

PRAYER REQUESTS

Erin Baddour
Donna Beard
Evelyn Chapman
JoAnn Cain
Jewel Cook
Elise Mathis Eads
Joan Erwin
Melanie Enzor

Mary Ann Gulley
Shirley Hensley
Jackson Hughey
Sonny Leem
Kelly Mayfield
Dot Peyton
Frank Racy
Susan St. John

Carolyn Scruggs
Grant Shipley
Melissa Surles
Hazel Townsend
Lois Twohig
Carl Turner
Brad & Paige Warmath
Bart White

The family of Carl Turner, father of Chris and Susan Turner.
The family of Vivian Kyle, cousin of Betty and Henry Glass.



Calendar for February 16-22, 2020

Sunday, February 16

8:30 am Morning Song Worship - CLC
9:45 am Sunday School
11:00 am Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
11:00 am Radio Broadcast of Traditional Service-WKBL 1250AM
12:00 pm Youth Spaghetti Fundraiser - Fellowship Hall
3:00 pm Youth Praise Team Practice
5:30 pm Youth High School Group - Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, February 19

4:30 pm Praise Band Rehearsal
6:00 pm Wednesday Night Programming
6:00 pm Adult Prayer Group - Fellowship Hall
6:00 pm Handbell Practice
7:00 pm Choir Practice

Thursday, February 20

7:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast - Fellowship Hall

Friday, February 21

6:00 pm KIDS FIRST Serves

Saturday, February 22

9:00 am Bread of Life Food Pantry - Munford



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Covington First United Methodist Church

Act Justly,
LOVE MERCY
AND
Walk Humbly
with your GOD.
Micah 6:8

“Prophetic Legacy”

Micah 6:6-8/Matthew 5:17-18

Sunday, February 16, 2020

11:00 a.m.

Order of Worship

*Sixth Sunday of Epiphany
Liturgical Color - Green*

We welcome you all to this service of worship!

Everyone is encouraged to print your name and register your attendance in the pads near you.

If you are visiting and would like to learn more about Covington First United Methodist Church, please provide your email and/or home address and we will send you more information.

PRELUDE *How Firm a Foundation* Justin Hanson, Organ
arr. Scott

WORDS OF WELCOME Carole Mathis

PRAISE and ADORATION

*CALL TO WORSHIP (inspired by Psalm 119: 1-8)

Happy are those who walk in God's ways.
Blessed are those who observe God's commandments.
Faithful are those whose eyes are fixed on righteousness.
Joyful are those whose hearts are filled with praise.
Come, let us love the Lord our God.
**We come to worship the One
who leads us in the ways of life.**

*HYMN OF PRAISE *Christ for the World We Sing* UMH 568

- Children Dismissed to Children's Church -

NAMING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS Carole Mathis

TIME OF PRAYER (WITH THE LORD'S PRAYER)

ANTHEM *Micah 6:6-8* Choir
arr. John Ness Beck Bonnie Wright, Director

OFFERTORY PRAYER Carole Mathis

OFFERTORY *Make Me a Channel of Your Peace* Justin Hanson, Piano
arr. Temple

*DOXOLOGY

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him all creatures here below:
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*HYMN OF PREPARATION *In the Garden* UMH 314

PROCLAMATION and RESPONSE

*SCRIPTURE Micah 6:6-8/Matthew 5:17-18

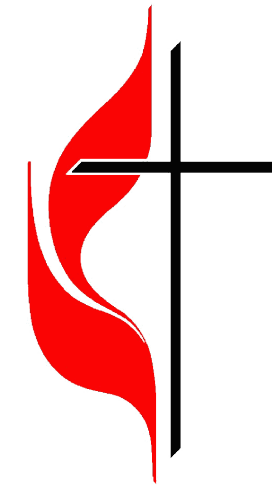
MESSAGE "Prophetic Legacy" Rev. Dr. Joe Thornton

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT *We've a Story to Tell the Nations* UMH 569

*BLESSING Rev. Dr. Joe Thornton

*POSTLUDE *Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee* Justin Hanson, Organ
arr. Hustad

**Please stand as you are able.*



Joe Thornton grew up in Covington and, along with his family, was an active member of Covington First. A graduate of Byars-Hall High School in 1957, he did his undergraduate work at Vanderbilt and University of Memphis. His theological work was done at Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University (Dallas, TX). He married Becky Duffey of Brownsville, and they have two children, Sarah and Richard. Joe and Becky spent most of their adult life serving independent schools in Dallas, New Orleans and Jackson, TN, and conducting study programs abroad while simultaneously serving part-time to small rural churches. He served in a variety of roles at Lambuth University for 15 years including Acting President before retiring in 2004. Joe has served as President of the Taylors of Tabernacle Camp Meeting Association for the past 50 years. He and Becky reside in their ancestral