

Contemporary Service

01.16.22



Sermon: Troubled Waters
Scripture: Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

Pastor: Rev. Mark Flynn
Preaching: Rev. Seth O'Kegley-Gibson
Worship Leader: Jeff Kile

Musicians: Naomi Asher, Michael Hulse, Michael Hulse,
Jason Tate, Jake Byrd

Opening

“Song of My Heart”

“Relentless”

Welcome

Gospel Reading

Sermon

Confession

Prayer

Baptism

“Come, Be Baptized”

“Act Justly, Love Mercy, Walk Humbly”

Response

Benediction

We embrace Jesus' message that God loves and accepts every person. Therefore, we welcome all to share in the life and ministry of this community of faith. Our welcome knows no boundaries of age, race, ethnicity, culture, gender identity, sexual orientation, marital status, economic condition, physical ability or mental ability.



Can You Send Birthday Cards?

Receiving a letter that says “Happy Birthday” raises our spirits! Knowing someone cares enough to send us a card on our special day makes a difference, especially for those who are isolated. The Birthday Ministry of our congregation has been a blessing for a long time. Norma Jean Grassell led this effort for years and years. More recently, Michelle Boliak took the reins. Sadly, Michelle and her husband, Walter, moved out of state recently, and we are in need of someone who is willing to represent our congregation in sending birthday greetings. If you have questions about this caring ministry or are willing to help with it, please contact our church office.

Interested In Holston Home For Children?

Holston United Methodist Home for Children is a valuable ministry of our Annual Conference. Located in Greeneville, Tennessee, “Holston Home” provides hope and healing for a brighter future by sharing the love of Jesus with children and families struggling with life's challenges.

After years of faithful service, Vicki Hinkel is stepping down as our Ambassador to this wonderful organization. An Ambassador makes sure that each congregation stays connected with the needs of Holston Home. If you are interested in learning more about this valuable ministry, please contact Rev. Flynn.

Cooks Needed for Community Meal

One of the meaningful ways this congregation has responded to the needs that came to light during the pandemic is by providing a drive-thru free community meal each and every week. The team of committed volunteers has created a remarkably smooth system for cooking and distributing 140 meals each week. However we are in great need of one or two more cooks. Without new cooks we will not be able to continue to provide this ministry on a weekly basis. While the thought of cooking for 140 people may be intimidating it does not have to be! We have simple menus and can provide both step-by-step directions as well as seasoned volunteers to help each step of the way. If you are willing to give this a try and enable our church to continue this meaningful ministry to our community, please contact Jenny Caughman: 483-4357, jcaughman@fumcor.org.



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