

**First United Methodist Church
Madisonville, Tennessee
Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost
September 15, 2019**



**“Have the Faith of Abraham!!”
Romans 4:1-5**

Order of Worship

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

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11:00 AM

ENTRANCE

PRELUDE *Enter quietly to prepare your heart to worship God.*

ANNOUNCEMENTS and WELCOME

(During this time, please register your attendance in the white notebook that can be found at the end of each row and pass it down and back.)

“May the Peace of Christ be with you. . . . and also with you.”

TRINITY CHIMES

***CALL TO WORSHIP** “Great and Mighty” Screen

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Praise the Lord.

P: Praise the Lord, O my soul.

L: I will praise the Lord all my life.

P: The Lord reigns forever, for all generations.

ALL: Praise ye the LORD! (from Psalm 146)

***HYMN OF PRAISE** “All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name” Page # 154

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** The Apostles’ Creed Page # 881

***GLORIA PATRI** Page # 70

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

INFANT BAPTISM/DEDICATION *Jon Crew Thornton*

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PRAYER/PRAISES

*(Prayer cards are in the pews and attendance notebooks.
Please fill one out and place it in the offering plate.)*

CALL TO PRAYER “Into My Heart” Choir

PASTORAL PRAYER

“Will God Save Everyone???”

September 15, 2019

Romans 2:12-16; 3:9-18

INTRODUCTION —

I. G _____ in MODERN AMERICA

1. G _____ drives a lot of the A _____ and A _____ of people today.
2. Some people S _____ O _____ at others, because of their feelings of G _____ — other persons are A _____ with many of those around them
3. One doctor, a psychiatrist who was director of a mental health hospital, said about the H _____ of patients there: “Half of these people could go home TOMORROW if they knew they were F _____ .”
4. S _____ is another powerful emotion — it is sometimes a result of guilt. People do things of which they feel are wrong, or sinful— and are ashamed of what they did.

II. DEFEATING G _____ — HOW TO DO IT!!!


1. Should we just D _____ any feelings or sense of guilt?
2. Dr. Karl Menninger, director for years of the famous Menninger Clinic in Topeka, Kansas, said in his book “WHATEVER BECAME OF SIN?” that many modern doctors and psychologists advocate this approach.
3. Can we “O _____” our guilt??
4. G _____ cannot be so easily erased or ignored! It is INNATE in each one of us

III. ONLY G CAN ERASE GUILT!!

1. HOW?? Look at Romans 4:3
2. Through F in God, and what God has done in J C ,
as written in Romans 4: 24-25.
3. The F demonstrated by Abraham:
 - he trusted and obeyed God by going to new L ;
 - he trusted God that he would have many descendants....
 - he trusted God for a S , even though he was old....
4. And because of this deep faith in God, Abraham was A by God.

CONCLUSION —

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And they brought young children to Him...and He took them up in His arms, put His hands upon them, and blessed them. ~Mark 10:16

Baptism and Baby Dedication

Jon Crew Thornton

Today we share in the Baptism and Dedication of Jon Crew Thornton, son of Adam and Mary Nell (Thompson) Thornton; grandson of Chal Thompson and Debbie Thompson, Matt & Julie Thornton, and Lisa Surrency. Chalmers Thompson is a devoted uncle.

Let us join with this precious family in the celebration. Please remember to keep all of this family lifted in prayer as they grow in love and nurture this gift from God.

We Support Our Church By:

Our Service This Week

Ushers: Regina Warfel,
Blair Clements, Joe Rybenski

Acolytes: Catherine Barger
Emily Deaton

Lay Reader: John Byrum

Flowers: Clifford Lynch in memory
of Patsy Lynch

Coffee Bar: Jan Johnson

Trustee: Mark Radosevich

Our Presence Last Week:

Sunday School	31
Worship	88

Our Gifts This Month:

General Fund

Needed for September budget	\$ 20,304
Received Sept 1—8	\$ 9,364

Building Fund

Needed for mortgage payment	\$4,034
Received Sept 1—8	\$2,675

Prayer Requests for September 8th

Please remember to keep all of these members and friends along with their families in your prayers.

