The APPALACHIAN DISTRICT UMC

Cordially invites you to

a Service of Installation for our District Superintendent, Rev. Scott Spence

Sunday, August 17th, 2025, beginning at 3:00 PM, Colonial Heights UMC, 631 Lebanon Rd, Kingsport, TN.

This will be a time of worship & fellowship!

A reception will follow in the fellowship hall.







Mafair United Methodist Church · 1409 E Center · Kingsport, TN 37664 · 423.378.9620 · mafairumc.org Office Hours: Monday through Thursday 10:00am-4:00pm · Closed Fridays · Email: info@mafairumc.org Give online at https://mafairumc.org/give · Mafair Guest Wifi password: welcome2mafair



Sunday, August 17, 2025 11:00am **Tenth Sunday after Pentecost**

Prelude "Guide My Feet" **Chancel Choir** Welcome, Announcements, and Call to Worship Ginette Tolleson Special Music "Different" Mason Perry Responsive Reading from Psalm 80 "Glory Be to the Father" UMH 70 Gloria Patri "O Breath of Life" Hymn Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon Passing the Peace and Threefold Amen "O Breathe on Me, O Breath of God" Chancel Choir Offertory Anthem Doxology "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 95 Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication Kids' Moments

Nadine McMackin

Song for Illumination "Word of God, Speak"

Scripture Reading Luke 12:49-56

Pastor Timothy "Dare to Be Different" Sermon

Contemplative Moment Glenda Gray, piano "Come, Holy Spirit" At this time, you're welcome to come and pray at the altar.

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

Affirmation of Faith Apostles' Creed UMH 881

Hymn "Shout to the North"

Benediction

"God Be With You Till We Meet Again" Postlude Glenda Gray, piano

> UMH: United Methodist Hymnal · TFWS: The Faith We Sing · CCLI License #1188815 * Congregation standing as able

Welcome to Worship!

Parents with children, we have a nursery downstairs (infants to age 3 in Room B03) and some creative items are located at the entrance to the sanctuary for those kids who remain in the worship service.

During Kids' Moments, all children are invited to the front of the sanctuary for a special message. After Kids' Moments on Sundays when Kids' Church is offered, kids ages 3-7 years may go with our leaders to Kids' Church (Lower Elementary classroom B07 downstairs) for Bible lessons. Parents may pick up their children at the end of the service.

If you'd like to learn more about Mafair, please fill out one of the green sheets in the pew rack and put it in the offering plate during the offertory anthem.

Need a cough drop or a bottle of water (or anything else!) during worship? Please ask an usher.

Hearing assisted devices are available in the narthex. Ask an usher for help.



Say "Cheese!"

Church directories will be made available for church members in a few weeks. If you haven't had your picture taken yet, please see Carol Stout.

District Day with the Bishop

On Monday, September 25, Bishop Wallace-Padgett will be here at Mafair along with members of other Appalachian District churches, leading us in worship, casting vision and leading conversations about what it means for our churches, districts, and Conference as a whole to look to the future, explore new ways to minister to our communities, and continue our shared mission of developing Passionate Spiritual Disciples and Passionate Spiritual Leaders. More details are on the bulletin board outside Pastor Timothy's office.

Wednesday Night Dinner

This Wednesday at 5:30pm in the Fellowship Hall, we will be enjoying Dot's famous lasagna and salad. Reservations are not required. If you'd like to make a donation to help offset the costs, there will be baskets on the table or you can go to the church website at mafairumc.org to donate online.

This Week at Mafair

B— Basement **1—** First Floor **2—** Second Floor **FH** Fellowship Hall **TPC** The Prospect Center

Sunday

8:30am Staff Meeting 103

9:30am AA · TPC

9:45am Sunday School

10:30am Chancel Choir warmup 105

11:00am Worship · Sanctuary

2:00pm AA · TPC

3:30pm Stephen Ministry 107

4:00pm Al-Anon TPC

7:00pm AA · TPC

Monday

1:30pm UWIF Circle · 104

2:00pm AA TPC

6:00pm Recovery Resources · TPC

Tuesday

8:00am Morning Hope Breakfast · TPC

2:00pm AA · TPC

6:00pm Pickleball Lot

7:00pm NA TPC

Wednesday

2:00pm AA · TPC

3:30pm Worship Planning 103

5:00pm Youth Ensemble Sanctuary

5:30pm Dinner Fellowship Hall

6:15pm Youth Lesson · 205

6:15pm Kids' Choir B05

6:30pm Bible Study · FH

6:30pm Women's AA TPC

6:45pm Kids' SPLASH B08

7:30pm Choir Rehearsal · Sanctuary

Thursday

12:00pm NA · TPC

2:00pm AA · TPC

Friday

Office Closed

2:00pm AA · TPC

8:30pm DAA · TPC

Saturday

2:00pm AA · TPC 7:00pm NA · TPC

Prayer Concerns

Linda DeBord; Doris Cox; Warren Larson; Ann Keith; Nellie Stover; Amy Reedy; Sage Turner (Ken & Doris Alfrey's grandson); Mike Carico (Mackenzie Schodowski's father); Dannie Flanary; Donna Carter; Mike Flanary; Alda Kiser (Sherry Kiser's mother); Jacques Weldon (Joyce Weldon's nephew); Kristy Bright (Jackie Tranbarger's daughter); Phyllis Charles.

Are you, or is someone you know, going through a time of crisis or challenge? The care of a Stephen Minister may be exactly what's needed to help bring Christ's healing. If you have any questions about our Stephen Ministry, talk with Pastor Timothy or our Stephen Leader, Ray Johnson. Consider whether you know of someone who needs their care, and offer to connect them to this ministry.

