# JENKINS CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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WORSHIP LEADER
SONG LEADER
DIANA STOUT- ORGANIST
MINISTER OF MUSIC
COLOR: VIOLET

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 (Our beliefs are based from **THE APOSTLES CREED** found in the hymnal No. 716)

ORDER OF THE SERVCE

2nd SUNDAY IN LENT

MARCH 20, 2011

## **GATHERING IN JESUS NAME**

**PRELUDE** 

## **WELCOME VISITORS & GREETINGS**

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.

SHARING COMMON CONCERNS

ANNOUNCEMENTS: (See Bulletin Inserts) & Ritual of Registration.

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

## <u>LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES - Welcoming Jesus, The Light Of The World.</u>

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

\*PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

\*THE LORD'S PRAYER (IN UNISON)

### OFFERING PRAISE TO GOD

\*CALL TO WORSHIP: (Psalm 19)

Leader: Weary and overwhelmed, we gather.

People: God's holy word revives us. Leader: Simple and confused, we yield.

People: God's word gives us wisdom.

Leader: Blind and uncomprehending, we await. **People: God's word enlightens our eyes.** Leader: More precious than gold is God's word.

People: Sweeter than honey are God's commands.

\*HYMN: "Revive Us Again"

No.295

**Call to Confession:** O God, your weakness is mightier than human strength, your foolishness is wiser than human wisdom. We rejoice that you are with us today. Open our hearts and discipline our will. Teach us to follow your perfect ways. Test us with your righteous decrees. As with a whip, drive us from unholy living, and turn us toward your holy light. Through your Son, Jesus Christ, comfort and redeem us with your holy gospel.

**Prayer of Confession:** (In Silence) With hearts of sorrow, we come before you, O God, to confess what you already know—we have failed to keep your laws.

Again and again, we have followed our own selfish will, rather than your holy and life-giving will for our lives. We have twisted your decrees and institutions to suit our preconceptions and interests rather than your own. Forgive us, O God, and cleanse us from hidden faults, that the words of our mouths, and the meditations of all our hearts, may be acceptable to you, our Rock and our Redeemer. **Amen** 

**Words of Assurance:** God shows steadfast love and blesses to the thousandth generation those who walk in God's ways. In love, God sent Jesus to bless and redeem God's people. God forgives us our sins and restores us to new life. Let us rejoice in God's mercy.

SPECIAL MUSIC:

"Because He Lives"

David & Sylvia Heidemann

## **EXPRESSING THANKS TO GOD**

**OFFERTORY SENTENCE:** We worship a God of abundance, from whose hands flow all the blessings of our lives. Give us right and generous hearts, O God, that your blessings may flow from our hands to those in need.

#### **OFFERTORY MUSIC:**

\*THE DOXOLOGY (No. 625) and PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERING CHILDREN'S TIME:

\*\*Mary Jo Bryan\*\*

### **HEARING GOD'S WORD**

SCRIPTURE LESSON: 2 Peter 2:4-9

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MESSAGE:

"What Do You Believe"

Pastor Jonathan Watson

\*INVITATION HYMN:

"What If It Were Today?"

No.245

WE GO FORTH SERVING GOD

\*BENEDICTION – (Blessing)

\*TAKING THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD

\*PASSING THE BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE

\*PLEASE STAND WHERE THIS MARK APPEARS, IF ABLE. We have childcare available for Infants up to age 4 during the service.

