

Maryville Church of Christ

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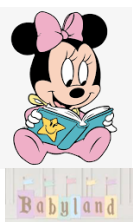
May 31, 2026

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Please join us for a congregational potluck immediately following services this morning as we honor **Jim and Becky Taylor**, who will soon be moving to Atlanta. While miles may separate us, we want them to know they will always be part of our church family.

Bring your favorite dish and plan to stay for a special time of food and fellowship on this "Fifth Sunday!" Fried chicken will be provided, so please bring additional meats, casseroles, sides, or desserts for everyone to enjoy.



Baby Shower

Join us in celebrating **Andrew and Krystal Warnes** as they prepare to welcome their sweet baby girl in July! You are invited to a baby shower on May 31 from 3:00 - 5:00p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. They are registered at Babylist.com and are kindly asking for books in place of cards. If you have any questions or would like to help, please reach out to Sarah-Beth Pope or Emily Parker. We hope you can come share in this special time with them!

Communion Servers for June

Joe Bohannon, Steve Coleman, Tom Gallaher, Jim Hafer, Glen Hazel, Luke Kirven, Tom Langley, Andrew Maner, Craig Maner, Eric Rodgers, Greg Waters

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.

Prayers for Maryville Members

Steve Leslie was taken to the hospital Thursday experiencing stroke symptoms.

Vickie Painter will have carotid artery surgery on May 29. Please keep her in prayer, as well as doctors and medical staff.

Annette Everett fell recently at home and has a broken bone in her back. She will be homebound for a while.

Gail Rhodes is at home now and is very weak after her extended time in the hospital and rehab.

Prayers for Maryville Friends and Family

Please keep **Anna and Brennan Hooper** in your prayers as they welcomed their baby boy, Hank, on Tuesday. Hank was born at 24 weeks weighing 1lb. 12oz. Anna is Andrew Warnes' baby sister who lives in Oklahoma City. Please pray for precious little Hank as he is cared for and continues to grow stronger until he is able to come home.

Please Continue to Pray for:

Levi Abbott, Gwen Ackerman, Carla Adams, Eugenia Art, Jody Bails, Rob Barron, Bonnie Batey, Laura Beddingfield, Natha Black, Theresa Bounds, Libby Bowling, Susan Boyd, Ann Brannon, Dorothy Cavender, Jona Çepi, Susan Clifton, Alice Daniel, Janet Comer, Tom Curtman, Delois Cutshaw, Mary Lou Daines, Joel Davenport, Melinda Davis, Brenda Dean, Nicole DeLuca, An Dube, Bob Eckelberry, Mary Ann Edmonds, Becky Elliott, Leah Elliott, Tom England, Virgil Everett, Mike & Pat Farmer, Rachel Farmer, Tom Fesmire, Kenny Fisher, Gabriel Ford, Ken and Kathie Ford, Teresa Fowler, Jan Gardner, Shannon Garner, Betty and Chet Gilbert, Jo Ann Gosson, Amelia Hackler, Terry Hadden, Lisa Hall, Mike Head, Shirley Hedges, Laurie Holmes, Forrest Hudson, Joyce Humphries, Pam & Rodney Humphries, Jennifer Kachelman, Kaiden Kaman, Joe Koehn, Tammie Lewis, Chuck Mantione, Joe Mantione, Renée Matthews, Mike Moore, Linda Ohgren, Fred & Monica Orr, Jeff Overholt, Jeff Painter, Vickie Painter, Mike Parker, Christine Patty, Jerry & Dorothy Phillips, Debbie Rasbury, Larry Raulston, Sigilinde Reeves, Zac Reeves, Larry Samuels, C.J. Sanchez, Dolly Sanders, Patty Sbarbaro, Nancy Stevenson, LuAnn Stewart, Randy Suisse, Dena Taylor, Arkie Thelan, Max Thomas, James Thompson, Michael Towe, Zora Tyler, Tony Wallace, Ellen Walker, Juanita Walt, Teresa Walt, Bill Weime, Eva Williams.

