

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS

### FEBRUARY

- 13 United Methodist Men
- 14 Education and Formation  
Ministry Meeting
- 21 Shrove Tuesday Pancake  
Supper
- 22 Lenten Arts Festival Begins  
Ash Wednesday Service
- 24 UMM Boy Scout Spaghetti  
Supper
- 25 Youth Discovery Weekend
- 26 "New to the Church"  
Dessert

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER MENU

#### FEBRUARY 15, 2012

Eggs, Biscuits, Sausage, Bacon,  
Cheese Grits, Gravy, and Fruit

#### KID'S OPTION

Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich  
and Fruit

**Please** remember to make your  
reservations or cancellations  
by noon on Monday so we can  
have an accurate count.

You can also reserve online at:  
[www.cookevillefumc.org/dinner](http://www.cookevillefumc.org/dinner)

#### NURSERY AVAILABLE

FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP AND

SUNDAY SCHOOL:

8:15 am - 12:15 pm

Children ages: Birth to 4 years

## Sunday Services

Worship Service:

8:30, 10:55, and 11:00 a.m.

9:45 a.m. Sunday School

10:55 a.m. Service Broadcast  
on WATX-AM, 1600

Phone: 931-526-2177

Fax: 931-372-9905

Email: [office@cookevillefumc.org](mailto:office@cookevillefumc.org)

## IMAGINE A GLIMPSE OF TOMORROW TODAY

As you are becoming aware of our church's Imagine Campaign and how vital this project is to our future, you are encouraged to attend one of the remaining informational meetings. In these meetings you will hear from our pastors and the Imagine Vision Plan Team members about the future of our church and the exciting ministries of which our congregation is capable!

Please join us:

Sunday, February 12, 9:45 a.m. in the Sanctuary (in place of Sunday School)  
OR

Thursday, February 16, 7:00 p.m. in Jeff Wall Hall

Then, please join us for:

Sunday, February 26 Commitment Sunday and  
Sunday, March 25 Celebration Sunday

## WELCOME JULIE VAUGHN

This week we welcome Julie Vaughn to our church. Julie comes to us from the World Outreach church in Murfreesboro to join our church with her husband David. They recently married on January 21, 2012. Julie works at Kay's Jewelry in Murfreesboro until the new Kay's Jewelers opens in Cookeville, TN. We are honored that Julie has chosen us as her church family.



## VBS 2012 MEETING

Please join us for an informational meeting about our 2012 Vacation Bible School: *Operation Overboard: Dare to Go Deep with God*. We invite you to come to the CLC on Sunday, February 26th at 9:45 a.m. Everyone interested in sharing ideas and suggestions is invited and encouraged to attend. We want and need your input! We look forward to this year's VBS being the most exciting, creative and meaningful one we have ever offered at Cookeville First United Methodist. Save the dates: June 4-8, 2012!



## A RECORD OF OUR FAITHFULNESS

By our Presence: Attendance: February 5th

8:30 a.m.	1st Service	263
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School	310
10:55 a.m.	2nd Service	201
11:00 a.m.	Encounter	80
Total Worship Attendance:		544

By Our Gifts: Offering: February 5th

Budget fund receipts	\$44,887.43
Building fund receipts	\$1,517.00

Call LuAnn at the Church office  
(526-2177, Ext 202) if you are interested in setting  
up an automatic draft for your contributions.



Real estate offers opportunities for giving to your Church Foundation. Consider the gift of vacant

land, condominium, commercial property, house, farm, or other types of real estate. You could be entitled to an income tax deduction for the fair market value of the property at the time the gift is made.

To find out more regarding the Cookeville First United Methodist Church Foundation, call Sam Sandlin, a member of our church and the Foundation Advisory Team, at 528-5485.

### ATTN: PARENTS OF COLLEGE STUDENTS

If you have a college student, please send us their name, address at college, year in school, major, and the college that they attend, so that we can keep in touch. Email their info to the church office at [office@cookevillefumc.org](mailto:office@cookevillefumc.org).

### e-NEWSLETTER

Are you receiving your newsletter by email with a link to the website AND a paper copy in the mail? Call the church office or email [shannon@cookevillefumc.org](mailto:shannon@cookevillefumc.org) to cancel your paper copy today!

