

Worship Celebration 5th Sunday of Easter April 27, 2008 10:45 a. m.

Anthem "Praise Medley"	Chancel Choir
Receiving of Tithes & Offerings	
Offertory "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"	Piano / Organ
+Doxology "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."	#625
Children's Message (Children's Church will follow for everyone up to grade three.)	
Hymn "I Will Sing of My Redeemer"	#506
The Message of the Scriptures	Philippians 3:7-14 (pg. 183)
The Morning Message "A True Disciple Must Be Free and Focused!"	Pastor Kevin Wood
Hymn of Invitation "He Touched Me"	#504
+Benediction	
+Postlude "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say"	Arr. Hughes

+please stand

Activities for April 27-May 3, 2008

Sun., 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
(Librarian on duty)
10:45 a.m. Worship Service
Wed., 6:30 p.m. Choir Practice

Prelude "Marching to Zion"	Arr. Kerrick
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 Leader: "Forget what is behind and reach forward to what is ahead. People: Pursue with passion the goal of winning the prize promised by God's heavenly call in Christ Jesus!" Leader: Let us praise the Lord! People: The Lord's name be praised!	Tom Witmer
+Hymn of Praise "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus"	#477
+Greeting "He Is Lord"	#105
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
+please stand	



Prayer Concerns

In the Military

Shane McGhee in Iraq, wife Tamara in California
Bill Hickman in Iraq, Lee Barron's cousin



In the Hospital

Wally Holt, Walter Reed Military Hospital, Iraq War Veteran
Taylor Adkins (friend of Marikate Walker), St. Jude's Children's Hospital

On-going Health and Prayer Concerns

Taylor Ford; Marlene Ritchey; Pastors Euripides Morena, Rodrigo Torress and Gilberto Arteaga, and their congregations in Buenaventura, Columbia; Brack Emory; Mary Jane Blaylock; Denominational Center Task Force; Ileana Grace Hayes; Bill Hammill; Reba Smith; Bill & Flora Mae Keene; Mildred Stone; Edna Fleenor; Priscilla McCoy; Margaret Lindsay; Mary Cregger; Irene Brooks; William Barron; Doug Bailey; Joyce Creasman; Brenda Burk; Jonathan Migas; Bernie Migas; Levi Bailey; Lillian Stephens; Neal Denton; Bonnie Holbert; Otis Clinton Shelby; Franklin Graham Crusade coming to Knoxville in April, 2008; Lois Witmer; Francis Bogart; Noreen Bogart; Barbara Leith; Elena Zimmerman; Gladys Stone; Judy and Toby Rogers; Lea Acuff; Mildred Acuff; Judy Lawson (Lisa Deal's Aunt); Dewaine Moncier, Jr. (Dianne Fielder's cousin); A. R. Wood (Kevin Wood's brother); Hannah Davis; Lisa Deal; Diana Hess; JoAnn Ford; Maxine McGuire; Clara Zelinski; Bill M. (friend of the Congdons); Jerrie Moffet; Pat Booher; Dan Miller; Arrienne Murphy; Traci Van De Vate; Lisa Hayes; Kevin Wood; Mister Childs; the family of Mrs. Don G. Etelka Franks; Curtis McNabb (Tammy Eblen's father); Judy GWilliams..

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

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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 bi-monthly, open to all professing believers. Persons desiring to unite with our congregation may do so by responding to the invitation given by our pastor after the sermon.



"Follow Me..."

First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

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