

Third Sunday in Lent. Liturgical color is purple.

The bud vase in the sanctuary this morning is in honor of baby boy Dallas Scott Massengale, son of Rachel Wilkinson and Erik Massengale. Dallas was born on February 11, 2022. He is the grandson of Alan and Kathy Wilkinson and great-grandson of Jerry Berry.

Attendance Last Sunday:

In-Class Sunday School **64**
In-Person Worship **98**

Acolyte This Morning: Braxton Wall

Greeters Today: Shirley Hackett **Next Sunday:** The Dahls

Security Team: Ron Bazhaw, Michael Brady, Jim Holt, Sandie Harris,
Barry Norris, David Robb, and Desi Williams

Sound: Denny Spencer **Facebook Live Stream:** Kylie Spencer

Last Budget Deposit: **Your Gifts**
Total Deposits: **\$5,742.00**
\$57,767.77

Sunday School Collection Last Sunday: **\$47.00**

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UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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10AM

Welcome! May you experience God's Holy Spirit in a new way as we worship together. Please sign the pew register and pass it down the pew to neighbors worshipping with you. A very special welcome to our visitors! Visitor cards are in the backs of the pews and can be dropped into one of the offering boxes.

Greeting and Announcements

Prelude

Lighting of the Candles

*Call to Worship *This is the Day* No. 657

*Opening Prayer

*Opening Hymn *Nothing But the Blood* No. 362

Children's Message

Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The LORD'S Prayer

Scripture Luke 13: 6-9 NIV

Sermon "Rescued" Rev. Joseph Fulk, III

*Closing Hymn *Grace Greater Than Our Sin* No. 365

*Benediction

*Benediction Response *God Be With You till We Meet Again* (Vs.1) No. 672

*Postlude

*Please stand as you are able.

Guilford County has lifted the mask mandate, requiring folks to wear a mask indoors. We as the Administrative Council strongly encourage folks to prayerfully wear the mask, especially the unvaccinated, in consideration of those who are more susceptible.



BLOOD DRIVE TOTAL – Thank you to everyone who donated blood and all who helped with the blood drive on Tuesday. We collected a total of 17 units.

FROM THE MISSION TEAM – You are reminded that, again this year, we encourage folks to keep a special Lenten offering. As we have done in the past, we will be donating this offering to **Heifer International**. You may pick up offering boxes now from the table outside of the office, and the little library or narthex.

UMYF meets today at 5PM in the Youth Room.

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE (April 2022 Issue) is **TOMORROW**. Please send your newsletter items to the church office via email. Email to bethumclimax@gmail.com Thank you!

NOTE CHANGE OF MEETING DAY - ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL will meet on **WEDNESDAY, March 23rd** at 7PM in the Fellowship Hall.

EVANGELISM Team meets Thursday, March 24th at 7PM in the Parlor.

COMING UP on Monday, March 28th – **ARLENE STOKES** meets at **10:30AM** in the **Young-at-Heart Classroom**.



OUR ANNUAL EASTER EGG HUNT is Sat., April 9th at 10AM. (Rain date is Sat., April 16th.)

HOLY WEEK SERVICES



Sun., April 10th – Palm Sunday Morning Worship (following Sunday School)

Thurs., April 14th – Maundy Thursday Communion Service at 7PM

Fri., April 15th – Good Friday Service at 7PM

Sun., April 17th – Easter Sunrise Service at 6:30AM

Sun., April 17th – Easter Morning Worship (following Sunday School)

FROM THE ACTIVE DISCIPLES' CLASS - Thank you for your generous donations of socks, blankets, hats, etc. These items were greatly appreciated by local shelters. With warmer weather on the way, we have decided to close out this outreach for now. Stay tuned for information on our next outreach project.

BUMC CHILD CARE JOB OPENINGS – Three teachers are needed. For details on positions and to learn how to apply call (336) 674-9879 or email Erica at bethchild91@gmail.com

We are hoping to resume Children's Church in the near future. If you have specific questions, or you would like to help with this ministry, please let Pastor Joseph know. In addition, we are looking into providing a nursery for our very young children during worship services.

Prayer List 3-20-2022

Please keep these friends in your prayers:

Ongoing

Martha Boren
Suzie Branch
Edna Coble
Jane Dunham
Cory Fields
Kelsey Garrett
R.W. Hinshaw
Ruby Hockett
Betty Hull
Wayne & Ruby Kirkman
Mary May
Jamie O'Daniel
Bobby Tew
Julia Willis
Our Homebound

Immediate

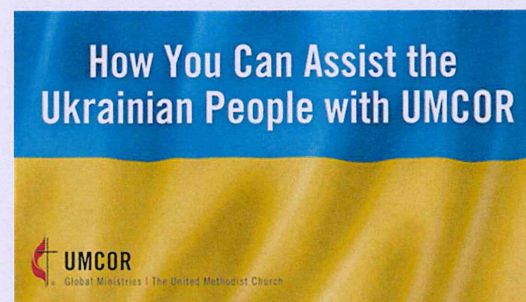
Ray Allred
Daryl Bowman
DMJ
Ronnie Brown
Jennifer Chaisson
Kathleen Cope
Octavia Coward
Mallory Jane Evans
The Tommy Faggart Family
First Responders
Cody Harding Family
Christy Harmon and Family
Jessup & Moser Families
Sharon Jersted
Della Kinney (Shannon Wicker's Aunt)
Nancy Kivett
Little Luka (Fire Dept.)
Rex McCaskill

Immediate Continued

Doris Moody
Tommy (Thomas) & Joyce Oliver
Tommy (Little Tommy) Oliver
Our Military
Dicky and Evonne Parks
People of Ukraine
Jimmy Pugh
Barbara Riddle
Lorrie Roth
Sandy Russell (Friend of Londa Parks)
Ann Shoemaker (Friend of Londa Parks)
Judy Shreve (Friend of Phyllis Dahl)
Elaine Smith (Craig Smith's wife)
Francis Snow
Joyce Tate
Lorene Wells (Rm., 211, The Oaks, Burlington)
Bobbie Westmoreland
Frank Willis

Thank you for your help in maintaining our prayer list. If you know of anyone we have left off, please let the church office know. In addition, your help is requested in making sure we have the correct spelling of names we list.

*We extend Christian Sympathy to the family of **Tommy Faggart**. Tommy passed away last week in Belize, South America. Please keep Ronda, Tyler, Nancy and all of the family in your prayers.
(We don't know any service plans as yet, but as the family requests, and as plans are made, we will pass along that information.)*



United Methodists and others wishing to provide humanitarian assistance to the Ukrainian people in the wake of the Russian invasion of their country may contribute to **Advance #982450, UMCOR International Disaster Response and Recovery**. This fund will provide direct assistance to those in Ukraine as well as assistance to Ukrainians fleeing to neighboring countries.

Gifts to support the people of Ukraine can be made in the following ways:

- Online at <https://umcmision.org/advance-project/982450>
- By toll-free telephone: 888-252-6174
- By check with "Advance #982450-Ukraine" written on the memo line, either mailed and addressed to Global Ministries/UMCOR, GPO, P.O. Box 9068, New York, NY, 10087-9068 or given at or through any United Methodist Church.

One hundred percent of all Advance contributions go to the designated cause.

The United Methodist community in Ukraine, though quite small, is actively engaged in assisting neighbors in need. Global Ministries is in touch with the church's leadership as well as with church leaders in countries welcoming those who are fleeing from violence in Ukraine.