



Fairview United Methodist Church • Maryville, Tennessee
July 22 – July 28, 2018

From the Pastor's Desk

This Sunday we will wrap up the “Overcome” sermon series on the churches mentioned in The Revelation. I want to thank you for your feedback to Gilbert, Roger Williams, and myself. The feedback has been very good. We are grateful that you connected with this series.

This Sunday we will look at the last of the seven churches; the one that is probably the best known; the church at Laodicea. Those who are familiar with The Revelation seem to always remember the Laodicean church because of something very specific said to them, (vs. 13-14, NIV) *“I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot. I wish you were either one or the other! So because you are lukewarm - neither hot nor cold - I am about to spit you out of my mouth.”* I am struck that most foods I enjoy, I like either hot, or cold; there’s not much I like “lukewarm,” or “tepid.” Apparently Jesus, who is speaking to the churches, doesn’t like “lukewarm” either.

As you prepare to worship on Sunday, I hope you will read Revelation 3:14-22; I want to encourage you to do so carefully. Consider the place of “warning,” “rebuke,” and “discipline” in this passage, and in our lives. We sometimes withdraw when we hear words like this in the Scripture, but as I mentioned last Sunday, I believe passages like this are actually a means by which we are shown grace. We are not left to believe everything is okay, when it is not. Such passages give us the opportunity to “remember, obey, and repent.” This is how God shows His love for us! It’s a good thing, not a bad thing!

On July 29, with many folks having wrapped up summer vacations, and others preparing to return to school, we will begin a new end-of-summer/back-to-school series. This will be a good time to get reengaged after a summer off, and a great time to invite someone new to join you for worship.

I look forward to worshipping with you this Sunday!

With my love and prayers,
Pastor Mickey

FUMC "By the Numbers" Week of July 15, 2018

Sunday Worship Attendance:

8:30 am	11 am- Main Campus	11 am- Remedy	6 pm- Evening	Total
264	278	108	18	668

*watching the service online 7/15 – 60

2018 Annual Operating Budget:	\$1,701,261.74
Contributions Received This Week:	\$17,218.49
Missions Special Offerings:	\$70.00
Operating Budget Contributions Received YTD:	\$797,870.02
2018 Building Loan with TVA CU as of 06.09.2018	\$189,198.73

PRAYER

"We may have very little to give our friends, but however little of this world's goods we possess, we may give them the priceless treasure of our prayers."



Our Deepest Sympathy to :

Debi Cole on the death of her mother,
Frieda Rodriguez.

"Dear Fairview Family,

Thank you for the prayers, cards, meals, and many offers of support during Carla's recent hospitalization and recovery. We thank God for you all and are so blessed to be a part of this beautiful, loving family!"

-Mike and Carla Mund

Schedule of Events

Sunday, July 22, 2018

8:30 AM Worship
9:45 AM Sunday School
11:00 AM Worship - Remedy campus
11:00 AM Worship
3:00 PM Faithful Men
3:30 PM Bridge to Discovery Tea
5:15 PM Youth Worship
6:00 PM Worship

Monday, July 23, 2018

6:15 PM McCurry Bible Study
7:00 PM Ladies A.A. Meeting at Remedy

Tuesday, July 24, 2018

6:30 PM Mats for the Homeless

Wednesday, July 25, 2018

9:00 AM Food Pantry + Clothes Closet
6:00 PM Awana Team Meeting

Thursday, July 26, 2018

6:30 AM Men's Bible Study
10:00 AM Beginner Flexibility and Balance
10:00 AM Quilting A205
5:30 PM New Creations Movie Night
6:00 PM Trustees Meeting
6:00 PM Pickle Ball

Friday, July 27, 2018

12:00 PM Ladies A.A. Meeting at Remedy
7:00 PM A.A. Meeting A203

Saturday, July 28, 2018

NO EVENTS SCHEDULED

Lost and Found

- * Black onyx, antique ring
- * Silver cross jewelry pendant found in stairwell by Gladius room
- * Chevrolet car key
- * Key found in sanctuary marked CALLAN
- * Black ring that says "her king"
- * White jacket left at church

- check with church office for retrieving items

BRIDGE TO DISCOVERY

For those who have never joined Fairview UMC, but are interested in knowing more, Pastor Mickey and his wife Joy invite you to their home this Sunday, July 22 at 3:30 p.m., for conversation and light refreshments. Their address is 3876 Legends Way, Maryville TN.

Questions? Or to indicate you plan to attend, please call the church office at (865) 983-2080.

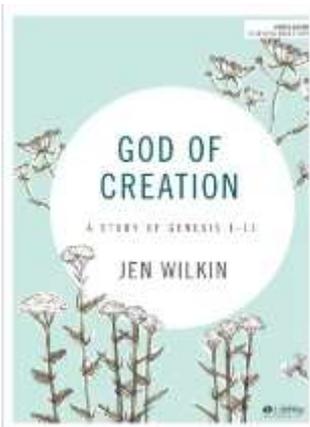
Discovery Classes (5 weeks) for those who wish to pursue church membership are: July 29, April 5, 12, 19 & 26 at 9:45 a.m. Please call the church office at: (865) 983-2080, to indicate you plan to attend.

Fall Bible Studies

The world has always been full of trials, disappointments, temptations, fractured friendships, and **financial hardships**. Yet Paul's letter to the Philippians claims we can discover contentment and joy in the midst of it all by prioritizing what matters most —

Christ. Over 7 sessions, study the ever-relevant Letter of Philippians to deepen your relationship with Jesus, turn your worries into worship, and develop gospel-centered tools for navigating relational conflict and thriving in Christian love.

