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“As for the rich in this present age, charge them not to be haughty, nor to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but on God, who richly provides us with everything to enjoy. They are to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous and ready to share, thus storing up treasure for themselves as a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of that which is truly life.”

– 1 Timothy 6:17–19

February 16, 2020	Morning Worship	10:00 a.m.
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God Calls Us to Worship

Welcome

Prelude	Faithfulness Ms. Lisa Barry, organ	Carlson
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Call to Worship

* Hymn	O Worship the King	LYONS
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**O worship the King all glorious above,
O gratefully sing His pow’r and His love;
Our shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,
Pavilioned in splendor and girded with praise.**

**O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space.
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.**

**Your bountiful care what tongue can recite?
It breathes in the air; it shines in the light;
It streams from the hills; it descends to the plain;
And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.**

**Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,
In You do we trust, nor find You to fail;
Your mercies how tender, how firm to the end,
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend!**

* Prayer of Adoration	Pastor Heath Cross
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God Calls Us to Repent

First Gospel Lesson This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God!	Luke 23:32–43
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General Prayer of Confession
Gracious Father, please forgive us of our many sins. We are sorry for the things we have done that have displeased You. Please turn us from our selfish ways and grant us grace to do Your will and walk in Your ways, through Jesus Christ our Savior. Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession

Assurance of Forgiveness

* Hymn	I Will Sing of My Redeemer	MY REDEEMER
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**I will sing of my Redeemer, and His wondrous love to me:
On the cruel cross He suffered from the curse to set me free.**

**Sing, O sing of my Redeemer! With His blood He purchased me;
On the cross He sealed my pardon, paid the debt and made me free.**

**I will tell the wondrous story, how my lost estate to save,
In His boundless love and mercy, He the ransom freely gave.**

**I will praise my dear Redeemer, His triumphant pow’r I’ll tell,
How the victory He giveth over sin and death and hell.**

**I will sing of my Redeemer and His heav’nly love to me;
He from death to life has brought me, Son of God, with Him to be.**

God Calls Us to Give and Serve

God’s Tithe and Our Offerings

Anthem	Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation Stephens Valley Church Choir Mrs. Kathleen German and Mr. Jerry Jennings, soloists	Neale/Wood
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Christ is made the sure foundation, Christ the Head and Cornerstone; chosen of the Lord and precious, binding all the Church in one; Holy Zion’s help forever, and her confidence alone. Here vouchsafe to all Thy servants what they ask of Thee to gain, what they gain from Thee forever with the blessed to retain, and hereafter in Thy glory evermore with Thee to reign. To this temple where we call Thee come, O Lord of hosts, today; with Thy wonted loving-kindness hear Thy servants as they pray, and Thy fullest benediction shed within its walls alway. Laud and honor to the Father, laud and honor to the Son, laud and honor to the Spirit, ever Three and ever One, One in might, and One in glory, while unending ages run.

* Presentation of Gifts	Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness! Morning by morning new mercies I see: All I have needed Thy hand hath provided— Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord, unto me! (Children ages 4–6 may be dismissed to Children’s Church, room #38.)	FAITHFULNESS
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* Prayer of Dedication

God Calls Us to Study His Word

Prayer for Illumination

Second Gospel Lesson All flesh is grass, and all its loveliness is like the flower of the field. The grass withers, the flower fades, but the word of our God stands forever.	Luke 16:1–13
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Sermon	“Why Standest Thou Still?”	Pastor Jim Bachmann
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Prayer of Supplication

God Calls Us to His Table

Words of Institution

Breaking the Bread	How Beautiful Mr. Jesse Sarlo, soloist, and Mr. David German, piano	Paris
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How beautiful the hands that served the wine and the bread and the sons of the earth. How beautiful the feet that walked the long dusty roads and the hill to the cross. How beautiful is the body of Christ. How beautiful the heart that bled, that took all my sin and bore it instead. How beautiful the tender eyes that choose to forgive and never despise. And as He laid down His life, we offer this sacrifice that we will live just as He died, willing to pay the price. How beautiful the radiant Bride who waits for her Groom with His light in her eyes. How beautiful when humble hearts give the fruit of pure lives so that others may live.

