# JENKINS CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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LARRY GUIN, PASTOR

HOME 395-2175 CELL 668-5236 STEVE ALLEMORE, WORSHIP LEADER 8:00 AM JULIE BIRDSONG, CHOIR DIRECTOR JIM BAKER, WORSHIP LEADER 10:15 AM

MELANIE STAUDT, PIANIST SVETA IATSKAYA, ORGANIST SAM SUDDARTH, SONGLEADER AUGUST 26, 2007 THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST COLOR: GREEN

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 "My Jesus, I Love Thee" Paul Taylor

## 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 8:00 am or 10:15 am

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 Worshiping 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 "Come, Let Us Worship and Bow Down" Choir/Congregation No. 14

CALL TO WORSHIP: #

**LEADER:** Trust in the LORD and do good; dwell in the land and enjoy safe pasture. **PEOPLE:** Delight yourself in the LORD and He will give you the desires of your heart.

**LEADER**: Commit your way to the LORD; trust in Him and He will do this.

**PEOPLE**: He will make your righteousness shine like the dawn, the justice of your cause like

the noonday sun.

**LEADER:** Be still before the LORD and wait patiently for Him; ....

\*HYMN OF PRAISE TO GOD "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

No. 1

\*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

\*THE LORD'S PRAYER UNISON

#### **EXPRESSING OUR FAITH IN GOD**

\*STATEMENT OF FAITH - - IN UNISON "The Apostles' Creed"
\*GLORIA PATRI

On Screen and No. 622

On Screen and No. 716

**CONFESSING OUR SIN** 

**Call to Confession:** The Psalmist David Prays: Hear my prayer, O LORD; listen to my cry for mercy. In the day of my trouble I will call to you, for you will answer me. Psalm 86:6-7(NIV)

**Prayer of Confession:** Almighty God, we are unworthy to come into your presence, because of our many sins. We do not deserve any grace or mercy from you, if you dealt with us as we deserve. We have sinned against you, O Lord, and we have offended you. And yet, O Lord, as we acknowledge our sins and offenses, so also do we acknowledge you to be a merciful God, a loving and favorable Father, to all who turn to you. And so we humbly ask you, for the sake of Christ your son, to show mercy to us, and forgive us all our offenses. Forgive the sins of our youth, and the sins of our old age. By your Spirit, O God, take possession of our hearts, so that, not only the actions of our life, but also the words of our mouths, and the smallest thought of our minds, may be guided and governed by you. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit, be all honor and glory, now and forever. (Continue in silent prayer) Amen (Adapted from John Knox's Liturgy of 1560)

**Assurance of Forgiveness**: Praise the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits- who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion. Psalm 103:2-4(NIV)

HYMN - CELEBRATION OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS: "At Calvary" No. 338

## **EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD**

SPECIAL MUSIC 8:00 am Kim Glasscock

10:15 am "Jesus Is Coming Soon" Choir/Congregation
10:15 am Andrea Barnes

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

OFFERTORY SENTENCE: If anyone has material possessions and sees his brother in need but has no pity on him, how can the love of God be in him? 1John 3:17(NIV)

OFFERTORY MUSIC "O Perfect Love" J. Barnby

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

## **HEARING GOD'S WORD**

SCRIPTURE LESSON Romans 12:1-5; 9-21(NIV)

\*CONTEMPORARY SONG "Love with the Love"

SERMON "Maturing in Christ through Fellowship" Larry Guin, Pastor

### **RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORDS**

\*INVITATION & COMMITMENT "Our God Has Made Us One" Solo/Sam Suddarth

No. 287

J. S. Bach

#### WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

\*BENEDICTION – (Blessing)

\*CHORUS -10:15 am "Abba Father" Choir/Congregation No. 15

PASSING THE BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE "Sheep May Safely Graze"

\*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 5th grade. (Children remain in sanctuary through the children's message.) Children stay in regular worship on Sunday's when we celebrate communion or on day's we have special programs.

# CALL TO WORSHIP IS FROM PSALM 37:3-7a

INFANT / TODDLER NURSERY: Nancy Suddarth

LAST SUNDAY ATTENDANCE: Worship 8:00 am - 73, 10:15 am - 85; Sunday School - 68

DUTY ELDER FOR THIS WEEK: August 26 - September 1 \* Sherry Windrow DUTY ELDER FOR NEXT WEEK: September 2 - September 8 \* Jim Baker

Week Of August 26, 2007

TODAY 8:00 am Worship Service

9:00 am Sunday School 10:15 am Worship Service

11:30 am Children's Choir Practice

5:00 pm Parent Meeting - Dinner provided

5:30 pm Adult Choir Practice

MONDAY 10:00 am Bible Study-In the Lobby

7:00 pm Aerobics

TUESDAY 6:00 am Men at Praver

7:00 pm Exercise Class

WEDNESDAY 6:00 pm Dinner (see RSVP)

6:45 pm Praise Service

Speaker - Sveta Yatskaya "Are we worshiping an idol: Beauty?"

