# — Faith — Over Fear and Doubt

February 4, 2024



We exist to welcome ALL people by sharing the Love of Christ!

9:00 am Service 5th Sunday after the Epiphany February 4, 2024

**WELCOME and OPENING PRAYER** 

Charlotte Mason

PRELUDE Gayle Graening

(As the music begins, we invite you to prayerfully prepare for this time of worship as the Acolyte Lights the candle.)

Kelly Byrum, Acolyte

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Charlotte Mason

Leader: Over the turbulent waves in our lives, Jesus calls us.

Congregation: We get so busy watching the waves, we block out Jesus' call.

Leader: Let's look again. Jesus is calling to us.

Congregation: Lord, help us hear your voice!

Leader: Come, let us place our trust in Jesus.

Congregation: Lord, forgive our doubts, our fears and receive our lives! AMEN!

\*HYMN OF PRAISE Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee UMH 89

INVITATION, CONFESSION AND PARDON

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH The Apostles' Creed **UMH 881** \*GLORIA PATRI Glory Be to the Father **UMH 70** You Are Mine **Chancel Choir** MUSICAL OFFERING PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD'S PRAYER Charlotte Mason \*HYMN OF PREPARATION Surely the Presence of the Lord **UMH 328** Matthew 14:22-33 Rev. Felicia Kumar \*SCRIPTURE

SERMON Faith Over Fear and Doubt Rev. Felicia Kumar

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

**SERVICE OF WORD AND TABLE**Communion Servers:

Don Cunningham & Mickie Stone Pam Broeckelmann & Sandy Hasch

\*HYMN OF COMMITMENT Leaning on the Everlasting Arms UMH 133
\*BENEDICTION Rev. Felicia Kumar

\*DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING Give to the Winds Thy Fears UMH 129

(Please remain standing as the Acolyte brings the Light of Christ.)

POSTLUDE Gayle Graening

\*Please stand as you are able

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Weekly Prayer Time Wednesdays at 9:30 am in Rehoboth UMC's Historic Chapel

You are invited to come and be a part of the weekday prayer time every Wednesday at 9:30 am in the Chapel.

If you can't pray out loud or in public, no worries! God intercedes on our behalf and God hears and listens to our silent prayers offered to Him with a genuine spirit! As God's Word instructs us, we are to cast our cares upon the Lord, because God cares for us!! So, bring all your requests — whether it is for you, your family, church family, workplace, community, nation or for the world and we will take it to the Lord in prayer!

We Welcome

Stephanie Shumate
775 Douglas Bend Rd.
Gallatin, TN 37066
who joined the church
during the 11:15 am
worship service on
January 28

11:15 am Service 5th Sunday afte

5th Sunday after the Epiphany

**February 4, 2024** 

WELCOME and OPENING PRAYER \*SONGS OF PRAISE

Forever on Your Side

Matt D'Angelo Praise Team

Carrie Neblett

Matt D'Angelo Praise Team

Rev. Felicia Kumar

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Praise Team

Chorus:

All these pieces, they fall in line
Because I'm forever on your side
Take my hand when you can't see the light
'Cause I'm forever on your side
I will carry you every time
'Cause I'm forever on your side

Your Love Defends Me

Chorus:

Surely my God is the strength of my soul

Your love defends me Your love defends me And when I feel like I'm all alone

Your love defends me Your love defends me

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD'S PRAYER

\*MUSICAL OFFERING

Overcome

Chorus:

We will not be moved
When the earth gives way
For the risen One has overcome

And for every fear
There's an empty grave
For the risen One has overcome

\*SCRIPTURE Matthew 14:22-33
SERMON Faith Over Fear and Doubt

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

HOLY COMMUNION

Communion Servers: Rose & Jack Plause

Holy Spirit

\*SONG OF COMMITMENT Holy Sp

Chorus:

Holy Spirit, You are welcome here

Come flood this place and fill the atmosphere Your glory, God, is what our hearts long for To be overcome, by Your presence, Lord

Your presence, Lord

\*BENEDICTION
BENEDICTION SONG

Rev. Felicia Kumar Praise Team

\*Please stand as you are able

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#### Please Help With Providing a Meal for the Stay Warm Shelter - Friday, February 9

Stay Warm Shelter (SWS) is a program for the unhoused in Gallatin and Hendersonville. It is located at First Baptist Winchester in Gallatin. SWS offers the homeless the opportunity for a warm place to stay/fellowship on Friday nights in the months of January and February. They also provide meal delivery on Friday nights to individuals who prefer to stay in their own location.

Rehoboth UMC has volunteered to provide a meal for 90 guests on Friday, February 9, and **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO:** 

- Help the Youth Group with baking cookies, supervising the assembly of snack bags, and cleanup during their Wednesday Evening Youth Gathering on February 7.
- Help on February 9 at 4 pm to prepare chili and hotdogs at the church kitchen.
- At least 4 volunteers are needed to transport the prepared meals and serve from 7 to 9 pm (Unlimited Potential Community Life Center Gym on 260 East Winchester St in Gallatin).

If you are available to help with any of these requests, if you have questions or for further information, please contact Charlotte Mason at (575) 650-5418.

