

MARSHVILLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Scout Sunday

Rev. Sherri Barnes, Pastor

April 11, 2010

Prelude Elizabeth Walters, Helen Phifer

Lighting of the Altar Candles Lainey Blalock, Acolyte

Words of Welcome

*Presentation of Colors

*Hymn *Come, Christians, Join to Sing* UMH 158

*Opening Prayer

O Great Spirit, whose breath gives life to the world, and whose voice is heard in the soft breeze: we need your strength and wisdom. Cause us to behold the red and purple sunset. Make us wise so that we may understand what you have taught us. Help us learn the lessons you have hidden in every leaf and rock. Make us always ready to come to you with clean hands and steady eyes, so when life fades, like the fading sunset, our spirits may come to you without shame. Amen

Children's Sermon

Presentation of Religious Awards

Boy Scouts: Balaam Sherrod, Reagan Rushing, Robert Britt, Tyler Stegall, Baron Crooke

Webelos: Peter Randall, Paul Randall, Evan Humphrey

Cub Scouts: Marco Grasso, Logan Griffin, Danny Helms, Joshua Mackay, Brandon Barrier, Robert Parker, Austin Helms, Tim Mullis, Zachary Porter, Bryce Cooke, Joshua Holshouser

Leaders: Boy Scouts: Carl Randall; **Webelos:** Shirley Humphrey; **Cub Scouts:** Wanda and Claude Sherrod, Fred Porter, Cindy Barrier

Joys and Concerns~Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Offertory Elizabeth Walters, Helen Phifer

*Doxology UMH 95

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 Medley *See Insert*

Scripture Lesson John 20:19-23 pew Bible p 115

Sermon "Where's Thomas?" Rev. Sherri Barnes

*Hymn of Invitation *My Jesus, I Love Thee* UMH 172

*Postlude

***Please stand as you are able**

Parents, please accompany your children if they need to leave the sanctuary during the service.

The Scouts invite everyone to the Fellowship Hall for a delicious spaghetti lunch following the Worship Service.

Serving our church today: Elizabeth Walters, organist, Helen Phifer, pianist, Lauren Hill, choir director; Lainey Blalock, acolyte; Leah and Todd Rummage, nursery; Tim and Megan Huggins, Bill Walters, Wayne Hamilton, ushers; Sonia Chaney, Kevin Meares, Steve Melvin, financial stewards. ***Serving our church next Sunday:*** Elizabeth Walters, organist, Helen Phifer, pianist; Lauren Hill, choir director; Carson Traywick, acolyte; Ann Ross, Lainey Blalock, nursery; April ushers; Sonia Chaney, Kevin Meares, Steve Melvin, financial stewards

Church Calendar

Sunday, April 11

9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service, Scout Sunday
11:30 a.m. Lunch in Fellowship Hall sponsored by Scouts
5:00 p.m. UMY Fun/Game Night

Monday, April 12

7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts

Tuesday, April 13

10:00 a.m. Bible Study

Wednesday, April 14

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

Sunday, April 18

9:15 a.m. Choir warmup in Sanctuary
9:30 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship Service

Upcoming Events

Saturday, April 24

Trip to Charlotte Knights Baseball Game/Fireworks

Sunday, May 23

Block Party and Dedication of Hope House

Upholding God's Church

By our Presence: Sunday School 68 Worship 134

Weekly Needs: \$2,854.62 **YTD Needs:** \$39,963.78

Received 04-04-2010: \$4,320.00 **YTD Received:** \$36,219.21

Gifts were given in honor of Bill Phifer to the Scholarship Fund by Bill and Elizabeth Walters; to the Hope House by H.A. and Lucy Griffin and Blanche and Temple Hill; to the Budget by Mrs. Olin Broome, David and Sharon Johnson, Elaine and Melvin Shreiber, Ann and Bill Traywick, CF Beal, Harold and Ann Williams; to the Youth Missions by Jimmy and Jane Tucker and to the Property Note by Margaret and Johnny Pigg and Alice Birmingham. Gifts were given to the Budget in honor of Keith and Velma Phifer by CF Beal and in honor of Calvin Helms and Gary Pennigar and in memory of Joe Ross by David, Sharon and Celena Johnson

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