



Fill-In Sermon Notes

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Restore My Spirit Lord

Gratitude

WelcomeWill Tidwell

Special Announcement..... Kids Ministry

Hebrews 11:1-4..... Porter Wilhite

Shout Hallelujah

There's a Stirring Deep Within Me

My Faith Looks Up to Thee

Faith of Our Fathers

Prayer.....Adam Priddy

And Can It Be?

Communion.....Will Case

KIDS PRAISE

Precious Memories

Stronger

Sermon..... Mark Adams

I'm Pressing on the Upward Way

King of Kings

Wonder

You know my appreciation for marketing guru, social philosopher, etc., Seth Godin. I've quoted him for you several times. He has another "on-spot" article for everyone, but I think it's very appropriate for Christians. Here's what he said . . .

An Eroding Sense of Wonder

We live in a science fiction universe.

A \$20 dose of penicillin was priceless a century ago.

The five cents (a nickell!) we spend to light our home might have been the sort of thing we needed to trade an hour of labor for a few generations ago.

The ability to press a button and talk to anyone, by video, anywhere on the planet—it wasn't even discussed until recently, and now it's essentially free . . .

It's easy to get hooked on the miracle of the moment, and to imagine that the next miracle must be even more amazing. And at the same time, we can take a hard look at the real problems people face and decide that no miracle is enough.

But wonder is a choice, and we can find it if we look for it.

I love running water. Straight from the tap! Inexpensive. No walking two miles to get fresh water. And without nasties or parasites! Imagine growing up in a time and place like that. Hard, isn't it?

Practically speaking, spiritually speaking, we can grow insensitive if not outright numb to the wonders around us. And we can take for granted the great privileges given to us as Christians. We can inadvertently take for granted or become thankless for the many blessings we have. May it never be for us to not have a sense of wonder and awe at the way God has blessed us, physically, emotionally, and especially spiritually.

But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. ~ Romans 5:8

As Godin says, *But wonder is a choice, and we can find it if we look for it.*

~Harvey

Emergency Response Team

Attention anyone with medical training, security personnel, or have Basic Life Support certification. We are starting the Emergency Response Team. If interested, please download the GroupMe app and find the Emergency Response Team chat. Further communication will follow. If there are any questions, please feel free to call or text Tim Smith at 615-476-6658.

Congregational Game Night

Get ready for a night of fun and fellowship! You're invited to a **Congregational Game Night** on **Saturday, April 26 at 5:30 p.m.** in the TYM area. Bring your favorite board games, card games, or just come ready to join in the fun—we'll have a variety of games for all ages and skill levels. Whether you're competitive or just in it for the laughs, there's something for everyone. Bring an appetizer or treat to share. Come enjoy a great evening of connection, laughter, and friendly competition!

Remember Our Sick....

Bailey Fox, 13 year old granddaughter of Jeff and Ruth Fox, has an appointment with her cardiologist tomorrow (Monday). She is hoping to return to school and normal teenager things! Prayers requested. Her address is 89 Cypress Creek Drive, Cabot, AR 72023.

Ronnie Peacher had out patient surgery on his elbow on Thursday, April 10. Prayers have been requested. He is at home resting.

Bonnie Overstreet is still under hospice care. Prayers requested.

Don Reeves is still going through cancer treatments. Continued prayers are requested.

Paige Greenwood, has returned home. Continued prayers.

We have several of our members who are either shut-ins or are going through a lot at this time. Please continue to keep them in your prayers.

Librarian Still Needed

If you are interested in volunteering to serve as the librarian, please let Karen Wooten or Earl Santymire know.

Promotion Sunday

Promotion Sunday will be **June 1!** Children who are moving up to kindergarten and 5th graders moving up to 6th grade will be recognized that Sunday morning during worship service. Make sure you mark your calendars!

New Address



Betty Duke has moved to an assisted living facility in Hendersonville. Her new address is, Betty Duke, Legacy Village of Hendersonville, Room 315, 674 E. Main Street, Hendersonville 37075. She would love to see you or have a card or even a phone call (615-447-4647)

New Great-Grandbaby

Beth Burgess is celebrating the birth of her 10th great grand child. **Abram Green Burgess** was born April 9 to **Adam and Courtlyn Burgess** in San Antonio, TX. He is the grandson of **Rob (Chip) and Martha Burgess**.

Friends Friday

Dinner & Easter Fun! Join us for a special evening of food, fellowship, and Easter-themed activities just for the ladies at the home of Ann Robinson on **Friday, April 18 at 6:30 p.m!** Take a break, connect with friends, and enjoy a night filled with laughter and encouragement. RSVP via Subsplash or to Ann by **April 17**.

Hope for Haiti's Children Breakfast or Luncheon

Join us for a complimentary breakfast or lunch, at the Nashville Zoo on **Saturday, May 17**, as we celebrate 30 years of bringing hope to Haiti. Hear about Project Hope's impact, our vision for the future, and how you can help make it a reality! We can't wait to share this special milestone with you! RSVP by **May 5** at www.hopeforhaitischildren.org/events or sign-up at Sign Up Central.

M & M's

The M & M's (49ers) will meet **Saturday, April 19 at 1 p.m.** in the TYM. It will be a potluck!

Walk For Life Walk

Join the Tusculum Team of walker/runners on **Saturday, April 26 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.** to walk for the Pregnancy Care Center. Register at pregnancycarecentertn.com/walkforlife/.

TUSCULUM YOUTH MINISTRY

Sundays

We are studying Hebrews! Join us!

Wednesdays

We will have a time of fellowship and study in the TYM. We will have a deeper dive into our lessons from Sunday.

Sunday

We are going to be leaving from the church at 2 p.m. to work for a widowed lady from church. There will be yard work, so wear clothes that you can get dirty! Please sign up so I can get an idea of how many teens we will have helping

Spring Retreat

Sign up for Encounter in the church app! The dates are **April 25-27**. The last day to sign up is **April 6**.

Work Camp

Sign up using the church app! Pay \$135 for each student who comes through the app. The last day to sign up is **April 13**. There are more details on the app.

Mission Trip

We need to get an idea of who can come to the mission trip during the last week of July. Please use the church app to sign up so it will give us an idea.



Kids Praise

Following communion, children ages 3-kindergarten are invited to join us in the children's wing for Kids Praise

Children's Bulletins and color sheets are available in the racks on the left side of the Great Hall.

Nursery

An attended nursery is available during worship for infants through 2 years old.

April 13—Debbie Kaatz and Doris Chandler
April 20—Ruth Nichols and Carolina Adams

Email dburgesstcc@gmail.com and let her know if you would like to help.

Attendance and Contribution

April 6, 2025

Attendance (includes online).....	312
Bible Class.....	152
Contribution.....	\$15,610.00
Weekly Budget.....	\$16,400.00
Average YTD Contribution.....	\$16,719.48

Deacons

Adam Agee.....	615-430-9123
Brett Byram.....	919-667-5414
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David Gee.....	615-479-5127
John Goode.....	615-364-4059
Jeff Lasher.....	615-300-2690
Bobby Mullins.....	615-516-2242
Adam Priddy.....	615-268-8655
Daniel Richardson.....	615-957-6998
Rodney Richardson.....	615-419-3302
Jake Shoun.....	615-925-1005
Jim Stubblefield.....	615-934-6977
Hollis Tackitt.....	629-254-5533
Charlie Watson.....	615-351-2140
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James York.....	615-310-9601

MAIN LINE

Benevolence	615-833-1660
Counseling (AGAPE)	615-833-1869
	615-781-3000

Elders

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