Welcome In the Name and Love of Jesus Christ

Welcome! We are thankful for your presence as we share in the worship of God. We pray you will find the blessing of fellowship among us. If you are visiting, please know that no one is really a visitor. This is God's house and all are welcome. We invite you to pray with us, sing with us, rejoice with us, and hear Christ's call with us. Since we all have needs, during the closing hymn, the altar is open for you to pray, give thanks, dedicate or re-dedicate your life.

Worship Resources: A Nursery is provided for children up to AGE 4. We invite you to use this facility for infants and toddlers. Children's bulletins are available from the ushers. In the pews, you will find Prayer Cards that you are invited to use to share specific prayer concerns. Please place the card either in the offering plate or in the prayer boxes located in each entryway.

Order of Worship

Come in, chat, and take a moment to visit. But when the prelude begins – prepare for worship in a spirit of prayer and expectation! As we begin worship, please silence and put away all cell phones and beepers! *Indicates people stand as they are able.

Gathering Music

Welcome Announcements and Time of Friendship

Rev. Black

*Opening Hymn #577

God of Grace and God of Glory H. E. Fosdick

Act of Praise #819

Psalm 99:1-5

*Gloria Patri #70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Pastoral and Lord's Prayer

Rev. Black

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Offertory Praise the Lord

Dr. Nathan Windt and David Cawlfield

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above Ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Anthem Majesty Jack Schrader
The Scripture Mark 4:35-41 Rev. Black
The Sermon Who Is This That Even the Storm Obeys Him? Rev. Black
*Hymn of Invitation #377 It Is Well With My Soul H. G. Spafford

*Benediction

*Postlude

Assisting with Today's Service

Chancel Choir Director......Dr. Nathan Windt Pianist......Gielda Reese Organist......Charlotte Newman Nursery Attendants......Elaine Davidson and Anita Thomas Children's Time......Sue Walker

Church Calendar

10:00 AM Sunday: Sunday School 11:00 AM Sunday: Worship 6:15 PM Wednesday: Prayer Ministries

4:00 PM Sunday: Bible Study 7:00 PM Wednesday: Ash Wednesday/Trinity UMC

4:30 PM Sunday: Youth

5:00 PM Sunday: Super Sunday Kids

Our Stewardship Last Week

Our stewardship Last Week								
Sunday School	52	Imagine No Malaria	30.00					
Morning Worship	131	Food Pantry	50.00					
Sunday School	15.50							
Church Budget	4,148.81							

Announcements

Altar Flowers: The Altar Flowers are given by Brian and Kelly Bean in honor of their 11th Wedding Anniversary on February 9th. Happy Anniversary to Brian and Kelly!

Super Sunday for Kids: Super Kids will meet this afternoon at 5:00 PM. Make plans to be a part of Super Sunday Kids.

Bible Study: The Bible Study on Beth Moore's "When Godly People Do Ungodly Things" will begin this afternoon at 4:00 PM. Please contact Carlene Kuykendall is you wish to join in the Bible Study today.

Love Offering: During Worship Service today a Love Offering will be received for Milford and Kathy Clark, to help with ongoing medical expenses. Please mark your envelopes or checks as Love Offering for the Clark's and place in the offering plate. A benefit for Kathy Clark will be held at the McMinn County High School cafeteria on Saturday, February 16 from 5 PM until 8 PM.

Ash Wednesday Service: This year our Ash Wednesday Service will be at Trinity UMC at 7:00 PM on February 13. Rev. Joe Black will be speaking at this very meaningful service. Let us resolve this year to attend this service to as we enter the Lenten season. Trinity serves a meal on Wednesday and would like to invite the members of Allen to join for the Ash Wednesday meal served at 5:30 PM. The menu is: pork roast, hash brown casserole, potatoes & carrots, sauerkraut, Normandy vegetables, fried apples, bread, drink and desserts. The cost is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children. You may call the Allen church office at 745-1560 or call directly to Trinity at 745-0452 to make your reservations by Monday, February 11.

Church Council to Meet: The Church Council will meet on Sunday, February 17 at 7:00 PM in Wattenbarger Hall

Chancel Choir: The Chancel Choir will not practice this Wednesday.

