

Maryville Church of Christ

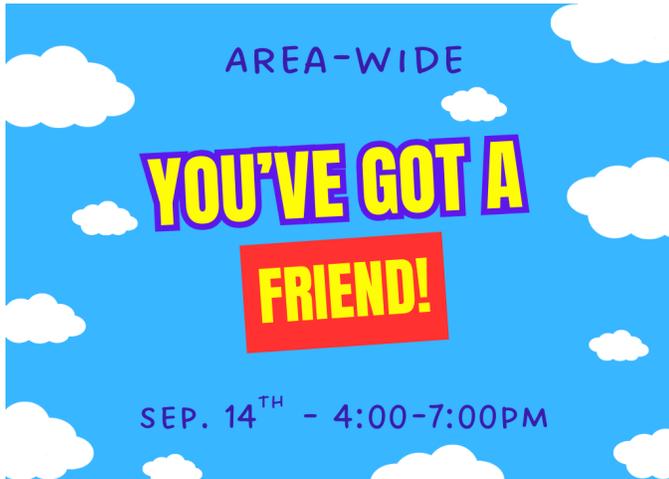
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This Sunday, September 14th, we will be hosting an area-wide service with local youth groups titled “You’ve Got a Friend.” We invite our families, as well as our whole church family, to attend at 4:00PM-7:00PM for a special evening of worship service with our local church families, as well as dinner together. ~*Andrew*



Congratulations!

Emily and Andrew Maner are excited to announce the birth of their son, **Everett Alonzo**. He arrived on September 7 at 4:14 p.m., weighing 7 pounds 15 ounces and measuring 20.5 inches in length. Proud grandparents are Angie and Eric Rodgers and Gina and Craig Maner. Great-grandmothers are Joy McDonald and Gail Maner.



Baby Shower

Two little blessings, sent from above,
Twice the giggles, and twice the love!

Ben and Bianca Huskey are expecting a boy and girl this November! Join us for a shower in their honor on Sunday, September 14, from 3:00-5:00 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. They are registered at Amazon and Target. Grandparents are **John and Melinda Huskey** and **Tom and Angie Langley**.

Isaiah 117 House Annual Golf Tournament

Join us as we seek to raise awareness and funds to help change the way foster care begins in Blount County! The event is on Friday, September 19 at either 8:30 a.m. or 1:30 p.m. at Egwani Farms Golf Course, 3920 S. Singleton. Station Road, Rockford. Registration is online at isaiah117house.com/golf.

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

Prayers for Maryville Members

Please keep baby **Everett**, newborn son of **Emily and Andrew Maner** in your prayers. He is currently in East Tennessee Children’s Hospital.

Debra Willis will have surgery on September 17 at Park West Medical Center. She will be in the hospital for about 4 days with a recovery of about 6 weeks. Prayers are appreciated.

Lindsay Back was admitted to Blount Memorial Hospital with COVID pneumonia on Tuesday.

Linda Ohgren is still at Blount Memorial Hospital recuperating from leg surgery.

Linda Samuels was taken back to Parkwest Hospital to be treated for an infection.

Maryville Friends and Family

Randy Suisse, neighbor of Glen and Jan Hazel, has been taken back to the hospital due to complications from surgery.

Please Continue to Pray for:

Levi Abbott, Carla Adams, Eugenia Art, Jody Bails, Bonnie Batey, Ian and Kim Baxter, Jane Beddingfield, Laura Beddingfield, Teresa Bounds, Libby Bowling, Susan Boyd, Ann Brannon, Bradley Burbage, Dorothy Cavender, Susan Clifton, Janet Comer, Sharon Cox, Delois Cutshaw, Vilma Dallas, Mary Lou Daines, Joel Davenport, Brenda Dean, An Dube, Mary Ann Edmonds, Leah Elliott, Mike & Pat Farmer, Rachel Farmer, Tom Fesmire, Kenny Fisher, Danny Fleeman, Gabriel Ford, Ken and Kathie Ford, Jan & Claude Gardner, Shannon Garner, Betty and Chet Gilbert, Chris & JoAnn Gosson, Amelia Hackler, Terry Hadden, Lisa Hall, Mike Head, Shirley Hedges, Laurie Holmes, Forrest Hudson, Joyce Humphries, Rodney Humphries, Lisa Kooley, Mark & Tammie Lewis, Joe Mantione, David Morris, Linda Ohgren, Fred & Monica Orr, Jeff Painter, Vickie Painter, Mike Parker, Porter Family, Larry Raulston, Sigilinde Reeves, Zac Reeves, Larry & Linda Samuels, C.J. Sanchez, Nancy Stevenson, Luann Stewart, Randy Suisse, Max Thomas, James Thompson, Michael Towe, Zora Tyler, Jim Wagner, Tony Wallace, Ellen Walker, Juanita Walt, Teresa Walt, Eva Williams, Katherine Williams, Lillie & Chloe Woods, Rumira Xhaferaj.