Sharing the Cup

Prayer of Intercession

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

* Hymn	All for Jesus!	WYCLIFF
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**All for Jesus! All for Jesus! All my being’s ransomed pow’rs.
All my thoughts and words and doings, all my days and all my hours.**

**Let my hands perform His bidding, let my feet run in His ways;
Let my eyes see Jesus only, let my lips speak forth His praise.**

**Worldlings prize their gems of beauty, cling to gilded toys of dust,
Boast of wealth and fame and pleasure; only Jesus will I trust.**

**Since my eyes were fixed on Jesus, I’ve lost sight of all beside;
So enchained my spirit’s vision, looking at the Crucified.**

**Oh, what wonder! How amazing! Jesus, glorious King of kings,
Deigns to call me His beloved, lets me rest beneath His wings.**

* Benediction

* Postlude	On Our Way Rejoicing Ms. Lisa Barry, organ	Carlson
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* congregation standing

– ANNOUNCEMENTS –

Greetings: We welcome you to our time of worship and invite you to join us in the school cafeteria for refreshments and fellowship after the service!

Building Update: All the water tests have been successfully completed so that water in the building should be turned on any day! Landscaping is ongoing; parking lot pavers, interior signage, and sound system final installs are all scheduled to begin tomorrow. Flooring in the fellowship hall and final painting are underway. The pulpit furniture has been installed. The lower bay of the parking lot repair is progressing despite inclement weather. The topsoil backfill is ongoing.



Thursday, February 27

11:30 a.m. Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
with Bellevue Harpeth Chamber of Commerce

Sunday, March 1

9:30 a.m. Sunday School (new time!)
10:40 a.m. Opening Worship Service (new time!)

Friday, March 6

Celebration Dinner*
6:00 p.m. Doors open
6:30 p.m. Food is served

*There is no cost for this event and nursery will be provided.

Saturday, March 7

Open House
2:00–5:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 8

9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:40 a.m. Dedication service

“Marks of an Effective Church”: Join us as we welcome Alistair Begg March 28-29!

Please note the tentative schedule:

Saturday, March 28, 7:00 p.m.—Service with refreshments to follow
Sunday, March 29, 9:30 a.m.—Combined adult Sunday School classes
10:40 a.m.—Worship service
6:30 p.m.—Service with music by Keith and Kristyn Getty

Sunday Greeters Need: We are expanding our SVC Welcoming Team in order to be available at 3 entry doors and welcome center locations in our new building. Greeter shifts are 8:55–9:30 a.m. and 10:05–10:40 a.m. All you need is a dedication to serve and a warm smile. Greeter training for all greeters will take place today after the worship service for 15 minutes. For any who are unable to attend today, a repeat session will be given next Sunday, February 23, after the worship service. For more information, please contact Prudy Nichol.

Ladies Night Out: Please join us for fellowship, food and a Bunco tournament this Friday, February 21, at 6:00 p.m. at the home of Andrea Hickok. Young women of the church ages 5 and up are encouraged to attend and fellowship with us. Our mission emphasis is Rest Stop Ministries, a non-profit organization in Nashville dedicated to restoring female survivors of domestic sex trafficking. Please bring items to stock their pantry. To RSVP, visit the table in the lobby.

Bakers Needed: In order to provide hospitality and encourage fellowship at our Open House, we are requesting donations of homemade bakery items: brownies, cookies, lemon bars, chess bars—anything that can be picked up and eaten. (Absolutely no nuts, please!) If you are willing to do some baking, please contact Joan Guthrey and tell her what you are making and how many you are providing (minimum 36 of the same item). Bakery items can be dropped off in the church’s kitchen on Friday evening (March 6) when you attend the Celebration Dinner. Please package your food in disposable items.

