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| Welcome and Announcements                    | Christy Woods                                                         |
| Prelude                                      | “Happiness”<br>Glenda Gray, piano                                     |
| * Responsive Reading                         | Psalm 106:1-5                                                         |
| * Gloria Patri                               | “Glory Be to the Father” UMH 70                                       |
| * Hymn                                       | “Bringing in the Sheaves”                                             |
| Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon |                                                                       |
| Passing the Peace and Threefold Amen         |                                                                       |
| Stewardship Moment                           | Helping Hands                                                         |
| Offertory                                    | “Take My Life and Let It Be”<br>Chancel Choir                         |
| * Doxology                                   | UMH 94                                                                |
| * Offertory Prayer                           |                                                                       |
| Kids’ Moments                                | Laura Gardner                                                         |
| Song for Illumination                        | “My Gratitude Now Accept,<br>O God” TFWS 2044                         |
| Scripture Reading                            | 2 Corinthians 9:6-15                                                  |
| Sermon                                       | “Blessed to Be Like Jesus”<br>Tim Robinson                            |
| Contemplative Moment                         | “More Precious Than Silver”<br>Glenda Gray, piano                     |
| Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer            |                                                                       |
| * Affirmation of Faith                       | The Apostles’ Creed UMH 881                                           |
| * Hymn                                       | “Freely, Freely” UMH 389                                              |
| * Benediction                                |                                                                       |
| * Postlude                                   | “Bringing in the Sheaves”<br>Glenda Gray, piano<br>Ray Johnson, organ |

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

## Holston Foundation Info Luncheon

LeRae Collins, president of the Holston Foundation, will preach during the morning worship service next Sunday. Following the worship service, we will have a catered meal in the Fellowship Hall for those people who would like to learn more about the Holston Foundation. If you are interested in attending the information luncheon, please sign up on the sheet outside the office or call Ray to make your reservation.

## Second Harvest Missions Trip

We need 50 participants--no donation, no money! You just need a giving spirit and willing hands. We want you to be there and join us all in two hours of church family love and grace.

On Saturday, November 7, we will be packing Holiday Food Boxes for the hungry in Northeast Tennessee. Helpers must be at least 10 years old. For safety, everyone must wear closed toed shoes.

Linda Isenberg has volunteered to serve coffee cake at 9:30 in the Fellowship Hall and we will have some coffee to go with her cake. At 10:15, we will carpool to Second Harvest.

Please sign up across from the office if you will come and also sign up for coffee and cake so Linda knows how much she has to bake.

- Gloria Friedrichs, Outreach Chair

## Church Closing for Fall Break

This week is Fall Break for Kingsport City Schools, so the church office will be closed this week and most activities will be cancelled, with the exception of Chancel Choir rehearsal on Wednesday night and Praise Team rehearsal on Thursday night.

## 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.

***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](mailto: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.***

## Lincoln Fall Festival

On Friday, October 30, Mafair will be part of Lincoln Elementary’s fall festival. Students and their families will visit Mafair during the school day for a safe, Christ-centered, kid-friendly way to enjoy some sweet treats. We need donations of pre-wrapped candy, as well as individuals or groups to host one of nine rooms representing the “fruits of the Spirit.” If you can work a room but need help decorating, let us know—we can help with that!

Susan will have a sign-up sheet available, or you can call or text her. Candy donation bins will be available outside the nursery door and Ray’s office window.

## Cluster Charge Conference

Mafair’s Charge Conference will be tonight at 6:00 at First Broad Street UMC along with Shades of Grace.

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
6:00pm Charge Conference · First Broad Street

- Monday
Church Office Closed
7:30am Recovery Resources · TPC
6:00pm Recovery Resources · TPC

- Tuesday
Church Office Closed
8:00am Morning Hope Breakfast · TPC

- Wednesday
Church Office Closed
7:30pm Chancel Choir · Sanctuary

- Thursday
Church Office Closed
6:30pm Praise Team Rehearsal · FH

- Friday
9:30am Lunch Packing · Shades of Grace

Twelve Step Groups at the Prospect Center
These are all open meetings and for men and women unless otherwise specified.
Alcoholics Anonymous .....9:30am 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
Pianist ..... Glenda Gray
Operations Manager ..... Ray Johnson
Sound Technician ..... Bob Sacco

Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

October 11, 2026



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