### CFUMC ONLINE

For updated information, please visit us online at [www.cookevillefumc.org](http://www.cookevillefumc.org)

## CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER CONCERNS

<i>Cancer</i>	<i>Recovering</i>	<i>Ongoing</i>
Gil Johnson Mary Charlene Speck Freddy Andrews Jill Speight Nadine Fairchild Merry Linde Scott Wolf Theresa Looper Cheryl Schaefer	Billie Foster Lucretia Maxwell Charles Vaughn Ken Fuller Sylvia McCann Mary Ann Huffines Michael Carver Claryce Ferrell LCS: Virginia Plummer Helen Keeney	David Bailey (Pat Rodger's son-in-law) Barbara Hendricks (sister-in-law of Faye Curry) George and Alma Jean Johnson NHC: Evangeline Okain Perry Phipps Elaine Amor Clay Riggins Evangeline Okain Merrill Ford Nate Griffiths Doris Linde Lida Canella Alfreda Ford Mary Graceffo Zora Holmes Louise Girolomo
<i>Missionaries</i>	<i>In Hospice</i>	<i>Other Concerns</i>
Cherie White Family - Mexico David Britnell - grandson of Jo and Frank Britnell	Rev. Gary Fritz	Families touched by unemployment Our military and their families J.O.B.S. Ministry GriefShare Ministry Stephen Ministers and their Care Receivers Jere Whitson Elementary School Ministry HOPE Academy
<i>Elder Care Focus</i>	<i>In the Hospital</i>	
MorningSide Residents and Staff	Sherry Oats Tucker Felts	

To request prayer or to add someone to the prayer list, please use the prayer cards in the pew or call the church office.

## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**ROOM IN THE INN:** Female innkeepers are needed. Catering help also needed for providing breakfast, sack lunches, and dinner for February and March to homeless guests. Please contact Noel Poston or Denna Hornby for more information.

**FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS:** "Behind the scenes" work preparing for Tuesday distributions. Monday preparation, various food bank pick-ups.

**WORSHIP ARTS VOLUNTEERS:** Volunteers are needed on Sunday mornings to participate in leading Worship. Please call Alice Kilgrew at 526-2177 for more information or to volunteer.

**VALET MINISTRY:** The valet ministry needs 3 additional volunteers. Do you have a calling to "greet at the street" or to park cars for our friends who can't walk long distances from parking lots? If so, please contact Denna Hornby for more information.

**OFFICE VOLUNTEERS:** People sometimes needed to help prepare newsletter & other misc. brochures for mailing, on Thursday mornings. Volunteers also needed to answer phones and to help with other clerical duties. Please contact Shannon at 526-2177 to volunteer.

**SHEPHERD MINISTRY:** The Shepherd Ministry is looking for several new teams of volunteers. These teams visit first-time guests on Sunday afternoons for a short "doorstep" visit taking a baked good as a token of friendship. Would you like to spend an hour on Sunday afternoons helping those new to our congregation feel welcome? Please see Denna Hornby for more information.

## A SPECIAL NOTE OF THANKS

Dear Friends:

May I take this opportunity to thank all of my church friends in appreciation for your cards, visits, telephone calls, food, and most of all your prayers during my recent rehabilitation. May God bless you.

Most Sincerely,  
Sylvia McCann

## THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR: FEBRUARY 12—18, 2012

### Sunday, February 12 — Scout Sunday 100th Anniversary

- 7:00 am Epley Companion Group— C201 Parlor
- 8:30 am Worship Service — Sanctuary
- 9:45 am Sunday School — Classrooms
- IMAGINE Vision Plan Meeting — Sanctuary
- 10:55 am Worship Service — Sanctuary
- 11:00 am "Encounter" Worship Service — Wesley Chapel
- 4:00 pm Drumming Ensemble — B019
- 5:00 pm UMYF — B019
- 6:00 pm Carlen Companion Group — B213
- 7:00 pm Youth Praise Band — B019

### Monday, February 13

- 8:00 am MOPS — JWH, Freeman Building, Gym
- 9:30 am Young At Heart Low Impact/ Cardio Class — Gym
- 10:30 am YAH Stretch and Range of Motion Class — B210
- 1:00 pm Staff Meetings — B121, B213
- 5:30 pm GriefShare — Magnolia Place
- Stephen Ministers Supervision — B213
- 6:00 pm United Methodist Men — JWH
- 6:30 pm Reid Companion Group — C201 Parlor

### Tuesday, February 14

- 6:30 am Senior High Breakfast — JWH
- 9:00 am Adult Daycare — Magnolia Place
- GriefShare — First Baptist Church
- 9:30 am Stephen Minister Training — B214
- 2:30 pm God's Grace Food Pantry — Basement, Wesley Chapel
- Coat Drive — Wesley Chapel
- 4:00 pm Room in the Inn — Gym
- 6:30 pm Poston Companion Group — C201
- Education and Formation Ministry Meeting — B206
- Order of St. Luke — B214
- 7:00 pm YAH sponsored Ballroom Dance Lessons — CLC

### Wednesday, February 15

- 8:00 am Jubilee Ringers — Sanctuary
- 9:00 am HOPE Academy — Magnolia Place
- GriefShare — YMCA
- 11:00 am Picnic & Playtime/Parents & Preschoolers — Gym, B118
- Mining Your Memories — B213
- 3:00 pm GriefShare — Magnolia Place
- Youth School Pick-up

### GOD'S GRACE FOOD PANTRY

If you are able to add any of these items to your shopping cart, we would appreciate it: **Baby Food, Green Peas, Tuna, and Canned Fruit.** *Thank you!*

### EARLY CHILDHOOD MUSIC MINISTRY

A musical exploration for the young child, ages birth to 4 ½, along with a caregiver.

