

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude “Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah”
Glenda Gray, piano

* Responsive Reading

* Gloria Patri “Glory Be to the Father” UMH 70

* Hymn “My Hope Is Built” UMH 368

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Passing the Peace and Threefold Amen

Mission Moment

Offertory “Honey in the Rock”
Chancel Choir

* Doxology UMH 94

* Offertory Prayer

Kids’ Moments Nadine McMackin

Song for Illumination “Still”

Scripture Reading Exodus 17:1-7

Sermon “When Will the Water Flow Again?”
Tim Robinson

Contemplative Moment “Hungry I Come”
Glenda Gray, piano

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

* Affirmation of Faith Apostles’ Creed UMH 881

* Hymn “God of Grace and God of Glory” UMH 577

* Benediction

* Postlude “Lift Every Voice and Sing”
Glenda Gray, piano

Sermon Notes

Local Missions Opportunities

We are still collecting **prescription bottles** for Providence Free Medical Clinic of Kingsport. Please remove the labels and leave them in the Linen Closet in the bucket provided.

Jeans - all sizes: The Jean Giveaway of Gibson Mill Road gave jeans to 103 families with 195 children this summer. Let's help them with their project. If you bring your clean jeans to the Linen Closet we will make sure they get to the right place. (NO OTHER CLOTHES PLEASE!)

We are still collecting **linens**. We particularly need twin and full sheets, and towels. When your grandchildren move from a twin to a bigger bed, remember our Linen Closet. We have people drop in several times a week to see if we have the size they are looking for.

If you have any **medical scrubs** that are no longer being used, Susie Weatherall is collecting them for Oasis. Yes, you can bring them to the Linen Closet.

- Gloria Friedrichs, Outreach Chair

Prayer Concerns

Linda DeBord; Doris Cox; Ann Keith; Nellie Stover; Amy Reedy; Joyce Weldon; Jacques Weldon (Joyce Weldon's nephew); Philip Weldon (Joyce Weldon's brother); Phyllis Charles; Susan Flanary; Amanda Flanary; Bobby Flanary; Randy Smith; Pauline Smith; Roni Acuff; Mike Hartwyk (Bobbie Carico’s nephew); Billy Reeves (Jackson Coleman’s grandfather); James Bowden (Helen Alley’s father); John W. & Kellie with family; Kyle Mustard (Annie Coleman’s grandfather); Duuna Jordan; Anna Raimondi, Shane McMackin; Mark Slaughter; Bob Sacco; Laura Cosner; Jackie Tranbarger; Priscilla Seals.

If you would like to be added to the Prayer Warriors list and receive an email when prayer requests come in, please email Ray at rjohnson@mafairumc.org. You are also welcome to join the Intercessory Prayer Group that meets in the Parlor (Room 104) on Tuesdays at 10:30am.

Wednesday Night Dinner

This week’s dinner will be Wednesday night dinner will be pancakes with fruit, syrup, butter, bacon, and eggs. Plan to join us in the Fellowship Hall this Wednesday at 5:30pm and bring a friend!

Cluster Charge Conference

Mafair’s Charge Conference, our annual business meeting, will be part of a “Cluster Charge Conference” at 6:00pm on Sunday, October 11, at First Broad Street UMC, along with Shades of Grace.

Fall Festival

Look for the flyers on the bulletin boards outside the office and outside the nursery for information about our Fall Festival on Saturday, October 10. There are also sign-up sheets for the chili cook-off and the pie baking contest.

This week at Mafair

Rooms: FH Fellowship Hall TPC The Prospect Center
B01-B09 Basement 101-109 First Floor 201-209 Second Floor

Sunday

- 8:30am Staff Meeting · 104
- 9:45am Sunday School
- 10:30am Chancel Choir warmup · 105
- 11:00am Worship · Sanctuary

Monday

- 7:30am Recovery Resources · TPC
- 2:00pm District UWIF · FH
- 6:00pm Recovery Resources · TPC

Tuesday

- 8:00am Morning Hope Breakfast · TPC
- 10:30am Intercessory Prayer Group · 104

Wednesday

- 3:30pm Worship Planning · 107
- 5:30pm Dinner · FH
- 6:15pm Kids' Choir · B05
- 6:15pm Youth · 205
- 6:15pm Experiencing God Study · 107
- 6:45pm Kids' SPLASH · B08
- 7:30pm Chancel Choir · Sanctuary

Thursday

- 4:00pm District Mentoring Sessions · 201
- 6:30pm Praise Team Rehearsal · FH

Saturday

- 8:30am Men's Breakfast · FH

Twelve Step Groups at the Prospect Center

These are all open meetings and for men and women unless otherwise specified.

- Alcoholics Anonymous9:30am Sun & Sat
- Alcoholics Anonymous Noon Mon, Tue, Wed & Fri
- Alcoholics Anonymous 2:00pm every day
- Alcoholics Anonymous 7:00pm Sun
- Alcoholics Anonymous (Women)..... 6:30pm Wed
- Al-Anon 4:00pm Sun & 4:30pm Thu
- Drug Addicts Anonymous Noon Sun & 8:30pm Fri
- Narcotics Anonymous..... Noon Thu & 7:00pm Sat

Welcome to Worship!

We’re glad you’re here. If you’d like to learn more about Mafair, please fill out a green information sheet from the pew rack.

Worshiping with children? You’re welcome to keep them with you or use our nursery for infants through age 3. We also have quiet activities available at the sanctuary entrance.

Children are invited to the front for a brief message, followed by Kids’ Church.

Nursery: Infants through age 3, located downstairs in Room B03.

Kids’ Church: For children ages 3–7, held downstairs in the Lower Elementary classroom (Room B07). At the end of the service, parents pick up their children from Kids’ Church.

Hearing Assistance: Hearing-assisted devices are available in a basket at the sanctuary entrance. Take one as needed or ask an usher for help. Please return devices to the basket after the service.

Mafair Staff

- Pastor.....Tim Robinson
- Director of Student Ministries..... Annie Coleman
- Director of Children’s Ministries..... Susan Jenkins
- Nursery Attendant Piper Benton
- Music Director Christina Brennan
- PianistGlenda Gray
- Operations ManagerRay Johnson
- Sound Technician Bob Sacco

Eighteenth Sunday
after Pentecost

September 27, 2026



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