

## PRAYER LIST

as of April 9, 2026

### Those Who Grieve

- \*Coplin Curtis and family in the death of his wife,
- \*Sandra Curtis
- \*Cindy Lampertz and family in the death of her mother, \*Betty Corbin
- \*Anne Smeltzer and family in the death of her mother, \*Betty Corbin

### Brought to Our Attention

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|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Dan Anderson & family        | Stacey Lynch                        |
| *Jacqueline Bangura & family | Kathy Mader                         |
| John Bertrand                | William Magan                       |
| Ryan Bilbrey                 | Terrance Malone                     |
| Rob Blahauvietz              | Ellen Martinez                      |
| *Lois Bondesen               | Jason McArthur                      |
| Will Bratton                 | Family & friends of *Bob McGowan    |
| Dana Brian                   | *Tom McGrew                         |
| Sandra Burfitt               | Ron Mitchell                        |
| Lindsey Cameron              | *Bob & *Cynthia Moore               |
| CeCe                         | Hunter Morgan                       |
| Christen                     | *Rachel Morrell family              |
| Jack Clark & family          | *Lynn & *Linda Morris               |
| *Mary Clayton                | *Debbie Muller & family             |
| Judith Clifton               | *Jane Neff                          |
| Maite Collier                | *Burt Newman                        |
| *Bob Collins                 | Sara Nichols                        |
| Kelli Cox                    | Nate O'Brien                        |
| Paul & Kathryn Crouch        | Randy O'Bryan                       |
| Bob Daggett                  | *Robert O'Reilly                    |
| *Calvin & *Jeanette Dale     | Morgan Patton                       |
| Elizabeth Victoria Davis     | Matt Phelan                         |
| Family of Steve DiGiulio     | Lynn Pike                           |
| Phillip Drone                | *Edwin Polley                       |
| Erin Earhart                 | *Cindy Porter                       |
| Kathi Eaton                  | *Don Russell                        |
| Mike Fisher                  | Family & friends of Bobby Rutledge  |
| Robin Fisher                 | Lynn Sanders                        |
| *Tom Freeland                | *Carole Shutty                      |
| The Getsay family            | Jason Smith                         |
| Fred Graff                   | Sterling Smith                      |
| Trice Gramley                | Susan Smith                         |
| *Jim Grant                   | *Mary Jo Streeter                   |
| Phil Green                   | Pastor Jay Strother                 |
| Haizel & family              | Helen Thomas                        |
| Kristin Helms                | Kristin Thomas                      |
| Cash Hendon                  | Chuck & Julianne Thompson           |
| Patsy Hilliard               | Family & friends of *Betty Thurston |
| Family of Ronald Everett     | *Linda Todd & family                |
| Holloway                     | Ann Tribble & family                |
| Marty Horn                   | Stacy Turk                          |
| Ron Huskey                   | Steven Wallace                      |
| GraceLynn James              | Chip Watchek                        |
| Keith Jay                    | Sandra Watson                       |
| Family of Virginia Jay       | *Martha Wells                       |
| Sue Jeter                    | Cynthia Wenger                      |
| Frances Jones                | BJ Williams                         |
| Alyssa Kelly                 | *Justin Williams & family           |
| Greg & Dee Kelly             | Sue Williams                        |
| Maggie Kovach                | Todd Williams & family              |
| Caroline Lantz               | Reed Worley                         |
| Richard Lewis                | Cliff Wright, Jr.                   |
| Gayle Loflin                 |                                     |
| *Wendell Lotz                |                                     |
| *Wanda Loving                |                                     |

### Partners in Hope

(members journeying through cancer)

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| Libby Battle     | Kristi Morrow    |
| Bethany Bradford | Chris Riddle     |
| Daniel Cage      | Lexi Rogers      |
| Faye Comstock    | Maudene Rutledge |
| Beth Ellis       | Beverly Tudor    |
| Cathy Harper     | Susan Wooten     |
| Lisa McAllister  | Alicia Marshall  |

### Active Military Duty

- \*Patrick Melton

\*Indicates Member of BUMC

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FATHER-DAUGHTER DANCE

**This Friday, April 24, 6:30-8 p.m., Haney Hall**  
Dads and daughters of all ages are invited to the Boots and Bling Father-Daughter Dance this Friday! Put on your cowboy boots and throw on your bling for a fun-filled night of line dancing, desserts and special dad and daughter moments. Registration is \$40 per family. Register at [bumc.net/events](http://bumc.net/events)

