



Cookeville First United Methodist Church

May 22, 2022

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Clinton Wheeler

PRELUDE

My Shepherd Will Supply My Need

Callahan

INTROIT

Welcome

Miller

Refrain:

Singing welcome, welcome to this place.

You're invited to come and know God's grace.

All are welcome the love of God to share

'cause all of us are welcome here;

all are welcome in this place.

*THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR

*CALL TO WORSHIP

With what shall we come before God this day?

**With love and justice,
with compassion and kindness.**

With what shall we worship the Lord this day?

**With humility and mercy,
with faithfulness and righteousness.**

*Come into God's presence, not as perfect beings,
but as people of hope and blessing.*

**Blessed are the poor in spirit.
Blessed are the meek and the merciful.
Blessed are the sorrowful and those who dream
of peace and righteousness.**

Bring your dreams. Bring your sorrows.

For all are welcome here!

*HYMN OF PRAISE

We All Are One in Mission

ELLACOMBE

We all are one in mission;
we all are one in call,
our varied gifts united
by Christ, the Lord of all.

A single, great commission
compels us from above
to plan and work together
that all may know Christ's love.

We all are called for service
to witness in God's name.
Our ministries are different;
our purpose is the same:

to touch the lives of others
by God's surprising grace,
so every folk and nation
may feel God's warm embrace.

Now let us be united
and let our song be heard.
Now let us be a vessel
for God's redeeming word.

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we all are one in call,
our varied gifts united
by Christ, the Lord of all.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Worship and Song, No. 81

Creator God, how lovely is the dwelling you have made for us!
You who create all things, we gladly awaken in your presence.

You are our maker, our host, and our home.
Risen Christ, how lovely is your dwelling with us!

You invite us to feast at your table:
to be nourished by your teaching,
to be healed by your grace,
and to share in this banquet of life
with all the other poor sinners of this world.

You taught and healed, you died and were raised,
you who are the Bread of Life, feed us with your presence,
fill us with your spirit, and lead us by your word.

We desire with all our heart and mind and strength
to die and live with you in the mystery of eternal life.

Holy Spirit, love of God, how lovely is your dwelling with us!
Wisdom of God, how gracious is your invitation to feast at your table.
You make of us one body, the Body of Christ.

God, we give our hearts to you, that by your grace
we may devote ourselves to lives of compassion, justice, and joy,
for the sake of the transformation of the world,
in the name of Christ. Amen.

*GLORIA PATRI

No. 71

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. Amen.

CALL TO PRAYER

Guide My Feet (Stanzas 1, 4, 5)

No. 2208

Guide my feet while I run this race.
Guide my feet while I run this race.
Guide my feet while I run this race,
for I don't want to run this race in vain!

I'm your child while I run this race.
I'm your child while I run this race.
I'm your child while I run this race,
for I don't want to run this race in vain!

Search my heart while I run this race.
Search my heart while I run this race.
Search my heart while I run this race,
for I don't want to run this race in vain!

PRAYER CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

LITANY

"What Does God Want?"

Sherrie Dobbs Johnson

We gather to learn what the Master really needs from us.

Let our hearts, minds, bodies and souls tune in to what you really need from us, and not just on what it is we find convenient to give to you.

Jesus needs something from us. In one of his final prayers he prayed that "we all may all be one."

With whom do we need to be one? Show us the way Lord; show us the way.

What does the Lord require of us?

To do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with our God.

OFFERTORY

Be Not Afraid

Courtney

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow

No. 95

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN OF PREPARATION

Woke Up This Morning (Stanzas 1, 2, 3)

No. 2082

Oh, I woke up this morning with my mind,
and it was stayed, stayed on Jesus,
woke up this morning with my mind,
and it was stayed, stayed on Jesus,

woke up this morning with my mind,
and it was stayed, stayed on Jesus,
Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelujah.

Oh, you can't hate your neighbor in your mind,
if you keep it stayed, stayed on Jesus,
can't hate your neighbor in your mind,
if you keep it stayed, stayed on Jesus,

can't hate your neighbor in your mind,
if you keep it stayed, stayed on Jesus,
Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelujah.