– THIS WEEK’S CALENDAR –

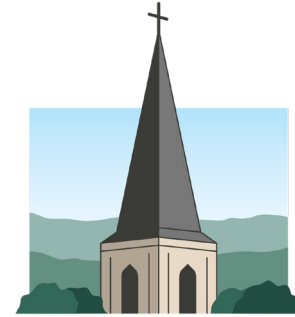
Today, 8:20 a.m. Officers’ prayer meeting, Room 18
Today, 9:00 a.m. Sunday School for all ages
Today, 10:00 a.m. Worship service
Monday Church Office closed
Monday, 9:00 a.m. Sabbatical Search Career Group, Panera Bread at Green Hills Mall
Tuesday, 9:30 a.m. SVC Women Bible Studies
Tuesday, 4:00 p.m. Sweet Half Hour of Prayer, 5031 Hillsboro Pike, in the St. Paul Chapel, first floor
Wednesday, 8:30 a.m. Building Committee meeting (6000 Pasquo Rd.)
Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. Choir rehearsal (Julia Green auditorium)
Friday, 9:00 a.m. SVC Men’s Bible Study (Corner Pub, 8058 Hwy 100)
Friday, 6:00 p.m. SVC Women’s BUNCO Night

Celebration Dinner Reservations

(as of the bulletin printing on 2/13/20)