### SPRING CLEANING FOR A GOOD CAUSE

**April 26, 8 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., BUMC Parking Lot**  
Join Creation Care and the Refugee & Migrant Ministry for a day of donation! A ThriftSmart truck will be on campus collecting items, and every 10 pounds given earns \$1 towards a ThriftSmart store gift card that will be gifted to Connecting Kindness to directly support Nashville refugee and migrant families. Donations can also be dropped behind the weekday welcome desk April 20-30. Learn more at [bumc.net/events](http://bumc.net/events)

### CHILDREN'S CHOIR SPRING CONCERT

**April 29, 6:30 p.m., Chapel**  
Save the date for our Children's Choir Spring Concert! Performances will feature our Angel Choir, Agape Choir, Asbury Choir, and Rhythm + Bells. Join us for a wonderful evening celebrating what our young singers and musicians have been working on this year!

### BROADWAY IN BRENTWOOD

**May 2, 7-9 p.m., Sanctuary**  
Join us for a special benefit concert featuring Nashville native and Broadway star Ginna Claire Mason and other talented guests artists! The concert will showcase a collection of Broadway showstoppers and spiritual songs, with tickets and donations supporting the Ministry Leadership Center. View ticket options at [bumc.net/events](http://bumc.net/events)

### REFUGEE AND MIGRANT MINISTRY CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

**May 3, 12 p.m., A292**  
Interested in hearing more about what our Refugee and Migrant Ministry has been up to? Join us for a church-wide informational meeting learning more about how they are serving our immigrant and refugee neighbors. A lunch will be catered by The Women's Ministry of Iglesia Metodista Unida Ebenezer. The event is free. Register at [bumc.net/events](http://bumc.net/events)

### FIGHT AGAINST FALLS!

**May 5, 1-2 p.m., Haney Hall**  
Join Senior Fitness Instructor Leslie Roberts for a workshop on learning strategies and exercises to improve your balance, strength, and coordination that will reduce risks of a fall. The event is free. Register at [bumc.net/events](http://bumc.net/events)

### WEST END UMC RECYCLING DAY

**May 9, 9 a.m. - 12 p.m., West End United Methodist Church**  
Join the BUMC and West End UMC Creation Care ministries for a day of recycling! Donated items will be given to Turnip Green Creative Reuse and ThriftSmart, directly supporting artists, educators, and others needing assistance. Visit [bumc.net/events](http://bumc.net/events) to view accepted items.

### JOIN THE DAY SCHOOL TEAM

The Day School is currently hiring teachers available to work three to four days per week specifically with children ages 1-3 for the 2026-2027 school year. If interested, email Jenny Hyams at [jhyams@bumc.net](mailto:jhyams@bumc.net)

# MODERN WORSHIP

APRIL 19, 2026 | 9:45 A.M. | CHAPEL

### \*OPENING SONG

*That's My King*

### A WORD OF WELCOME

Ellen Garrett

### WORSHIP READINESS PRESENTATION

### \*SONGS OF WORSHIP

*Your Great Name*  
*God of Revival*

### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 883

Dr. Wade Cox

### PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

### \*SCRIPTURE READING: JAMES 2:14-26 (NRSVUE)

Rev. Adam Jones

### SERMON

*Active Faith, Consistent Love*

### CALL FOR THE OFFERING

Dr. Wade Cox

### OFFERTORY

*New Wine*

### \*BENEDICTION

### \*DEPARTING MUSIC

**Band Leader:** Ashton Gibbs

**Band Members:** Kamilie Austin; Doug DeGraaf; Shanna Gates; Tim Hickman; Will Lamb; Al Watts; Dale Dekker; Jacob Grandy

**Parameters:** The color white is employed during Easter symbolizing the purity of the risen Christ. The sudden joy of white provides a sharp contrast to the dark colors displayed during Lent.

### WE'RE SO GLAD YOU'RE HERE!

If you are a first time visitor or have visited a few times and are ready to get involved, we invite you to fill out one of the purple cards in front of you and place it in the offering tray so we can connect with you and share opportunities for involvement.



### SCAN HERE TO:

give online,  
see upcoming events,  
learn about our ministries,  
and more!