THURSDAY 7:00 pm Aerobics

NEXT SUNDAY 8:00 am Worship Service with Holy Communion

9:00 am Sunday School

10:15 am Worship Service with Holy Communion

**HAPPY AUGUST BIRTHDAYS TO**: Wanda Conner and Gene Samples on the 26th; Jeremy Murphy and Miranda Rose on the 30<sup>th</sup>; Andrew Dornan, Harvey Naron and Jeffrey Seeman on the 31st.

HAPPY AUGUST WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES TO: Lewis and Teresa Justis on the 27th; Jay and Stacy Vivrette on the 27th; Roger and Sonya Haywood on the 28th; Charles and Beverly Medlen on the 30th.

# **Library News**

Max Lucado's one goal for writing **Every Day Deserves a Chance** is to help you have a good day every day. How? Lucado's formula for successfully upgrading every day to blue-ribbon status is to fill your day with God's grace, oversight, and direction. This book is an excellent choice for a Bible study group or book club. A study guide is included in the book.

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

Wednesday's at 10:30 a.m.

Please join us for some great stories, crafts and fun!

Aug 29 - Down on the Farm September 5 - Under the Big Top

New Address: Tracy and Kelli Spicer, 511 Morning Rd, Dyersburg, TN 38024-1903 new e-mail kspicer@cableone.net, phone is (731) 882-1925 and cell (615) 887-1260

# **SUNSHINE COMMITTEE NEEDS A CHAIR PERSON:** If you can help please see Louise Russell or Teresa Justis for details.

# Jenkins Cumberland Presbyterian Women's Ministry September 4, 2007

September Meeting will be Tuesday, the 4th at 6:30 pm. The meeting will be at Las Palmas Mexican Restaurant (by the new Kroger on Nolensville Road). Come fellowship and hear all about the exciting activities planned for the rest of the year! Please let Elizabeth know if you will be attending so she can give the restaurant a heads up on how many to plan for!

**JENKINS MDO NEWS:** We will be resuming Mother's Day Out on September 4<sup>th</sup> for the fall session, and we are still taking registrations for the fall. We are accepting donations of toys, games, books, riding toys, etc.... Any toys that we are unable to use, we will donate to Graceworks ministries. If anyone has questions regarding MDO contact Jonna Farner via email at kifarner@united.net or by phone at 368-2261.

# Fall Retreat to Laguna Beach, FL, October 12-15, 2007!!

The retreat is open to all who have graduated from high school to age 40 - and you can bring the children too!!! We know that it is over a weekend and many will be missing Sunday services, but it is a great opportunity to worship and fellowship with other young adults! All - Please have your registration forms and money postmarked by October 6, 2007! Prices will be \$60.00 for singles, \$155.00 for couples, and \$200.00 for families of 4(\$10.00 for each additional child). For more information see Elizabeth Guin or Susan Groce

## SEPTEMBER 22--CARNIVAL FOR KIDS--10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. RAIN OR SHINE!

Invite your friends and join us for a day of fun to benefit children in need--something for everyone! \*\*Large Silent Auction: Lots of gift baskets, handmade items, tools, sports, collectibles, kids items and much more! \*\*All Ages Costume Contest: Dress up as your favorite Bible, cartoon, or storybook character. Prizes for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place awarded at 1:00 p.m. \*\*Prettiest Cake Contest: Enter your best homemade creation! Prizes awarded, cakes will be auctioned in the Silent Auction. \*\* Huge Prize Package Raffle: You do not have to be present to win. \*\* ALSO, Cake Walk, Guitar Hero, Pirates Treasure Dig, Pony Rides, Hair & Face Painting, Dunk Tank, O.K. Water Corral, Snowbird, Candy Land, and tons of other games with prizes. Don't forget to enter the cash and door prize drawings! Plenty of good eats for every taste including BBQ, Ribs, hot dogs, nachos, popcorn, ice cream and more. Yum! VOLUNTEERS NEEDED on Carnival day!! See Sonya Haywood to sign up. Want to make a donation for the kids?? Make checks out to: JENKINS OUTREACH and place in offering plate. Thank You!!

