# Worship Celebration July 8, 2007 10:45 a. m.

Prelude

"Praise Ye The Triune God"

Arr. Peterson

Lighting of the Candles

Chimes

Welcome & Announcements

Registration of Attendance

(Please use the red pads provided near the center aisle and pass them along your pew. Thank you!)

+The Call to Worship

Pastor: "God's plan has always been to adopt us in His own family

by bringing us to Himself through Jesus Christ.

People: He has given us the privilege of being born again, so that we

are now members of His own family."

Pastor: Let us praise the Lord!

People: The Lord's name be praised!

+Hymn of Praise

"Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"

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+Greeting

"The Bond of Love"

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The Morning Prayer & The Lord's Prayer (in unison)

"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 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 forever! Amen."

**Choral Response** 

Anthem "We'll Understand If Better By and By"

Chancel Choir Arr. Kirkland (Sheila Emory, soloist) Receiving of Tithes & Offerings "Wonderful Peace"

Piano/Organ

+Doxology

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"Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen."

Children's Message

(Children's Church will follow for everyone up to grade three.)

+Hymn of His Love and Mercy

"Blessed Assurance"

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The Message of the Scripture

Nehemiah 1:1-4; 2:1-5

(pg. 422 & 423)

The Morning Message

"Want to Make a Difference?"

Pastor Wood

+Hymn of Invitation

"I Am Thine, O Lord"

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+The Benediction and Blessing for the Noon Meal

Postlude

"A Shelter in the Time of Storm"

Hymn Tune

#### +please stand

# Activities for July 8-14

9:30 a.m. Sunday School (Librarian on duty)

10:45 a.m. Worship Service

7:00 p.m. Concert-Christians in Action

Tues., 10:00 a.m. Bible Olympics 11:00 a.m. West Circle

7:00 p.m. Building & Grounds

Wed., 10:00 a.m. "KIC"

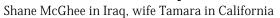
6:30 p.m. Choir

7:00 p.m. Finance Committee

Fri., 7:00 p.m. Christian Rock Concert



#### In the Military





#### In the Hospital

Dick Booher, recovering from surgery, Ft. Sanders Bonnie Holbert, Ft. Sanders

## **On-going Health and Prayer Concerns**

Ted Ford (broken foot); Marlene Ritchey; Pastors Euripides Morera, Rodrigo Torress and Gilberto Arteaga, and their congregations in Buenaventura, Columbia; Brack Emory; Mary Jane Blaylock; Denominational Center Task Force; Donna Wann (mother of David Wann); Ileana Grace Hayes; Bill Hammill; Reba Smith; Bill & Flora Mae Keene; Mildred Stone; Tom Raines; Edna Fleenor; Pollye Pharaoh; Maxine McGuire; Mrs. Don Franks; Priscilla McCoy (Kim Halbert's mother); Margaret Lindsay; Mary Cregger; Jennie Lee Middlemas; Irene Brooks (Nancy Wood's mother); JoAnn Ford; Howard Eblen; William Barron (Lee's Father); Nellie Ramold, Edna Fugate, Millie McNeil, Heidi Holton, Fred and Emily Ford, Larry Parker, Rose Gauthler, Carol King, Georgianna Harned, and Michael Blazer (friends of Dorothy Porter); Doug Bailey (friend of the Witmers); Joyce Creasman and Laura Grodian (friends of Wendy Goodrich); Lois Witmer's sister, Brenda Burk and their family; Jonathan Migas (son of Margaret Migas); Jessie Black (Ann Bachman's mother); Barbara Hester; Levi Bailey, nephew of Melissa Luttrell; Ruth McNabb, Tammy Eblen's mother.

Please keep the Church office informed of any needed changes to our Prayer Concerns list. Call 588-8581 or email firstcpc@earthlink.net.

### Who are Cumberland Presbyterians?

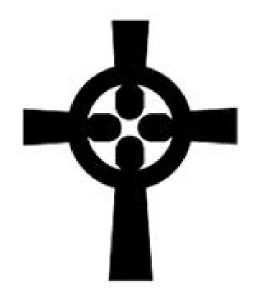
The Cumberland Presbyterian Church is a distinctive denomination of worldwide Presbyterians. We enjoy a rich heritage beginning in "Cumberland Country" of the American frontier. We evolved out of the Presbyterian Church USA. Cumberland Presbyterian churches and missions are located primarily across the southeastern and southwestern sectors of the United States and in six countries around the world. Additional information on the origin and doctrines of the church is yours simply for asking for it when you sign the card in the visitors' folder.

#### What about First Church?

The purpose of the First Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Knoxville, Tennessee, is to make a profound difference for Christ in the lives of people to whom we minister by providing meaningful opportunities for worship, learning, serving, and witnessing in the kingdom of God.

# What about our Worship?

We design our worship to be uplifting and joyful, Biblically sound, prayerful and engaging. We celebrate the Lord's Supper monthly, open to all professing believers. Persons desiring to unite with our church do so by responding to the invitation given by our pastor after the sermon.



# First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

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