### COMMUNION OFFERING

This month's communion offering will support the work of our Creation Care Team, who educate, inspire, and lead efforts to restore and faithfully steward God's creation. You can give to the Communion offering all month long at [bumc.net/give](http://bumc.net/give)

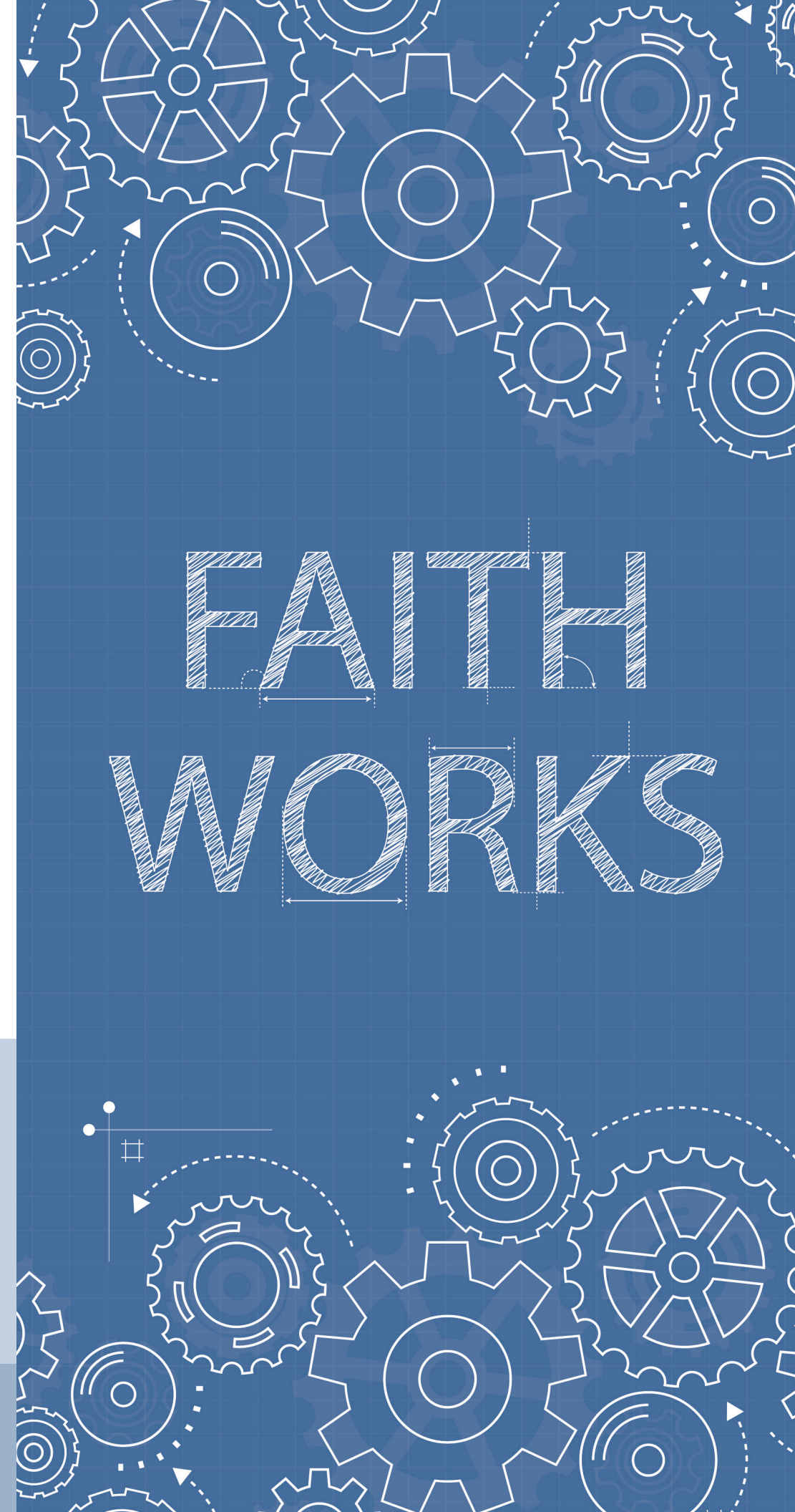
### OPERATIONAL GIVING UPDATE\*

LAST WEEK	\$134,510
YEAR TO DATE	\$1,803,297
2026 BUDGET	\$7,225,178

\*as of April 12, 2026



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# TRADITIONAL WORSHIP

APRIL 19, 2026 | 8:30 & 11 A.M. | SANCTUARY

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## CHIMING OF THE HOUR

### A WORD OF WELCOME

Ellen Garrett

### INTROIT (8:30)

*What a Mighty God We Serve*

Keith Phillips

### VOLUNTARY (11:00)

arr. Mary McDonald & Lloyd Larson

*Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Dr. Wade Cox

Leader: Christ is risen and calls us to a living faith—not in word alone, but in action.

