

**FAIRFIELD GLADE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
**February 15, 2026**  
**Transfiguration Sunday**

*Living and Loving like Christ*

**Traditional Order of Worship**  
**8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.**

Chiming of the Hour (11am)		
Prelude (8am) / Processional (11am)		
	"Every Time I Feel the Spirit"	
		Traditional Spiritual; arr. Raluca Bojor
Bringing in the Light		
Greeting and Announcements		
Mission Moment	Scholarships	Penny Dagley
Choral Introit (11am)	"Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"	
	Words: William Williams; Music: John Hughes	
Hymn	"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"	UMH 103
Psalter	Psalm 99	UMH 819
Gloria Patri		UMH 71
Congregational Care		
The Lord's Prayer		
Offertory Hymn	"O Jesus, I Have Promised"	UMH 396
Offertory Prayer		
Offertory	"I Stand All Amazed"	
	Charles H. Gabriel; arr. Linda Hartman	
Special Music (11am)	"We Are The Church"	Avery and Marsh
Handbell Choir		
Choral Anthem (11am)	"Be Thou My Vision"	John Leavitt
Scripture	Matthew 17:1-9	
Sermon		
Hymn	"Softly and Tenderly, Jesus Is Calling"	Lanita Monroe
Benediction		UMH 348
Choral Benediction (11am)	"God Be With You"	
	Text: Jeremiah Rankin; Music: William G. Tomer	
Taking the Light into the World		
Music for Going Forth	"Majesty"	Jack Hayford; arr. Phillip Keveren



**Traditional Worship Today**

8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.: Sylvia Schneider, pianist

**Opportunities/Announcements**

**Birthday Bash!** Join us in Fellowship Hall after worship services today. We will have cake and punch for members and guests that have birthdays in February, to celebrate their special day!

The **United Methodist Men's Prayer Breakfast** attendees invite their wives and any widows of the church to join them for a special Valentine's breakfast tomorrow, February 16 at 8:00 a.m. in Fellowship Hall.

**Coffee and Scones** may be just your cup of tea. Meet with representatives of our Mutual Care Ministries on Wednesday, February 18 at 3:00 p.m. in the Friendship Room, preceding our Ash Wednesday worship service. Learn what more your church offers you in the services provided by our eleven ministries. Whether you volunteer or refer someone for services, you will come away enlightened. Should you wish to know more, make an appointment with Connie Hall (931-484-3473 or 931-303-1449).

**Ash Wednesday Worship Service** will be held in our Sanctuary on Wednesday, February 18, at 4:00 p.m.

**GriefShare** started its Spring session on Tuesday, February 10. It will continue meeting for 13 weeks from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in Room 3. If you are experiencing grief from the loss of a loved one, please join them. A different topic is presented each week so you may start at any point in the series. For more information, call Sharon Mellard at 931-510-2602

**Prayer Shawls** are available in the church office. Please pick one up for anyone going through a difficult time, an illness, or just needs a little extra comfort. Please sign your name and to whom you are delivering the shawl on the log provided.

**Lenten Study (LM):** "The Way: Walking in the Footsteps of Jesus" Lenten Study, taught by Rev. Lanita Monroe, begins Monday, February 23 at 3:00 p.m. and will run for six weeks in Fellowship Hall. A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex.

**Lenten Bible Study (MM):** Join us this Lent for a meaningful midweek Bible study focused on the last words of Jesus on the cross. This study will meet in the Friendship Room every Wednesday from February 25 to April 1 at 11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Led by Associate Pastor Matthew McClanahan, this gathering offers a welcoming space to reflect on God's Word, deepen faith, and journey together through the Lenten season. All are welcome—whether you are new to Bible study or a longtime participant. No books, just bring your Bible! A sign-up sheet is in the Narthex.

**Crafters for Missions** has started their crafting year. Come join in the fun! They have groups that focus on floral arrangements, sewing, yarn crafts, small crafts, and jewelry. They are also open to new ideas. They meet on Tuesdays from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Check it out!

**Crafters Jewelry Group** is looking for some new volunteers to make jewelry to sell at their Craft Sale in October. No prior experience is required. They also would be grateful for any jewelry-making supplies and/or jewelry donations. Contact Rose Censky (520-561-5328) if you have any questions.

The **Mobile Soup Kitchen** will be on pause until April 7, 2026. After doing some research, we have realized that it is not feasible to expect homeless persons to leave where they have found a place of warmth to get out and seek a meal. Nor is it reasonable to expect our folks to set up outside in the cold to wait to serve, when folks are not coming. So, we will run the Mobile Soup Kitchen April through October.

**Missing Wheelchairs:** If you know where either of our two featherweight wheelchairs are, please notify the front office at 931-484-3473.

**Website:** Remember to check out our website ([www.ffgumc.org](http://www.ffgumc.org)) periodically. You will find contact information, office hours, service times, links to our live-streamed services, and the Sunday bulletin on our Home page. Throughout the site, you will also find information on current and upcoming events, the church calendar, a link for on-line giving, a description of our various ministries, scholarship opportunities, and photos of our staff and members from the 2025 pictorial directory.



Welcome to our guests!  
Please join us in Fellowship Hall after worship for coffee and cookies.

