

Cumberland *connection*

MARCH 2, 2025

TODAY'S ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome - Rod McAninch

Opening Prayer - Steve Meyer

Singing - Don Moss (Song Leader)

Communion

Presiding - Robin Vinovich

Serving: Paul Ford, Roger McAninch,

David Stewart, Darren Wesley

Singing

Scripture Reading - Troy Erp

Message - Alan Blackwell

"The Lord of the Sabbath"

Singing

Offering / Announcements - Rod McAninch

Singing

Closing Prayer - Bill Antrim

CHURCH EVENTS

- Potter Children's Home - Annual Food Drive - All items need to be received here NLT 3/23/25.

Items Needed:

Apple Juice - Granola Bars - Rice Krispies Cereal - Blueberry Breakfast Bars - Frosted Mini Wheat Cereal

- Secret Sister 2025 - Sign-up sheet in main lobby.
- Children's Church & Nursery Available - Each Sunday ages 3-5th grade have a time together to learn immediately following communion. Also, during our entire worship time we have a staffed nursery available for the younger kids.
- Wednesday - Mid-Week Bible Study - Adults - Study of Genesis - Classes for other ages also available.

SCRIPTURE READING - MATTHEW 5:17-20

¹⁷ "Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. ¹⁸ For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished. ¹⁹ Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. ²⁰ For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.

MARCH BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Sunday 3/2

Pauline Kahlert

Friday 3/7

Mary Jo Eadens

Saturday 3/8

Truett McAninch

Sunday 3/9

Kimberly Asher

Wednesday 3/12

Lisa Caudill

Tuesday 3/18

Wally and Kimberly Asher

Friday 3/21

Steve and Janet Meyer

Saturday 3/22

David Stewart

Monday 3/24

Phyllis Hogston

Friday 3/28

Jason and Molly Johnson

Allan and Debra Grimball

PRAYER REQUESTS

Members:

- Wally Asher - Recovering from shoulder surgery
- Bill Bryan - Cyst causing severe migraines
- Shelva Burton - Health Issues
- Ray & Wanda Carman - Health Issues
- Gracie Fortenberry - Health Issues
- Pauline Kahlert - Leukemia Treatments
- Charles Kahlert - Colon Cancer
- Loretta Morgan - Health Issues
- June Osborne - Health Issues
- Margaret Sullivan - Knee Replacement 3/5
- Fonda VanHook - Rehab from broken hip

Family & Friends:

- Della Asher - Losing Sight (mother of Wally Asher)
- Donny Ayers - Health Issues
- Braxton Ballou - Kidney Issues from infection (grandson of Ben & Ruby Eldridge)
- Johnny Bradford - Colon Cancer (brother of Kim Asher)
- Sean Bumgarner - Stroke at age 30 (friend of Lisa Gillum)
- Helen Colwell - Health Issues (cousin of Pauline Kahlert)
- Doris Gillum - Possible throat cancer (mother of Lisa Gillum)
- Jesse Hammock - Health and Spiritual Healing (brother-in-law of Scott Francis)
- Lena Miniard - Health Issues (cousin of Pauline Kahlert)
- Brittany Moss - Physical & Spiritual Healing
- Harbor Moss - Health Issues
- Rhonda Saylor - Cancer (mother of Justin Napier)
- Kelsey Sullivan - (daughter of Margaret Sullivan)
- Mia Thacker - Suffered major burns (2-3 yr old great granddaughter of Freeda's neighbor)
- Ronnie Wilson - Health Issues - (uncle of Donna Kislán)

Pray



WHAT A GREAT WEEK!

I'm sure you are expecting by the title of this article to hear about the time Ninette and I had down in Florida this past week, but if so, you would be wrong.

It was a great week because there were so many people that offered us the opportunity to do so.

Gi Ann Leung and Josh Harris were willing to step up and handle all the audio/video duties, knowing that is the most likely time for things to go wrong, and they did.

Jason Johnson was willing to get our live broadcast on track when the afore mentioned things suddenly went wrong.

Don Moss was willing to lead singing even when he was already scheduled to preside over the communion so that Josh could help out in the a/v booth.

Leo Kislan was willing to step into the usher/security role that Stark Davis was scheduled for if Stark needed to be available due to my absence.

Finally, but certainly not because it was any less important, Steve Meyer was willing to step up and teach our adult Sunday school class and preach during our worship time. Not only was he willing to do so, he did a phenomenal job. While I wasn't able to go back and catch his Sunday School lesson, I was able to watch his sermon and it was unique, informative, important, and well delivered.

All the while, each and every week, we have people who are willing to step into many different roles on Sundays, Wednesdays, and all through the week. Some are checking on members in need. Some are dedicated to praying for those on our prayer list. Some are teaching children or youth.

The point being this is the embodiment of Paul's treatise in Romans 12:3-8 when he encourages us to embrace being many members who become one body.

It's no fun to take a few days away if during that time all your thoughts bring anxiety about what will be waiting for you when you return. Thankfully it was a great week because we had no need to have those thoughts thanks to all of you.



Welcome

Welcome to Cumberland, and thanks for joining our church family today!

We are thrilled you have chosen to spend a part of your Sunday with us, sharing time together as we worship, learn, and grow in our faith. As you walked through our doors, we hope you felt the warmth and love that connects our church family together.

As you join with us in worship today we want you to know that we believe everyone, regardless of where they are on their spiritual journey is valued as a part of our worship together.

We would encourage you to consider making Cumberland your spiritual family home. We would also like to encourage you to fill out one of our Connect Cards and drop it in the collection basket so that we may have a record of your time here.

We look forward to seeing you again soon and often. If there is anything we can assist you with while you are with us please do not hesitate to ask someone.

