

# JENKINS CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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MAY 20, 2007

PAM CAMMUSE, WORSHIP LEADER 8:00 AM

JIM BAKER, WORSHIP LEADER 10:15 AM

SVETA IATSKAYA, ORGANIST

SAM SUDDARTH, SONGLEADER

ASCENSION SUNDAY

COLOR: WHITE

Our purpose is to glorify God the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, by sharing Jesus, as Savior and Lord and helping people trust Him through WORSHIP, CHRISTIAN EDUCATION, OUTREACH, FELLOWSHIP, and SERVICE TO OTHERS.

## ORDER OF THE SERVICE

### GATHERING IN JESUS NAME

PRELUDE "I Need Thee Every Hour" S. Scott

### SHARING COMMON CONCERNS

### WELCOME & GREETING EACH OTHER

ANNOUNCEMENTS - (See Bulletin Inserts) & Ritual of Registration

Please sign the attendance register and pass it to other people in the pew with you.

Please indicate what service you attended.

PRAYER/PRAISE REQUESTS - Write on pew card and place in offering plate to be put in the bulletin.

### We Pause for a Moment of Silent Prayer, Preparing Our Hearts for Worshipping GOD.

Use this time to make yourself available to God and His word. Lift up in prayer to His Throne the concerns which have been spoken.

### LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES - Welcoming Jesus, the light of the world.

### OFFERING PRAISE TO GOD

OPENING - 10:15 am "Sanctuary" Choir

### CALL TO WORSHIP:

**LEADER:** Since we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us approach the throne of grace with boldness.

**PEOPLE:** So that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

**LEADER:** Then I heard every creature in heaven and on the earth and under the earth and in the sea, and all that is in them, singing:

**PEOPLE:** To the one seated on the throne and to the Lamb be blessing and honor and glory and might forever and ever.

\*HYMN "We're Marching to Zion" No. 555

\*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

\*THE LORD'S PRAYER UNISON

### EXPRESSING OUR FAITH IN GOD

\*STATEMENT OF FAITH - - IN UNISON "The Apostles' Creed" On Screen and No. 716

\*GLORIA PATRI On Screen and No. 622

## CONFESSING OUR SIN

**Call to Confession:** For our offenses are many in your sight, and our sins testify against us.

Our offenses are ever with us, and we acknowledge our iniquities: Isaiah 59:12(NIV)

**Prayer of Confession:** (in unison) Almighty God, you have raised Jesus from death to life, and crowned him Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before Him, or acknowledged His rule in our lives. We have gone along with the ways of the world, and failed to give Him glory.

Forgive us, and raise us from sin, that we may be your faithful people, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ, who rules the world and is head of the church, His body.

(Continue in silent prayer). Amen

**Assurance of Forgiveness:** For this is what the high and lofty One says—He who lives forever, whose name is holy: "I live in a high and holy place, but also with Him who is contrite and lowly in spirit, to revive the spirit of the lowly and to revive the heart of the contrite. Isaiah 57:15(NIV)

HYMN "Near to the Heart of God" No. 497

## EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD

SPECIAL MUSIC 8:00 am "In The Presence of Jehovah" Peggy Donegan  
10:15 am "In Christ Alone" Diana Stout

CHILDREN'S TIME 10:15 am Andrea Barnes  
(Children may leave for Children's Church)

SING A NEW SONG "If My People's Hearts Are Humbled" No. 574

OFFERTORY SENTENCE: My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, that He lay down His life for His friends. John 15:12-13(NIV)

OFFERTORY MUSIC "Jesus Loves Me" W. Bradbury

\*THE DOXOLOGY (No. 625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING

HYMN "Onward, Christian Soldiers" No. 479

## HEARING GOD'S WORD

SCRIPTURE LESSON John 17:20-26(NIV)

SERMON "Jesus Prays For You and Me" Larry Guin, Pastor

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORDS

\*INVITATION & COMMITMENT "They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love" No. 284

## WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

\*BENEDICTION – (Blessing)

\*CHORUS -10:15 am Choir/Congregation

PASSING THE BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE "Be Bold, Be Strong" M. Chapman

**\*PLEASE STAND WHERE THIS MARK APPEARS IF ABLE: We have childcare available for Infants to age 2 and Toddlers 2 to 4 during both services.** We have Children's church for age 5 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade. (Children remain in sanctuary through the children's message.) Children stay in regular worship on Sundays when we celebrate communion or on days we have special programs.