## 2007 JENKINS HOLIDAY BAZAAR - A DATE HAS BEEN SET \* NOVEMBER 3 \*

IN PREPARATION FOR THIS ANNUAL EVENT, THERE ARE BOXES SET-UP IN GYM TO PLACE ANY ITEMS YOU MAY WANT TO DONATE TO JENKINS HOLIDAY STORE BOOTH OR SILENT AUCTION. ALSO IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN SHOWCASING YOUR TALENTS, PROMOTING YOUR BUSINESS OR SELLING MERCHANDISE OR KNOW SOMEONE WHO WOULD, WE HAVE BOOTH SPACE AVAILABLE TO RENT. FORMS WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM SHERRY WINDROW - 776-2081

(MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW SO YOU WON'T FORGET)

**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.

7/22Mandy & Paul Parkerson-(expecting twins -Friends of Susan & Elizabeth) Karen Hofer Donna & David Blair & Family Leslie Key-hand surgery 7/29 Sonya Haywood -tore ligaments in foot Frances Skillen & Family Julie Waters & Peter Shaughenassy - Skylar's great grand parents 8/5Praise for Tyler's week at Vanderbilt Walker Jauado - cancer Rob Boyles- aneurism Victims and families of bridge collapse Frank Glenn-brain cancer (friends of Jeff & Pam Cammuse)

Dempsey Ausley Beth Nance-difficult pregnancy Judy Killian-cancer Chyrill Bobbitt-sister of Freida Banniz Margaret Banniza -Jimmy's mom Jimmy Banniza Daniel Jones-surgery (Teresa Justis' co-worker's child) 8/12 Family of Horace Bentle Miners & families Ruth Howse-surgery Mary Ward-(grand niece of David McWilliams) New Nolensville School students, teachers and

8/19Family of Walter Janado Tommy Natcher Claire Puryear - cochlear implant Ashley & Chad Caldwellnewlyweds Ernest Martin-heart attack Sandi Treece - cancer Josie Bonds -auto wreck Franklin Cox - brother of Jo England Mov Mendez - health Kathy & Paul Zagala Audrey Chase - college **Brandon Treece** Sydney Swann Tyler Treece - healing Jason Hargis Rain for TN Dolly Janado and familycomfort 8/23Sharon Wiegand

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)

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# **Upcoming Events for Jenkins Youth**

Today at 5:00 pm - Youth Parent Meeting

Information regarding this school year and Mission Project 2008 to Caugus, Puerto Rico! All parents and youth invited and needed.

# WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29, - 6:00 P.M.

\*RSVP Dinner will be provided and open to all!!!! (Freewill Offering) TO ORDER ENOUGH FOOD, LET US KNOW IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING

Sub sandwiches: turkey, ham and veggie, chips, dessert and drinks

ADULTS\_\_\_\_\_SIGN YOUR NAME

PLEASE FILL OUT & PLACE IN THE OFFERING PLATE OR CONTACT SUSAN GROCE

CHILDREN

## **Romans 12:1-5(NIV)**

1Therefore, I urge you, brothers, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as living sacrifices, holy and pleasing to God—this is your spiritual act of worship. 2Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will. 3For by the grace given me I say to every one of you: Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with sober judgment, in accordance with the measure of faith God has given you. 4Just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, 5so in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all the others.

Romans 12:9-21 9Love must be sincere. Hate what is evil; cling to what is good. 10Be devoted to one another in brotherly love. Honor one another above yourselves. 11Never be lacking in zeal, but keep your spiritual fervor, serving the Lord. 12Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer.13Share with God's people who are in need. Practice hospitality. 14Bless those who persecute you; bless and do not curse. 15Rejoice with those who rejoice; mourn with those who mourn. 16Live in harmony with one another. Do not be proud, but be willing to associate with people of low position. Do not be conceited. 17Do not repay anyone evil for evil. Be careful to do what is right in the eyes of everybody. 18If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. 19Do not take revenge, my friends, but leave room for God's wrath, for it is written: "It is mine to avenge; I will repay, "says the Lord. 20On the contrary: "If your enemy is hungry, feed him; if he is thirsty, give him something to drink. In doing this, you will heap burning coals on his head."21Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good.

**LEADER:** The Word of God for the People of God.

PEOPLE: Thanks be to God.

## Maturing in Christ Through Fellowship

Romans 12

**Purpose:** to express the importance of fellowship in the community of faith – church.

**Introduction**: Do we fellowship too much?

What is fellowship?

Some people in the church do not want fellowship. One man I knew long ago...

Fellowship was an important part of the first century church. Some examples:

Fellowship was/is important in the Jewish community.

Church fellowship has been important in every generation.

Jesus often participated in fellowship activities: Home of Mary, Martha and Lazarus;

home of Zacchaeus (Luke 19);

feeding 5000 and 4000, etc.

Fellowship is not always associated with a meal. Or food and drink.

Example of failure in making guest feel welcome.

Romans 12 tell us how to have fellowship:

Love one another v. 9-10

Honor one another v. 10

Worship with one another v. 11-12

Be gracious v. 13

Practice empathy v. 15

Get along, be humble, don't get even v. 14-20

Be honest v. 17 b

Be good v. 21

Keeping up the fellowship here at Jenkins Church.