♥**Those being treated for or recovering from cancer:** Ernestine Badman, Abby Boruff, Steve Boyd, Kim Brown, Jenny Buckner, Janet Chadwick, Shawn Clevenger, Kasey Dudley, Pat Farmer, Susan Farmer, Mike Healy, Madison Heatherly, Joyce Huff, Denise Jackson, Benjamin Kirven, Kelly Pearmain, Phil Reynolds, Gay Lynne Schob, Cogi Sparkman, Dale Terry, Sr., Alyssa Tosado, Jean Towry, Paul Williams, Dale Willis, Angelia Wright, Tom Yates.

♥**Our shut-ins:** Margaret Anderson, Edward Burroughs, Mike Farmer, Beverly Gardner, Terry Hadden, Darwin Spradlin, Jim Wagner, June Warlick.

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Call to Worship Artan Xhaferaj
Opening Prayer Ryan Campbell
Scripture Reading Campbell Everett
Sermon Travis Bookout
Sermon Series: The Treasure of Trust
Sermon Title: *Trust and Evangelism*
Sermon Basis: Matthew 11:4-5
Communion **Presiding:** Mark Ostroff
 Ben Bohannon, Greg Cable, Carl Holmes, David Huff,
 Roger Jennings, Mike Kervin, Tom Maxwell, Monty
 Newman, Danny Spencer, Artan Xhaferaj
Nursery Rachel Farmer Family
Children's Worship Bucky & Kendra Shipman
TNT Claire Adams, Vickie Dudley, & Elise Hazel
Sunday Evening Travis Bookout

Our Record, May 24, 2026

Bible Class	135
Worship	239
Worship PM	83
Mid-Week	117
Contribution	\$33,357.50
Budgeted Weekly Need	\$20,523.00
Contribution through 5/24	\$399,307.22
Budgeted Yearly Need through 5/24	\$430,983.00

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.

♪ Praise and Harmony Song Fest ♪

Saturday, June 6, 2026
Collegeside Church of Christ / Cookeville, TN
2:30 - 4:30 EASTERN DAYLIGHT TIME
Congregational singing for two hours

If you are interested in going, please contact **Barry Atkins** or **Laura Huff**. If there is enough interest, we can carpool, enjoy lunch together before the event, and still be home before dark.



- *Snacks
- *Applesauce
- *Mixed Vegetables

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

Calendar

May 31

- *Potluck for Jim & Becky Taylor
Fellowship Hall following morning service
- *Baby Shower for Krystal & Andrew Warnes
Fellowship Hall 3:00 - 5:00p.m.

June 2

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

June 6

- *Praise & Harmony Song Fest
Collegeside Church of Christ, Cookeville
2:00-4:00p.m. EST

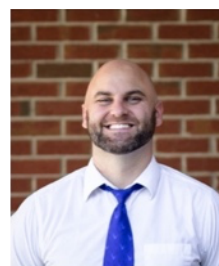
June 20

- *Riverfest
Edwards' Riverhouse in Townsend at 6:30 p.m.



Verse of the Week: Matthew 11:4-5

"Jesus answered and said to them, "Go and report to John what you hear and see: the blind receive sight and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have the gospel preached to them."



We must earn the right to be trusted. When we try to evangelize the world, we must establish credibility. We must give the world a reason to listen. This will take active effort on our part. We must demonstrate truth and competence in our message. We must demonstrate love and sincerity in our appeals. We must demonstrate service and blessing through our actions. If we show no concern for people's physical well-being, why would they trust the church with their spiritual well-being? To be trusted in this world, we must demonstrate truth in our message and love for our neighbor.

~~~Riverfest~~~

It's time for **Riverfest 2026!!** The entire congregation is invited to share in an evening of food and fellowship at Riverfest on Saturday, June 20, in Townsend at the Edward's Riverhouse. We'll share a potluck feast and catfish at 6:30. Bring lawn chairs, drinks, and **plenty** of food to share. Be sure to sign-up across from the office. We can no longer park in the neighboring yard. Park along the street and carpool if you possibly can.