

SPRING CITY
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
24th Sunday After Pentecost
November 8, 2015

PIANIST- Angela GarrisonORGANIST- Bryan Massengale
ACOLYTE - Rachel Heimel

GATHERING
STRIKING OF THE HOUR
WELCOME
Bryan Massengale
Worship Leader

*HYMN“I Stand Amazed in the Presence”No. 371
(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 FAITHThe Apostles’ CreedNo. 881
PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

*HYMN OF FAITH“Spirit of the Living God”No. 393

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
THE OFFERTORY“Happy the Soul Who Dwells on God”Bryan Massengale
THE DOXOLOGYNo. 95

*GREETING EACH OTHER IN CHRISTIAN LOVE

*HYMN“Surely the Presence of the Lord”No. 328

*SCRIPTURE LESSONPsalm 127Worship Leader
CHILDREN’S SERMONPastor Tony
Children, ages 3 thru 2nd grade, may now go to Children’s Church.

*GOSPEL LESSONMark 12: 38-44Worship Leader
WORSHIP LEADER: The Word of God for the People of God
PEOPLE: Thanks be to God

CHOIR ANTHEM“He Leadeth Me”Chancel Choir
MORNING MESSAGE“A Context for Giving”Dr. Tony Collins

*INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP“Just as I Am, Without One Plea”No. 357

*BENEDICTIONDr. Tony Collins

*CHORAL AMEN“Jesus, Name above All Names”Congregation & Choir
Jesus, name above all names,
beautiful Savior, glorious Lord.
Emmanuel, God is with us,
blessed Redeemer, living Word. TFWS # 2071

*POSTLUDEBryan 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 FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are in celebration of the 69th wedding anniversary of Jesse & Nina Gibbs. They were married November 9, 1946.



OUR FALL FESTIVAL served 598 adults and children this year. Thank you to everyone who helped in many different ways to make this event a success. A special thank you to The Temple youth, who worked diligently to make this a fun night for our neighbors.

EVERYONE IS INVITED TO BIBLE STUDY tonight at 6 o'clock in the Fellowship with leader, Pastor Tony.



THE NEXT NOEL practices have begun! We have just enough practices to be ready, so please be at each one. If you want to participate and haven't come to practice, jump right in and be there on November 9 from 5-6 PM!



CHRISTMAS WREATHS: The youth group is selling wreaths and greenery products through November 16. To place an order, please sign up at the doors, see any youth, or contact Susan Collins.

TRUSTEES MEET at 7 p.m., Tuesday, November 10th, in the Parlor.



TRINKETS AND TREASURES YOUTH RUMMAGE SALE! The time has finally arrived! Please call Susan at 865-271-8301 to arrange pickup for items you cannot deliver. Drop off at the FLC from 3-8 PM on Friday, November 13. If your gift is organization and pricing, please be at the FLC on Thursday afternoon or Friday night to help! Adults are needed to help with sales on Saturday, as well during the 7 AM to 1 PM sale. Thank you for supporting this sale and our trip to Resurrection 2016!

NEXT SUNDAY IS PEANUT BUTTER SUNDAY! If you did not bring your peanut butter today, there is only one more Sunday to help Spring City's children. There will be the traditional peanut butter cookie for you as you leave the sanctuary today as a reminder to bring a jar of peanut butter next Sunday so we can feed our hungry children.

TOYS FOR CHILDREN CAMPAIGN for the North End of Rhea County is now underway with applications available at City Hall or Volunteer Energy Cooperative. New unwrapped toys or cash donations can now be taken to First Bank (ask for Starlyn Matthews). Contact Helen Kincannon at 365-0197 if you have any questions.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN (UMW) will have their meeting at 6 p.m., December 1, in the Fellowship Hall. Attendees should bring 8 items for shut-ins. Don't forget to bring a covered dish. All ladies in our church are invited. Mark your calendars now for Dec. 1st.



THE NEXT MEXICO MEDICAL MISSION TRIP is scheduled for Saturday, April 2 - Sunday, April 10, 2016. The opportunity to serve the Mexican people is a rewarding experience. A team will form to travel to two villages - Ixtepec and Tatocac. The team has gone to the area for many years and feel very safe there. Doctors, nurses, interpreters, and people who are willing to serve are needed. Team leaders are Frank Snyder (pharmacist), Rev. Ramon Torres, Dr. Paul Brown (physician), Angela Bowker (treasurer), and Anna Kapoor (data management). Contact Frank or Vickie Snyder (423-365-7502) or stop by the church office for an application.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Pastor Tony Collins Mary Conroy Pat Galloway Lesia Garrison Jesse & Nina Gibbs	Arthur Gilliam Carl & Kay Hesselbach Bob Larson Joyce Lavender Chuck McIlwain	Bill Metts Fred & Linda Mullins Aud Ray Bill (Tuffy) Thurman
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John D. (Danny) Chattin (Spring City Care and Rehab, #203, Hinch St.)
Margie Hughes (Spring City Care and Rehab, #310, Hinch St.)
Ruth Huskins (Golden Years Retirement, 301 Keith Dr., Spring City)
Ray Keylon (Spring City Care and Rehab, #502, 331 Hinch St.)
Kathleen Reece (Spring City Care and Rehab, #306, 331 Hinch St.)
Margaret Scholz (Spring City Care and Rehab, #511, 331 Hinch St.)

