

The Community of Faith at WORSHIP

Epiphany Sunday

January 7, 2018

**The Prelude
Lighting of the Altar Candles**

Welcome and Announcements Brenda Wilson
Welcome of Visitors
'Silent Offering'

Call to Worship

+*Hymn of Praise *We Three Kings* #254
***Responsive Reading** *Psalms 72* #795
***Praise Chorus** *In the Bleak Midwinter (vs.4)* #221

Morning Prayer

Praises and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord's Prayer #895

Scripture Reading Isaiah 60:1-6
Our Tithes and Offerings
***Doxology** #095

***Hymn of Intention** *The First Noel* #245

Children's Moment Brenda Wilson
Anthem

Morning Scripture Matthew 2:1-12
Morning Message *"Following Our Lord"* Pastor
Holy Communion

***Hymn of Response** *Go, Tell it On the Mountain* #251

***Benediction and Blessing** Pastor
***Carrying Christ's Light into the World**
***Postlude**
Extroit

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

Church Announcements

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

'Silent Offering' will be taken today for student camping scholarships and *Rez Kidz*. Save a coin a day and bring in on the 1st Sunday and help our children experience the love of Christ!

Community Prayer Join us today at Bethel Baptist Church at 4 pm. God calls his people to pray for the healing of their land. Seven community churches are gathering once a month to pray for their community, churches, state, and nation. Join as we worship our God by seeking his will for our churches and our culture.

Trustee's Meeting 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.

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.

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

Thank you! To all who gave to the Tuckaleechee UMC Benevolence Fund during the Christmas season. Due to your generosity, we are able to provide for people who find themselves in need during the year. Offerings to the benevolence fund can be made anytime by writing the check to Tuckaleechee UMC with "Benevolence Fund" on the subject line.

Serving God's Church

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

Worship Leader Brenda Wilson
Acolyte Ellie Hall 8:30 Zoe Rudesill 10:45
Ushers John Burns, Peter Mueller, Glenn Myers, Joe Wilson
Nursery Elizabeth Rudesill & Monica Stillwagon
Counters Becky Dannelley & Peter Mueller

Church Life Events

(All Activities held in upstairs Assembly Room unless noted)

Jan. 7 Emmaus Reunion 6 pm (wkly)
8 (New) Women's Monday Study 6:30 pm (wkly)
AA Mtg. 8 pm (wkly Fellowship Hall)
9 "Make Peace with your Past" 5:30-7:30 (Holston Conf. Ctr.)
Trustees Mtg. 7 pm
10 Choir Practice 7 pm (wkly)
11 United Methodist Women's Mtg. 2 pm (Fellowship Hall)
Temple Keepers 6 pm (wkly)
14 Early Service 8 am
'Charge Breakfast' 9 am (NO Sunday School)
16 Tuckaleechee Garden Club 10 am
19-21 'Resurrection' 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)