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Prayer Requests

Worship & Sermon Notes

Special Couple for Month of January Joe & Ruby Hall

114 Pam Lane, Townsend, TN 37882 Please send a card or make a call. Address labels on Vestibule bulletin board.

Additional Announcements:

'Temple Keepers'...Thursday's beginning Jan. 4th at 6 pm in the upstairs Assembly Room. Men & Women invited! "How to Achieve Healthy Weight Loss God's Way". Come & Learn & Celebrate our 2017 victories! Talk with Joe or Brenda Wilson for details. "Be blessed in health, healing & wholeness!" 1 Cor. 6:19.

Family Life/Nurture Committee is set to meet Thurs. Jan. 4th at 6 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Members: Jan Whitt, Chair, Danita Goddard, Margaret Helton, Evelyn Ledbetter, Linda Smith, Monica Stillwagon, Rhonda Sullivan, Carol Taylor, Martha Sundquist & Katherine Wilson.

Trustee's Meeting *changed to Tues. Jan. 9th* at 7 pm. Members: John Burns, Randy Campbell, Benny & Doug Davis, Robyn Headrick, J. B. Jones, Peter Mueller, Bill Padgett & Golden Vananda. Speak with Robyn if questions.

The United Methodist Women will hold their first meeting of 2018 at 2 pm on Thurs. Jan. 11th in the Fellowship Hall. All women are invited. See Vickie Mueller or Mary Lynn Morgan if questions.

2018 Resurrection Youth Event Jan. 19th – **Jan. 21**st TUMC Youth who plan to attend or would like more information please see Pastor Richard.

"Make Peace with Your Past...using The Grief Recovery Method®" All welcome to this free event. Tues. Jan. 9th 5:30-7:30 pm at Holston Conference Center, 217 S. Rankin Rd., Alcoa. There isn't anyone in life who hasn't experienced some kind of loss. People say you have to let go and move on in your life, but they don't tell you what you need to do to accomplish that. It's comforting to know that we are not alone in our sadness and that help is available. This session will help you discover an action plan to move beyond the pain caused by death, divorce, the loss of health, job, finances, life style, retirement, moving, a pet and others. Pain can be transformed into peace! "Plan for the Future".

Tuckaleechee United Methodist Church Watch Night December 31, 2017



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The Community of Faith at WORSHIP Watch Night

December 31, 2017

The Prelude Lighting of the Altar Candles

Welcome and Announcements

Elizabeth Rudesill

Welcome of Visitors

Call to Worship

+*Hymn of Praise	O Little Town of Bethlehem	#230
*Responsive Reading	Psalm 148	#861
*Praise Chorus	In the Bleak Midwinter (vs.4)	#221

Morning Prayer

Praises and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer

#895

Scripture Reading Isaiah 9:2-7
Our Tithes and Offerings
*Doxology #095

*Hymn of Intention What Child Is This #219

Children's Moment Elizabeth Rudesill Anthem

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Morning Scripture Luke 2:1-20
Morning Message "Good News for Those Left Out!" Pastor

*Hymn of Response Angels We Have Heard on High #238

*Benediction and Blessing Pastor

*Carrying Christ's Light into the World *Postlude Extroit

Church Announcements

Welcome! We are pleased you are here to worship. We are a church with open minds, open hearts and open doors. <u>Please sign the attendance book at the end of the pew.</u> If you are a visitor, please include your full address.

Thank-You! To the Choir, Director Edward and Sound Tech Doug, for their beautiful presentation of our annual Christmas Cantata, "O Little Town of Bethlehem"!

New Year's Eve Communion. Everyone invited to drop in this evening anytime between 6 & 8 pm and celebrate communion together as a family as you prepare for the New Year.

Our 5th Sunday Offering for Holston United Methodist Home for Children will be received today. Your gift will help make it possible for Holston Home to continue sharing the love of Christ and providing hope for a brighter future. See today's insert and use the envelope for your offering. Thank-You!

Annual 'Charge Breakfast'

Sun. Jan. 14th 9 am in the Fellowship Hall. All invited to join us for a delicious breakfast and hear guest speaker former AT Chaplain Bert Emmerson. Early Worship Service at 8 am. Program and Breakfast replaces Sunday School classes.

The January Church Calendar is available by email and on our website. Paper copies available in the Vestibule.

January Schedule of Worship Leaders & Assistants are posted on all bulletin boards. If you are interested in helping this year please see Pastor.

2018 Administrative Council & Committee Members:

The January Church calendar indicates dates and times for our Council & Committee meetings which are held in the Assembly Room upstairs unless otherwise indicated. Meetings are held on Tuesday's every other month or when designated. A list of 2018 committees & members is available in the Vestibule. If questions, you may call the committee chairperson, Pastor, or the church office.

Serving God's Church

Pastor	Rev. Richard Rudesill
Administrative Assistant	Susan Burns
Music Director	Edward Walker
Pianist	Mary Lynn Morgan
Organist	Edith Walker
Sound Technician	Doug Davis
Custodian	Barbara Miller

Worship Leader Elizabeth Rudesill
Acolyte Ellie Hall 8:30 Emily Skidmore 10:45
Ushers John Burns, Peter Mueller, Glenn Myers, Joe Wilson
Counters Peter Mueller & Betty Sharp

Church Life Events

Dec. 31

(All Activities held in upstairs Assembly Room unless noted)

New Year's Eve Communion 6-8 pm (drop in)

Jan.	1	AA Mtg. 8 pm (wkly Fellowship Hall)
	3	Choir 7 pm (wkly)
	4	Temple Keepers 6 pm (wkly)
		Family Life/Nurture Mtg. 6 pm (Fellowship Hall)
	7	Emmaus Reunion 6 pm (wkly)
	8	(NEW) Women's Monday Study 6:30 pm (wkly)
	9	"Make Peace with your Past" 5:30-7:30 (Holston Conf. Ctr.)
		Trustees Mtg. 7 pm (Fellowship Hall)
	11	United Methodist Women's Mtg. 2 pm (Fellowship Hall)
	14	Early Service 8 am
		'Charge Breakfast' 9 am (NO Sunday School)
	16	Tuckaleechee Garden Club 10 am
	19-2	21 <i>'Resurrection'</i> Youth Event (Pigeon Forge)
	20	Emmaus Gathering 6:30 pm (Trinity UMC, Knox.)
	23	Finance Mtg. 6 pm
		Administrative Council Mtg. 7 pm
	30	Help Serve 'Welcome Table' 5-6 pm (New Prov. Maryville)

⁺Those arriving late may be seated *Please stand as you may be able