

Announcements

The flowers on the altar this morning are given by Bill & Bobbie Copeland in memory of their daughter Linda Copeland Catron on her 60th birthday.

MONDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY will be held every Monday morning at 10 A.M. led by Debbie and Carl Ginder.

THE DINNER BELL received 136 people last week!

THE BOOK PEOPLE of FUMC will visit on **February 15th for 1/2 a day (noon until dismissal.)** If you have time, and would like to make a whole lot of kids happy, you'd be more than welcome to come along! Please contact Susan Fairhurst to volunteer or for more information.

SOUP & FAMILY GAME NIGHT – Provided by the Leisure Ministry will be held **Saturday Feb. 25th** in the Fellowship Hall. Dinner will consist of soup and grilled cheese at **5:30 p.m.** Family game night begins at **6:00 p.m.** Fun for the whole family!

BIG BUCK contest winner will be announced during worship services on **February 26, 2017.**

THE BOOK PEOPLE have been asked to read at Hillsville Elementary for Read Across America week on **Feb 27th and 28th**, in the mornings. These are not book distribution days, just reading. If you can help, please let Susan Fairhurst know. Thanks! A big thank you to you for all you're doing!!
Kindest regards, Susan

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS are needed by a Dinner Bell guest, Nancy Hunley, who lost her home and belongings to fire recently. If you can assist please contact Ms. Hunley at 540-529-4372. Blankets, towels, pots & pans are most needed.

JUBILATION SCHOLARSHIP of \$75 is available to seniors wishing to attend Jubilation 2017. The event will be held **May 1-3** at Mainstay Suites in Pigeon Forge, TN. Registration forms are in the February church newsletter and church office.

CAMP SUNDAY IS MARCH 5TH - Lunch after church to benefit Camp Scholarships and Mission Projects! Michael Snow Camp Dickenson Camp Director will be here to answer questions! A boat will soon appear in the Fellowship Hall that will need to be filled with items needed for camp! Look for a wish list of items needed each week.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY MOVIE NIGHT will be held **March 17**, at **6:30 P.M.**

SOUP IN A BOWL, WATER & A ROLL (EMPTY BOWLS) hosted by The Arts Council will be held on **Thursday, March 30th** from **11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.**

Sunday Mornings Schedule

A nursery is provided during Sunday School and Worship Service. If you're unsure where a class or service is ask us and we'll be glad to help you find what you're looking for!

WHEN	WHAT	WHERE
9:00 a.m.	The Gathering, Coffee & Fellowship	Fellowship Hall
9:15 a.m.	Prayer Group	Sanctuary
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School, Children & Adult Classes	Sunday School Classrooms
10:00 a.m.	Nacimiento en Fe Sunday School & Worship	Spanish Language Sunday School & Worship Service
10:30 a.m.	Praise & Worship Service	Sanctuary

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

See more upcoming events on the full church calendar at

hillsvillefumc.com/calendar

DAY	TIME	EVENT
MONDAY	10 A.M.	Monday Morning Bible Study with Carl and Debbie Ginder
MONDAY	4 P.M.	Weight Watchers
TUESDAY	4-6 P.M.	The Dinner Bell Community Meal
WEDNESDAY	6 P.M.	Wonderful Wednesdays Sunbeam Choir (age 4 – grade 1) Choir Partners (grades 2 - 5) Adult Bible Study (Upper Room) Youth Group (Youth Room)
THURSDAY	9:30 – 12:00	CCMA Food Pantry
THURSDAY	6:30 P.M.	Scouts



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First Church Volunteers

DATE	February 12 th	February 19 th
Usher Team (10:10 a.m.)	Adam Joyce Team	Kassandra Dalton Team
Greeters (9:10 a.m.)	Marlin & Mary Surratt	Michael Patton & Jenny Brown
Scripture Reader	Ed Howard	Martha Stineback
Acolyte	Christyan Stilwell	Catrina Iroler
Flowers	Bill Copeland	Sue Ward & Susan Clark
Golden Years	Esther Taylor	Oliver McBride
Children's Church	Nate & Chelsea, Lora Terry Sermon: Nate & Chelsea	Nate & Chelsea, Sara Byrne Sermon: Nate & Chelsea
Media Team	Mark Horton, Jake Worrell	S.C. Cox & Bill Webb
Nursery	Rita Parker	Kim Reitzel
Sunday School Class Assistants	Seekers	Fellowship

ATTENDANCE LAST SUNDAY

WORSHIP: 163

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 127

1ST Church welcomed more than 735 people through its doors in different ministries last week. Praise Be to God!

