

**SPRING CITY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Third Sunday of Easter
April 10, 2016**

PIANIST- Angela Garrison ORGANIST- Bryan Massengale
ACOLYTE - Rachel Heimel

GATHERING

STRIKING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME

Worship Leader

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN "There Shall Be Showers of Blessing" See insert
(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 "Stand Up and Bless the Lord" No. 662

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

THE OFFERTORY "Dove of Peace" Bryan Massengale

THE DOXOLOGY No. 95

*GREETING EACH OTHER IN CHRISTIAN LOVE

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

CHILDREN'S SERMON Dr. Tony Collins

CHOIR ANTHEM "Let Us Break Bread Together" Chancel Choir

GOSPEL LESSON Revelation 2:1a-4 Worship Leader

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

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

MORNING MESSAGE "Starting Point" Dr. Tony Collins

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

RECEIVING COMMUNION

*BENEDICTION Dr. Tony Collins

*CHORAL AMEN "Freely, Freely" No. 389
Congregation & Choir

"Freely, freely you have received, freely, freely, give.

Go in my name, and because you believe,

others will know that I live."

*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

THE TEMPLE AT YOUR SERVICE: If you need your yard cleaned up from winter, bedding plants or tomatoes put in, shrubbery dealt with, or similar tasks, please contact Susan Collins at 865-271-8301, and we will arrange to come and take care of these things for you. We would appreciate a donation to our service projects in return, but it is not required. We are happy to help!

CHANGE OF DATE FOR TRUSTEES' MEETING: The Trustees next meeting will be at 7 p.m., **Thursday, April 14th**, in the Parlor. All Trustees are urged to attend.

DEADLINE FOR LET'S DO LUNCH (LDL) RESERVATIONS is Thursday, April 14th. Ladies, 60 and up, who plan to attend LDL, Tuesday, April 19th, at noon, in the Family Life Center, please make your reservation by the deadline by calling the church office at 365-6324 or send an email to scumc@volstate.net.

BRING YOUR ITEMS TO DONATE TO THE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN'S (UMW) FLEA MARKET to the Family Life Center, **9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Thursday, April 28th and Friday, April 29th**. The UMW Flea Market is Saturday, April 30th, from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. **No clothes, please.** Our *Daily Bread* accepts clothes you no longer need.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS for the Baby Shower honoring Laura & Jacob Moffett on Sunday, May 15th, 1:30 - 3 p.m., in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is invited.

Gift registry: *Buy, Buy, Baby, Babiers-R-Us, and Target*

DATES AVAILABLE FOR ALTAR FLOWERS - April 24; May 1, 8, 29; June 12, 19, 26; July 3, 10, 17, 31; August 14, 21, 28; September 4, 11; October 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; November 6, 13, 20, 27.

If you would like to place flowers in the sanctuary in memory or honor of a friend or loved one, please add your name to the flower chart on the bulletin board near the side entrance. You will need to notify the office by phone (365-6324) or email scumc@volstate.net to submit the announcement you would like in the bulletin for your flowers.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

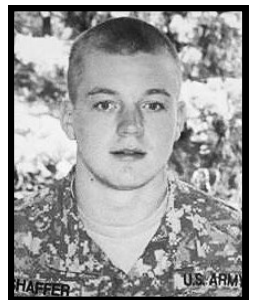
Mary Conroy Jesse & Nina Gibbs Nancy Gilliam	Barbara Hardy Carl & Kay Hesselbach Linda & Fred Mullins	Ruth Neal Bill (Tuffy) Thurman
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John D. (Danny) Chattin (Spring City Care and Rehab, #203, Hinch St.)
Alvamae Greathouse (Spring City Care and Rehab, #309B, Hinch St.)
Kathleen Reece (Spring City Care and Rehab, #306, 331 Hinch St.)
Margaret Scholz (Spring City Care and Rehab, #511, 331 Hinch St.)

Anthony Cringoli, Jr. (friend of Richard DeCroce)	Whitney Miller (Beth Keylon's niece)
Kevin Stamp (brother of Helen Miko)	Jaе Williams (Bob & Sheila Larson's daughter)
Niranchandra Roy (husband of Doris Roy)	Haleigh Hall (Ed & Linda Gibbs' granddaughter)
Skip & Rayann Crane (friends of Daryl & Dallas Watson)	John Toliver (Judy Ezell's friend)
Nancy Goodwin (friend of Kathleen Garrison)	
Kim Steed (daughter of Shirley Corbin)	The Family of Theresa Lisa (wife of Joe Lisa)
Michelle McCuistion (friend of Steve & Beth Keylon)	
Wilma Jean Waldo (friend of Tammy Boles, Lesia Garrison & Angie Rose)	The Family of Jerry Greathouse, Jr. (son of Jerry & Alvamae Greathouse)
Olga Conroy (daughter-in-law of John & Mary Conroy)	
Dallas Watson (husband of Daryl Watson)	
Billy Arnold (John & Mary Conroy's son-in-law)	Due to limited space, names are removed the first of each month if the church office (365-6324) is not notified.
Janie May (Angie Rose's mother)	

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY

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)
Nathaniel Taft Moffett (grandson of Glenn Moffett)
Derek Niehaus (husband of John & Sam Hanson's granddaughter)
Christopher Yonke (Dianne Yonke's grandson)
Troy Brown (Tom Heimel's friend)
Sam Shaffer (Kathy Heimel'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)
John Cody Robinson (Virginia Hale's grandson)
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)



Tyler Shaffer

Upcoming Events Week of April 10, 2016

Sunday, April 10

- 9:45 Sunday School
- 11:00 Morning Worship, *Sanctuary*
- 5:30 Youth, *Family Life Center*
- 8:00 AA- *Fellowship Hall*

Monday, April 11

- 6:30 Prayer Shawl Team, *Library*
- 7:00 Scouts

Tuesday, April 12

- 8:30 MDO, *Level 2 Classrooms*

Wednesday, April 13

- 10:00 Disciple 3, *Fellowship Hall*
- 5:30 Youth, *Family Life Center*
- 6:00 Bible Study, *Fellowship Hall*
- 7:00 Choir Practice, *Choir Room*

Thursday, April 14 • *Let's Do Lunch Reservations Deadline*

- 8:30 MDO, *Level 2 Classrooms*
- 4:15 FLAME!, *Fellowship Hall*
- 7:00 Trustees, *Parlor*

Friday, April 15

Saturday, April 16

SERVING IN WORSHIP

PASTOR: Dr. Tony Collins
CHOIR DIRECTOR: Judy Ezell
CHILDREN & YOUTH MINISTRIES: Susan Collins
CHILDREN'S CHOIR: Kaitlyn Couch
CHILDREN'S CHURCH: Susan Maddux
GREETERS: Sharon Cowart, Glenda Keylon
NURSERY: Peggy Bowman, Wanda McCarter
USHERS: Natalie Baker, Chadley Bowman, Shirley Corbin, Steve Keylon

Monthly Giving to the General Budget		
April Budget	Funds Rec'd as of 4-3-16	% Rec'd for Monthly Budget
\$27,232	\$8,771	32%

SCRIPTURE READING Revelation 2:1a - 4 (NKJV)

¹ "To the angel of the church of Ephesus write, 'These things says He who holds the seven stars in His right hand, who walks in the midst of the seven golden lampstands:
² I know your works, your labor, your patience, and that you cannot bear those who are evil. And you have tested those who say they are apostles and are not, and have found them liars;
³ and you have persevered and have patience, and have labored for My name's sake and have not become weary.
⁴ Nevertheless I have *this* against you, that you have left your first love.



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