Jeff Coker (friend of Gil & Judy Litteken)
Ed Hastings (brother-in-law of Dorothy Hastings)
Kevin Stamp (Helen Miko's brother)
Erwin Newell (Richard DeCroke's friend)
Christina Jordan (Maunel Christi's daughter)
John Tolliver (Judy Ezell's friend)
Pat Cook (in loss of her Mom)
Elise Sellers (mother of Susan Arp)
Tammy Parsons (Helen Miko's friend)
Patti Jaco (Barbara Hardy's sister)
Mary Sue Garrison (friend of Glenda Keylon)
Richard Reed (Nancy Gilliam's father)
Lisa Oakley (Susan Collins' sister)
Wanda Weems (Beverly Allison's sister)
Merle Orender (Steve's brother)
Pravin Roy (Doris Roy's brother-in-law)
Johnny Harwood (close friend of Helen Kincannon)
Dennie Hernon (brother-in-law of Emmaly & Felix Fisher)
Billy Arnold (John & Mary Conroy's son-in-law)
Roger Shock (Letty Shock's son)

Frank Davis (Letty Shock's brother)
Todd Bridwell (friend of Bennie & Susan Arp)
Eddie Lenz and Ed Conover (friends of Bob Larson)
Billy Reed (Nancy Gilliam's brother)
Mary Balmer (mother of Chris Haerr)
Janie May (Angie Rose's mother)
Tom Sanders (Loretta Hale's brother)
Pam Yokley (Dorothy Hasting's friend)
Kennedy Ladd (Norm & Peggy Bowman's friend's baby)
David Douglas (Max & Pat's son)
Louise Taber (Donna Hudson's mother)
Whitney Miller (Beth Keylon's niece)
Michelle Nasca & Jae Williams (Bob & Sheila Larson's daughters)
Haleigh Hall (Ed & Linda Gibbs' granddaughter)

The Family of Daryl Roberson (brother-in-law of Carolyn & Chris Haerr)

Due to limited space, names are removed the first of each month if the church office (365-6324) is not notified.

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)
Trevor Harz (Kathy Heimel's nephew)
Monty Johnson (John & Judy Johnson's son)
Nathanial 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)
Tom Reed (Nancy Gilliam's nephew)
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)



Amy Kester

Upcoming Events

Week of November 8, 2015

Sunday, November 8

- 9:45 Sunday School
 10:45 Morning Worship, *Sanctuary*
 4:30 Cantata Practice, *Sanctuary*
 5:30 -8 Youth Group, *Collins' home*
 6:00 Bible Study, *Fellowship Hall*
 8:00 AA- *Fellowship Hall*

Monday, November 9

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

Tuesday, November 10

- 8:30 Mother's Day Out, *Level 2 Classrooms*
 10:00 Beth Moore Bible Study for Women, *Fellowship Hall*
 7:00 Trustees Meeting, *Parlor*

Wednesday, November 11 Veterans Day

- 10:00 Disciple 3, *Fellowship Hall*
 5 - 6 Next Noel Play Practice, *Family Life Center*
 6 - 8 Advent Meal & Study, *Fellowship Hall*
 7:00 Choir Practice, *Choir Room*

Thursday, November 12

Let's Do Lunch Meal Reservation Deadline (365-6324)

- 8:30 Mother's Day Out, *Level 2 Classrooms*
 11:00 Home Prayer Group, *Tuffy Thurman's house*

Friday, November 13

- 3 - 8 Drop off donations for Youth Rummage Sale
Family Life Center

Saturday, November 14

- 7 - 1 Youth Rummage Sale, *Family Life Center*
 6:00 Scouts' Banquet, *Family Life Center*

Monthly Giving to the General Budget			
November Budget	Funds Rec'd as of 11/1/15		% Rec'd toward Monthly Budget
\$34,040	\$9,759		29%
Income & Expense Statement (Does not include Special Designated Gifts)			
Income	% Annual	Expenses	% Annual
3 rd Qtr 2015	Budget	3 rd Qtr 2015	Budget
\$255,503	67.3%	\$275,566	72.6%

SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 127; Mark 12:38-44

Psalm 127

¹ A song of Ascents. Of Solomon. Unless the LORD builds the house, They labor in vain who build it; Unless the LORD guards the city, The watchman stays awake in vain.

² *It is* vain for you to rise up early, To sit up late, To eat the bread of sorrows; *For* so He gives His beloved sleep.

³ Behold, children *are* a heritage from the LORD, The fruit of the womb *is* a reward.

⁴ Like arrows in the hand of a warrior, So *are* the children of one's youth.

⁵ Happy *is* the man who has his quiver full of them; They shall not be ashamed, But shall speak with their enemies in the gate.

Mark 12:38-44 (NKJV)

³⁸ Then He said to them in His teaching, "Beware of the scribes, who desire to go around in long robes, *love* greetings in the marketplaces,

³⁹ the best seats in the synagogues, and the best places at feasts,

⁴⁰ who devour widows' houses, and for a pretense make long prayers. These will receive greater condemnation."

⁴¹ Now Jesus sat opposite the treasury and saw how the people put money into the treasury. And many *who were* rich put in much.

⁴² Then one poor widow came and threw in two mites, which make a quadrans.

⁴³ So He called His disciples to *Himself* and said to them, "Assuredly, I say to you that this poor widow has put in more than all those who have given to the treasury;

⁴⁴ for they all put in out of their abundance, but she out of her poverty put in all that she had, her whole livelihood."



"On this Veterans Day (November 11th), let us remember the service of our veterans, and let us renew our national promise to fulfill our sacred obligations to our veterans and their families who have sacrificed so much so that we can live free."

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