

ORDER OF WORSHIP

May 15, 2016	Pentecost	10:30 a.m.
Gathering of God's Children		
Welcome and Announcements		
Prelude		William Elliott
Bringing in the Light of Christ		Acolyte
Call to Worship	"In This Hour O Lord"	Chancel Choir
*Hymn of Praise	"Sweet, Sweet Spirit"	UMH 334
*Affirmation of Faith	"The Apostles' Creed"	UMH 881
* Hymn	"He Is Lord"	UMH 177
Children's Time		Myra Yates
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer		
Receiving of God's Tithes and Our Offerings		
Offertory Prayer		
Offertory		William Elliott
*Doxology	"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"	UMH 95
Anthem	"How Great Is Our God"	Tomlin/Reeves
	Chancel Choir	
Scripture		
Message	Justin Cason, Young Life Area Director	
Invitation to Discipleship		
*Hymn	"Spirit Song"	UMH 347
*Dismissal with Blessing		
*Choral Benediction	"Now Unto Him"	Chancel Choir
*Taking out the Light of Christ		Acolyte
*Postlude		William Elliott
*People Stand As Able		

A special welcome and thank you is extended to Justin Cason and Bluefield Young Life for sharing in our Service of Worship today. May God continue to bless the wonderful ministry of this organization.

PRAYER REQUESTS

ILLNESS

Eddie **Abshire**, Joe **Akers**, Fran **Alba**, Andy **Anderson**, Marie **Anderson**, Patsy **Arnold**, Jim **Ayers**, Barbara **Bailey**, Janet **Barker**, Charlotte **Bass**, Catherine **Beamer**, Bobbie **Bellamy** (Margaret Elam's Sister), Dennis **Bennett**, John & Carol **Bohaboy**, Edna **Bone**, Suzanna **Bovenizer**, Janice **Busic**, Ralph **Brown**, Doug **Cook**, Lester **Coomes**, Doug **Coon**, Debbie **Creasy**, Velea **Davidson**, Anna **Deitrich**, Blair **Deskins** (Jean Miller's Granddaughter), Richard and Patty **Dillon** (Wade's Parents), Darlene **Dolin**, Jayce **Evans**, Gertrude **Farmer**, Margaret **Farmer**, Vicki **Furrow**, Debbie **Gillespie**, Shirley **Glover**, Laura **Gooch**, Stephanie **Gressett**, Amanda **Griffith**, Gus **Hartsock**, Susan **Hastings**, Carrie **Hendrick** (Gerry Stowers' Granddaughter), Erinn **Hollo**, Jim **Houchins**, Amanda **Jessee**, Jim **Justice**, Dr. David and Charlyne **Kovach**, Mary Virginia **Lester** (Linda Hash's Sister), Mary **Martin**, Penny Sue **McKenzie** (Keith's Daughter-in-Law), Louise **McVey**, Richard **Morsan**, Ethan **Oliver**, Gary **Pardue**, Phil and Rebecca **Peterson**, Gerrie **Porter**, Patty **Ramage**, Carol **Riddle**, Brian **Rose** & Family, Ruby **Roten**, Deb **Sarver**, Kenny **Sawyers**, Suzette **Sawyers**, Carol **Scott**, Mary Ruth **Scott**, Ruth **Shrader**, Ellie **Spencer**, Roger **Stacey**, Amanda **Stephenson**, Larry **Stroup**, Russell **Synan**, Will **Thompson**, Kim **Tinder**, Terry **Trenton** (Nancy Trenton's daughter-in-law), Dave **Trippett** (Shirley Saunders' Nephew), Betty **White**, Viola **Wilborn**, Edith **Wilkinson**, Ellen **Windle**, Michael & Susan **Williams** (Mary Ruth Scott's nephew), Ted **Yost**, Sharon **Ziegler**. **Children's Ministries**

OUR MILITARY

Ryan **Shott**, Lucas **Graham**, Jeremy **Woody**, and those serving our country

HOMEBOUND

Smokey **Blaylock**, Joe **Davidson**, Leon **Devor**, Syd **Ellison**, Russell **Garrett**, Pat **Jones**, Charles **Miller** (Pam Rose's father), Wilma **Shay**, Nancy **Trenton**, Irma **Webb**

SYMPATHY

Sympathy is extended to **Jason and Jessica Cole** in the death of Jason's grandmother, Carol Cole.

Children's Bulletins are available in the Narthex. One for ages 3-6 and one for ages 7-12.



YOUNG LIFE YOUTH PARTICIPANTS

Affirmation of Faith/Apostles' Creed	Ginny Johnson
Offertory Prayer	Caroline Kammer
Scripture	Jacob Stowers
Ushers: David King, Nick King, Caanan Looney, Jack Tyson, and Doug Weimer	

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, May 15	JOY! Service	8:30 a.m.
	Sunday School	9:30 a.m.
	Morning Worship	10:30 a.m.
	“War Room” Study	6:00 p.m.
	Youth	6:00 p.m.
Monday, May 16	Staff Parish Relations Committee	6:30 p.m.
Tuesday, May 17	TOPS	5:30 p.m.
	Evangelism Team	7:00 p.m.
Wednesday, May 18	Men’s Breakfast	7:00 a.m.
	Bible Study	6:00 p.m.
	Chancel Choir Rehearsal	7:00 p.m.

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**YOUNG LIFE** is sponsoring a free will offering Spaghetti Dinner following morning worship in Palmer Hall.  
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**MEN’S BREAKFAST** will be Wednesday, May 18 at 7:00 a.m. in Palmer Hall.  
 Devotions: Brad Scott                      Cooks: Rodger Woodrum and Friends  
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RECORD OF FAITHFULNESS – MAY 2016	
2016 Monthly Budget	\$23,417.00
Monthly Tithes & Offerings to Date	\$10,764.70
Monthly Unbudgeted Receipts to Date	\$ 1,799.00
ATTENDANCE:	
8:30 a.m. Worship	15
10:30 a.m. Worship	146
TOTAL WORSHIP	161
Sunday School	47

God’s blessings to my church family.
 I appreciate the love, prayers, and concern you have shown me.
 Looking forward to seeing you in church soon.
Mary Ruth Scott

HONOR GRADUATES SUNDAY IS MAY 22. If you would like to make a donation to honor them, please complete this form and put in offering plate or turn in to church office. Donations are due by **MAY 18** in order for names to be in special insert.

Donation: _____

By: _____

If you wish to give in honor of a graduate, please list their name:



**Bluefield First
 United Methodist
 Church**

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Pentecost Sunday



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