

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 25
2:00 - 4:00 PM
BORDEN PARK
SHELTER 2

BLESSING OF THE ANIMALS



- FACE PAINTING
- POPCORN AND WATER
- FREE PET PORTRAITS
- DOG AND CAT COSTUME COMPETITION
- PARADE

KINGSPORT PARKS & REC POLICY
REQUIRES THAT ALL ANIMALS BE
ON A LEASH OR IN A CARRIER.

SPONSORED BY MAFAIR
AND OTHER LOCAL
UNITED METHODIST
CHURCHES

PLEASE BRING DOG AND CAT FOOD TO THE FELLOWSHIP HALL TO DONATE TO LOCAL ANIMAL SHELTERS.



2025 Charge Conference
Tuesday, November 11 · 6:00pm
Mafair Sanctuary

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Sunday, October 19, 2025 · 11:00am
Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost

- Welcome, Announcements, and Call to Worship
- Introit "Come, Now Is the Time to Worship" Kids' Choir
- Special Music Kids' Choir
- * Responsive Reading
- * Gloria Patri "Glory Be to the Father" UMH 70
- * Hymn "Blessed Assurance" UMH 369
- Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon
- Passing the Peace and Threefold Amen
- Mission Moment
- Offertory Anthem "Holy Forever" Youth
- * Doxology "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 95
- * Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication
- Kids' Moments Destiny Stover
- Song for Illumination "Still"
- Scripture Reading Psalm 119:97-104
- Sermon "On Purpose" Annie Coleman
- Special Music "Hold on to Me" Destiny Stover and Elle Weatherall
At this time, you're welcome to come forward and pray.
- Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer
- * Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed UMH 881
- * Hymn "How Great Is Our God" with "How Great Thou Art"
- * Benediction
- * Postlude Glenda Gray, piano

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.

CarePortal

CarePortal is an online platform that connects local churches and communities with children and families in crisis by linking them to urgent needs in real-time. It acts as a technology bridge for social workers and other professionals to submit requests for things like food, housing, or medical care, which are then distributed to a network of local responders to provide direct support and prevent children from entering the foster care system. Visit the CarePortal page on our church website <https://mafairumc.org/careportal> for more information.

Lincoln Treat Bags

Our Children's department will be making treat bags to distribute to the Lincoln students on October 31. If you'd like to donate bags of candy, there is a bucket outside the office.

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 Tim or our Stephen Leader, Ray Johnson. Consider whether you know of someone who needs their care, and offer to connect them to this ministry.



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 Outreach · 107
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
5:30pm Dinner · Fellowship Hall
6:15pm Kids' Choir · B05
6:30pm Women's AA · TPC
6:30pm Youth Cake Auction · FH
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 Blessing of the Animals · Borden Park Shelter 2
2:00pm Private Event · FH
2:00pm AA · TPC
7:00pm NA · TPC

Prayer Concerns

Linda DeBord; Doris Cox; Warren Larson; Ann Keith; Nellie Stover; Amy Reedy; Mike Carico (Mackenzie Schodowski's father); Dannie Flanary; Donna Carter; Mike Flanary; Jacques Weldon (Joyce Weldon's nephew); Kristy Bright (Jackie Tranbarger's daughter); Phyllis Charles; Dunna Jordan; Sherry Watterson; Joyce Weldon; Susan Flanary; Paula Ward (Deric Beatty's fiancée); Jackie Beatty (Deric Beatty's sister); Amanda Flanary; Randy Smith; Roni Acuff; Zoey Smith.

To add a name to the prayer concerns list, please fill out a green sheet in the pew racks or contact Ray in the church office.