



First Cumberland Presbyterian Church
McKenzie, Tennessee
September 2, 2018
9:00 am Worship

“God saved you by his grace when you believed.
 And you can’t take credit for this;
 it is a gift from God.
 Salvation is not a reward for the good things
 we have done,
 so none of us can boast about it..”

Ephesians 2:8-9

Welcome

(Ushers will hand out the Attendance Registers)

We Gather to Worship

Opening Prayer

Praise Songs

Open Up the Heavens
Victory in Jesus

Time with the Children

Lee Lawrence

We Pray Together

We Worship Through Giving

Everlasting Arms
Prayer of Blessing

We Continue to Worship

Do It Again

Morning Scripture Lesson

Acts 9:10-19; Ephesians 2:4-9 (NLT)

Morning Message

“Welcome to Belonging”

Rev. Kevin Wood

Closing Song

Come to Jesus

Affirmation of Faith (In unison)

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
 And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord;
 Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,
 suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
 He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead;
 He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the
 Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and
 the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church;
 the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins;
 the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen**

Benediction

Following the Light of Christ into the World.

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Prayer Concerns: Steve Burke-Home; Kenneth Seward; Karen Allen; Johnny Arnold;
 Carol Barker; Rev. Jim Pinnell; Diana Cook (Rev. Wood’s cousin); Bill McCain; Stacie
 Smothers; Clint Todd; Ray Crocker; Leroy Price (JoAnn Ownby’s brother); Willie Mae
 Forester

Sympathy to: Lee Lawrence & family at the death of his mother, Linda; the family of
 Patricia Hall Webb; the family of Regina Golden

McKenzie Health Care Center: Ben Surber; Marian Smith; Betty Marshall; Lanier
 Mabry; Anita Drury; Peggy (Houston) Morris; Martha McCadams; Bobby Elliston;
 Truman Bateman

Lakeside Retirement Center: Frank Claytor; Noel Wiggins; Bill Beasley; Linda Crider;
 Trudy Bateman

Christian Care Center: Sue Hearn; Blake Poole; Edward McDearmon

Other retirement centers & home-bound: Gordon Coleman; Mary Margaret Williams;
 Tami Stambaugh; Ruth Latimer; Christine Argo; Mary Lou Ridley; Raymond Gray;
 Dorothy Tegethoff

Those with long-term illnesses & undergoing treatments, recovering, therapy:
 Byron & Sandra Pate; Alice Barnhart; Toni Prosser; Walter Waddle; Carolyn Roney;
 Jean McKinnie; Dave & Martha Sue Peters; Demetra Perkins; Rebecca Claytor; Kelly
 Barnhart; Wynemia Mouser; Frances Jensen; David Lankford; Joe & Sara Fitzgerald;
 Kim Wyatt; Kay Kirk; Harold “Doc” Russell; Beulah Ognibene; Devin Cox; Carol

Perrine (Melissa Baker’s grandmother); Rev. Tommy Thompson; Rick Legends;
 Linda Davis (Tommy Bobo’s sister); Nancy Daniels; Paul Davis; Sam Tilley;
 Summer Hollomon; Randy Hatch; Bill Story; Rev. Don Tabor; Robert Hall; David
 Thompson; Kathryn Powers; Shelby Hancock; Demetri Burnett; Barbara Boyd;
 Karen & Jack Fry; Matthew Bowlin; John “Bubba” Wilson; Paul Lundy; Sue Wright;
 Bob France; Connie Hubbard; Edwin Hawkins; Rev. Mike Justice; Edward
 Lankford; Dan Vaughn; Tristan Arnold; Mary Bass; Euda Maynard; Ted & Judy
 Finley; William Ervin; J. D. Dunkle; Bobbie Cooper; Kyle Watkins; Sherry Overman;
 Jim Verner; Buddy Hutchens; April Knowles; Adriana D’Adamio; Jill Shomaker;
 Joyce (Hill) AlKishaly; Bobby Babb; John Arnold; Debra (Rush) Santens; Rev.
 Aaron Holmes; Tom Keenan’s brother, Max; George Haynes; Grace McCain
 Wonderly; Lucille Russell; Betty Anderson; Leah Sutton; Josh Fisher; Maddox
 Hurst; Linda Myatt; Keitha Chism; Charlie Bowman; Nathan Pratt; Warner Wood;
 Duwayne Keenan; Rev. Don Caperton; Frank Knopp; Margeax Ridley; Kenneth
 Rogers; David Ellis; Walter Waddle; Billy Holmes; Linda Crutcher; Mariann Draper;
 Elizabeth Fischer; Shane McClelland
MILITARY: Sean Smith; Matt Warren; Justin Townsend; Nathan Smith; Ken Powell;
 Jon & Lisa Rhodes; Caleb Clay, Peter Allen & C. J. Vogel & all military & veterans
OTHERS: Victims of Natural Disasters; Persecuted Christians; The Drop Box
 Ministry; Session; Search committee & standing committees; Sunday School
 Teachers; missionaries; the Congo nation; Care givers

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The ushers will pass out the Attendance Registers.