Classes, taught by Becky Frye, licensed Musik Garten teacher, begin February 14th and 15th and continue for 12 weeks.

For more information contact the church office at (931) 526-2177 or pick up a registration form in the church office or the Welcome Center.



- 4:00 pm Knitting — CLC 407
- Youth Homework/Open Gym — Freeman Building
- 4:30 pm Choir Club — CLC 402, 404, Music Suite
- Cultivating Contentment — B213
- 5:00 pm WNL Dinner— CLC
- Youth Dinner — CLC
- 6:00 pm Amazing Grace...Studying the Vocab. of Faith — B206
- Disciple II — B214
- Disciple III— B210
- Everything You Wanted to Know About Being Methodist — CLC 407
- Invitation to Romans — CLC 406
- Living Beyond Yourself — CLC 401
- The Text This Week — JWH
- Transitions — B213
- Youth Choir Rehearsal — 206A
- 7:00 pm Youth Worship — B019
- 7:15 pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal — Choir Room

### Thursday, February 16

#### *Deadline for Registration for SOS Summer Mission and Discovery Weekend*

- 9:00 am Disciple II — B214
- 10:00 am Talley Companion Group — Talley Home
- Lawrence Companion Group — C201 Parlor
- 11:30 am Welch Companion Group — C201 Parlor
- 1:30 pm Dominos — B213
- 3:30 pm Stephen Minister Supervision — B121
- 4:00 pm YAH Connecting Breath and Movement — B214
- 4:45 pm Sanctuary Handbells — Sanctuary
- 5:30 pm Stephen Minister Supervision — B121
- 6:00 pm Shelley Companion Group — Shelley Home
- 6:30 pm MAT—Music Arts Team — Wesley Chapel

### Friday, February 17

- 8:00 am Epps Companion Group — Epps Home
- 8:15 am Men's Breakfast — Dipsy Doodle Restaurant

### Saturday, February 18

- 10:00 am Derreberry Companion Group — C201 Parlor



If you know of any one who would like a daily phone call please call and give their information to Jo Britnell at 528-0322.

### TRAVEL BUDDIES: THIS IS A BIG ONE!

Sunday, March 25. Community Hymn Sing at the Schermerhorn with the Nashville Symphony and Nashville Choir. Lend your voice to some of the most inspiring songs ever written. Singing will be led by the dynamic vocal group Committed (winner of NBC's "The Sing Off"), gospel singer Marcia Ware, Randy Travis and other stars. Tickets are \$55 and seating is limited, so reserve early. We'll make a stop for lunch on the way and have dinner at Demos in Lebanon afterwards. Depart at 11:45 and reserve by February 27.



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The week of June 24-29, 2012 will be Music and Worship Arts Week at Lake Junaluska Assembly Grounds in Waynesville, North Carolina. This is always a great week of integrating preaching, study, music and all of the arts into a phenomenal week of worship experiences.

We have space for attendees of all ages for the weeklong event. Contact Kathy Evans to reserve your spot. It will be a week of splendid Worship in the mountains of North Carolina.

*Our Mission: Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.*



## INTERGENERATIONAL MISSION TRIP SERVICE OVER SELF, MEMPHIS, TN

Cookeville FUMC is planning an intergenerational mission trip the week of June 17 – 23, 2012. We will serve the Memphis area in cooperation with Service Over Self (SOS).

SOS offers free home repairs to qualified homeowners. Volunteers and homeowners work together to strip and shingle roofs, replace rotten floors and leaky plumbing, repair damaged sheetrock, scrape and paint siding, and repair a host of other needs.

The camp accommodates 35 people. We have reserved all of the spaces for that week. All ages are welcome. The cost for the week is \$245. **A deposit of \$100 is due by February 16.** Scholarships are available.

Visit [www.sosmemphis.org](http://www.sosmemphis.org) or contact Denna Hornby for more information.



The Youth Ministry of FUMC is excited to invite all students who are currently in the 6th-12th grades to join us for our first annual Discovery Weekend! Discovery Weekend is a retreat extravaganza unlike anything we have done before! Discovery will take place at our church on the weekend of February 24-26. Youth will enjoy a weekend full of music, worship, youth-led messages, funny skits, games and time spent strengthening their relationships with God and one another. To register, please fill out a registration form and return it to Krislyn Durham along with your \$60 registration fee. Registration forms are available for pick up in the church office or may be downloaded at [www.cookevillefumc.org/youth/forms](http://www.cookevillefumc.org/youth/forms).

**Deadline to register is February 16, so sign up today!**