

FEBRUARY 6, 2022

MORNING WORSHIP
6TH SUNDAY AFTER EPIPHANY

10:30 A.M.

GREETING THE GATHERED: The Love of Jesus Christ be with you!
ALL: And also with you!

THE WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE *The Prelude marks the beginning of worship.
Please observe silence as the Prelude begins.*

THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked, or take the path that sinners tread,
or sit in the seat of scoffers; but their delight is in the law of the LORD,
and on his law they meditate day and night.
They are like trees planted by streams of water, which yield their fruit in its season,
and their leaves do not wither. In all that they do, they prosper.

---Psalm 1: 1-3

THE PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

**We confess that we have sacrificed Your goodness for material goods.
We have meditated on our problems instead of meditating on Your promises.
We have shunned Your faithful love by seeking solace in sinful places.
We humbly seek Your mercy, O Lord.
Please forgive our rebellion and ignorance, our wayward hearts and loose tongues.
Restore us, O Lord, to the joy of Your salvation and make us willing to obey You.
Amen.**

THE SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION FOR OUR INDIVIDUAL SIN

THE DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS

What then are we to say about these things? If God is for us, who is against us? God, who did not withhold the Beloved Son, but gave him up for all of us. Will God not also give us everything else? Who will bring any charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is to condemn? It is Christ Jesus, who died, yes, who was raised, who is at the right hand of God, who indeed intercedes for us. -- Romans 8: 31-34

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel: In Jesus Christ you are forgiven.
Thanks be to God.

THE FIRST READING: 1 Corinthians 15: 12-20

THE PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

THE LESSON: Luke 6: 17-26

THE SERMON: “The Sermon on the Plains”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

***AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: THE APOSTLES' CREED**
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth,
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost,
born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried;
he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead;
he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints;
the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

THE CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE

**All Who Are Able Please Stand*

WELCOME & INVITATION

*This church welcomes you, no matter who you are,
where you come from, or why you are here.*

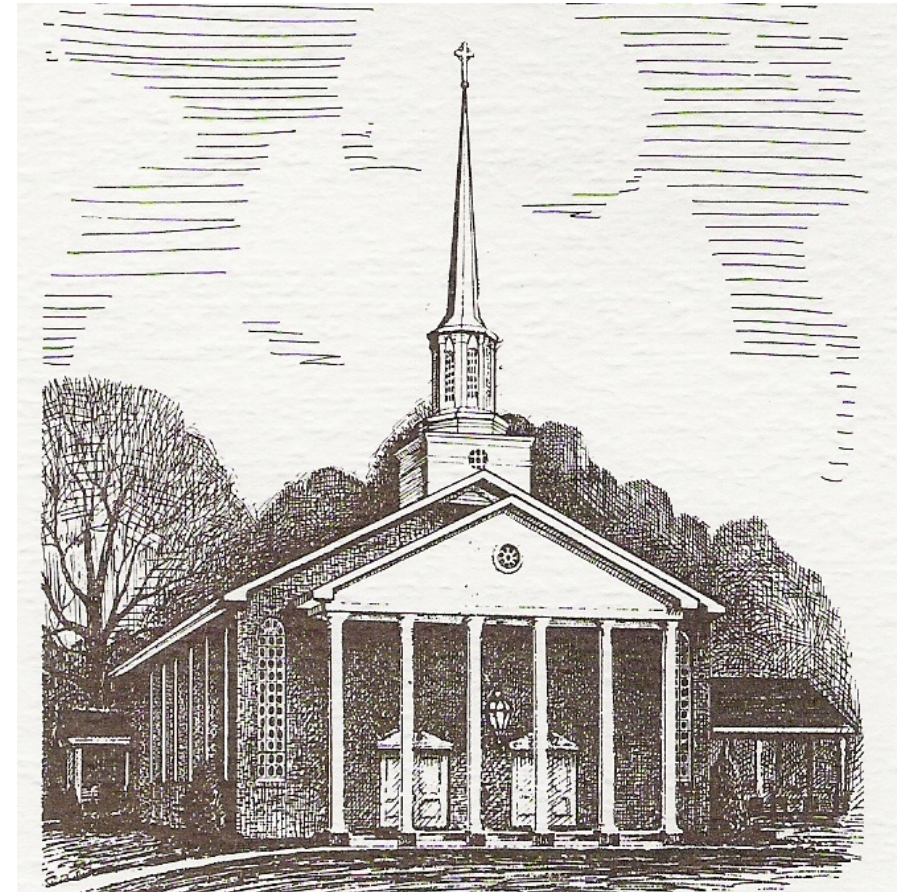
*We are Christ's people,
and this is Christ's place with its doors open wide.
If you are passing through, Godspeed;
if you are looking for a home, stay here;
if you need instruction, learn from us as we learn from you.
We invite visitors to join us, but most of all, to return often.*

We are so glad you are here.

FOR YOUR INFORMATION: The RPC Office is open Monday through Wednesday
9:00 AM - 4:00 PM, & Thursday, 9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

RPC Staff
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Jennifer Huddleston | Choir Director
Lynn Hill | Administrator & Pianist

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PRAYER LIST FOR IMMEDIATE NEEDS

Trent Eaton, Rudy & Shirley Brooks, (Hollie Wigington Brooks's in-laws), Desirae Johnson, KeeBee Edgeston (daughter of Earnest Rainer), Keith Cox, Sandra Love, Joe Reaves, Sue Gossett, Cathy Dunaway, Jimmy Gaillard, Ann Wigington, Margaret & Kent Montgomery, Sherry Hill, Lorenzo Medford, Gail Allensworth, Ali Rae Barkley, Adrienne Phillips, Jamie Wall, Calvin Austin, Ticer Brown, Bradley Childs, Leah & Miles Harrell.

Our Deepest Sympathies to...

The family of Danny Wilbanks (Sherry Hill's brother)
The family of Linda Jo Braddock Smith (Ann Wigington's sister)
The family of Maxine Tomlinson (Sherry Hill's aunt)
The family of Shirley Taylor

Our Homebound, Assisted Living & Nursing Home Residents

Laron Shannon, Jean Ketchum, Carolyn Caviness, Johnny Cappleman, Billie Pickens, Jimmy & Judy Hines Hopper.

RPC Weekly Financial Update

RPC Weekly 2022 Budget: \$2,710.97
Offering Received 2/06/22: \$1,515.00

COMING UP....

- 2/20/2022: Session Meeting at 1:30 pm in the RPC Sanctuary

MISSION FOCUS | JANUARY 2022

PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE / TORNADO RELIEF

Final Total Collected: \$1,350.00! Thank you, THANK YOU!!!

RPC designated the mission focus for January to providing assistance to those who have suffered from the devastating and horrific tornadoes of December 10, 2021.

MISSION FOCUS | FEBRUARY 2022 TIPPAH COUNTY GOOD SAMARITAN CENTER



tacklehunger.org

Please Give Generously on

"SOUPERBOWL" SUNDAY

February 13, 2022 & throughout the
month of February

Every dollar donated goes
to THE TIPPAH COUNTY
GOOD SAMARITAN
CENTER

TOTAL COLLECTED AS OF 2/6/22: \$200.00