To reserve a book, contact Yvonne at yshelgren@fairview-umc.org. *Possible Childcare.*



Over 10 sessions of verse-by-verse study, dive into the first 11 chapters of Genesis by following three critical stages of understanding: comprehension, interpretation, and application. Teaching videos are key in understanding this study. Revisit familiar stories and historical figures, challenge your basic knowledge, and discover deeper meanings in the text. As God reveals Himself through Scripture, we can only begin to understand ourselves when we first glimpse the character, attributes, and promises of our Creator.

Barbara Thompson will be facilitating this study on Monday nights, starting SEPT 10. The group will meet at 6:15 in Room A203.

To reserve a book, contact Yvonne at yshelgren@fairview-umc.org.

Why her? How many times have you asked yourself that question?

How many times have you felt like you couldn't measure up no matter how hard you tried? We've all been there. Over 6 sessions, uncover truths you need to arm yourself with when combatting comparison by studying the biblical account of Rachel & Leah. Learn to be content without becoming complacent, and discover godly wisdom to quiet the incessant *Why Her?* question in your head. Develop greater awareness of your insecurities, and learn to stop the lies in their tracks. Because **the truth will set you free, and free women don't have to measure up to anyone.** Not even her.



Jennifer Kirst will be facilitating this study on Tuesday nights beginning September 11 at 6:15pm in the Remedy Coffee Shop.

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Do you like to chronicle history? Do you like to look through old pictures and newspaper articles? If you said yes to either of these we have the job for you! We are in the need of a historian for our church! In the process of moving offices and the library, we have found many scrapbooks, pictures, articles, etc. and we would love someone to organize all the information.

If you are interested contact Yvonne at yshelgren@fairview-umc.org or call 865-983-2080.

Calling All Prayer Warriors!

Do you have a heart for prayer? If so, we need you! We are beginning to create a churchwide prayer chain. We know that Sunday Schools, Small Groups and others have prayer chains in place. This would be for the requests we have that come in asking to be placed on a chain. If this sounds like something you would want to be a part of, please pray over it and email Yvonne by August 15th at yshelgren@fairview-umc.org. We will have a short meeting with everyone and then roll out this new ministry on September 1. For questions or concerns see Yvonne or Rev. Gilbert.



Greetings from Membership Care!!

I want to thank all of you that are continuing to send cards, and for your visits and phone calls to our Fairview shut-ins. I am always receiving feedback from them as to how special it is to be remembered. If you are interested in adding your name to the list of **“senders,” please let me know.**

We have a large selection of items in our medical pantry right now. If you, or anyone you know, needs medical supplies, please let me know. We also have a large supply of disposable briefs for men and women that are available. We are always open to donations of any kind of items as well.

On occasion, we have requests for help in house cleaning and day and evening sitting from our members. If you or someone you know is available to help in this area, I would appreciate a contact name and number.

Our goal at FUMC is to help our community in any way that is needed. No need is too great or too small to try to help. If you know of anyone that is in need, please contact me or the church office. Thank you for your continued support and prayers for this ministry.

Ellen Wright
(865) 984-0675



ADOPT A SCOT

Interested in adopting a Maryville College football player and sending them cards, care packages, and inviting them over for meals?

Contact Yvonne at yshelgren@fairview-umc.org or (865) 983-2080

Mats for the Homeless

Due to the generous donations of so many people, Mats for the Homeless has run out of room to store additional supplies.

Please wait until further notice to resume donations.

An important update for online giving at Fairview UMC!

If you have a recurring gift in VANCO, or need assistance with PushPay, please email Steve Cordle at scordle@fairview-umc.org. See below link or go onto the website to transition to PushPay. More to come about this soon.

https://ppay.co/zafMBqr_tfs

**WE'RE
HIRING!**

NURSERY

Minimum Requirements

- Christian faith
- Love of children and desire to help them grow spiritually
- Sunday morning and Wednesday evening availability
- 18 years old + pass background check
- Previous childcare experience
- Willingness to teach short lessons with provided materials

Contact Lyn Byrd, lbyrd@fairview-umc.org,
(865) 983-2080, Ext. 108

LifeTouch

LifeTouch is doing a directory update!

Appointments will be on August 17-18.

Sign up online at Fairview-umc.org or through our Facebook, Instagram, or Twitter.

Sign ups will also be available in person on Sundays.

Questions? Contact Olivia Massingill at omassingill@fairview-umc.org or call (865) 983-2080



JULY

21st: CHILDREN'S CONSIGNMENT SALE 8am-3pm

AUGUST

5th: PROMOTION SUNDAY FOR Children's SUNDAY SCHOOL

8th: AWANA KICK-OFF REGISTRATION EVENT, 6-7:30pm

12th: RESPITE EVENT FOR SPECIAL NEEDS, 12:45-4pm

15th: AWANA BEGINS, 6-7:30pm





KICK-OFF REGISTRATION EVENT

Will be from 6-7:30 pm on **AUGUST 8TH**. Parents can register their children & Kids will get sized for their Awana uniforms, enjoy Inflatables, eat FREE food & more! Don't Miss it!

ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE: ONLY \$10 (\$20 max per family)

Cost includes uniform, entrance booklets, handbooks, awards, snacks, monthly prizes and special events

For Ages 2 up to 6th Grade.

[Begins on Wednesdays August 15th](#)

6-7:30pm

Where kids will experience games, snacks, and learn God's Word by heart.



Ages 2-3



Ages 3-5



Grades K-2



Grades 3-6