People: **We come to follow the risen Christ with love that is steady and real.**

Leader: Let our faith be seen in mercy, our devotion in how we serve others.

People: **With hearts made new in Easter hope, we worship God in word and deed. Amen!**

### \*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 159

CRUCIFER

*Lift High The Cross*

### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH 883

We are not alone, we live in God’s world.

We believe in God: Who has created and is creating,

Who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, Who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the church: to celebrate God’s presence,

to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

### \*GLORIA PATRI 70

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*Glory Be to the Father*

### WORSHIP READINESS PRESENTATION

Ellen Garrett

### PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD’S PRAYER

Dr. Wade Cox

### \*SCRIPTURE READING: JAMES 2:14-26 (NRSVUE)

Michael Thomas (8:30)

Chris Davis (11:00)

do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? <sup>17</sup> So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead. <sup>18</sup> But someone will say, “You have faith, and I have works.” Show me your faith apart from works, and I by my works will show you faith. <sup>19</sup> You believe that God is one; you do well. Even the demons believe—and shudder. <sup>20</sup> Do you want to be shown, you senseless person, that faith apart from works is worthless? <sup>21</sup> Was not our ancestor Abraham justified by works when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? <sup>22</sup> You see that faith was active along with his works, and by works faith was brought to completion. <sup>23</sup> Thus the scripture was fulfilled that says, “Abraham believed God, and it was reckoned to him as righteousness,” and he was called the friend o God. <sup>24</sup> You see that a person is justified by works and not by faith alone. <sup>25</sup> Likewise, was not Rahab the prostitute also justified by works when she welcomed the messengers and sent them out by another road? <sup>26</sup> For just as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is also dead.

### SERMON

*Active Faith, Consistent Love*

Rev. Adam Jones

### CALL FOR THE OFFERING

Dr. Wade Cox

### OFFERTORY

*By Faith* (8:30)

arr. Daniel Semsen

Willow Andrus and London Wood, soloists

*Festival Te Deum (excerpt)* (11:00)

Taylor Scott Davis

### \*DOXOLOGY 94

LASST UN ERFREUEN

*Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow*

### \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

### \*INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

Rev. Adam Jones

### \*CLOSING HYMN

ST PETER

*In Christ There is No East or West*

**In Christ there is no East or West, In Him no South or North;  
But one great fellowship of love Thro’out the whole wide earth.**

**In Him shall true hearts ev’rywhere Their high communion find;  
His service is the golden cord, Close binding all mankind.**

**Join hands, then, children of the faith, Whate’er your race may be;  
Who serves my Father as a child Is surely kin to me.**

**In Christ now meet both East and West, In Him meet South anNorth:  
All Christly souls are one in Him Thro’out the whole wide earth.**

### \*BENEDICTION

### \*CHORAL BENEDICTION

*By Faith* (8:30)

Peter Lutkin

*Amen from The Lord Bless You and Keep You* (11:00)

arr. Peter Lutkin

## POSTLUDE

*Postlude on LLANFAIR*

Robert Powell

**bold: congregation reads aloud**

*\* stand as you are able*

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Ensemble: Angel Choir, directed by Lynn Summar (8:30)  
Youth Choir, directed by Jenna Elsberry (8:30)  
Chancel Choir, directed by Ryan Jones (11:00)

Hymn Leader: Jenna Elsberry (8:30)

Pianist: Eliot Hinson

Organist: Dr. Gregg Bunn

Acolytes: Sloan Godwin & CeCe Quinn (8:30)

Paraments: The color white is employed during Easter symbolizing the purity of the risen Christ. The sudden joy of white provides a sharp contrast to the dark colors displayed during Lent.

*The chancel flowers are presented to the glory of God by Cheryl and Jim Sanders in honor of their children and grandchildren.*

*The rosebuds on the altar are presented in honor and celebration of the births of:*

*Lyla June Gregory, daughter of Mary Faith & Jonathan Gregory,*

*Turner Pelham Mills, son of Lauren & Patrick Mills, and*

*Maeve Alena Malone Waynick and Lillian Renee Elese Waynick,*

*twin daughters of Katie & Roger Waynick.*

<sup>14</sup> What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if someone claims to have faith but does not have works? Surely that faith cannot save, can it?

<sup>15</sup> If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food <sup>16</sup> and one of you says to them, “Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill,” and yet you