#### Week of February 4, 2024

#### Today:

8:30 am Chancel Choir 9:00 am Traditional Worship Service

10:00 am Fellowship Time

10:30 am Sunday School

11:15 am Contemporary Worship Service Youth Ministry Team (FH) 12:30 pm

1:00 pm Children's Ministry Team (FH)

Monday:

7:00 pm "Restored" Lenten Study (via Zoom)

#### Wednesday:

7:45 am Men's Breakfast at Panera Weekday Prayer Time (Chapel) 9:30 am

10:00 am Monthly Ladies Gathering

"Restored" Lenten Study (Library) 10:00 am ma 00:6 Children's Group

6:00 pm Youth Group Chancel Choir

6:15 pm Friday:

Prep Food for Stay Warm Shelter (FH) 4:00 pm 7:00 pm Serving at Stay Warm Shelter

Saturday:

9:00 am Sweetheart Breakfast (FH)

#### **Birthdays**

Feb 4 Rick Sims

Feb 5 Elijah Rivera

Feb 6 Mary Bennett

Stephanie Shumate

Feb 7 Jillian Draper Thomas Draper

Feb 9 Al Spare



#### REHOBOTH STAFF

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#### Rehoboth's Prayer Requests

Carry each other's burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2

#### Long-Term

(hospice care or long-term medical treatments, diagnosis or rehab)

Maria Avila-Raspet (J. Miller) Edith Hardy John McIntosh Bobbie Sullins (T. Cage) Barbara Vaughn (Walker)

Sara Kennedy (B. Miller) Al Burzo (J. Miller) Jackson Murtha (Shumate) Jean Caae Helena Ludwia Candy Smith (Hart) Donna Stephens (J. Miller)

Frances Catron (Catron) Michael Mayernick (Dorris) Hanson family Sylvia McGinty (Hart) Sylvia Street (Walker)

#### Health Concerns

Lynn D'Angelo (D'Angelo) Ernie Grinder Matthew Bautula (Lehmann) Bill Ross

Shan Boone Anne Dorris Chuck Hanes (A. Ayre) Caroline Rudy (A. Ayre) Jack Bradley (Dorris) Jon Dorris (Dorris) Pam Hanes (A. Ayre) Pat Thacker (Shumate) Lucretia Brinkley (Ayre) Cathy Duncan (Grinder) Jennifer Harrison (Kranz) Wilburn Thacker (Shumate) Danny Ellis (J. Miller) Todd Willbanks (Willbanks) Marion Brown (Kranz) Laura Hayes Shasta Brown (Brown) Gerald Esmer (Esmer) Jan Mapes (Plause) Ron Woods

Phil Byrum Maria Dill (Lehmann) Jack Miller

Tammy Coleman (Kranz) Nancy Garrison (J. Miller) Bob Plausse (Plause)

Family of Ron Gagliardi (Cundiff)

#### Other Concerns

Family of Troy Armand (J. Miller) Wesley Hammox & family (A. Mason) Family of Daryl Pritchard (Calabro) Family of Melvin Burke (A. Mason) Kayla (Calabro) Family of Jason Sloan (A. Mason) Family of Janet Plausse (Plause)

#### Sympathy To

Dalton and Dakota McClendon and family in the passing of Dalton and Dakota's grandmother Nancy McClendon

Individuals will remain on our list for up to 3 weeks. Please contact the church office to resubmit a praise and/or prayer request. (Names in Bold have been newly added to the list.)

#### **Updates**

## "Restored" Lenten Weekly Bible Study (Begins This Week)



The previously-scheduled
Tuesday Afternoon Session
has been changed to:
Wednesday Mornings at 10 am.
The Monday Zoom Session
Remains at 7 pm.

# Sunday, March 3 Reverting Back to our Normal Sunday Worship Schedule

9 am Traditional Worship Service 10 am Fellowship Time 10:30 am Sunday School 11:15 am Contemporary Worship Service

## Church-wide Retreat Rescheduled for September 6-8



The Church-wide Retreat Scheduled for March has been rescheduled for September 6-8.

Watch for updated information coming soon.



Monthly Wednesday Morning
Ladies Gathering
10 am in the Oasis area
Wednesday (February 7)
All Ladies are Welcome!



#### Youth Hangout - Super Bowl Party Sunday, February 11

A family who lives close to the church has offered to host our students at their home to watch the Super Bowl beginning at 4:30 pm.

It will be a fun night to hangout even for those who don't enjoy football!

Since this event will not be held at the church, if you are interested in attending, please message Tim at 708-256-9098 for the address.



#### SWEETHEART BREAKFAST

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10 9:00 AM - FELLOWSHIP HALL

Please sign up in the Fellowship Hall



Lunch at
The Chocolate Covered
Strawberry
Wednesday, February 14

#### Meet at the restaurant at 11:00 am

If you need a ride, please contact Norm Kranz (615-400-5767)

Please sign up in the Fellowship Hall.



VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED TO HELP WITH THIS FISH FRY EVENT.
PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE FELLOWSHIP HALL IF YOU ARE ABLE TO HELP.