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

♥*Our shut-ins:* Margaret Anderson, Edward and Loretta Burroughs, Jack Coleman, Mike Farmer, Beverly Gardner, Terry Hadden, Laura Hawkins, Clarence Heaton, Darwin Spradlin, June Warlick.

Communion Service Groups for September

(Communion kits will be available at the back of the auditorium)

September 14th– Deacons, Mike Hearon presiding

September 21st– Fathers and Sons, Randy Winstead presiding

September 28th– Fathers and Sons, Roy Gallaher presiding

Sunday Morning, September 14, 2025

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| Call to Worship | Ron Matthews |
| Opening Prayer | Ben Hazel |
| Communion | Presiding: Mike Hearon Jeff Clark, Jerry Dean, Jon Dockery, Doug Edwards, Mark Everett, Glen Hazel, Craig Maner, Eric Rodgers, Terry Rush |
| Scripture Reading | Asher Hazel |
| Sermon | Travis Bookout |
| Sermon Title: <i>Receiving the Word</i> | |
| Sermon Bas is: Acts 17:11 | |
| Nursery | Cassie Everett Family |
| Children's Worship (ages 4-8yr.) | Rachel Farmer & Lisa Simpson |
| TNT (ages 2-3yr.) | Laura Blankenship & Megan Kirby |
| Sunday Evening | Travis Bookout |

Our Record, September 7, 2025

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| Bible Class | 147 |
| Worship | 290 |
| Worship PM | 113 |
| Mid-Week | 138 |
| Contribution | \$22,888.00 |
| Budgeted Weekly Need | \$19,516.00 |
| Contribution through 9/7 | \$597,734.64 |
| Budgeted Yearly Need through 9/7 | \$702,576.00 |
| Special Contributions | \$73,041.75 |

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.

Ladies' Wednesday Morning Bible Class

On September 17, **Bernice Kieffer** will lead a lesson on *Does Job Fear God for Nothing?* from the book "***We Don't Have to Understand-Job Didn't***" by Petrecia Williams. We will meet from 10:30 - 11:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

Men's Wednesday Morning Bible Study

The Wednesday Men's Bible Study will meet on Wednesday, September 17 at 10:30 a.m. in Room 202 at the church building. We are studying Paul's Prison Epistles. Tom Maxwell will be leading the Lesson entitled *Faithful Brothers and Sisters*, taken from a ***Cornerstone of Our Faith*** publication featuring Colossians and Philemon.



- *Ramen Noodles
- *Spaghetti noodles
- *Spaghetti Sauce
- *12x12 Boxes

Calendar

September 14

- *Baby Shower for Ben & Bianca Huskey
3:00 – 5:00 p.m. Fellowship Hall
- *Youth Group Area Wide
4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

September 16

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

September 17

- *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

October 4

- *Fall Bonfire and Fellowship
5:00 p.m. Edward's Riverhouse in Townsend

Youth News

This upcoming Wednesday Night, the Youth Group will kickstart an important new series on facing and wrestling through doubt.

Thank You Church Family!

Thanks to all the wonderful people who came and celebrated my 90th birthday event with me. I could not have reached this age without God's help. I am very grateful for your friendship.

Marilyn Fisher

We would like to express our deepest gratitude to everyone who helped make Mom's surprise 90th birthday party a memorable and joyful occasion. From decorating to food preparation, serving and cleanup, the kindness and hard work truly made the day special for her! We are blessed to be part of such a loving and generous church family. Thank you again for the incredible support and love. *Steve and Lisa Leslie*



Fall Bonfire and Fellowship

Everyone Is Invited!! Saturday, October 4. A sign-up sheet and directions can be found in the new lobby, and also across from the office. Join us at 5:00 p.m. 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!

Verse of the Week: Acts 17:11 NASB 1995

"Now these were more noble-minded than those in Thessalonica, for they received the word with great eagerness, examining the Scriptures daily to see whether these things were so."



In Acts 17, Paul preaches the Gospel in Thessalonica, Berea, and Athens. The response is different in each city. In this text we learn how Paul presented the saving message of Christ to a diverse audience, but we also learn about how the message should be received. We learn tips for being good listeners. In this sermon we will discuss what it means to hear and receive God's Word faithfully.