INFANT / TODDLER NURSERY: Mandy England & Nancy Suddarth  
 LAST SUNDAY ATTENDANCE: Worship 8:00 am - 60, 10:15 am - 97; Sunday School - 66  
 DUTY ELDER FOR THIS WEEK: May 20 - May 26 \* Teresa Justis  
 DUTY ELDER FOR NEXT WEEK: May 27 - June 2 \* Karen Miles

**Week Of May 20, 2007**

**TODAY** 8:00 am & 10:15 am **Worship Service**  
 9:00 am **Sunday School**  
 11:30 am **Children's Choir Practice**  
 4:00 pm **Committee Meetings**  
**Christian Education**  
 5:00 pm **Committee Meetings**  
**Building and Grounds, Evangelism and Mission Education**  
**Technology**  
 5:00 pm **Kids for Christ Meeting**  
 5:00 pm **Youth Meeting**  
 5:30 pm **Adult Choir Practice**  
 6:00 pm **Session Meets**

**MONDAY** 10:00 am Bible Study-In the Lobby  
 7:00 pm Aerobics

**TUESDAY** 6:00 am Men at Prayer  
 7:00 pm Women's Exercise Class

**THURSDAY** 7:00 pm Aerobics

**SATURDAY** 10:30 am - 11:15 am Recital with Children's Choir

**NEXT SUNDAY** 8:00 am & 10:15 am **Worship Services**  
 9:00 am **Sunday School**

**Wednesday Night Service for June, 2007**

Three Wednesday Night Service's in June. We will be discussing your Bible questions. Write questions on a pew card and leave in offering plate, or bring them with you on June 6<sup>th</sup>, June 13<sup>th</sup>, and June 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

**HAPPY MAY BIRTHDAYS TO:** Richard Sullivan on the 20<sup>th</sup>; Jay Vivrette on the 23<sup>rd</sup>; Joshua James Clemons on the 24<sup>th</sup>; Lily Dawn Farmer and Joan Moores on the 25<sup>th</sup>; Clark Presley on the 26<sup>th</sup>

**HAPPY MAY WEDDING ANNIVERSARY TO:** Matthew and Joy Wilker on the 21<sup>st</sup>; David and Teresa Shuler on the 23<sup>rd</sup>; Steve and April Williams on the 23<sup>rd</sup>

**JENKINS CHURCH LIBRARY IS OPEN!**

If you are searching for a particular book title or author in our church library, check in the card catalog. Books are listed alphabetically by title and author.

There are 248 titles available for self check-out.

**NOLENSVILLE LIBRARY - MS. KAREN'S STORY TIME**

Join the Rompin' Stompin' Reading Roundup  
 The Nolensville Library Summer Reading Program  
 Begins Wednesday, June 6<sup>th</sup>. Come join in the fun  
 At 10:30 a.m.

Pre-school through Elementary

June 6<sup>th</sup> - Jeff Redding, The Music Man June 13<sup>th</sup> - Lisa Maddox Vinson, Storyteller

**Our Prayer List:** We leave names on for four weeks at a time. If a name has been removed and you wish to add them back on, please feel free to contact the office or fill out a pew card and place it in the offering plate.