Offering Report	
2017 Ministry Goal	\$ 402,012.00
Weekly Offering Needed for Goal	\$ 7,731.00
Received 2.5.17	\$ 10,583.00
2017 Ministry Goal Received To Date	\$ 38,655.00



First Church Prayer List

We want to pray with you. Please write prayer celebrations or concerns on the cards in the pews and place them in the offering plate or email them

fumchillsvilleprayers@gmail.com

Abused Children America	John Bedsaul Rita Bolen
Camp Dickenson Caregivers	Max Brown Keisha Carter
Children from Broken Homes	Ron Clary
Church Family	Jim Clay
Church Leaders	Sue Cox
Families in Crisis	Karen Friese
First Responders	Hezekiah Goad
FUMC Ministries	Jim Jessee
Homeless	Susan Kirkland
Israel	Debbie McCartney
Law Enforcement Officers	Mitch Mitchem
The Lost	Vera Mullins
Middle East	Daryl Price
Military & Families	Kerry Plutte
Ministers	Saddie Schauffner
Missionaries	Pastor Michael Shockley
Nursing Home Residents	Rick Slusher
Peace of Jerusalem	Ashley Speed's newborn
Persecuted Church	Melissa Stevens
Sanctity of Life	Ashton Strikeleather
Sanctity of Marriage	Janice Poore Stokes
School Bus Drivers	Janet Strauss
Teachers, Students	Lisa Tate
Terminally Ill	Esther Taylor
Traveling Mercies	Colleen Thomasson
Unemployed	Rhonda Tickle
Unspoken Requests	Doris Todd
Veterans	
War Torn Countries	Col. David Bottcher Family
World Leaders	

PAUSE & PRAY
LISTEN INTENTLY
BE OBEDIENT

Order of Worship

** Those who are able, please stand*

Welcome and Announcements Tom Jackson

Bringing the Light of Christ into the Sanctuary
"Love, Divine, All Love's Excelling" *Wesley, Zundel*
Cindy Jackson, Organist

Call to Worship & Invocation Tom Jackson

***Praise & Worship**
"Happy Day"
"Because Of Your Love"
"Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)"

A Time for Children Nathaniel & Chelsea Mullins

Prayer Concerns & Celebrations Rev. Robert Smith

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Robert Smith

† *Please write your requests on the prayer card in the pew
and drop it in the offering plate* †

Offering of Our Tithes and Gifts Rev. Robert Smith

Offertory "Forgive Our Sins As We Forgive" *Herklots*
Adult Choir with Janie Napier, Pianist & Cindy Jackson, Director

***Doxology** "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" *UMH 94*
Janie Napier, Pianist

† *Children May Be Dismissed to Children's Church during Doxology* †

***Prayer of Thanksgiving** Rev. Robert Smith

Scripture Reading with Choral Response "Matthew 5:21-37"
Ed Howard, Judy Beasley, Susan Clark

Sermon "It's All About The Relationship" Rev. Robert Smith

***Hymn of Dedication** "Lord I Want To Be A Christian" *pg.402*

Benediction Rev. Robert Smith

Sending the Light of Christ into the World
"Christ For The World We Sing" *Wolcott*
Cindy Jackson, Organist

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FIRST CHURCH

FIRST UNITED METHODIST
CHURCH
of HILLSVILLE

"Called to be and make disciples for Jesus Christ"

Sunday, February 12, 2017
6th Sunday after Epiphany



Thank you for joining us in worship of the most
High God today!

We are excited to be in His house with you!

First Church Pastor **Rev. Robert Smith**

Matthew 5:23-24

23 Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you,

24 leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to them; then come and offer your gift.

First United Methodist Church

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