#### **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

<b>SEPTEMBER 23, 2018</b>	TEN THIRTY A.M.

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Joe Collins

\*GREETING OUR NEIGHBORS

PRELUDE "How Great Thou Art" Handbell Choir

INTROIT "When They Ring the Golden Bells" Chancel Choir

\*HYMNS "Blest Be the Tie That Binds" No. 557

"The Church In The Wildwood" Cokesbury No. 121

PASTORAL PRAYER Rev. Joe Collins

THE LORD'S PRAYER

CHILDREN'S CHOIR "Every Move I Make" Directed by: UMK Staff

"He's Still Working on Me" Accompanist: Brian Emerson

CHILDREN'S HAND CHIMES "Amazing Grace" Directed by: Andrew Harmon

OFFERING

Offertory "Good Good Father" Praise Band

\*Doxology No. 95

ANTHEM "Let's Have Some Old Time Religion" Chancel Choir

SCRIPTURE LESSON Matthew 5:43-48 NT Pg. 4

SERMON "Be Mature" Rev. Charles Turner

\*CLOSING HYMN "God Be with You till We Meet Again" No. 672

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION "Dwelling in Beulah Land" Chancel Choir

\*POSTLUDE "Postlude" Stickley

\*Please stand if able

#### **CHANCEL FLOWERS:**

The flowers are placed in the church today to the glory of God and honor of David and Barbara Farnsworth and Linda Whitworth and in loving memory of Jack Whitworth by Doug, Dawn, Emily, Molly & Sophia.

**Homecoming** - We hope you will join us for our covered dish luncheon following the service today. Following lunch you are invited to join us outside at the Picnic Shelter for snow cones, cotton candy, games, bouncy houses and music by the FUMC Praise Band.

**At 6:00pm today** we will have a Fellowship Meal and at 7:00pm we will show the movie *Tortured for Christ* in the Sanctuary. Bring a friend and join us.

**Wednesday Fellowship meals** followed by a Pastor's Bible Study continues this week. The meal will be served at 5:30 p.m. for UMK's and their parents and 6:00 p.m. for adults. Cost is by donation. *If any organization within the church is interested in preparing and serving a Wednesday night meal (each Wednesday until Nov. 14), please contact the church office.* The menu will be spaghetti and salad.

On September 26, **the Pastor's Bible Study** will take place at 6:30pm in the Etheleen Dover Sunday School class. The topic will be "the Book of Philippians."

United Methodist Churches in our area are being asked by Tryon School to provide volunteers to be a "mentor" or a "lunch pal" for a selected student at Tryon School beginning in October. Talk with Pastor Joe or call the church office in register for a required certification class at Tryon School in late September.

There will be an **acolyte training class** for all youth ages 4<sup>th</sup> grade and up on Sunday, October 7, at 9:45 am in the Sanctuary. Bess Thornburg will be leading the class. Please make every effort to attend this class if you want to serve as acolyte in the coming year.

**There will be safe sanctuary training session** for everyone who works with children and youth in the church on Sunday, October 7, at 5:15pm in the Fellowship Hall. The adopted Safe Sanctuary policy of FUMC requires that all individuals working with children/youth attend this class.

**The rose bud** is placed at the altar this morning celebrating the birth of, *Hattie Leigh Beck*, daughter of Ethan and Kaci Beck, born on September 1. Grandparents are Vee and Melanie Thornburg and great-grandparents are C.V. & Jerri Thornburg.

**The rose bud** is placed at the altar this morning celebrating the birth of, *Easton Wonnie Webb*, son of Darin and Emily Webb, born on September 18. Grandparents are Danny and Teci Webb and the great-grandmother is Margaret Webb.

If you wish to donate to the relief efforts for Hurricane Florence victims, you may earmark your check for UMCOR: Florence.

#### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS:**

## **Sunday, September 23 (Homecoming)**

9:45am - Sunday School

10:30am - Worship (Rev. Charles Turner)

11:45am - Covered Dish lunch

12:30pm - Bring your folding chair

and join us at the Picnic Shelter for

desserts, games, bouncy houses and

music by the FUMC Praise Band

5:00pm - Worship Committee meeting

6:00pm - Fellowship Meal

7:00pm - Movie in Sanctuary "Tortured for Christ"

#### Tuesday, September 25

7:00pm - Trustees meeting

# Wednesday, September 26

12:00pm - Young At Heart at Roma's

5:30pm - UMK's

6:00pm - Youth Bible Study

6:00pm - Fellowship Meal

6:30pm - Adult Bible Study

6:30pm - Chancel Choir

# Thursday, September 27

7:00am - Youth Prayer Breakfast at Homefolk's

8:00am - Prayer in the Parlor

#### Sunday, September 30

8:45am - Early Worship

9:45am - Sunday School

11:00am - Worship

6:00pm - Youth

#### **USHERS TODAY:**

Michael Baity, David Baity, Jace Brittain, Will Fowler, Ryan Costner

## **NURSERY WORKERS**

Sept. 23 - 10:30 Melanie Thornburg

Sept. 30 - 8:45 Maria Pruitt

Sept. 30 - 10:30 Amy Tallent

#### STEWARDSHIP REPORT, SEPT. 16, 2018

Previous Total	\$220,099.54
Offering	. \$4,327.00
Total To Date	\$224,426.54
Needs To Date	\$262,519.81

#### ATTENDANCE, SEPTEMBER 16, 2018

Sunday School	56
Worship	64

## **PRAYER LIST (Members)**

Cone Carpenter, Joanne Carpenter, Sandra Carpenter, Janet Carter, Steve Falls, Peggy Gardo, The Gardo Family, Willie Heavner, Aura Ann McGinnis, Barbara McGinnis, Pat McGinnis, Carol Metzger, Sue Nolen, The Payseur Family, Karleen Price, Joe & Frances Putnam, C.V. Thornburg, Rhonda Wehunt, Earlene Williams, and all our homebound and nursing home members.

# **PRAYER LIST (Family & Friends)**

Rick Benfield, Ray Branton, Patsy Dellinger, The Rick Fite Family, Sloan Fortenbery, James Griffith, Diane Hilderbrand, Ray Homesley, Cornelia Moss, Gail Packard, Jeff Schrum, Mary Wheatley, Greg Yount, and our loved ones in the military.

# **LOVED ONES IN THE MILITARY:**

#Ethan Beck, Aron Dickerson, Kenny Greene, Jessica Lovell, \*Travis Kiser, Cody Spiker. #Church Member; \*Stationed in the Middle East