# Praver List

# **JOYS & CONCERNS**

You can place your prayer requests in the offering plate, call/email office or communicate them through the prayer section of the web page. When a person rotates off the list, they will be put back on upon request.

### EXPRESSIONS OF PRAISE

Another baptism at the Colbert County Jail. Bo Harvey - Good report from test Perry Moon - improving

Those who invite persons to worship.

# PRAYER CONCERNS

Death

Kim Barber - Edith Ann Barber's son, Joan & Linda's brother Wayne Sharrer (Julie Luman's brother) Health Glenda Robbins - home recovering from infection Stan Stanford (Terry Marmann's brother) recovering gallbladder surgery Jude Kennington (Chad & Grace's son) pediatric-orthopedic specialist - 4/23 James Matthews - Home recovering from brain surgery Kayla Parker - cancer has returned Gabby Riggs - health William Hovater - (Charles' brother) back injury Charles Luman - recovering from surgery Jim Lovett - health Charlene Russell - heart issues Pat Carpenter - rehab Billy Carpenter - back Beverly Cowen - health

Carla Hamm - pneumonia Rodney Patterson (Debbie's husband) tests

Vickie Despigno (Lynda Bottcher's friend) recovering at Home. Vickie Despigno's brother Larry, final stage

of cancer Jim Murphy – heart issues

Rowena Kildoar - health issues

Christy Churchwell – recovering from back

surgery Danny Tatum - recovering heart surgery Mark Bowlin - (relative of Joel Parris)

health issues Katie Borden (Sister of Dr. Cozart's

secretary) aggressive cancer unchurched

Betty Greenhill (Terrissa Watkins' mother) health Carrie Jean Saint (Terrissa Watkins' cousin)

health Clay Holden (Chad Talley's friend)- colon cancer Stanley Bond -hospice

Jim Byrd - hospice

Suzanne Wright Galloway - chemo &

radiation treatments. Larry & Sarah Hodge - health issues

Jennifer Fite - Broken Leg Earline Hamilton – health issues Betty Manns – health issues Ricky Sparkman (Brandon's son) prostate cancer Rob Sparkman (Brandon's son) cancer. Beverly Speciale (Debbie Minor from Shepherd's Table Mother) hospice Pat Uptain - recovering from colon surgery Melissa Engle (Sarah Hodge's cousin) cancer has returned. Chet Moon (Perry's brother) cardiac issues Bob Griswold - mobility

Bobby Nesbitt (Becky Fuller's brother) prostate cancer Jonell Simms - health Gloria Fitts -health Brandon Sparkman - health Lillie Mae Fry (Jimmy Fry, Sr mother) health Jon Burcham- Leukemia - treatment James Daniel - health Bud Ward - cancer Lucy Heidorn - health Faye Roden (Shelia Tubbs's sister) has Kidney cancer Sarah Estes-health Unspoken - anxiety/depression Unspoken – victory of tobacco

## Other

Those walking through the Valley Caregivers Foster parents & foster children Those dealing with flu, COVID, and other Sicknesses Medical Personnel

# MINISTRIES & WORLD NEEDS

Local Church Leadership Council - meeting April 22 SPRC & Cabinet - Beginning pastor search

## Outreach

For the Revival to continue in the County Jail Spirit to move in Sheffield Jail Ministry Faith Promise Mission Partners

Onward Campus Ministry - John Sasser

## Nation & World

Those recovering from recent storms Those helping with recovery from bridge disaster Peace in Israel - Recovery in the nation Emergency workers US Military in the Middle East Protections for Police Officers and First Responders Those elected as Delegates to the first Global Methodist General Conference in Sept. That the General Conference of the UMC will allow gracious disaffiliation for those wanting to leave

# Calendar

MONDAY (April 22) 6:00 Leadership Council Meeting **TUESDAY** (April 23)

# WEDNESDAY (April 24)

10:00 Bible Study 6:00 Bible Study KidZone Youth

**THURSDAY** (April 25)

# FRIDAY (April 26)

# SUNDAY (April 28)

- 7:30 Prayer Walk 8:30 Early Worship
- 9:45 Contemporary Worship
- 11:00 Traditional Worship
- 12:00 Shepherd's Table Worship

# **Budget Update**

Weekly Need \$14,537,90 April 14 Giving \$11,470.00 YTD Needs \$2 YTD Giving \$202,938.60

# **Building Fund** April 14 Giving

Year to Date

\$632.00 \$12,224.00

# Faith Promise Mission Fund

\$5,195.00 April 14 Giving Year to Date \$40,422.00

# Attendance Update

April 14, 2023

### Early Worship 42 113 Contemporary Worship Traditional Worship 83 Shepherd's Table 16 258 Morning Worship Total Online Streaming 126