**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.

Long term prayer list: Chris Lyle (Iraq) Claire McCandlish (Granddaughter of Donna McCandlish Callison) Lois Wilson (Alzheimer, Kim Glasscock) Jamie & Lucas Orner (P. Donegan niece-missionaries to Siberia) Margie Seeman Jackie (salvation) Kim Nixon (radiation) Debbie Hatfield (Maniers) Doc McArthur Phillip Sugg Nick Shelton Lori Farnsworth & Mitchell Clemons (sister and nephew of Theresa Bell) Claire Puryear (surgery on ears, 3yrs old) Sharon Zieman Janice Simpson (cancer) Emily Bartlett (thyroid cancer) Brody Laanisto & Family Robert Williams (Cancer, Brain Tumor- Continuing Treatments/Doing Well) Son-In- Law to LD and Theresa Bell Dolly Janado (terminal cancer) Michael Haywood (College in Germany) Anne John Leeper's brothers Teresa Honeycutt (cancer)	Noreta Bowers-Cancer treatment Scott Thomas-MS Melanie Staudt Andrea Barns Margaret Naron-Cancer Gina, <jade> Dickson- (Cancer) Lois Allemore-Lung Cancer 2/20 Praise-Ellen Crowther (Julie Lucks Mother doing well) Sarah Williams-In Bethany Health Care (Mary Beth's Aunt) The Barnes &amp; Waggoner family (Sickness) Jarred Butler-(Mike &amp; Mary Jo Bryan's nephew) Betty &amp; Roger Hedrick- (Friend of Mary Jo Bryan) James Hollins-(Friend of Amy Murphy, Mother died last Sunday.) Katrice Dunston-(Friend of Amy Murphy, Mother died last Tuesday.) The Family of Tanya Bartlett (Her father Stanley Moore passed) Daughter-in-law to Sharon Gardner Margaret Naron 2/27 Family of Virginia Watson Debbie Hatfield(Surgery)</jade>	3/6 Carey Haslam-Having abdominal Surgery Virginia Russell-Mother of Freida Banniza Teresa Francescon-Doing better after Detached/Torn Retina of eye. Prayers for continuing healing. Skylar Treece-Health Laura Jean Chase-Job/Housing & Comfort Jerry Hofer-Kindness/Goodness from God Mike& Katie & Lillian Hofer Praises of a new Home Mothers Days Out-Love & Guidance Preston Carter-Senior at RHS-has Paget Schroeder Syndrome/Prayers for Surgery & Recovery Debbie Hatfield's-(Grandmother) 3/13 Lewis Justis-Safe Travel (Return from Japan)
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\*Remember those who are homebound or in Nursing Homes, ill and in pain. 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, Colombia, South America.\*



<sup>\*</sup>Please remember to write your prayer request on a card and place in the offering plate.\*

### 2 Peter 2:4-9

<sup>4</sup> For if God did not spare the angels who sinned, but cast *them* down to hell and delivered *them* into chains of darkness, to be reserved for judgment; <sup>5</sup> and did not spare the ancient world, but saved Noah, *one of* eight *people*, a preacher of righteousness, bringing in the flood on the world of the ungodly; <sup>6</sup> and turning the cities of Sodom and Gomorrah into ashes, condemned *them* to destruction, making *them* an example to those who afterward would live ungodly; <sup>7</sup> and delivered righteous Lot, *who was* oppressed by the filthy conduct of the wicked <sup>8</sup> (for that righteous man, dwelling among them, tormented *his* righteous soul from day to day by seeing and hearing *their* lawless deeds)— <sup>9</sup> *then* the Lord knows how to deliver the godly out of temptations and to reserve the unjust under punishment for the day of judgment.

LEADER: THE WORD OF GOD, FOR THE PEOPLE OF GOD

PEOPLE: THANKS BE TO GOD

	Week March 20, 2011		
TODAY	8:30am	Music & Prayer	
	9:00am	Worship	
	10:15am	Sunday School	
MONDAY	9:30am	Jazzercise (gym)	
	1:00pm	Quilting Club	
	6:00pm	Aerobics	
TUESDAY	9:00am	NO MDO this week	
	5:30pm	Jazzercise (gym)	
	6:30pm	Band Practice	
WEDNESDAY	9:30am	Jazzercise (gym)	
THURSDAY	7:30am	Men at Prayer	
	9:00am	NO MDO this week	
	5:30pm	Jazzercise (gym)	
	7:00pm	Aerobics	
FRIDAY	9:30am	Jazzercise Today	
	6:00pm	Choir Practice	
<b>NEXT SUNDAY</b>	8:30am	Early Music & Prayer/Praise	
	9:00am	Worship	
	10:15am	Sunday School	

Please pray for the elders who will go to Crystal Springs Camp next weekend. There will be study led by Pastor Jonathan and Patrick, and much prayer as ideas and plans for the ministry here at Jenkins will be discussed.