PR=Prime Rib/S=Salmon

Adkisson, Floyd	S	Gish, Judi	PR	Nichol, Bob	S	Valentine, Walt	PR
Adkisson, Patty	PR	Goodman, Lucy	S	Nichol, Prudy	S	Vander Woude, Ann	S
Akin, Dot	S	Goodman, Wendell	PR	Nichols, Dane	S	Vander Woude, George	S
Akin, Lewis	PR	Gordon, Karen	PR	Nichols, Daryl	S	Warren, Beverly	S
Allison, Tom	PR	Gordon, Will	PR	Nichols, Donna	S	Warren, Terry	S
Allison, Nilda	S	Guthrey, Joan	PR	O'Donnell, Hazel	S	Watson, Sarah	PR
Arnold, Joy	PR	Guthrey, Mike	S	O'Rourke, Cyd	PR	Wheeler, Marion	PR
Avery, John	S	Hale, Danny	PR	Parker, Rose	PR	Whitfield, Hank	S
Avery, Sarah	S	Hale, Marti	S	Parker, Wally	PR	Whitfield, Jill	S
Bachmann, Jim	PR	Hamilton, Ron	S	Parnell, Gaye	PR	Whitfield, Lewis	PR
Bachmann, Kristen	S	Hamilton, Sue	S	Parnell, Scott	S	Whitfield, Stella	S
Bachmann, Stewart	PR	Herron, Betty	S	Pearson, Edna	PR	Wilk, Alva	S
Barry, Lisa	PR	Herron, John	PR	Pearson, Roy	PR	Wilk, Frank	S
Bates, John	S	Hickok, Andrea	PR	Phillips, Scott	PR	Wilkes, Don	S
Bates, Kaki	PR	Hickok, Ben	PR	Pingry, Pat	S	Wilkes-Kennedy, Lydia	S
Baxter, Jane	S	Hill, Michael	PR	Poteet, Ann	PR	Wilkes, Nancy	S
Baxter, Richard	PR	Hoffman, Bruce	PR	Potter, Patsy	PR	Williams, Alan	PR
Bennett, Lynn	S	Hoffman, Shirley	PR	Potter, Ted	PR	Williams, Joy	PR
Bennett, Willis	PR	Hollis, David	PR	Powell, Keeley	S	Wolfe, Alva	S
Blake, Barbara	PR	Hollis, Tammi	PR	Powell, Will	PR	Ziady, Lee	PR
Bouchard, Laurie	PR	Hoos, Nancy	PR	Powers, Theresa	PR	Ziady, Lika	S
Brownlee, Denny	PR	Howard, Yvette	PR	Prevatt, Vernon	S		
Brownlee, Sandy	S	Huertas, Joe	PR	Puckett, Margaret	PR		
Burr, Kevin	PR	Huertas, Paulette	S	Puckett, Tom	PR		
Burr, Melissa	PR	Hutton, Eddie	S	Rahe, Cleta	PR		
Camarena, Juan	S	Hutton, Linda	S	Rahe, Robert	PR		
Carpenter, Chris	PR	Jennings, Jerry	PR	Raymer, Caleb	S		
Carpenter, Paul	S	Jennings, Nancy	PR	Raymer, Corin	PR		
Carter, Austin	PR	Jones, Addison	S	Raymer, Debbie	S		
Carter, Gail	PR	Jones, Dave	PR	Raymer, Jeff	PR		
Clark, Bill	PR	Jones, David	PR	Raymer, Jerry	S		
Clark, Bruce	PR	Jones, Karen	S	Rochford, Carol	S		
Clark, Cheryl	S	Joseph, Louis	PR	Rochford, John	S		
Clark, Susan Ann	S	Joseph, Susan	PR	Roche, Charles	PR		
Compson, Chris	S	Keaton, Susan	PR	Roche, Fern	PR		
Compson, Jim	S	Kenny, Bill	S	Rodgers, Deborah	S		
Compson, Linda	S	Kenny, Debbie	PR	Rodgers, John	PR		
Copeland, Lanny	PR	Kimery, Donna	S	Russell, Dan	PR		
Copeland, Mica	PR	Kimery, Ron	PR	Russell, Deena	PR		
Counts, Angela	PR	Lamb, Emily	PR	Sadler, Ellen	PR		
Counts, King	PR	Lamb, Linda	S	Santiago, Eve	S		
Crim, Joy	PR	Lamb, Travis	PR	Shackleford, Jim	S		
Crim, Wayne	PR	Lara, Anne	PR	Shackleford, Peggy	PR		
Cross, Amber	PR	Lara, Carlos	S	Shanks, Adair	PR		
Cross, Canaan	PR	Lawrence, Alice	S	Shuman, Jeane	PR		
Cross, Eden	S	Lawrence, David	S	Spann, Janet	PR		
Cross, Heath	PR	Lawson, Mark	S	Spann, Jim	PR		
Cummings, Tim	PR	Lewelling, Brenda	S	Speece, Dick	PR		
Cummings, Vickie	PR	Lewelling, Dale	S	Speece, Jean	S		
Dawson, Collier	PR	Litchfield, Debbie	PR	Smith, Amy	S		
Dawson, Grace	S	Manning, Ana	PR	Smith, Cullen	S		
Day, Keith	S	Manning, Elizabeth	PR	Smith, Frances	S		
Day, Pam	S	Manning, Maria	S	Smith, Jerolyn	S		
Dunn, Brad	S	Manning, Steven	PR	Smith, Len	PR		
Eades, Joe	PR	Manning, Vickie	PR	Smith, Tom	S		
Eades, Vernon	PR	Mathews, Stephen	PR	Sutherland, Clarence	PR		
Edwards, Betsy	S	Mathews, Susan	S	Sutherland, Susan	S		
Edwards, Bob	PR	May, Jane	PR	Tarkington, Janet	S		
Eveitt, Jan	PR	Mayo, Kim	S	Tarkington, Ray	S		
Fentress, Charlie	S	Mayo, Jesse	PR	Thomas, Mark	PR		
Fentress, Juanita	S	Meek, Susie	S	Thomas, Retha	PR		
Frazier, Frank	PR	Michaels, Chris	PR	Thompson, Emma	S		
Frazier, Franklin	PR	Michaels, Rob	PR	Thompson, Harriett	S		
Frazier, Kristy	S	Miller, Lu	S	Tice, Emily	PR		
Frazier, Natalie	PR	Miller, Mike	S	Tice, Lori	S		
German, David	PR	Monger, Lyle	S	Tice, Will	PR		
German, Eli	PR	Moore, Rebecca	S	Tice, William	S		
German, Kathleen	S	Moore, Steven	PR	Valentine, Annette	S		
Gilchrist, Sid	PR	Myrick, Jim	PR	Valentine, Craig	PR		
Gilchrist, Tina	S	Myrick, Mary	S	Valentine, Krin	S		



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