(Visitors, please write your address & phone number on the register)

SUNDAY

10:10 am - Membership classes in Pastor’s Office
 No evening activities are planned

MONDAY

Office Closed for Labor Day

TUESDAY

9:00 am - Craft Ladies Meeting

WEDNESDAY

9:00 am - Prayer Group Meeting
 5:50 pm - WOW begins - Team 1 with Elders Moss & Cooper will serve BBQ,
 Baked beans, slaw and dessert
 6:30 pm - PARENTS Meeting (Parents of all children age 3 thru 12th grades)
 (WOW Adult Classes will begin September 12)
 7:00 pm - Worship Committee Meeting

THURSDAY

7:00 pm- Nights on Broadway in downtown McKenzie featuring *Earmark*,
 a Gospel Group,

NEXT SUNDAY

9:00 am - Contemporary Worship
 10:10 am - Sunday School Classes
 10:10 am - Membership Classes in Pastor’s Office
 11:00 am - Traditional Worship Service

August 26, 2018	Attendance 191
General Fund Offering -	\$5,544.00
Sanctuary Fund Offering -	367.00
Youth - Fireworks -	492.76
TOTAL -	\$6,403.76
(General Fund Amount Needed Weekly - \$7,129)	
Fireworks Grand Total is: \$6,266.15 (includes \$1,500 youth deposit on July 22.)	

LOOKING AHEAD

Sept. 9 - 10:10 am - Membership Classes in Pastor's Office
Sept. 10 - 6:00 pm - Women's Ministry Meeting
Sept. 12 - 5:50 pm - WOW (Team 2 - Elders Bean & Watkins)
Sept. 16 - Sanctuary Quarterly Giving Offering
Sept. 16 - 9 am & 11 am - Service of Blessings & Anointing
Sept. 16 - 10:10 am - Membership Classes in Pastor's Office
Sept. 19 - 5:50 pm - WOW (Team 3 Elders Espey & Harbin)
Sept. 19 - Renaissance Quartet performing after WOW meal
Sept. 23 - 9 am & 11 am - National Back to Church Sunday
Sept. 26 - "See You at the Pole"
Sept. 26 - 5:50 pm - WOW Team 4 (Elders Bouldin & Carroll)
Oct. 7 - World Wide Communion
Oct. 8-12 - McKenzie Schools Fall Break
Oct. 13 - 7:30 am - Men's Fellowship Breakfast and Devotional
Oct. 19-21 - Bethel University Homecoming Weekend
Oct. 21 - 6 pm - Renaissance Homecoming Worship

Back Pack Program

Our church will participate in the Back Pack Program beginning in September. We partner with other McKenzie churches in providing food for children in McKenzie Elementary School who might not otherwise have something to eat over the weekends. Items that you may donate include: peanut butter or cheese crackers, chewy granola bars, pudding cups, juice boxes or pouches, fruit cups, vienna sausages, beans and franks. There is a box in the Gathering Area for your donations. The Prayer Group helps distribute the food to the Elementary School.

*You are invited to a
Baby Gift Tea
in honor of Beka Watkins
Sunday, September 16
1:30 to 3:00 pm
in the Reception Room
Beka is registered at Target & Wal-Mart
She is having a boy!*

The New Sanctuary

"So we built the wall for the people worked with all their hearts."

Thank you for your gifts to eliminate this debt so that we can make plans to move forward with the completion of the Sanctuary. The present indebtedness is **\$32,293**.

The new sanctuary is open during office hours, Monday thru Friday-- 8:00 am to 4:30 pm.

Worship on Wednesday - WOW

Our WOW program for the fall begins on Wednesday, **September 5 at 5:50 pm**. Marlene Kreuter and Fran Musser will be preparing the meals. Donations will be taken at the door. Classes for all ages will be available. Everyone is invited to participate in the learning, the food and fellowship. The congregation is divided into Elder Teams. The teams provide desserts and come early to the kitchen to help fix drinks, serve the meal and afterwards help with clean-up.

