

***For the safety of our children and in accordance with Safe Sanctuary, please ensure all children 6th grade and under are accompanied by an adult if leaving the Sanctuary during Worship.***

Infant Nursery (birth to 2 years of age) is available during the Sunday School hour. Infant Nursery (birth to 18 months) and Toddler Nursery (18 months to 3 years of age) is available during the 10:30 Worship Service.

***Food Pantry Collection***

**Individual** macaroni & cheese, fruit cups & fruit snacks

***Thanks for all you do!***  
Page Durham, Director

**Servants for 2 - 18**

***Acolytes***

Kyle Stewman & Carson Wheeler

***Infant & Toddler Nurseries***

Tracy Morris, Ethan Demonbreun & Blake Schofield

***Children's Church***

Ages 3 to 7 Kimberly Johnson  
Youth Helper Kyle Stewman

**Servants for 2 - 25**

***Acolytes***

Dylan McQuiston & Chloe Schmuhl

***Infant & Toddler Nursery***

Tracy Morris, Ethan Demonbreun & Debi Walker

***Children's Church***

Ages 3 to 7 Kim Monaghan  
Youth Helper William Monaghan

**LA VERGNE FIRST**  
**UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**



***The Church of God's Possibilities***

*La Vergne First United Methodist Church is a Covenant Community committed to being Christ to the World through love and service; reaching and teaching others what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ.*

**1st Sunday in Lent**  
**February 18, 2018**

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# Order of Worship

## 8:30 & 10:30 am

Welcome and Announcements		Liturgist, Galen Medlin
*A Time of Praise and Worship (10:30 Service Only)		
*Affirmation of Faith	The Apostles' Creed, Traditional	UMH # 881
*Gloria Patri		
The Church in Prayer		The Lord's Prayer
*Hymn	"Have Thine Own Way"	UMH # 382
Giving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings		
Offertory	"What the Lord Has Done In Me"	
	Soloist - Becky & Dave Olsen	
Doxology		UMH # 95
Children's Moment (10:30 Service Only)		Laura Schofield
Children's Church (10:30 Service Only)		
Anthem (10:30 Service Only)	"God's Sweet Peace"	Choir
In Preparation	"Open Our Hearts"	Choir/Congregation
Scripture Lesson	Mark 9:14-32	
Message	"Life on the Porch"	Jim Vernon
Sacrament of Holy Communion(8:30 Service Only)		Jim Vernon
*Invitational Song	"In the Garden"	UMH # 314
*Benediction		Jim Vernon

*\*Please stand as you are able*

### *From the Finance Committee:*

**Our church needs our support to pay the expenses we incur.**

**In order to keep everyone informed of our obligation, we will communicate weekly the Tithes & Offerings received compared to our financial responsibility.**

**Year-to-Date need to fund the weekly budget for 2018:**

**\$36,654**

**Year-to-Date received as of February 11, 2018:**

**\$36,774**

**Notes:**

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**Have you made your donation for a Food Pantry family for February?**

**\$15 per month feeds a family of four.**