

# Church Announcements

We are honored to welcome **Pastor Mike Morrissey**, Executive Director of Thailand Now and Missions Committee Chair of the Mid-South Conference.

The next **Women’s Fellowship** meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, December 2nd at 6:00pm.

The **LMC Church Choir** and **Community Choir** will resume their regular schedule on **Thursday, December 4 at 6:00pm.**

The **Men's Fellowship of Christian Service** will meet Sunday, December 7th at 8:15am.

 **Quail Eggs** are available for \$5.00 per dozen. If interested in purchasing, please sign up on the sheet on the bulletin Board outside the church office. All proceeds go to the Children/Youth Fund.

**Giving on-line is easy and secure!** Scan this QR code with the camera on your smartphone and click on the link.



It is our honor to pray for you. Please text or email Nettie, or fill out a pew prayer card; include your name and the nature of your request. Text 423-465-7771

| Schedule of Ministries |           |                           |  |
|------------------------|-----------|---------------------------|--|
| SUNDAY                 | 9:00 am   | Worship                   |  |
|                        | 10:15 am  | Sunday School             |  |
| MONDAY                 | 6:00 pm   | Scouts BSA Troop 435      |  |
|                        | 6:30 pm   | Cub Scout Pack 134        |  |
| TUESDAY                | 8:30-1:30 | PMO                       |  |
|                        | 6:00 pm   | Women’s Fellowship        |  |
| THURSDAY               | 8:30-1:30 | PMO                       |  |
|                        | 6:00 pm   | LMC Choir Rehearsal       |  |
|                        | 6:30 pm   | Community Choir Rehearsal |  |
| SATURDAY               | 8:30 am   | Low Impact Exercise       |  |
|                        | 3:00 pm   | Girl Scout Troop 20542    |  |

| STEWARDSHIP REPORT for last Sunday |                                      |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| General tithes: \$2,990.00         | Dedicated Offering: \$202.50         |
| On-line tithes: \$528.08           | Attendance in-person: 81/ online: 22 |

**CHURCH OFFICE**

9:00 am-4:30 pm Tuesday-Thursday (423) 562-7348

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# LaFollette Methodist Church

*Inviting—Making Disciples—Worshipping*

1st Sunday of Advent

November 30th, 2025



Welcome to LaFollette Methodist Church! Whether this is your first worship service here, or you’ve lost count, we’re so glad you’re here. We are a Methodist congregation of the Global Methodist Church. As such, we are rooted in historical theology and worship of the Wesleyan movement. Our service consists of a rhythm of prayers, responsive readings, Scripture readings from the Old and New Testament, and music—traditional and newer.

*Let the congregation enter into this service with stillness, open hearts,  
and a willingness to be transformed. Please silence all phones.*

# Order of Worship

Prelude

Glenn Rasmussen

**Call to Worship and Invocation** Tommy Robards

**\*Hymn #163**                      *“Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus”*                      Led by Ric Miller

\**The Incarnation of Christ* #185 Rev. Dr. Chris Stanfield

\* *Gloria Patri* #33

Lighting The Advent Wreath Logan Hickman

**Choral Anthem**                      *“God’s Been Good in My Life”*                      Ric Miller

## Children's Church

*At this time, children PreK-2nd grade are invited to come to Children's Church.*

*In Children's Church, the children will have an opportunity to hear the Gospel, pray, sing, and participate in a format that is enriching and engaging for young children.*

*Upper-elementary and above are encouraged to stay and worship in the sanctuary.*

**Pastoral Prayer** Pastor Chris

*The Lord's Prayer* #700

## Tithes and Offerings

*The Offertory*

**\*Doxology #682**

**\*Hymn #571**      *"I Know Not Why God's Wondrous Grace"*      Led by Ric Miller

**Scripture Reading** Acts 1:8 Pastor Mike Morrissey

**Sermon**                      “Reaching Those in the Ends of the Earth”

**\*Hymn #162**                      “O Come, O Come, Emmanuel” - vs-1,5,6                      Led by Ric Miller

## \*Benediction

## \*Postlude

Glenn Rasmussen

*\*indicates when to stand, as you are able*

*Special thanks to our young acolytes for their faithful service, to the choir for their blessing, to the readers for their willingness to read God's Word in public, to the greeters for their friendliness, to the ushers for their service, and to the sound and technology folks for ensuring we all enjoy the worship experience; and to our talented musicians!*

## Worship Volunteers

| Date   | Greeters        | Readers                                                            | Acolyte | Children's Church | Easy Worship | Streaming | Sound |
|--------|-----------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|-------------------|--------------|-----------|-------|
| Nov 2  | Becky & Phil    | Raewyn S –<br>Psalm 149 &<br>Ephesians 1:11-23                     | Bradley | Johnnie           | Jeff E       | Jim R     | Ed H  |
| Nov 9  | Alice & Deb     | Lisa P –<br>Psalm 145:1-5, 17-21 &<br>2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17 | Eeyian  | Molly             | David H      | Andy      | Ed H  |
| Nov 16 | Chauncey & Andy | Bill G –<br>Isaiah 12 &<br>2 Thessalonians 3:6-13                  | Zaine   | Miranda           | Jeff E       | Andy H    | Ed H  |
| Nov 23 | Lisa & Al       | Becky C-K –<br>Jeremiah 23:1-6 &<br>Colossians 1:11-20             | Hunter  | Ellen             | David H      | Jim R     | Ed H  |
| Nov 30 | Becky & Phil    | Logan H –<br>Lighting the Advent Wreath<br>The Candle of Hope      | Jazlyn  | Kelley            | David H      | Andy H    | Ed H  |

## Sunday School 10:15 am

**Children and Youth classes**—The Children and Youth have separate classes in the upper level of the church. All children and youth are encouraged to attend!

**Mayberry**—is a discuss based on an episode of *The Andy Griffith Show*, and drawing Biblical lessons.

**Wesley Study**—utilizes the quarterly teacher/student booklets to guide the group through Bible passage study and application.

**Video Series Bible Study Group**—We are pleased to invite you to our Video Series Bible Study Group. This group will provide a great opportunity to study the Bible, enjoy meaningful discussion, and build fellowship with others. Whether you're new to Bible study or experienced, you are warmly welcome. Al Perez will be facilitating this study group.