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On Friday, April 18 (Good Friday), at 11:00am, we will have our annual Easter Egg Hunt and Picnic here at the building! Come to the Fellowship Hall when you arrive, and you will get instructions there. The hunt is for children ages 4th grade and younger. After the hunt we will have our picnic together, either outside or in the Fellowship Hall, depending on the weather. We need the participation of our entire church family to make this a successful and memorable event!

Church Family: Please bring in CANDY FILLED eggs and place them in the bins in the foyer, to be used for the children to hunt. Also, we have invited all the children at Stepping Stones Preschool, so we want to make sure we have enough eggs for those kiddos and those of our church family. And of course, you are invited the day of to watch the kids hunt eggs and participate in the lunch after.

Parents of Children 4th Grade and Younger: Bring your child(ren), their Easter basket, a packed lunch for them and yourselves, and blankets and/or chairs. Come to the Fellowship Hall when you arrive. The children will be given directions on where to hunt, depending on age. We will hunt eggs at 11:00am and share a picnic lunch together afterwards!

Children Ages 5th Grade and Older: Arrive at 10:00am and help hide eggs. We need you! We would love for you to bring a packed lunch and blanket/chair and stay for the picnic too!

We are looking forward to a fun day together! If you have any questions, please contact Jessica Hazel. Thank you everyone!

Pray for Maryville Members:

Samuel Johnson will have surgery on Monday to have tubes put in his ears and his adenoids removed.

Linda Ohgren had shoulder surgery again on Tuesday, as the surgery last week was not successful. She is in a lot of pain.

Margaret Anderson will have her second blood infusion on April 8 at UT Medical Center.

Libby Bowling will have surgery on April 9.

John Adams has been in the hospital in Alabama with a bacterial infection. He is recovering at home.

Maryville Friends and Family:

Peggy Agee, sister of Bucky Shipman, is in the hospital with COPD, double pneumonia, and the flu.

Please Continue to Pray for:

Levi Abbott, Carla Adams, Eveleen Asbill, Jody Bails, Rob Barron, Ian and Kim Baxter, Jane Beddingfield, Laura Beddingfield, Natha Black, Teresa Bounds, Ann Brannon, Mitchell Brown, T.J. Butler, Joyce Campbell, Dorothy Cavender, Ronald Clark, Susan Clifton, Janet Comer, Sharon Cox, Joel Davenport, Steve Dockery, An Dube, Mary Ann Edmonds, Mike & Pat Farmer, Rachel Farmer, Tom Fesmire, Marilyn Fisher, Gabriel Ford, Ken and Kathie Ford, Jan & Claude Gardner, Shannon Garner, Betty and Chet Gilbert, Chris & JoAnn Gosson, Amelia Hackler, Terry Hadden, Elise Hazel, Mike Head, Shirley Hedges, Laurie Holmes, Forrest Hudson, Rodney Humphries, Lisa Kooley, Heather Lawrence, Steve Leslie, Mark & Tammie Lewis, Diane Little, David Morris, Linda Ohgren, Fred & Monica Orr, Jeff Painter, Vickie Painter, Larry Phillips, Deaniel Plumley, Ronald Raulston, Sigilinde Reeves, Zac Reeves, Kathy Rogers, Larry & Linda Samuels, C.J. Sanchez, Nancy Stevenson, LuAnn Stewart, Max Thomas, James Thompson, Michael Towe, Jim Wagner, Tony Wallace, Ellen Walker, Juanita Walt, Teresa Walt, Bill Weime, Eva Williams, Katherine Williams.

♥Those being treated for or recovering from cancer:

Ernestine Badman, Abby Boruff, Kim Brown, Jenny Buckner, Keith Byrd, Janet Chadwick, Shawn Clevenger, Kasey Dudley, Pat Farmer, Susan Farmer, Mike Healy, Madison Heatherly, Teresa Henry, Joyce Huff, Denise Jackson, Kelly Pearmain, Cogi Sparkman, Dale Terry, Sr., Alyssa Tosado, Jean Towry, Paul Williams, Angelia Wright, Tom Yates, David Young.

