

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Judy Clark in memory of her husband, Herman Clark.

Using their Gifts to Serve in February:

Deacon of the Month of February:	Thomas K. Warren, III
February Radio Ministry Sponsor:	Wayne and Shirley Brown
Opening of the Church in February:	Colon Ballance and Wayne Brown
Ushers for February:	Colon Ballance, Armando Torres, Charlie Cole, and Garth Faile
Ushers for March:	Jay Revelle, Ronnie Coltrain, Charlie Aycock, and Charles Gallop
Caregiver for February 11 – February 24:	T.K. Warren, III

Thank you to all who gave to the Souper Bowl of Caring. We exceeded our goal. The final total will be provided in next week's bulletin.

The Deacons will meet on Tuesday, February 13 at 6:00 p.m.

Murfreesboro United Methodist Church will host Lenten Lunch on Wednesday, February 14 at 12 noon.

Please join us for Ash Wednesday Service on Wednesday February 14 at 7:00 p.m.

There will be no Wednesday night activities for the Kids’ Club, Choir, or Prayer Group.

Please join us for a churchwide Baby Shower for Bardin and Armando Torres on February 18, from 2:00 until 4:00, in the church fellowship hall. The Torreses are expecting a baby girl in March.

For anyone that may be a bit chilly during worship service, throws are available and are on the steps to the right (used to go to the choir loft) just outside the sanctuary on the elevator side.

If anyone with children under the age of five desires a nursery during the worship service, please speak to an usher and they will let Sarah Davis know, and she will go to the nursery. Thank you.

In Memory of Janet Collins: Diane Dixon

In Memory of Shirley Faile: Diane Dixon



MURFREESBORO  
BAPTIST CHURCH

Murfreesboro, North Carolina

Love God. Follow Jesus. Serve Others.

The Lord’s Day, February 11, 2024  
Transfiguration Sunday

We Gather to Worship

Prelude Adagio Franck/Kendall

\*Gathering Hymn No. 156 Shine, Jesus, Shine (verse 1) SHINE

Lord, the light of Your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness shining;  
Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us, set us free by the truth You now bring us;  
shine on me. Shine on me.  
Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father's glory; blaze, Spirit, blaze,  
set our hearts on fire. Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy;  
send forth Your word, Lord, and let there be light.

Words of Welcome Mark Gaskins

The Lord be with you!  
And also with you!

Ministry Opportunities Mark Gaskins

Call to Worship Psalm 50:1-6 (NRSV)

The mighty one, God the LORD, speaks and summons the earth  
from the rising of the sun to its setting.  
Out of Zion, the perfection of beauty, God shines forth.  
Our God comes and does not keep silence,  
before him is a devouring fire, and a mighty tempest all around him.

\*Please stand as you are able.

He calls to the heavens above and to the earth, that he may judge his people:  
“Gather to me my faithful ones, who made a covenant with me by sacrifice!”  
**The heavens declare his righteousness, for God himself is judge.**

Invocation Mark Gaskins

***We Hear God’s Word***

\*Hymn of Praise No. 161 See Our Lord in All His Glory CWM RHONDDA

Children’s Sermon Sarah Davis

Old Testament Lesson 2 Kings 2:1-12 Charlie Cole  
The Word of God, for the People of God.  
**Thanks be to God.**

New Testament Lesson 2 Corinthians 4:3-6 Charlie Cole  
The Word of the Lord.  
**Praise His Holy Name!**

\*Hymn of Devotion No. 162 We Have Come at Christ's Own Bidding WHISENHUNT

The Church at Prayer  
Call to Prayer  
The Prayers of the People  
The Lord’s Prayer (*trespasses*)

Message in Song Morning Star with Here I Am to Worship Tim Hughes

Scripture and Sermon Mark Gaskins  
Mark 9:2-10  
Glimpses of His Glory

***We Respond to God’s Word***

\*Hymn of Response No. 616 I Have Come from the Darkness TO THE LIGHT

Thanksgiving with Our Tithes and Offerings  
Offertory Sentence Mark Gaskins  
Offertory  
Let There Be Glory and Honor and Praises with To God Be the Glory arr. Mark Hayes  
\*Doxology 706 Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow OLD 100<sup>TH</sup>  
\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Commitment Mark Gaskins

***We Go Forth with God’s Blessing***

\*Commission and Benediction

\*\*Postlude Rock of My Salvation arr. Mark Hayes

*\*\*Please remain seated until the conclusion of the music.*

**To our guests this morning . . .**

In the name of Jesus Christ, welcome to worship at Murfreesboro Baptist Church! Worshiping God together is one of the most important things we do as a church. We gather to hear and tell the good news of what God has done, is doing, and will do in Jesus Christ his Son, and respond to him in faith and obedience as he sends us out with his blessing to love and serve him in the world. We believe every member of the congregation should be involved, so we encourage active participation through responsive readings, the prayers, giving our tithes and offerings, and singing the hymns together.  
As Baptists, we emphasize the reading and preaching of the Bible, God’s written word. We invite those who are not already believers to make a public profession of faith in Jesus as Lord and Savior and be baptized. We frequently share the Lord’s Supper, which is open to all baptized Christians.  
As members of the larger body of Christ, we affirm our kinship with our fellow believers in other traditions and around the world by following the seasons of the Christian year. Today is Transfiguration Sunday, when we remember how Jesus appeared in glory to his disciples Peter, James, and John. The color for today is white, symbolizing the light and glory of God.

Dr. Mark E. Gaskins, Pastor  
Mrs. Paula Pressnell, Organist & Choir Director  
Rev. Thomas Caulkins, Pastor Emeritus

**This Week at Murfreesboro Baptist Church . . .**

**Sunday:** Radio Broadcast, 98.3 FM 10:00 A.M.  
Worship 11:00 A.M.  
**Tuesday:** Deacons Meeting 6:00 P.M.  
**Wednesday:** Lenten Lunch Murfreesboro United Methodist Church 12 Noon  
Ash Wednesday Service 7:00 P.M.

*Please remember these friends who cannot worship with us regularly:*  
Phil Royce Bern Davenport Tom & Ann Caulkins Randy & Cheryl Whitley

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