All Graduating Seniors	5/1 Tom & Sherry Russell	Kari Atkin's grandmother
Amy Young - (Teacher at Lauren Wilker's school)	(Kelli Spicer and Kim H. cousin)	passing-(Kari is a coach at RHS)
Tammy Glenn	James Griggs - (co-worker of Gary Bomar)	Tracy & Kelli Spicer -job
4/15 Lori Bennett (niece of Rebecca Fielder)	Rev. Wayne Parks	Nicole Williams-(Jade's sister)
Caylan Wilkes	Jillian Pasley	Family of Katherine Horton-(Mother of William Horton from Mt. Carmel CP)
Janie Niewoehner	Jerry Mabry	Family of Ruth Hunt-(Jamie & Susan Groce)
4/18 Turk Smith	Nell & Kirk Smith	Clifton Buford - (Mt. Carmel CP)
All Families involved in the VT Shooting.	Family of Lee Preston	5/15 Beverly Medlen
Alice Marie Vella (new cousin of Allie Vella)	Gene Samples	Charlie West
Melanie S. new job	Those deployed to Iraq	Family of Emily Brown
Mark Spicer & Family - (Tracy's Spicers brother)	5/2 Dampsey Ausley- (Jerry Bowers)	Bobby Stevens
Ravenwood Student Nico	Ken Saddler-(Pam Cammuse)	Bill Moores -(Brother of Tom & Joan Moores)
4/22 Praise - Tommy Clark	Eric & Katie Oaks -(work and sickness)	Steve Haley - Deployment
Kayla Leach -(Cousin of Joy Whittemore)	Jessie-(friend of Melanie Staudt)	Lori Hooven
Tom Hicks -(Mike Bryan's cousin)	Clifton Buford & Family- (Mt. Carmel CP)	
Bobby Maguschak - (Friend of Diane Riggs parents)	Edna Norman-(Travis Trammel's grandmother)	
Reese Kennedy Windrow (Sherry Windrow's Grandbaby)	Passing of Christina Lighter's grandmother.	
	Herb Hoekstra-(Houston Mill's grandpa with broken hip)	

Remember those who are homebound or in Nursing Homes. Pray for our troops as they serve around the world. Pray that God will safeguard them and provide for their needs, whether physical, spiritual or emotional. Pray for peace for the Cumberland Presbyterian Churches in Buenaventura, Columbia, South America. (Church Bombings)

**SENIOR TRANSPORT PROGRAM**

This Program is for Senior's age 55 and older. Senior Transport Program is in need of volunteers to drive seniors to Medical Appointments. This service is FREE to any senior living in Williamson County in need of a ride to a Medical Appointment. Call Elizabeth Morrow (615) 794-9055, Ext 12

### Ebenezer United Methodist Church

Ebenezer United Methodist church invites you to share in their annual spring revival beginning May 22<sup>nd</sup> through May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Service will begin at 7:15 pm. The theme is "Equipping the Saints to Witness for Jesus Christ".

### Sunday School Teacher's Luncheon on June 3, 2007 after 10:15 am Service.

Please RSVP to Karen Miles 776-5634

Teacher's are needed fro Pre-K, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> thru 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

Please see Karen if you can help.

## Upcoming Events for Jenkins Youth

Today - Youth at 5:00pm (dinner will be provided)

### Saturday, June 2, 2007 Columbia Presbytery Youth Golf Scramble

This is a 4 person scramble at Henry Horton State Park. The fee is \$65.00 per player, \$250.00 a team. All proceeds will go toward the Youth Ministry's Mission Trip to Bethel, June 25-29, in McKenzie, TN. **Please register before May 25, 2007.** See Tommy Clark- (Intern Youth Leader) for details. LET'S HAVE A GREAT SHOWING FROM JENKINS!!!!

## VBS 2007

### AVALANCE RANCH

#### A Wild Ride Through God's Word

June 18 - 22 9am - 12pm

Please visit our web site for participant registration, volunteer information and registration, as well as general information regarding this year's program. The VBS website link is located on the Jenkins church website (jenkinscp.org) under "Ministries". Contact Kelli Spicer with any questions.

### Host families needed for foreign exchange students for the 2007-2008 school year.

Would you be interested in hosting a foreign exchange student for the 2007-2008 school year? Cost is minimal, and what a learning experience you would be providing for this child and your family. Check out available students, their profile, letters to potential host families, and letters from their parents. Consider this ministry prayerfully. See Susan Groce if you have any questions or need further details.

### JENKINS MOTHER'S DAY OUT PROGRAM

Jenkins MDO is registering students for the 2007-2008 school year. Registration forms are on-line at [www.jenkinscp.org](http://www.jenkinscp.org) under ministries.

