

Maryville Church of Christ

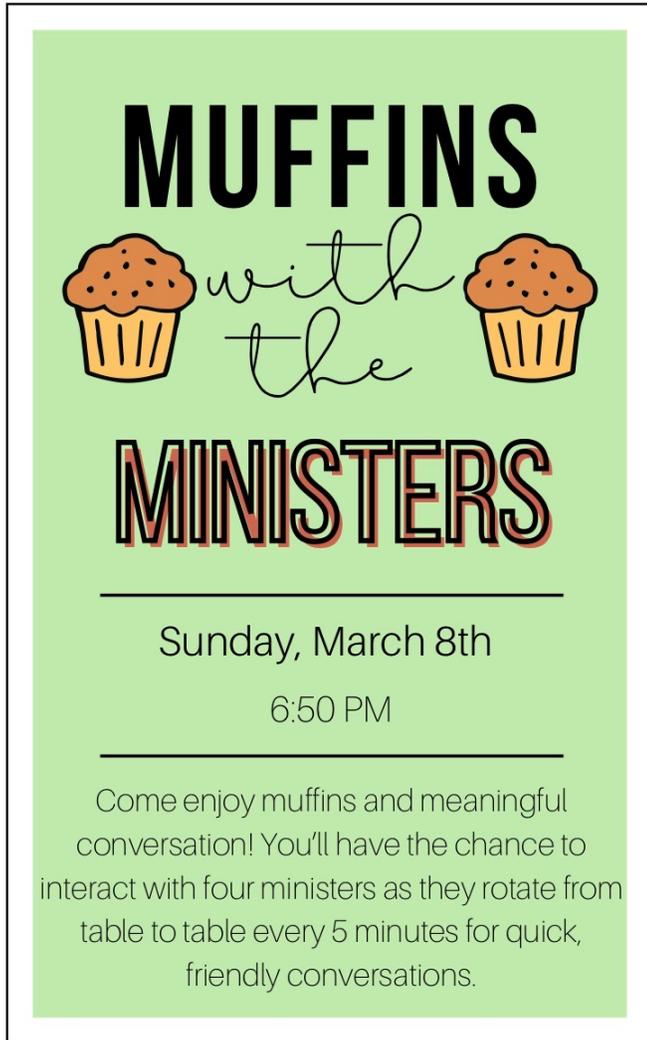
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MUFFINS
with
the
MINISTERS

Sunday, March 8th

6:50 PM

Come enjoy muffins and meaningful conversation! You'll have the chance to interact with four ministers as they rotate from table to table every 5 minutes for quick, friendly conversations.

Pray for Maryville Members:

Dorothy Phillips' knee replacement surgery went well.

Wendy Winstead had successful gall bladder surgery on February 25.

Brenda Dean will have knee replacement surgery at UT Hospital on March 5.

Tom Curtman will have shoulder surgery on March 5.

Prayers for Maryville Friends and Family:

Jeff McKee, is having surgery on Monday and has requested our prayers.

Please Continue to Pray for:

Levi Abbott, Gwen Ackerman, Carla Adams, Eugenia Art, Jody Bails, Bonnie Batey, Laura Beddingfield, Theresa Bounds, Libby Bowling, Susan Boyd, Ann Brannon, Dorothy Cavender, Jona Çepi, Susan Clifton, Janet Comer, Delois Cutshaw, Vilma Dallas, Joel Davenport, Melinda Davis, Brenda Dean, An Dube, Mary Ann Edmonds, Becky Elliott, Leah Elliott, Mike & Pat Farmer, Rachel Farmer, Tom Fesmire, Kenny Fisher, Gabriel Ford, Ken and Kathie Ford, Margaret Fox, Jan & Claude Gardner, Shannon Garner, Betty and Chet Gilbert, JoAnn Gosson, Amelia Hackler, Terry Hadden, Lisa Hall, Cody Haynes, Mike Head, Shirley Hedges, Laurie Holmes, Forrest Hudson, Joyce Humphries, Rodney Humphries, Kaiden Kaman, Joe Koehn, Mark & Tammie Lewis, Joe Mantione, Renée Matthews, Mike Moore, Linda Ohgren, Phil McCullough, Fred & Monica Orr, Jeff Painter, Vickie Painter, Mike Parker, Jerry Phillips, Debbie Rasbury, Larry Raulston, Sigilinde Reeves, Zac Reeves, Larry Samuels, C.J. Sanchez, Sid Sawyer, Patty Sbarbaro, Lisa Simpson, Nancy Stevenson, LuAnn Stewart, Randy Suisse, Dale Terry, Max Thomas, James Thompson, Michael Towe, Zora Tyler, Jim Wagner, Tony Wallace, Ellen Walker, Juanita Walt, Teresa Walt, Bill Weime, Eva Williams, Katherine Williams.

Sympathy

Our dear sister **Linda Samuels** passed away peacefully on February 23. A Celebration of Life will be held here at the church on Saturday, February 28. The family will receive friends from 2:30p.m. - 4:00p.m., with the service to follow at 4:00p.m. In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to World English Institute (WEI). Please keep Larry, Scott, Kent, Jill, and their families in your prayers as they navigate this time of grief.



