Sunday Services
9:00 a.m. – Classes
10:00 a.m.- Worship
6:00 p.m. – Worship/Classes

Maryville Church of Christ

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Wednesday Evening
7:00 p.m. - Classes

October 25, 2026

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TODAY IS THE DAY!

Put on your costume and come join the fun on Sunday, October 25th from 4:00-6:00 p.m. in the lower parking lot for this year's Trunk or Treat! There will be tons of candy, food, a cupcake walk, hayride, and face painting!

Church family...

- If you signed up to bring **cupcakes**, please bring them TODAY at the AM worship and put them in the kitchen on the island.
- If you **signed up to do a trunk**, please show up around 3:30 to be set up when the kiddos arrive!
- If you signed up to **volunteer** please be where you have signed up at the appropriate times. If you have any questions about where you are supposed to be or what time, get in touch with Jessica Hazel.

If you would still like to volunteer but didn't get a chance to sign up, please come! We will find a place for you! Thanks everyone! **WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!**

Medicare Part D Seminar

Join us on Monday, October 26, from 10:00 -11:00 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall for a presentation on Medicare Part D. Phil LaFoy, RPh, former owner of Blount Discount Pharmacy, will be our presenter, followed by a question-and-answer session. He will help you to better understand prescription drug coverage and medication costs as you prepare to choose your 2027 Medicare Part D plan. Everyone is welcome to attend!

Prayers:

Mike Moore is in Prisma Hospital, being treated for fluid retention.
JoAnn Gosson has been released from the hospital and is recovering at home.
Joyce Aebi will have knee replacement surgery October 26.
Beverly Gardner has been released from Prisma Hospital and is recovering at Brookdale, Pearson Springs.
Margaret Anderson is being treated for pneumonia.
Billy Stewart, a patient at Prisma Hospital, asks for our prayers of healing as he is released to home.

Sympathy

Mike Churcher, brother of **Judi Curp**, passed away on October 16 in Georgia. Services for him were held on October 21. Please remember this family in your prayers.

Marilyn King, sister of **JoAnn Gosson**, passed away. Please keep JoAnn and Chris in your prayers.



Church Family!

Beginning TODAY, Sunday, October 25, the **Nursing Mother's Room is now in Room 202**. Please be aware of this change and be respectful of that space for all those mother's using the space. If you have any questions, please contact Jessica Hazel. Thank you!

New Adult Bible Classes
(November 1, 2026 – January 27, 2027)

Sunday Mornings

"Acts (Part 1)" – **Travis Bookout** – Fellowship Hall
"Soul Train for Adults" – **Tom Maxwell** – Room 204

Wednesday Evenings

"Restoration History and Theology"
Randy Winstead – Fellowship Hall
Young Adult Class –Travis Bookout – Room 113

maryville CHURCH OF CHRIST Food Pantry
serving families in need in Blount Co.

Canned Mixed Vegetables
Beef Stew
Instant Potatoes
Crackers

Sunday Morning, October 25, 2026

Call to Worship David Dudley
Opening Prayer Bucky Shipman
Scripture Reading
Sermon Travis Bookout
Sermon Series: Confessing Christ
Sermon Title: *My Lord and My God*
Sermon Basis: John 20:28-29
Communion **Presiding:** Joe Bohannon
Barry Adkins, Mark Allen, Randy Asbill, Joel Davenport, Ethan Dudley, Doug Edwards, Mark Everett, Jimmy Jones, Bill Walt
Nursery Amy Johnson, McKenna & Trinity Terry
Children's Worship Kevin & Micaela Kennedy
TNT Alyssa & Savanna Mascorro & Elise Hazel
Sunday Evening Travis Bookout

Our Record, October 18, 2026

Bible Class	142
Worship	249
Worship PM	88
Mid-Week	140
Contribution	$26,622.73
Budgeted Weekly Need	$20,523.00
Contribution through 10/18	$834,133.71
Budgeted Yearly Need through 10/18	$861,966.00

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.

♥***Our missionaries:*** **Kent and Rachael O'Donnell, Albert and Lavinia Cook, Bledi and Valbona Valca, Ellen Walker, Albert and Jona Cepi, Harilla Mandro, Gezim Berdelima, Prabhu Kumar.**

Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class

Join us on October 28, as **Bernice Kieffer** leads our lesson on **"Generosity with My Recourses"** from the book *The Right Side Up Kingdom in an Upside-Down World*. We will meet from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Communion Servers for November

Ben Bohannon, Greg Cable, Carl Holmes, David Huff, Roger Jennings, Mike Kervin, Tom Maxwell, Danny Spencer, Artan Xhaferaj

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

October 25
***Trunk or Treat**
4:00-6:00 p.m. Lower Parking Lot & Fellowship Hall
October 26
***Medicare Part D Seminar**
10:00 -11:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall
October 27
***Tuesday Morning Breakfast Club**
9:00 a.m. Fellowship Hall
October 28
***Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class**
10:30-11:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall
***October Birthday Celebration**
Fellowship Hall following Wednesday Evening Class
October 29
***Grief Share**
Room 205 at 10:00 a.m.

Verse of the Week: John 20:28-29 NASB 1995

"Thomas answered and said to Him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Because you have seen Me, have you believed? Blessed are they who did not see, and yet believed.'"



Thomas had a hard time believing in the resurrection. That's understandable. It's an incredible and unique moment that defies all human experience. But Jesus had already performed signs, like raising Lazarus, that pointed in this direction. And Jesus had predicted this would happen. And the tomb was found empty. And the other disciples had already seen and testified that they had seen the resurrected Jesus. And still Thomas wouldn't believe until he saw Jesus for himself. That is not a privilege that most people will be able to enjoy. For almost everybody else, including those who first received John's Gospel and we who read it today, we must believe based on the testimony of those who came before us. Jesus promises a blessing on those who believe without having seen. Are you willing to take that step?



RESCHEDULED!
FALL BONFIRE
Saturday,
November 14, 2026
3:00 p.m.

Everyone Is Invited!! This is a rescheduled event so please sign up again! **New Date and Time: Saturday, November 14 at 3:00 p.m**. Come to the Edward's Riverhouse at **207 Riverview Rd.**, **Townsend**, for a bonfire, hot dogs, chili, and s'mores! We'll also have hot coffee, hot chocolate and hot cider to warm your bones. If you can, bring along something yummy to share for dessert. Bring a lawn chair to sit on and a blanket to bundle up in while you enjoy a blazing fire and great fellowship!