickey Ingram (Kathleen Garrison's friend)  
Olga Conroy (John & Mary's daughter-in-law)

Mary & Rachel Orr (relatives of Ginny Hatcher)  
Gene Prince (Ginny Hatcher's cousin)  
Janet Patterson (Kathy Klein's friend)  
Betty & Teal (Kathy Klein's friends)  
Annette Osborne (Terry McBrayer's sister)  
David Johnson (David Nelson's nephew)  
Jordan Nelson (Leon & Nancy Hicks' granddaughter)

Kathy Garrett (Jeannette Long's relative)  
Lynn Agee's brother, David  
Sharon Davis & family (Liz Stair's daughter)  
Al Gamble (Carol Price's friend)  
Sandy Wood (Ginny Hatcher's niece)  
Billy Arnold (Conroy's son-in-law)  
Vivian McClendon (Jeannette Long's friend)

Anita Corriveau (Jeanne DeCrocce's friend)  
Jim Smith (friend of Ken & Barbara Rose)  
Andy Maggard and family (Kathy Maggard's father)  
Beverly Garrison (friend of Ken and Barbara Rose)  
Carolyn Hesselbach (Carl & Kay's daughter)  
Catrina Christi (Manuel Christi's daughter)  
Christina Jordan (Manuel Christi's daughter)  
Hiram J. Gerber (friend of the DeCrocce's)  
Montana Running Horse (DeCrocce's friend)

The Family of Allie Blevens  
(granddaughter of Cindy Ross and great-niece of Roy Phillips)

The Family of Ruth Litteken (Gil's aunt)

The Family of Henry Hill  
(Rhonda Evans' stepfather)

Please call 365-6324 the first of each month if you wish a name to remain on the prayer list.

## PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

Derek Niehaus (John & Sam Hanson's granddaughter's husband)  
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)  
Zachary Eisen (grandson of Betty Thomas)  
Robert Flynn (Whitney Flynn's brother & Tammy Flanagan's grandson)

Jacob Hubbard (grandson of Ron & Fran Hubbard)  
Ben Johnston (Elizabeth Stair'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)  
Bobby Reece (Kathleen Reece's son)  
Andrew Reed (Nancy Gilliam's nephew)  
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)  
Larry Ware (Robert & Kay Ware's son)  
Robert Ware (Robert & Kay Ware's son)



William Wilkey