Don't Forget!!

Daylight Savings Time begins NEXT Sunday, March 8, 2026 at 2:00 A.M. On Saturday night, set your clocks forward one hour to "spring ahead".



Karnes Lectureship Pies

The 2026 Lectureship, "Awestruck; Beholding God's Glory", will be March 12-15, at the Southeast Institute of Biblical Studies. We are requesting assistance with our desserts from area congregations again this year. We prefer to have pies, but of course would be glad to have anything that you are willing to provide. Please use disposable containers if possible. Sign up at the communications center across from the office. Please leave your pie in the church kitchen on Wednesday, March 11 or before 9 a.m. Thursday, March 12.

New Address

Bonnie Batey has a new address: 805 Shannondale Way, Maryville, TN 37803. Please update this in your directory.

Sunday Morning, March 1, 2026

Call to Worship	Ron Matthews
Opening Prayer	Nathan Miranda
Scripture Reading	Jaxon Tipton
Sermon	Travis Bookout
Sermon Title: <i>Crouching at the Door</i>	
Sermon Basis: Genesis 4:7	
Communion	Presiding: Mike Hearon
Tom Gallaher, Ray Johnson, Craig Lanham, Bruce McClellan, Carter Pittman, David Pittman, Robert Reeves, Eric Rodgers, Doug Simpson, Dale Willis	
Nursery	Bev Hines, JoAnn Raulston, & Sierra Potts
Children's Worship	Jessica Hazel & Micaela Kennedy
TNT	Claire Adams, Vickie Dudley, & Elise Hazel
Sunday Evening	Travis Bookout

Our Record, February 22, 2025

Bible Class	141
Worship	292
Worship PM	95
Mid-Week	146
Contribution	\$19,585.85
Budgeted Weekly Need	\$20,523.00
Contribution through 2/22	\$174,476.45
Budgeted Yearly Need through 2/22	\$164,184.00

Elders will be available in the library during the invitation song for anyone who would like to meet with them for personal prayer. Also, the elders desire to welcome all new members! If you would like to be identified with the Maryville Church of Christ, the elders would like to meet with you. Please call the church office (983-0370) to arrange an appointment.

Our Mission Statement: To fulfill the Great Commission by teaching the Gospel to the lost, to encourage a never-ending spiritual growth in God's children, and to hold steadfastly to the Bible which we affirm is the inerrant and inspired word of God.

Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class

Join us on March 4, as **Gianna Harrison** leads our lesson on "The Best Way to Pray" from the book *The Begging Place*, by Becky Fowler Blackmon. We will meet from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Men's Wednesday Bible Study

On March 4 we will continue our study of Paul's Prison Epistles. We are currently studying the book of Ephesians using the book *To the Praise of the Glory*, by John W. Smith, as a reference. We will meet in Room 202 at the church building at 10:30 a.m. **Ron Matthews** will be the presenter for Chapter 3. Hope to see you there!

Communion Servers for March

Tom Gallaher, Ray Johnson, Craig Lanham, Bruce McClellan, Carter Pittman, David Pittman, Robert Reeves, Eric Rodgers, Doug Simpson, Dale Willis

You will receive a text with more information and a serving diagram by the end of the week. If you are unable to serve on any given Sunday for any reason, please let us know with a text (**Rick Fowler** 865-705-1875 or **Ryan Campbell** 319-830-2147). If you are interested in serving communion but have not been contacted yet, please see Rick or Ryan to be added to the list.

Calendar

March 3

***Tuesday Morning Breakfast Club**
9:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall

March 4

***Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class**
10:30 – 11:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall
***Men's Wednesday Morning Bible Study**
10:30 a.m. Room 202

March 5

***Grief Share**
Room 205 at 10:00 a.m.

March 8

***Muffins with the Ministers**
6:50 p.m. Fellowship Hall

March 13

***Mom's Support Group**
10:00 a.m. Room 113

Verse of the Week: Genesis 4:7 NASB 1995

"If you do well, will not your countenance be lifted up? And if you do not do well, sin is crouching at the door; and its desire is for you, but you must master it."



Sin has been the primary plague of mankind throughout our history. When left unchecked, sin deceives, ensnares, and enslaves us, causing us to sink deeper into it. We need one another. We need a culture of honesty, confession, and trust to fight against and overcome sin in our lives. We need prayer and Scripture and worship. We need the power of God through the Holy Spirit. Let us always take sin seriously. Let us be strong and stand firm in opposing wickedness. Let us strive to press forward in Christlikeness.



Grief Share will meet on Thursday, March 5, at 10:00 a.m. in Room 205. Grief Share is a grief recovery support group to help and encourage anyone who has lost a family member or friend. If you have any questions, please contact Herb Byrd, Carl or Carol Holmes, Joanie Moore or Bev Hines.

Alcoa Church of Christ Ladies' Day

Save the Date for Alcoa Church of Christ Ladies' Day on March 7. Registration will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Center, 209 E. Franklin Street, Alcoa, TN 37701. The theme for this year is *We are Stronger Together*, Ecclesiastes 4:9-12.



Food Pantry Needs:

- *Juice
- *Canned Stew
- *Canned Green Beans