## HAPPY MARCH BIRTHDAYS TO:



Kim Glasscock on the 20th; Kathy Duncan on the 21st; Kevin Boydston on the  $22^{nd}$ , Beverly Hooper on the 23rd; Heather Shuler on the  $24^{th}$ ; Adam R. Strasser on the 25th; Kelli (Russell) Spicer and Julie (Widjaja) Muljanto on the  $26^{th}$ 



# HAPPY MARCH ANNIVERSARY TO:

Gene & Della Crawford on the 24th; James & Margaret Sharpton on the 25th.

Last Sunday Attendance: Worship 9:00 am-110
Sunday School Attendance @ 10:15 am-60
Duty Elder for this week: Sherry Windrow
Duty Elder for next week: Debra Eckert

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

Join us on Wednesdays @ 10:30 am

# UPCOMING/ONGOING EVENTS FOR JENKINS YOUTH

### **Atlanta**

Attention all Middle School Students (grades 6-8)!!!! We will be going to the Believe Conference again this year April 8<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> in Atlanta. The cost is \$150 for the conference, hotel, and fun activities. Students will only have to provide money for 3 meals (lunches). <u>I</u> am asking for the remaining \$75 deposit by April 3rd. If you have any questions please go to www.ciy.com/believe/ or contact me!

#### WOW

There will be no WOW this week (3-23-11) due to Spring Break!

<u>New Unity Class Study:</u> The Unity Class is beginning their new bible study today on *Proverbs - Learning to Live Wisely.* The class is located upstairs in the addition. See Sonya Haywood if you are interested in the study and she will get you a book.

# Disaster In Japan

We have had inquiries about helping those suffering in Japan. The Missions Outreach Committee works with AmeriCares on national and international disasters. AmeriCares is sending medicines, medical supplies and other humanitarian aid. They are well equipped to mobilize quickly and get the help to where it is most needed. If you feel called to help, you can make your check out to: AmeriCares, and put it in the offering plate OR the Haywood mailbox and Outreach will make sure your gift gets delivered.

## **FAITHFUL & FRUGAL COUPLES WORKSHOP**

Friday, March 25, 6:00-9:00 p.m. Jenkins Gym.

Get the most out of your couponing. Learn how to feed a family of 4 on \$150.00 a month. Registration and further information available at <a href="http://faithfulandfrugal.com">http://faithfulandfrugal.com</a> or see Spring Hill newspaper article on the bulletin board.

## Renaissance

Sunday night <u>April 3rd at 6pm</u> the <u>Bethel University Renaissance</u> experience is coming to Jenkins CPC. <u>Vocal Authority</u> is the newest Renaissance choir created by Executive Director Peter Jeffrey. <u>Vocal Authority</u> is a sixteen voice choir with musicians and sound crew. This is a special group of young people who offer the best talent Renaissance has to offer. We are sure to receive a blessing from this night of praise and worship. Invite your friends and family.

# **Easter Cantata**

Jenkins Choir has began to work on the Easter Cantata now on Fridays @ 6:00 to 7:00pm. We will present it to our community during Palm Sunday worship service (April 17th) at Jenkins CPC. It is a deep, inspiring message of Christ's sacrifice and love. If you have any questions concerning joining the choir, contact Sveta Yatskaya (a minister of music at Jenkins CPC).

## **SPRING CONSIGNMENT SALE**

The Spring Consignment Sale will be held this week at the Barn in downtown Nolensville. Sale dates are March 23-26—Wed. 7 p.m.-8:30 p.m., Thurs-Sat. 9-4. There will be kids' & adults' clothes; kids' furniture, equipment & toys; household linens; a huge selection of craft supplies (many plaster & candle molds & sewing sundries) & yds & yds. of fabric. All proceeds will be used to fund the expenses of the Global Aid Network (GAiN) trip to Russia this summer thru Amelia's Attic. For more information, please call Becky Leonard, 587-1547.



# **Vacation Bible School**

Monday, June 20 - Friday, June 24, 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon
Pandamania! Where God Is Wild About You!
We hope to see you there!

If you can help in anyway in this year's VBS, please contact Morgan Williams.

Please be thinking/praying how you can HELP, SHARE, and VOLUNTEER, your time and talents, in this year's VBS.



The Easter egg hunt will be 4/23/11. We need donations of candy & plastic eggs to stuff (no chocolate). All donations need to be in by 4/17/11. See Karen Miles or Debra Eckert.