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U.S. Bulk Rate
Spring City, TN 37381
Permit #20

OFFICE HOURS

Mon. - Thurs.: 8:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m.
Fri.: 8:00 am-12 pm.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

8:45 a.m. Contemporary Worship
9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Heritage Worship

RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED



				1 8:30 PDO	2	3
4 First Dollar Sunday 8:45 Contemporary Service 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Heritage Service 4:30 AA-FH 6:00 Bible Study	5 10:00 TLC	6 8:30 PDO 3:00 Men's A.D. Group 6:00 Circle of Love	7 10:00 Women's A.D Group 11:30 Prayer Mtg. 5:00 SCM Kids/Youth 6:00 Choir Practice 6:30 Maddux A.D. Group	8 8:30 PDO	9	10
11 Mother's Day 8:45 Contemporary Service 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Heritage Service 4:30 AA-FH 6:00 Bible Study	12 10:00 TLC	13 8:30 PDO 3:00 Men's A.D. Group 5:30 Leadership Team Meeting	14 10:00 Women's A.D Group 11:30 Prayer Mtg. 5:00 SCM Kids/Youth 6:00 Choir Practice 6:30 Maddux A.D.	15 8:30 PDO	16 9:30 Joy Group	17 Church Workday
18 8:45 Contemporary Service 9:45 Sunday School 11:00 Heritage Service 4:30 AA-FH 6:00 Bible Study	19 10:00 TLC	20 8:30 PDO 3:00 Men's A.D. Group 6:15 Recovery Alive	21 10:00 Women's A.D Group 11:30 Prayer Mtg. 5:00 SCM Kids/Youth 6:00 Choir Practice 6:30 Maddux A.D.	22 8:30 PDO	23	24
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RECOVERY

Alive

SCM has been invited to help the community with a Recovery Alive program. Recovery Alive, similar to Celebrate Recovery, is a church-based response to human brokenness that is rooted in the power, people and process of the Christ-centered 12 Steps. The plan is to begin May 20th having a weekly Tuesday meeting at Pentecostal Worship Center that will involve a meal. Local churches are being asked to provide a meal once a month.

SCM would like to have enough volunteers to have quarterly teams, so our church would provide a meal every third Tuesday, but each volunteer would only need to serve four times a year. Meals would start serving 70 people but could grow to 180 people as the program grows.

The schedule would be:

- 6:15 PM Meal
- 7:00 PM Worship
- 7:30 PM Lesson
- 8:00 PM Small Groups

If you are willing to become a change agent bringing hope and healing to the community through the power, people, and process of the Christ-centered 12 Step program, please call the office or indicate on the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board.

EASTER GREETINGS APRIL 2025

MIKE POWERS, MIDSOUTH CONFERENCE SUPERINTENDENT

SHERRY AND I PRAISE GOD FOR THE OPPORTUNITY TO WORSHIP AND CELEBRATE EASTER AGAIN THIS YEAR IN THE SPIRIT-FILLED FELLOWSHIP OF OUR BROTHERS AND SISTERS IN THE GLOBAL METHODIST CHURCH. YOUR JOY IN THE LORD IS CONTAGIOUS, LIBERATING, AND DESPERATELY NEEDED IN HOMES AND NEIGHBORHOODS ACROSS THE WORLD. YOUR LOVE FOR ALL GOD LOVES IS TRANSFORMING LIVES, FAMILIES, CHURCHES AND COMMUNITIES. THE LATE SHELDON VANAUKEN WROTE, THE BEST ARGUMENT FOR CHRISTIANITY IS CHRISTIANS: **THEIR JOY, THEIR CERTAINTY, THEIR COMPLETENESS. WHEN CHRISTIANS ARE SOMBER, JOYLESS, SELF-RIGHTEOUS, SMUG, NARROW, REPRESSIVE – CHRISTIANITY DIES A THOUSAND DEATHS.** THANK YOU, CHURCH, FOR BEING A WITNESS OF SAVING AND SANCTIFYING GRACE: GOD DOING FOR US WHAT WE CANNOT DO FOR OURSELVES.

OUR PRAYER FOR YOU THROUGH THE HEARTBREAK OF HOLY WEEK AND THE EXUBERANCE OF EASTER SUNDAY IS THAT EACH OF YOU WILL BE FILLED WITH THE RESURRECTION POWER OF JESUS CHRIST AND GENEROUSLY SHARE HOPE TO THE HOPELESS, STRENGTH TO THE FALTERING, LOVE TO THE LONELY, HONESTY TO THE UNTRUTHFUL, HEALING TO THE BROKEN, COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING, PEACE TO THE GRIEVING, FAITH TO THE UNBELIEVING, REDEEMING GRACE TO THE SIN-SICK SOUL. WITH THE ASSURANCE OF HIS PRESENCE, MAY YOU AND YOUR LOVED ONES BE BLESSED AND COMFORTED AND TRANSFORMED INTO COURAGEOUS, SPIRIT-FILLED AND SPIRIT-LED DISCIPLES WHO OBEDIENTLY FOLLOW OUR RISEN LORD EVERY DAY, DOING ALL THE GOOD YOU CAN, IN ALL THE WAYS YOU CAN, TO ALL THE SOULS YOU CAN, IN EVERY PLACE YOU CAN, AT ALL TIMES YOU CAN, WITH ALL THE ZEAL YOU CAN, AS LONG AS EVER YOU CAN, FOR THE SAKE OF HIS KINGDOM THAT WILL NEVER END AND THE LOVE THAT WILL NEVER BE EXHAUSTED.

THANK YOU, EASTER PEOPLE, FOR BEING GOD'S LOVE LETTER TO THE WORLD.