Baby Shower

We are excited to come together to honor **Matthew and Michaela Sentell**, as they prepare to welcome their precious baby boy into the world. Join us in the Fellowship Hall on April 6, from 2-4:00 p.m. They are registered at Babylist.com.

Congratulations!

Jackie and Jessica Tipton are excited to announce the birth of their baby boy, **Julian Daniel**. He arrived on March 31, weighing 7 lbs. 1 oz. and was 19 inches long. He is the perfect playmate for brothers **Jaxon** and **Jase** and cousin **Taylor**. Proud Nana is **Donna Houser**.

Sunday Morning, April 6, 2025

Call to Worship	Jim Taylor
Opening Prayer	Rick Fowler
Communion	Steve Coleman
Scripture Reading	Oliver Bookout
Sermon	Travis Bookout
Sermon Series: What Can I Do Now?	
Sermon Title: Say "Yes" to Ministry	
Sermon Basis: 1 Corinthians 12:12	
Nursery	Gina & Kirstie Maner
Children's Worship	Bucky & Kendra Shipman
TNT	Jamie Rogers Family
Sunday Evening	Travis Bookout

Our Record, March 30, 2025

Bible Class	119
Worship	288
Worship PM	97
Mid-Week	139
Contribution	\$14,202.00
Budgeted Weekly Need	\$19,516.00
Contribution through 3/30	\$209,793.84
Budgeted Yearly Need through 3/30	\$253,708.00
Special Contributions	\$27,600.00

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.

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.

SIMPLE

Youth Group and Families!

The next three months, we will be following the **Simple Plan**. The **P** represents that we will prioritize **"Praying"** for God's will to be done and for Him to be glorified through our youth and families. Use this week to pray for God's guidance and wisdom to be on our youth, families, and those ministering to the Youth Group.

Our Senior Sunday will be on May 4. We will be honoring our graduating class of **Michael Campbell, Noah Farmer, Benjamin Paddock, Aaron Rogers, Josh Simpson, and Zara Snyder**.

Parents of Graduates: Please send your senior child's portrait picture to Andrew.

June 22-27 – Teenage Christian Camp (ages 8-13). Please let Andrew know if you would like to sign up.

Please note - if you mail anything to the church, please use our post office box number, P.O. Box 5293, Maryville, TN 37802

Calendar

April 6

***Matthew & Michaela Sentell's Baby Shower**
2-4:00p.m. Fellowship Hall

April 8

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

***VIP (Visit in Person)**
10:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall

April 9

***Ladies Wednesday Morning Bible Class**
10:30 – 11:30 a.m. Fellowship Hall

April 10

***Grief Share**
10 a.m.-12:00p.m. Room 205

May 4

***High School Senior Graduation Sunday**

Sympathy

Peggy Jackson, aunt of **Ron Ricketts**, passed away on Saturday, March 29. She was a member at the Cedar Lane Church of Christ in Tullahoma, TN. Ron's uncle and family would appreciate prayers for their loss.

Steve Riley passed away at Fort Sanders Medical Center on Wednesday, April 2. Arrangements for him are incomplete at this time.



We had a Ministry Fair last week and showed many ways we could get involved in serving this congregation. This week we want to explore the idea that we are all different, with diverse interests, skills, and gifts, yet we are part of one body. Each one of us can contribute to that body. Each one of us can find ways to help, serve, and further the work of Christ.

Today, let's commit ourselves to say "Yes" to ministry!

Verse of the Week: 1 Corinthians 12:12 NASB 1995
"For even as the body is one and yet has many members, and all the members of the body, though they are many, are one body, so also is Christ."

New Senior Exercise Class

Blount County Community Action Agency needs participants and volunteer instructors for a 60+ exercise program to be held here at the building. The class is designed to improve strength, balance, and prevent falls. If you are interested in learning more about the program or being a volunteer to instruct the program, contact Marjorie Hasting at 865-456-4545, or mhasting@blountcaa.org.

Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class

On April 9, **Gail Rhodes** will lead a lesson on **Growing Strong Through Gentleness** from the book *A Woman's Walk with God - Growing in the Fruit of the Spirit*. We will meet from 10:30 - 11:30a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.



*Rice *Applesauce
*Spaghetti noodles