Jenkins MDO program is seeking to fill the Director position. If you are interested, please contact the office for an application. Please continue to pray for the MDO program in its need for a new director and its continued success.

**Congratulation's to Susan, Jamie and Braxton on the  
Birth of  
Thatcher Allen Groce  
Born May 18, 2007 at 8:58 a.m.  
7 lbs 03 oz, 20 ½ inches long  
Congratulation's to Aunt Elizabeth,  
Grandma & Grandpa Guin**

### It's Camp Time!

Sr. High Camp \* **June 3-8** (for those entering 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade and recent graduates)  
**Cost: \$135.00 for pre-registration by May 28<sup>th</sup>**  
\$145.00 after May 28<sup>th</sup> or at camp.

Jr. High Camp \* **June 10-15** (for those entering 7-9<sup>th</sup> grades)  
**Cost: \$130.00 for pre-registration by May 30<sup>th</sup>**  
\$150.00 after May 30<sup>th</sup> or at camp.

Junior Camp \* **June 24-29** (for those entering 4-6<sup>th</sup> grades)  
**Cost: \$130.00 for pre-registration by May 30<sup>th</sup>**  
\$150.00 after May 30<sup>th</sup> or at camp.

### Mission Trip 2007 to Bethel College - June 25-29

Cost: \$20.00

**Money must be turned in by June 17.**

Pick-up extra brochures & registration forms from Tommy Clark.

### Summer Retreat to Laguna Beach, FL - July 2-6

Cost: \$105.00

**Deposit of \$50.00 due May 31, 2007.**

Pick-up extra brochures & registration forms from Tommy Clark.

### CPYC \* Cumberland Presbyterian Youth Conference @ NaCoMe Conference Center in Pleasantville, TN.

**July 7-12** (for those entering 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade and recent graduates)

Cost: \$300.00 - must pre-register by June 17<sup>th</sup> (There is NO registration at CPYC.

If you do not turn your forms, etc. in to Tommy Clark by June 17<sup>th</sup>, you will not go!)

*See Tommy Clark, Susan Groce, or Elizabeth Guin for any information regarding camp this summer. Registration forms available in the church office. \* Church pays ½ of camp fees for those attending Jenkins Church.*

### **John 17:20-26(NIV)**

20"My prayer is not for them alone. I pray also for those who will believe in me through their message, 21that all of them may be one, Father, just as you are in me and I am in you. May they also be in us so that the world may believe that you have sent me. 22I have given them the glory that you gave me, that they may be one as we are one: 23I in them and you in me. May they be brought to complete unity to let the world know that you sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me. 24"Father, I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, and to see my glory, the glory you have given me because you loved me before the creation of the world. 25"Righteous Father, though the world does not know you, I know you, and they know that you have sent me. 26I have made you known to them, and will continue to make you known in order that the love you have for me may be in them and that I myself may be in them."

### **Jesus Prays for You and Me**

**Purpose:** To Call attention to Jesus' will for us as expressed in His high priestly prayer and invite listeners to make His will their will.

**Historical Setting:** Jesus had met with the disciples for the last Passover meal he would observe with them before his death. He was soon to go into the Garden of Gethsemane where he would again pray to the heavenly father, this time about the task He was facing – death on the cross. This prayer preceded His time in the garden.

Great Commandment, Great Commission, Great Prayer

**Introduction:** This prayer is a prayer for us. It is Jesus praying for us, even before we were born. It is a prayer for all who believe in Jesus through the word of the apostles, a word passed down to us.

Jesus prays that all believers may be one. V. 21

That petition has yet to be fulfilled.

I did hear Jesse Jackson say that he and Jerry Falwell  
were united in Christ.

Be connected.(v.23a)

All be one so that the world would believe that God sent Jesus(v.21) and that the world would know that God sent Jesus(v.23). and that the world would know that God loves them.

He prays for us to be where he is.

He prays for us to see His glory.

Glory seen in Christ suffering,

Glory seen in His perfect obedience to God's will

Glory seen as others realized His special relationship with God

(W. Barclay).