Makes you love everybody with your mind,
when you keep it stayed, stayed on Jesus,
love everybody with your mind,
when you keep it stayed, stayed on Jesus,

makes you love everybody with your mind,
when you keep it stayed, stayed on Jesus,
Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelu, Hallelujah.

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 22:34-40

This is the word of God for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.

SOLO

Bridge Over Troubled Water (arr. Hayes)

Aaron Cook

LAITY SUNDAY

"Body, mind, spirit, voice, it takes the whole person to sing and rejoice!"

Helen Kemp

LAITY SPEAKER "Heart, Soul, Mind, Strength" Dr. Robert Bell

SOLO *For Everyone Born* (Mann) Cass Roberts

LAITY SPEAKER Strength Steve Shoup

SCRIPTURE Micah 6:6-8

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Thanks be to God.

RESPONSE TO THE SCRIPTURE *What Does the Lord Require of You* Miller

What does the Lord require of you?

What does the Lord require of you,

What does the Lord require of you,

I want to know, I want to know.

I want to know, I want to know.

Justice! Kindness!

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Walk humbly with your God!

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LAITY SPEAKER Soul Erica Dyer

SCRIPTURE 1 Corinthians 12:1-11

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LAITY SPEAKER Heart Ella Frost

PRAYER Ella Frost

*SONG OF DEPARTURE *Here I Am, Lord* No. 593

I, the Lord of sea and sky,
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin
my hand will save.

I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.

I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame,
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide
till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.

***BENEDICTION**

POSTLUDE

Postlude on Old 100th

Bock

Flowers: The altar flowers are given in loving memory of Joe Galbreath and Carlton Galbreath from Sue Galbreath and families.

Liturgists: Bob Luna/Peggy Kilgore

Prayer Requests:

Marilyn Aitken
Carter Apple
Marie Brown
Jeannie Buck
Robert Buck
James Cherry
David Funk
Pat Gilbreath

Nate Griffis
Scott Heinrich
Gwen Hewgley
Joyce Jackson
Ann Kellman
Gilbert Kirouac
Judy Layne
Heather Lee

Jeannie Lynn
Brian Maffett
Linda McConnell
Wayne Nichols
Molly Phillips
Joey Poston
Lonnie Rice
Margaret Ridley

Steve Shoup
Brett Stanton
Amanda Wheeler
Linda Bilyeu Williams
Les Winningham

Sympathy and Prayers:

Kelly & Ted Richardson and family on the death of her brother, Drew Wright.
Mary Alice Gran and family, on the death of her brother, Larry Sell
Church members who are homebound or in nursing homes and assisted living.

“Body, mind, spirit, voice.....it takes the whole person to sing and rejoice!”

Laity Sunday 2022

Ministries of the Heart

Liturgist/Reader
Worship Set-up
Special Event Planning
Audio-visual and sound
Lay speaker
Welcome Desk/Usher/Greeter
Choir: vocal/handbell
Instrumentalist
Communion Set-up
Security Team
Work with Children’s Choirs

Ministries of the Soul

Church Events Volunteer
Intercessory Prayer Team
Stephen Ministry Peer Council
Funeral Meal Volunteer
Community Events Team
Photography
Visitor Outreach
Congregational Care
Barnabas Ministry
Grief Support/Divorce Support

Ministries of the Mind/Discipleship

Sunday School participant
Nursery Volunteer
Children’s Ministry Volunteer
Youth Ministry Volunteer
Young Adult Ministry Volunteer
Senior Adult Ministries
Short-term Study Participant
Topical Study Leader
Sunday School Leader

Ministries of Strength/Support

Food Pantry Volunteer
Red Bird Build
Habitat for Humanity
Special Outreach Ministries
Emergency Assistance
Health Ministry Volunteer
Angel’s Attic Volunteer
Disaster Response
Highland Residential Food Baskets
Jere Whitson Elementary
Church-focused Creation Care
Hope Academy
Ramp Building Team

If you are interested in any of the above OR if you have additional suggestions for ministry, please contact the church office: office@cookevillefumc.org