Family Life Potluck Dinner: After Worship Service on February 24, the Family Life Committee is sponsoring a covered dish meal. Family Life will provide bread, and drinks, so bring a tasty dish to share with your church family. We also ask if you have a pet/s that you would bring a picture to post on our family pet board. We will be taking donations to help the Humane Society. Here is a list of items that they can use: warm blankets, cat beds, dog shampoo, laundry detergent, Dawn dish washing liquid, dryer sheets, bleach, cat and dog food to assist families in need, paper towels, and dog houses. If you don't have a pet, you can enjoy learning about the pets of others.

^{*}Doxology #95

Souper Bowl of Caring Update: Thank You to the Allen Youth and to everyone who brought food items for the Allen Food Pantry. You may bring food items for the food pantry anytime! Thank You!

Imagine No Malaria: We have set a goal of saving 250 lives for Imagine No Malaria; we are well on our way to reaching our goal with <u>201 lives saved</u>. Thank you for your support of this ministry!

New Chair Fund – Our goal of 150 chairs has almost been met, **145** have been purchase, only 5 chairs to go! Thanks for your support for this project!

Something for Everyone: Please plan to join us for "Marvelous March" Tuesday, March 5 at 12 noon in Wattenbarger Hall. The theme will be "In the Kitchen with Aunt Bee." We will see an episode from the Andy Griffith show, "The Pickle Story." Please make your reservation by Sunday, March 3, so we will know how much food to prepare. The menu will include Aunt Bee's fried chicken with all the trimmings. Brochures are now available in the side vestibule for the upcoming Tour of the Volkswagen Plant on May 7 and the Spring trip to Georgia on May 28 and 29. Please pick up a brochure if you are interested in either of these trips. The deadline for the church family to sign up for these trips is Sunday, April 14th.

Men's Group: The Men's Group meets on the first Sunday morning of each month. All men of the church are welcome to come join the men on March 3 at 8:30 AM for a hearty breakfast, devotions and fellowship.

UMW: The United Methodist Women will meet on Saturday, March 9 at 12 noon in the Wattenbarger Fellowship Hall. Everyone is asked to bring their favorite salad to share for luncheon!

Easter Egg Hunt: The Annual Allen Memorial Easter Egg Hunt will be held here at the church on Sunday, March 17 at 4:30 PM.

Candy Needed: Please bring bags of individually wrapped candy to help with our children's Easter Egg Hunt. Place candy in the baskets at each entrance. Thank you from our children!

Rejoicing Spirits: The Rejoicing Spirits Service is scheduled for February 17 at Cedar Springs UMC at 4:00 PM. Come be a part of this special service.

Relay for Life 2013 T-Shirt/Team: Please check the window in the side vestibule for donation forms to add your <u>in memory or in honor of name</u> to the Relay for Life Team T-Shirt.

McMinn Ministries: Each month the McMinn Ministries Newsletter is posted on the bulletin board in the side vestibule. Check out the news from the McMinn Ministries.

Newsletter Information for the March Newsletter should be turned in by February 10.

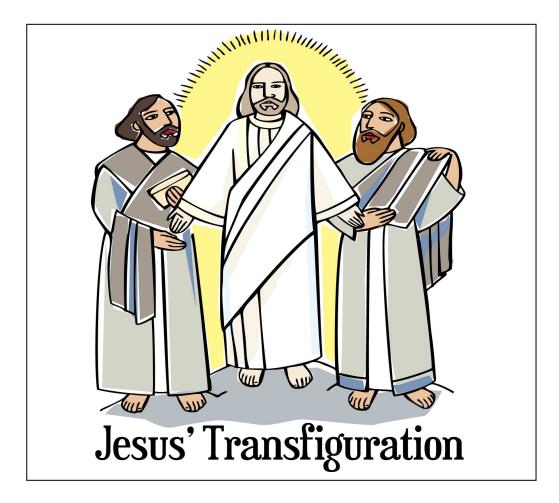
Prayer Request List: Each week an updated Prayer List may be picked up in the window at the side entrance.

Flowers Next Week: February 17- Becky Jaquish

Weekly Prayer Concerns

For this week: Joseph Carpenter, Bobby Davidson, Bobby Shugart, Roy Thomas, Glenn Mason, Kathy Clark, Eva Oaks, Bill Stewart, Rev. Joe Black, Russell Roberts, Letha Allen

Prayer Focus for the Week: Pray for peace in the hearts for those that are troubled.



Allen Memorial United Methodist Church Transfiguration Sunday February 10th, 2013

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The Mission of the United Methodist Church

"The mission of the Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

Local churches provide the most significant arena through which disciples-making occurs."

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