Sept. 5 - WOW Team 1 - with Elders Kim Moss & Adam Cooper and team members: Saudia Akin; Allen & Tonya Brown; Cody & Meagan Brown; Stephen & Jamie Brown; Ron & Sandi Deming; Terry & Suzanne Howell; Linda Lewis; Joe & Jean McKinnie; Linda Meek; JoAnn Ownby; Dave & Martha Peters; Emma Renfro; Larry Ridley; Bob & Cheriadeth Rutledge; Mark & Amy Smith; Justin & Lori Stambaugh; Chris & Becky Wall; Lynn & Molly Watkins; Andrew & Josi Webb; Tracy & Marcia Webb; Mary Wyatt; Kim Wyatt
6:30 pm - PARENTS Meeting

Operation Christmas Child

Samaritan's Purse, a Christian mission founded by Rev. Billy Graham, is the sponsor of Operation Christmas Child. Each year millions of boxes are delivered around the world to children in need. We participate by giving items during the year for the shoeboxes as well as packing them in November. Donation items for May are: Ivory soap and plastic soap containers (please do not put soap in the containers).

Donation items for the month of September are: small

toys

There is a box in the Gathering Area for your donations.

LOST AND FOUND

Thank you for taking lots of the items from the Lost and Found Table in the hallway. This will be your last chance to check for any missing items you may have left here. On September 4, we will be donating the items to United Neighbors.

McKenzie's Nights on Broadway

The gospel group Earmark will be featured at McKenzie's Nights on Broadway on Thursday, September 6 from 7 to 9 pm on Broadway Street in downtown McKenzie. Moves to the Park Theater if raining.

Table Talk

Come join us for Table Talk. We will be addressing the ongoing development concerning the two Cumberland Presbyterian Churches and the unification process. We will meet at church on **September 13, at 7:00PM**. Brother Kevin will bring the information and there will be time for discussion and questions. This topic will be recommended at the next General Assembly so you will want to know as much as you can and give your input. Take note that both churches(1st page of your Confession of Faith) use the same confession of faith! Hope to see you there!

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

10:10 am - 10:50 am

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Nursery: Newborns-18 months
Nursery Attendants: Linda Krushe; Amy Scott, Patricia Lee
Beginners: (18 months--3 years)-Toddler Nursery
Toddler Teachers: Donna Ward; Melissa Herris; Johnna Toombs
Pre-K & K - Upstairs above Gathering Area
Pre-K & K Teachers: Roger & Melissa Baker
Terry & Suzanne Howell
1st & 2nd Grades - Upstairs above Gathering Area
1st & 2nd Grade Teachers: Meredith & Tommy Surber; Missy Blount
3rd, 4th & 5th Grades - Upstairs above Gathering Area
3rd, 4th & 5th Grade Teacher - Susan Bouldin
Jennifer & Mike Beasley

YOUTH CLASSES

6th, 7th & 8th Grades - Conference Room
Teachers: Peggy Espey, Becky Allen; Cathey Stambaugh
9th-12th Grades - Youth Room
Teachers: Jon Davis; Amanda Morris
College Class - Library
Teacher: Jean Hollomon & Garrett Burns
ADULT CLASSES
Fellowship Class - Ground level - 1st room on South End
Rotating Teachers
Faithweavers Adult Class - Upstairs above Gathering Area
Teachers: Lee Lawrence; Dewayne Ervin, David Jarrett; Lauren Fields
Revelation Class - Prayer Room, Teacher Linda Kemp
Fireside Class - Reception Room, Teacher Debby Aljancic

Devotional Booklets

"These Days" published for Cumberland Presbyterians, and other churches are available on the table under the bulletin board in the hallway. **"Our Daily Bread"** published by RBC Ministries is also available on the table in the hallway.

Elder of the Week

Ken Bean

Acolytes

Natalie Herris Carleigh Lunn

Nursery Helper

Patricia Lee

Bell Ringer

Brett Toombs

Greeters/Safety

Lynn Watkins Victor Clark

Ushers - 9 am Service - SEPTEMBER

Kelly Weatherford, David Jarrett, Evan Jarrett, Mark Smith

Ushers - 11:00 am Service - SEPTEMBER

Larry Watkins - Chairperson; Donna Ward; James Hamilton; Linda Meek

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