

# Order of Worship

August 1, 2021      10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost      8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

Prelude      William Elliott

*Happy are those who hear the joyful call to worship, for they will walk  
in the light of your presence, Lord. Psalm 89:15.*

Welcome and Announcements      Trent Williams

\*Call to Worship      "Humble Thyself in the Sight of The Lord"      Chancel Choir

\*Hymn      "Rock of Ages"      UMH 361

Prayer

Dismissal to Children's Church (Pre-K to Grade 5) 10:30 Service only

Receiving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings

Offertory      William Elliott

\*Doxology      "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"      UMH 95

Anthem      "Soon and Very Soon"      Chancel Choir

Scripture      1 Timothy 6:3-10      Jim Nelson/Trent Williams

Sermon      "Godliness with Contentment"      Rev. Dr. Jay Ferguson

Invitation to Follow Jesus

\*Hymn      "Something Beautiful"      UMH 394

\*Benediction

\*Choral Benediction      "Now unto Him"      Chancel Choir

\*Postlude      William Elliott

\*People Stand as Able

Sympathy is extended to the family of Beverly Browning  
who passed away on July 21<sup>st</sup>.

## We are blessed when you are!

### Prayer Requests

#### IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Andy Anderson  
Peggy Austin, Vera Lee Austin's Sister-in-law  
Chance Bailey  
Tommy Bane  
Chris Buckner  
Warren Butt  
Freda Coomes, Fred Woody's Sister  
Corion Cornette, Brad & Tammy Scott's Son  
Curtis Gillespie  
Millie Hartsock  
Jerry Hickman, Heart Cath next Thursday  
Tom Hodge, Jr.  
Mary Martin  
James N. Moore, Jr., Daniel Frost's Stepfather  
Janet Moore  
Fonda Morgan  
Terry Muncy  
Frankie Nowlin  
Colleen Page  
Ruth Shrader  
Vell Shrewsberry  
Iris Snow  
Josh Stultz

#### LONG TERM ILLNESS

Merve & Marie Anderson  
Lila Atkins  
Rudy Austin (Vera Lee Austin's Brother)  
Barbara Bailey  
Dennis Bennett (Husband of Rita Bennett)  
Ethel Earls  
Margaret Farmer  
Jimmy Jones  
Mary Martin  
Sue Owens  
Wilma Shay  
Roger Shutt

#### OUR MILITARY

Lucas Graham  
Drew Nelson  
Nate Owen  
Artem Rich  
Ryan Shott  
Jeremy Woody  
All those serving our Country

### Lunch with a Bunch

A BIG THANK YOU to Pam Rose, Shannon Ratcliff, Peg Scott, and Kelly Ferguson  
for their dedication to the children who attended the program.

Gratitude is also extended to those who made donations to make  
this program possible.

**WEEKLY CALENDAR**

**Sunday, August 1**

First Light Service 8:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.  
SONshine Packing Party 4:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, August 3**

SONshine Packing Food Bags 10:00 a.m.

**Wednesday, August 4**

SONshine Celebration Event 5:30 p.m.  
Chancel Choir Rehearsal 7:00 p.m.

*First United Methodist Church  
Sunday, August 1, 2021*

**SONshine Celebration**

Our annual school supply giveaway will be on August 4.  
Each student attending will receive a bag of school supplies.  
Everyone in attendance will receive a brown bag meal.

If you would like to make a donation, please mark your check or envelope  
SONshine.



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YouTube: Bluefield 1st UMC

Group meetings to discuss the Comparison of the Post-Separation UMC  
and the Global Methodist Church have been scheduled.

Each group will have a maximum of 15 in attendance. This will be on a first  
come first serve basis. Additional groups will be scheduled as needed.

Please call the church office to sign up.

Group 1 – Sunday, August 15 at 5:00 p.m.

Group 2 – Sunday, September 12 at 3:00 p.m.

Group 3 – Monday, September 20 at 6:00 p.m.