

Order of Worship

January 28, 2024 4th Sunday after Epiphany 10:30 a.m.

Entrance

Gathering		
Greeting and Announcements		
Prelude		William Elliott
*Call to Worship	“Shine, Jesus, Shine”	Chancel Choir
*Opening Hymn	“Be Thou My Vision”	UMH 451
Opening Prayer		Mary Jeffries
Anthem	“Be Strong in the Lord”	Chancel Choir

Proclamation and Response

Scripture	1 Corinthians 8:1-13 NSRV	
Sermon		Rev. Billy Kurtz
*Hymn of Invitation	“My Jesus, I Love Thee”	UMH 172
*Affirmation of Faith	“Apostles’ Creed”	UMH 881
*Gloria Patri	“Glory Be to the Father”	UMH 70

Sharing of Joys and Concerns		
Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer		Rev. Billy Kurtz

Receiving of God’s Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory		William Elliott
*Doxology	“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”	UMH 95

Sending Forth

*Closing Hymn	“Bind Us Together”	FWS 2226
*Dismissal with Blessing		Rev. Billy Kurtz
*Benediction	“Go Tell It on the Mountain”	Chancel Choir
Postlude		William Elliott
Going Forth		

(*Please stand as you are able.)



ILLNESS

Roy Abel (Jennifer Brewster’s father)
Don Akers (Pam Brewster’s brother)
Roberta Bolen (knee surgery)
Richard Brown (Margaret Elam’s cousin)
Charlotte Childers (Carol Hash’s Sister)
Cindy Elliott
Kathy Farley (JC Higginbotham’s sister)
Margaret Farmer
Katie Franklin (Dean Coon’s Niece)
Millie Hartsock
Tom Hodge (Shelby Clendenen’s brother)
Joyce Keith (surgery)
Pat Lawson
Bryan Little (Darlene Little’s Son)
Larry Mahood
Janet Moore
Lori Moss
Sally Rash (Shelby Clendenen’s sister)
Elliott Spencer (8 years old - Eye surgery at Duke)
Pam Spracher
John Taylor (Mark Stower’s friend)
Ben and Sue Young

MILITARY

Lucas Graham
Garrett Houck
Laken McKinney
Nate Owen
Ryan Shott
Jeremy Woody
All those serving our Country.

HOMEBOUND

Lila Atkins
Rudy Austin (Vera Lee Austin’s brother)
Jimmy Jones
Gerry Stowers

If you have someone you would like to put on the prayer list, please call the church office at 276-326-1466 or email info@bluefieldfumc.org.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Monday, January 29

Choir Practice 6:30 pm

Thursday, February 1

Martha Circle 10:30 am

Lydia Circle 6:00 pm

Sunday, February 4

Sunday School 9:30 am

Worship Service 10:30 am

Tuesday, February 13

Shrove Tuesday/Pancake Supper

Wednesday, February 14

Ash Wednesday

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The church is planning to have a Shrove Tuesday/Mardi Gras Pancake Supper on Tuesday, February 13, 2024. If you would like to volunteer to help with this event, please call Jacob Stowers at 276-245-3347.

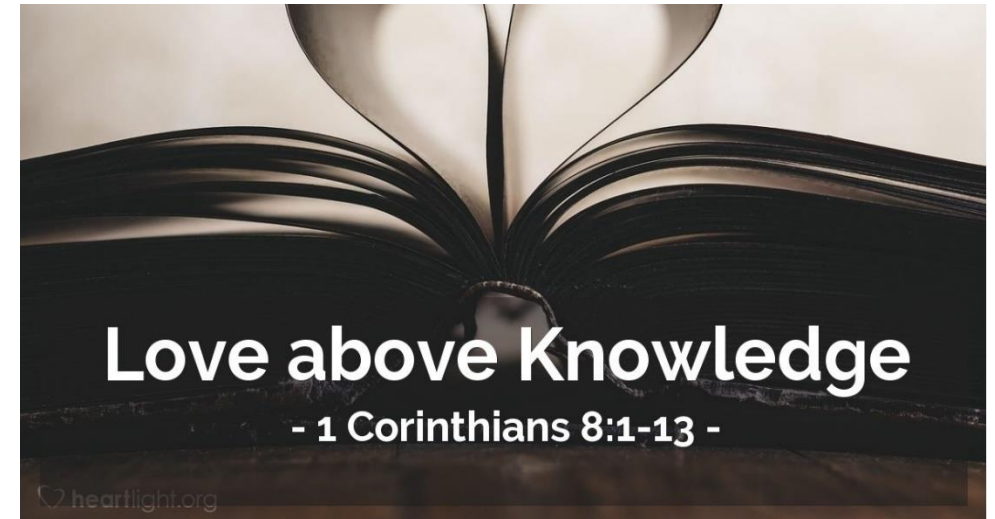
If you would be interested in helping with audio visual on Sunday mornings, please let Rev. Billy know.

Please send us any scenic pictures you have that we could share on our slides each week. You can email them to info@bluefieldfumc.org or text them to Beverly Beavers at 276-210-6359.

Our church has several minor projects that need attention (lights in ladies parlor, outside lights, etc). If you would like to donate to this need, please mark your donation to Capital Improvement Projects Dedicated. We currently have \$1,500 in this account.

Martha Circle continues to collect peanut butter for the Union Mission. The collection boxes are located at the Tazewell Avenue and front entrances.

First United Methodist Church *Sunday, January 28, 2024*



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