HAPPY

mothers
DAY

May 11, 2025

CHURCH WORKDAY

"Two are better than one,
because they have a good return for their
labor..." (Ecclesiastes 4:9)



MAY 17TH

Time: TBA



2025 MISSION OFFERING
MIDSOUTH GMC

We are joining each of these missional partnerships to provide training & resources for church multiplication, evangelism, and disciple-making.



Mozambique International Mission Partnership



Slovakia International Mission Partnership



Western States Mission Partnership

In addition to these mission training resources for multiplication, evangelism, and discipleship... We are coming alongside for:

- Helping the Conference Superintendents of each of these annual conferences for travel to visit MidSouth congregations as part of our mission partnership.
- Sharing the cost of constructing modest church buildings to replace those lost by the pastors and churches after disaffiliation in Mozambique and repairing the structural work of older church buildings in Slovakia.
- Offering care and assistance to Mozambique, a nation in the midst of civil war, as we reach out to our brothers and sisters who face challenges and dangers.
- Assisting travel expenses for the Western States Conference Superintendent to visit congregations across the expansive geographical area of the Western States Annual Conference which covers California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Nevada, Utah, Arizona, Alaska, and Hawaii.

Here is how your church can participate:

We are asking each local church to prayerfully consider giving a minimum of \$10 per average worship attendance for your congregation.

EXAMPLE:

- 25 in average weekly worship – pray about giving \$250
- 50 in average weekly worship – pray about giving \$500
- 100 in average weekly worship – pray about giving \$1,000
- 250 in average weekly worship – pray about giving \$2,500



Share the mission offering info across your congregation.



Spend time in prayer with one another to discern your giving.



Give online or in-person at the June 2025 annual conference gathering.



GENERAL INQUIRIES - Missions Chair, Rev. Mike Morrissey at morrisseys@thailandnow.org

MidSouth AC Missions Offering
Missions Chair: Rev. Mike Morrissey
Published by: Communications Committee
Director of Communications: Rev. Amy Carlson

Learn more & give online:



THE GMC MIDSOUTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

JUNE 8TH - 11TH

FAIRVIEW METHODIST CHURCH (GMC)

**2508 OLD NILES FERRY RD
MARYVILLE, TN 37803**

IF YOU HAVE NOT REGISTERED PLEASE DO SO SOON ON THE WEBSITE:

MIDSOUTHGMC.ORG

IN LOVING
Memory and Honor

Walt and Linda Morse gave to the Sanctuary Music Fund in memory of Gina Winterberger.

Liz Stair gave to the general budget in honor of Mary Coulter.

God Bless you!

Happy Birthday!

1 Richard Stair	18 Casey Cash
1 Helen Kincannon	21 Gary Gilmore
1 Angela Moffett	21 Kathy Greene
3 Pat Douglas	25 Billy Ray Patton
4 Diane Yonke	26 Bryan Massengale
5 Kevin Rose	27 Constance Garrison
7 Ann Winterberger	29 Katlyn Rose
8 Jennings Smith	31 Angela Rose
11 Jerri Patton	
12 Nash Garrison	
15 Beth Casady	

Happy Anniversary

Don & Naomi Hinely	5
Tommy & Loretta Hale	7
Billy Ray and Jerrie Patton	7
Bill & Sue Speaker	13
Josh & Kimberly Wheat	14
Tom & Kathy Heime	27



First Dollar Sunday

The funds from First dollar Sunday will be donated to the GMC Annual Conference Missions offering.

May 4th



Circle of Love
May 6th

6:00 PM

Faithful Workers

5/04	5/11	5/18	5/25
<u>Acolyte</u> Olivia Garrison	<u>Acolyte</u> Sophie Grant	<u>Acolyte</u> Olivia Garrison	<u>Acolyte</u> Sophie Grant
<u>Ushers</u> Group 2	<u>Ushers</u> Group 3	<u>Ushers</u> Group 4	<u>Ushers</u> Group 1
<u>Altar Guild</u> Margo Hinsdale	<u>Altar Guild</u> Margo Hinsdale	<u>Altar Guild</u> Margo Hinsdale	<u>Altar Guild</u> Margo Hinsdale

YTD BUDGET REPORT GIVING & MONEY DISBURSED

March 2025

Income	Mar 25	Budget	% of Budget
Contributions	190,281.01	399068.95	47.68%
Parent's Day Out	7,000.00	27,500.00	25.45%
Other Income	4625.23	16,500.00	28.03%
Total Income	201,906.24	443,068.95	45.57%
Expenses			
Salaries & Benefits	4,587.79	254,943.95	17.49%
Property Maintenance	11,582.66	91,300.00	12.98%
Office Administration	2,419.80	12,100.00	20.00%
Nurture and Music	464.18	4,900.00	9.47%
Witness		500.00	
Outreach - Missions	2,000.00	19,500.00	10.26%
GMC Funding	2,047.50	15,075.00	13.58%
Church Support	798.03	5,000.00	15.96%
Children's Ministry	53.89	5,250.00	1.03%
Adult Ministries	132.86	2000.00	6.64%
PDO Expenses	8,373.92	27,500.00	30.45%
Total Expense	75,895.72	438,068.95	17.33%

JOY GROUP



MISSIONARY RIDGE TRAIN RIDE
MAY 16TH
BUS LEAVES AT 9:30 AM

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

	3/30	4/06	4/13	4/20
CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP	N/A	33	28	48 (Sunrise Service)
HERITAGE WORSHIP	106	55	80	119
ON-LINE WORSHIP	25	40	19	32
TOTAL	131	128	127	199