Gregg Dodd (friend of Reba Hall)
Angela Leamon (Lois Green's granddaughter)
Lucas Killen
David Beaubien
Faye Watson
Peggy White
Billy Latchford (friend of Vanessa Barr)
the Lizeski Family
Keri Mills (Doris Matthews' daughter)
Esther Moore and family
Joyce & Dick Turner
Gene Carson
Dwayne & Carolyn Peters
Clifton Greenwood
Richard Beaubien (facing hip replacement surgery in Oct—both hips)
Jimmy Williams (Wanda Barger's 10 year old cousin—waiting on heart transplant)
and
the families of
Mary Lou Sands
Peggy Hyatt (Mike Talent's cousin)
Dan Crowell, Sr. (friend of Regina Warfel)

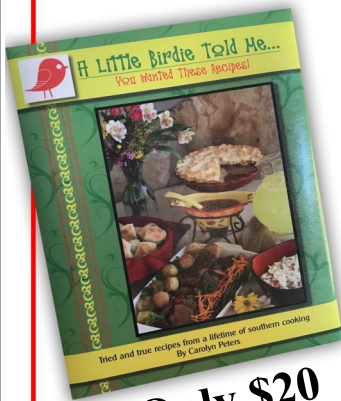
This is a long list of concerns—if we have left someone off, please let us know.

Happening at First UMC for the Week of September 15th

<u>TODAY</u>	Sunday School	10:00 AM
	Worship Service	11:00 AM
<u>MONDAY</u>	Senior Event Lunch at the Kahite Grill—Meet in the lower parking lot by 11:15 if you want to carpool.	11:45 AM
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	Worship Team in the conference room	5:45 PM
	UMYF/IGNITE	6:00 PM
	Choir Practice	7:00 PM
<u>NEXT SUNDAY</u>	United Methodist Women in the fellowship hall	9:30 AM
	Sunday School	10:00 AM
	Worship	11:00 AM
	Hiwassee District Conference at Keith Memorial UMC in Athens	3:00 PM

Upcoming Events

Sunday, Sept 29	5th Sunday Community Worship and Supper at Madisonville Presbyterian Church. Covered dish supper at 5:45 PM and Worship at 7 PM.
Sunday, Oct 6	Children & Youth Ministry Team 6 PM in the youth room
Tuesday, Oct 8	Finance Committee 6 PM in the conference room
Thursday, Oct 10	Good Shepherd Center Dinner & Auction at Tsali Notch See Pastor Keith for tickets.
Saturday, Oct 12	The pumpkins are scheduled to arrive at 8 AM. We will need lots of help! Bring gloves, 2 wheel dollies, wheel barrows and come join the fun.
Sunday, Oct 13	Fun at the Farm! The youth and leaders will have a fun afternoon at BarrVue Farms. See Vanessa or Jerry for more info.
Monday, Oct 14	Trustees 6 PM in the conference room



Only \$20

SECOND PRINTING!!

A lifetime of cooking for family and friends, and years of catering for groups as small as ten to hundreds, Carolyn Peters is a whiz in the kitchen.

A Little Birdie Told Me . . . is a book containing recipes collected throughout the years of Carolyn's explorations in the kitchen. A bonus is recipes from family and close friends who have graciously shared their favorite recipes.

Originally printed in 2010, proceeds from the book sales went toward the rebuilding of First United Methodist Church after a fire destroyed much of the original structure.

Many years later, the recipe book is still on request!
A second printing is under way, and once again, proceeds will go toward the
First United Methodist Church Building Fund.

To pre-order your copy, **no later than Sunday, September 29th**,
email lucypeters44@yahoo.com, call 423-836-2642 or
there is a sign up sheet at the coffee bar for your convenience.

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