

✠ Easter Affirmation of Faith (in unison)
We believe in Jesus Christ the Lord, who died on the cross to free us from sin, who rose from the dead to give us life and hope.
We believe in God His Father, who raised Him from the dead, who desires that all people everywhere be saved.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, who moves us to both faith and obedience, who is the guarantee of our salvation.
We believe God has made us His people, to invite others to follow Jesus Christ, to proclaim forgiveness of sins and hope, to the praise of His glory. Amen.

Silent Prayers of Confession and Intercession

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer ~ (Matthew 6:9-13, KJV) (in unison)

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.

Choral Prayer Response

Choir

"For Thine Is the Kingdom"

A. Mallotte

Anthem

Choir

"Let the Whole Creation Cry"

S. Brooke / L. Dangler

Invitation to Give Generously: *"So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith."* (Galatians 6:9-10)

Honoring God through Our Giving

Offertory

Piano / Organ

"All Things Bright and Beautiful"

Royal Oak

✠ *"Doxology"*

#815

✠ Prayer of Celebration

Children's Message

Ann Bachman

✠ Please rise in body or spirit.

✠ Hymn

"Fairest Lord Jesus"

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✠ Reading of the Scripture

John 14:15-21 (pg. 101)

Pastor: The Word of God for the People of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

✠ Prayer

Message

Are We Living as Orphans?

✠ Hymn of Invitation

"This Is My Father's World"

#143

(Anyone who may be ready to receive Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, rededicate their lives to Christ, join the church, or request special prayer is invited to come forward and meet with the pastor during the Hymn of Invitation.)

✠ Benediction

✠ Postlude

"God of the Earth, the Sky, the Sea"

Piano / Organ

Wm. Gardiner

GO and SERVE

✠ Please rise in body or spirit.

Activities for May 21 ~ 27, 2017

Sunday:	9:30 a.m.	Sunday School
	10:45 a.m.	Worship Service
	12:15 p.m.	Stewardship/Finance Committee
	12:15 p.m.	Christian Education Committee
Wednesday:	6:30 p.m.	Choir Practice



For the glory of God, Knoxville First Cumberland Presbyterian Church exists to worship Christ, evangelize the lost, love one another and our neighbor, and learn more about our God.



Prayer Concerns

In the Hospital

On-going Health and Prayer Concerns

Mildred Acuff; Ann and Mike Bachman; Lee Barron; Preston Beeler (cousin of Greg Beeler); Gordon Blaylock; Peggy Bradshaw (mother of Dianne Fielder); **FAMILY OF WANELL BROWN** (friend of Rose Wilkinson); Charlotte Byrd; **Cumberland Presbyterian missionaries**; Hannah Davis; Mary Helen Daniel; Mae Denton (friend of Tammy Eblen); **DANNY EBLEN**; Grace Flory (mother of Lois Witmer); Judy Gammon; Mark Hester; Betty and Bud Hickman (friends of Mary Ann Haney); Pat Housley (coworker of Amanda Roberts); Betty Kennedy (friend of Rose Wilkinson); Bob Lawson (friend of Pastor Mike); Alexi Llewellyn (granddaughter of a friend of Rose Wilkinson); Keith Lunsford (cousin of Susan Edwards and Pastor Mike); Catherine McKinney; Ruth McNabb (mother of Tammy Eblen); Peter McNamara (friend of Hannah Haddox); Dewaine Moncier, Jr. (cousin of Dianne Fielder); Alice Montgomery; Georgia Moore (sister of Jewell Kerr); Amy Beth Davidson Morgan; Cliff Parrott; Sara Paul (friend of Rose Wilkinson); **persecuted Christians around the world**; Anna Faye Presley (niece of Catherine McKinney); David and Rebecca Rech (parents of Justin Rech); Lori Roark (sister of Kim McCurry); **PAULINE SHERROD** (friend of Lois Witmer); John Snoderly (brother of Betty Hammill); John Snoderly, Jr. (nephew of Betty Hammill); Sydney Snoderly (great-niece of Betty Hammill); Charlie Spaulding (homeschool student); Jean Stapleton (mother of Elaine Stapleton); **MILLARD SUMMERS** (father of Steve Summer); Shane Thompson (cousin of Hannah Haddox and Amanda Roberts); Angel Tindell (grand-daughter of Catherine McKinney); Carl Ware (father of Sam Ware); Codee Weaver (son of Elaine Stapleton); Lee Wells (mother of a coworker of Susan Edwards); Devan Wilhite (friend of Greg Beeler); Rose Wilkinson (mother of Susan Edwards and Pastor Mike)

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where you belong!

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Celebration of Worship

May 21 2017; 10:45 a.m.

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Welcome and Announcements

Registration of Attendance

Prelude

"The Spacious Firmament"

Piano / Organ

Joseph Hayden

Lighting of the Candles

Jennifer Rech and Josephine Rech

Chimes

✠ Call to Worship

"He Is Lord"

#34

✠ Prayer of Invocation

✠ Hymn of Praise

"Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him"

#82

✠ Greeting

"I Live"

#366

Recognition of Our Graduates

✠ Please rise in body or spirit.