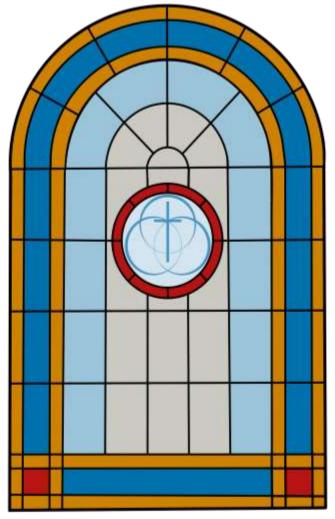
# Flowers

If you wish to place flowers in memory/honor of a loved one, please fill out one of the flower forms located on the bulletin board outside the church office. Then turn in your flower form to the church office.

# Sunday, April 21, 2024

# Ministers: **All Believers**

Ministry Directors:



# TUSCUMBIA FIRST METHODIST CHURCH A GLOBAL METHODIST CONGREGATION

Pastor: The Rev. Dr. Rudy Guess, Senior Pastor

Administrators:

Chad Kennington, Director of Youth & Connecting Chad Talley, Director of Children & Family Lynda Bottcher, Food Service Chris Baker, Director of Worship Courtney Woodman, Secretary Marie Woodall, Assistant Secretary Kevin Cook, Praise Team Ministry

# WELCOME We're Glad You Are Here!

Thank you for joining us for this Celebration of Worship at Tuscumbia First Methodist Church. We hope this experience will help make Sunday the best day of your week

# **New Here?** Let's get connected!

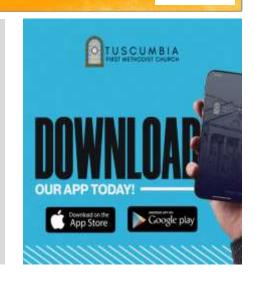
We're glad you are here to worship. Let's get you connected with all the ministries and opportunities at Tuscumbia First. Scan the QR code or text New to (256) 488-3839 to discover and connect with Tuscumbia First Methodist Church.



# Children's Department

For infants through 3 years old. Available during all service times. The nurseries are conveniently located on the lower level of the Education Buildina.

For children age 4 years through 5th Grade. Sunday School at 8:30 & 11:00 and Kidz Worship at 9:45. KidZone is located on the 3rd floor of Education Buildina





# MESSAGE OUTLINE "Resurrection Victory - Over Death" **1 Corinthians 15:51-57** (Third in Series – Resurrection Victory)

"But thank God! He gives us victory over sin and death through our Lord Jesus Christ." (1 Corinthians 15:57; NLT)

Those who die in Christ, awaken in a glorious \_\_\_\_\_

"In my Father's house are many rooms; if it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And when I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also." (John 14:2-3; NRSV)

"I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also." (John 14:3; RSV)

Those who die in Christ also, awaken with a

"We will all be changed....For this perishable body must put on imperishability, and this mortal body must put on immortality." (1 Corinthians 15:53; NRSV)

"For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens." (2 Corinthians 5:1; NRSV)

"Beloved, we are God's children now: what we will be has not vet been revealed. What we do know is this: when he is revealed, we will be like him, for we will see him as he is." (1 John 3:2; NRSV)

\* Those who die in Christ, awaken to a .

"Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. And I saw the holy city, the New Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, 'See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his people, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away." (Revelation 21:1-4; NRSV)

> "Thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.'

PRAYER RESPONSE - Lord Jesus. I believe You came to save me from sin and death and give me eternal life. I confess I am a sinner, unworthy of Your Amazing Love. Thank You for going to the cross for my sin. Come into my heart, cleanse me of sin, and make me a new creation in You. Give me the assurance that I'm going home to the place You are preparing for me. As evidence of my faith, I thank You for the gifts of salvation and eternal life. In Your name, Jesus, Amen









Onward is a new campus ministry that focuses on lifetime, gospel-centered, relationships. Our focus revolves around the gospel of Christ affecting the lives of college students in a way that will transform them for a lifetime. This means that the gospel would change their lives in a way that would one day make these students better family members, workers, church members, and citizens. Our strategy is to reach college students through relationships that we form through one-on-one meetings and small groups.

# Vacation Bible School June 23-26

Volunteer sign-ups are now open. We need volunteers in the following areas: Bible Story, Crafts, Science, Music, Skits, Games, Snacks, Registration, and Group Leaders

Sign up to volunteer for VBS outside of the Church Office or on the Church app

# Mission Partner of the Week Onward Campus Ministry- John Sasser

Pray for this Mission Partner week.