This Week's Prayer Requests

Prayers & Praises -

Nelson Smith John Durante (Audra's father) Kim Longo (Cheryl Byers' sister) Sylvia Letterman **Debbie Overstreet** Terry Overstreet Olivia Witt Outhong Trey (Jeremy's friend) Barbara Cumber (Polly's friend) Janice Perkins Dan & Jan Reber E.T. Wilkerson Barbara Newman Hilda Morcom (Pat Cocke's friend) Janet Reeves (Cheryl B's cousin) Lorie Ventura (Shelton's mom) Eric Peterson (Susan's brother) Connie Brown Juanita Mitchen

Polly Clark Melissa Overstreet Willie Douglas Patricia Goff Pederson Crystal Fielder Becky Martin Kenneth Goff **Rachel Beatrice Snead Rickey Wright** Alvin Wilson Larry Morehead Precious Markham Brenda Wiles **Delores** Wilson Becky Harrison Ray Tolley Shirley Radford Brian Tomlinson Brenda Peters

Our Church/Community –

Lostness in our community Youth ministry (Jeremy Boykin)

Our Nation/World -

Government leaders & workers First Responders Our missionaries Ukraine (Bakers' ministry) Israel & innocent Palestinians Pastor Santos & 1st Bapt of Leguisamo Trey & Denise Shaw (Budapest)

2025 Regular Giving:

Last Week: \$ 2,470 2025 Budgeted Need: \$ 4,426 Annie Armstrong \$ 2,370 YTD giving - \$ 5,464 (compared to budget)

Attendance Last Week: 55

This Week's Schedule

Sunday – 6:30pm Deacon's Meeting

Wednesday – 6:30pm Evening Service 7:30pm Choir Practice

March 23, 2025

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> Church Office Hours Mon, Thurs-Fri 1-5pm

Order of Service

Welcome

Hymn #136

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Prayer

Hymns #511 #656 The Solid Rock A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

Worship with Tithes & Offerings

(Children's Service Dismissal – age 4 thru 3rd grade)

Message:Spiritual Truths to Hold on To"Pastor Ken2 Timothy 3:1-5, 12-13, 4:3-5

Hymn of Decision #530

I'd Rather Have Jesus

Benediction

You are invited to come and celebrate Erma Whorley's 80th birthday on Saturday, April 5, from 1 – 4pm at the old American Legion Hall Bldg in Big Island. Please bring a covered dish to share! No gifts – your presence is her present! RSVP at 540-874-0881.

Children's Service, Assigned Deacons, Teller Team

Today - Nursery: Tiffiny Underwood & Laney Dinwiddie Service: Cheryl Coleman & Kaylee Byers Next Week - Nursery: Erica Barnett, Kellea & Audrey Hogan Service: Susan Massie & Brenda Pinson Deacon of the Week: Ricky Wright Backups: Gary Oliver, Craig Rusher Teller Team: Larry Whorley Next Week: Shelton Gray

Easter Services

Good Friday Evening Service (with the Lord's Supper) April 18 @ 6:30pm

Easter Morning Early Service April 20 @ 7:30am Breakfast in Camden Hall @ 8:00am Sunday School @ 9:45am Morning Worship @ 11:00am

General Announcements

Annie Armstrong Easter Offering: Your special offering goes to directly support the ministry of more than 2,000 NAMB missionaries. You can give by using any envelope - make sure "Missions" is written clearly on the envelope. *Our goal this year if \$4,500*.

Senior Citizens Lunch: At Bull's Steak House (1887 Old Graves Mill Rd, Forest VA) at 11:30am. Leaving church at 10:45am if you want to carpool. Plan to visit Peddler Antiques and some consignment shops before coming home. Please sign up at bulletin board by March 30. Should be a fun day. FMI see Patricia Cocke.

Messiah in the Passover: Sign up at bulletin board for this presentation by Chosen People Ministries which will be on Friday, April 11 at 7:00pm in Camden Hall. Our speaker will demonstrate a Seder meal and discuss the symbolism of Christ in the Passover. Program is free; we will take up a love offering.

Easter Flowers: Order forms for Easter lilies (\$15) and hydrangeas (\$40) are on the bulletin board. Place your order by Wednesday, April 9; please return your order form to the folder on Susan's desk in the Church Office.

Office Hours: Susan will not be in the office on Monday 3/24, and Thursday 3/27. *All information for the bulletin on Sunday 3/30 needs to be in by 1pm on Friday 3/28.*

Operation Christmas Child: For March, we are collecting washcloths. Collection box - in hallway of the Education Wing.