**Congregational Care**

**Cumberland House Hospice:** Derith Skipworth

**Bledsoe County Nursing Home, Pikeville, TN:** Dean Kanuckel

**Dominion Senior Living:** Sharon Meyer, Marilyn Orr

**Holiday Lake Shore Commons, Wilmington, NC:** JoAnn Mintz

**Morning Pointe of Lenoir City:** Joy Morrison

**NHC Place at Cool Springs, Franklin, TN:** Tom Smith

**Preserve:** Peggy Orr, Bonnie Richter, Kathie Sampson

**Uplands Village:** Mary Nell Benson, Wilma Roth

**At home:** Sue Armstrong, Sandra Ashmore, Phyllis Betz, Linda Bowman, Les Cecil, Richard Comshaw, Michael Deck, C.C. Duff, Karen Finley, Judy Flinn, Larry Gagnon, Ron Gee, Suzanne Gill, Anita Grenier, Karen Gundy, Janet Hadd, John Hadder, Nita Hawes, Vern Hotchkiss, Mary Jane Hough, Diane Johnston, Dennis Jones, Shirley Justin, Donna Klipper, Fred Kirchner, Jim Kubacki, Bill Lapiska, Barb Leach, Diane Mallard, Lois McMorran, Barbara & Jim Mercer, Sid Miller, Gail Murray, Holly Neal, Joe O'Neal, Pat Olsen, Carol Pontius, Bev Robb, Dawn Robb, Bob Roberts, Ron Roberts, Babs & Ed Sanders, Larry Schroth, Sharon Shallcross, Kurt Smith, Nancy Dralle Smith, John Snyder, Phyllis Stone, Gary Storer, Betty Sweborg, Rodney Todd, Chris Thayer, Otis Truxton

Please remember all of our homebound members in prayer. Also, please continue to keep the brave and proud people in your prayers where war continues to rage.

**Recent Surgeries and Procedures:** Scott Lybarger, Tom Liebert, Barbara Nelson, Bev Robb, Nancy Winn

**Upcoming Surgeries and Procedures:** None known

**For Pastoral Care this week, please call:**

Rev. Lanita Monroe (931) 200-1981

Rev. Connie Hall (931) 303-1449

Pastor Matt McClanahan (931) 210-8674

**Small Groups, Bible Studies, Committee Meetings**  
**Week of February 15**

**SUNDAY, 02/15/26**

10:30am .....Christian Characters SS Class  
10:30am .....Book of Romans SS Class

**MONDAY, 02/16/26**

8:00am .....Men's Prayer Breakfast  
9:30am .....Chair Yoga  
1:30pm .....Bible Study Tech

**TUESDAY, 02/17/26**

9:30am .....Crafters for Missions  
10:00am .....GriefShare  
12:00pm .....High Noon Sisters  
12:00pm .....Ladies Game Day  
1:30pm .....Susanna Wesley Circle

**WEDNESDAY, 02/18/26**

2:30pm .....Mutual Care: Coffee & Scones  
4:00pm .....Ash Wednesday Worship Service  
5:00pm .....Choir Rehearsal

**THURSDAY, 02/19/26**

9:00am .....Men's Bible Study  
9:30am .....Chair Yoga  
10:00am .....Women's Book Club  
2:00pm .....Stephen Ministry Cont. Ed.  
6:00pm .....Praise Band Rehearsal

**FRIDAY, 02/20/26**

12:00pm .....Ladies Card Game Day



# Sacred Encounters

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## Contemporary Order of Worship 9:15 a.m.

NOTE: The Praise Band does sound checks prior to worship.  
It may be loud at times, but please understand it is totally necessary.

Jammin' For Jesus!	
Greeting and Announcements	
Mission Moment	Scholarships
Gathering	Penny Dagley
"Cry of My Heart"	
"We Fall Down" with "Holy, Holy, Holy"	Terry Butler
"My Jesus"	Chris Tomlin
Congregational Care	Anne Wilson, Jeff Pardo, Mattheew West; arr. Dan Galbraith
"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"	
"Open the Eyes of My Heart, Lord"	Anonymous
Special Music	"Workin' Man"
Scripture	Joel Parisien
Sermon	Lanita Monroe
Great Thanksgiving	
The Lord's Prayer	
Holy Communion	
Time of Meditation	"We Fall Down" with "Holy, Holy, Holy"
Closing Hymn	"I'll Fly Away"
Benediction	Albert E. Brumley, Sr.
Amen!	

Make a Joyful noise unto the Lord  
Psalm 98:4

## Sacred Encounters Worship Today

Thanks to our Praise Band:

David Odegaard (bass guitar), Annetta Deck (keys),  
Wade England (drums), Luke Jeffers (guitar), Heidi Eber (vocals)

Special thanks to Heidi Eber for sharing her gift of music in today's worship service.

### Worship Services:

8:00am	Early Traditional Worship—Sanctuary
9:15am	Sacred Encounters—Sanctuary (also live-streamed)
11:00am	Traditional Worship—Sanctuary (also live-streamed)

(Images of those participating in streamed worship may be visible in the live stream.)  
~ Nursery Care available during 9:15am and 11:00am services ~

### Sunday Classes:

10:30am	Christian Characters—Friendship Room
10:30am	Romans Study—Room 7

### Next Week's Scripture: Matthew 4:1-11

### All Worship Services Today

Thanks to our **Audio/Video Media Team**:

8:00am: Hazel Robinson (audio)  
9:15am, 11:00am: David Farley (video slides preparation)  
9:15am: Jackson Prine (in-house audio), John Jeffers (streaming audio),  
Renee Odegaard (video projection), David Farley (streaming)  
*Welcome to the A/V team, Renee!*  
11:00am: John Jeffers (in-house audio), David Farley (streaming audio),  
Mary Runfeldt (video projection), Luke Jeffers (streaming)

Thanks also to our **Behind-the-Scenes Staff**  
whose efforts help make Sunday worship possible:

Ruth Kmiec (bulletins), JoBeth Smith (hospitality), Lisa Williams (membership),  
Scott Lybarger (facility), Martha Waldo (custodian), Ruth Nelson (nursery)

### Ways to Give:



ENVELOPE—Check, cash



ONLINE—[www.ffgumc.org/give](http://www.ffgumc.org/give)

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