# **Wesley Chapel Methodist Church**

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We welcome you to this worship service.

# **Order of Worship**

Prelude Holy Ground Musicians

Announcements
Honoring Our Graduate

Greeting

\*Call to Worship Bless the Lord, O My Soul

**GRP 65** 

\*Lighting of the altar candles.

\*Scripture Reading

**Charlotte Sims** 

# \*The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven, give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

\*Hymn America the Beautiful CH 799

## \*Affirmation of Faith:

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sits at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from which, he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\*\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

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# **Sharing of Joys and Concern**

**Pastoral Prayer** 

**Tithes and Offerings** 

Offertory God of Our Fathers Musicians

\*Doxology: Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host: praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Hymn** Am I Soldier of the Cross? **CH 728** 

Scripture John 15:12-13

Sermon "No Greater Love" Mark Ledbetter

**Hymn** Higher Ground **GRP 329** 

Postlude Onward, Christians Soldiers Musicians

Lemember and Honor.

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand if you are able.

## **Prayer List**

Wayne Entrekin, Jimmy and Jane Reynolds, Brenda and Pat Jones, Fred and Maryanne Pate, James Adams, Vicky Rollins, Chris Kramer, Jr., Ruth Cox, Bill Crenshaw, Beth Major, Glenda Rumsey, Tanner Bowen, Matt Abrams, Bobbie Kinser, Mike Cleveland, Louise Rhodes, Donald Caine, Danny and Alice Collins, Van Abbott, Martha Meeks, Chris Bishop, JoAnne Cleveland, Johnny and Lyndall Jones, Honest Gaddis, Lindsey Hickman, Kathy and Roland Roberson, Barry Clements, Pam Whitman, Kelly Milam and family, Kara Wright, Robbie Fairbanks, Jeanne & Glen Deason, Tim Heath, Benny Prince, Gregory Cochran, Susan Brownley, Gary Coley, Jeff Turner, Michelle Minor, Pam Payton, Dennis Hatcher, Robert Reeves, Rebekah Cochran, Mark Ledbetter, Paul Burkette and family, and Jax Ward and family.



## **Prayer Focus**

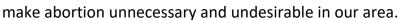
Wesley Chapel congregants are encouraged to pray for the many and varied needs facing us: individuals, family, community, special needs as they arise, concerns for health, and provisions of material resources. Prayers are for wisdom, direction, encouragement, and consolation as needed. Providing specifics for needs and designed approach to prayer helps ensure that we are united in purpose and specifically identify the needs based upon scriptural foundations that address the issues and concerns of those for whom prayer is offered.

#### PRAYER FOR RESOURCES FOR WOMEN

"Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you." Jeremiah 1:5

Resources for Women is a non-profit organization that provides free services to women and families. Their mission is to provide physical, emotional and spiritual support to

women, men, and families who are experiencing issues of an unplanned pregnancy, including grief over past abortions and to promote premarital abstinence. Their hope is to



Let us intentionally pray that this organization is supported by our community so that they can continue their services. They need volunteers: receptionists, coordinators, outreach supporters, boutique assistants, liaisons with churches, and donations. Pray to discover how you can best help this organization.

Let us pray for the mothers, babies, and fathers in our area that are being helped by them so that they can experience the unconditional love of Jesus from the community.  $^{\rm 1}$ 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Information was obtained from their brochure and website.



# **Weekly Calendar**

Sunday School – 10:00 am Worship Service – 11:00 am

# **Bible Study**

Wednesday at 5:30 p.m.

# **Choir Practice**

Wednesday at 6:15 p.m.





The church office will be closed tomorrow in observance of Memorial Day.

Next Sunday, June 1<sup>st</sup>, our communion offering will go to Resources for Women.

We will add this offering to the change we are collecting in the baby bottles.

We will collect the donations for this drive until Father's Day.

Our **administrative board** meets Monday, June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00 p.m.

**CONNECTING CONGREGATION & COMMUNITY WITH JESUS CHRIST!** 

# The Great Redeemer's Praise Hymnal Donations

## **IN MEMORY OF:**

David Whitman by Bill and Pam Whitman
James and Sue Ivey by Gary and Sherry Bentley

## **IN HONOR OF:**

Rachel Hobson by Fred and Maryanne Pate The Reynolds children and grandchildren by Jimmy and Sherry Reynolds