



# WEST END TALK

*news and happenings of West End United Methodist Church*

March 2016

## **Andrew Ministers: Offering Hospitality and Connection**

On January 31, our congregation commissioned nearly 40 people to the work of Andrew Ministry. Andrew Ministry is named for the Apostle Andrew, who was one of the first evangelists, bringing his brother, Simon Peter, to meet Jesus after Andrew's own conversion. Andrew Ministers serve in that same way, helping others connect with Jesus through the ministries of West End. While all Christians are called to the work of hospitality to the stranger, Andrew Ministers are specifically called to be on the look-out for guests and new members, to help them feel welcome, and to help them connect with opportunities for spiritual growth, service, care, and community.

You may have already seen our Andrew Ministers at work. They have blue name tags, and are stationed around the church on Sunday mornings. They welcome people to our church, answer questions, and help those who are new to the church find their way around the building. They also follow up with visitors and new members, and act as a resource to them as they seek to make connections within the congregation.

If you have the gifts of hospitality and service, we'd love to have you on our Andrew Ministry team! Most Andrew Ministers serve one Sunday per month or less, as well as at occasional special services and events. Training is provided. For more information, or to volunteer, contact Erin Racine at [eracine@westendumc.org](mailto:eracine@westendumc.org) or 615.321.8500.



**Andrew  
Ministry**  
People Making  
Connections

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## **Easter Brunch**

**Sunday, March 27 ♦ 9:45-10:45 a.m. ♦ West End UMC Gymnasium**

Join us for food and fellowship at our annual Easter Brunch! This also serves as the kick-off for our annual Habitat for Humanity build. The breakfast is free of charge, but all are invited and encouraged to help us reach our \$30,000 fundraising goal by making a contribution at the breakfast.

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# Eternal Grace

a concert for Lent

Chancel Choir, Sanctuary Choir, and Orchestra  
Matthew Phelps, conductor  
Andrew Risinger, organ

Sunday, March 6 ♦ 4:30 p.m.

Elegy for Strings Edward Elgar  
Concerto for Organ, Timpani, and Strings  
Francis Poulenc  
Lux Aeterna Morten Lauridsen

Congratulations to our own  
*Matt Phelps*



**winner of The American Prize in Conducting**

Our very own Minister of Music Matt Phelps was awarded the The American Prize in Conducting: School & Community Chorus Division, 2015 for the Brahms Requiem presented by the Chancel Choir and Orchestra in April of 2015. The American Prize is a series of new, non-profit national competitions in the performing arts providing cash awards, professional adjudication and regional, national and international recognition for the best recorded performances by ensembles and individuals each year in the United States at the professional, college/university, church, community and secondary school levels. Administered by Hat City Music Theater, Inc., a nonprofit organization based in Danbury, Connecticut, The American Prize was founded in 2009 and is awarded annually. The competitions of The American Prize are open to all U.S. citizens, whether living in this country or abroad, and to others currently living, working and/or studying in the United States of America, its protectorates and territories. Find out more at [theamericanprize.org](http://theamericanprize.org).

welcome *Emily*



Emily Robbins joined the staff at West End UMC as our new Youth Minister after serving for the past 2 1/2 years at FUMC of Lebanon, TN. As the Director of Youth Ministry, Emily has the joy of helping teenagers realize that they are beloved by a pretty amazing, mysterious God and how we all get to be a part of what He is doing here on earth. She received a B.A. Degree in Music Therapy at Florida State University and a couple of years ago she started the course work for a Masters of Youth Ministry Leadership at Huntington University in Indiana. Emily loves cooler weather and living closer to mountains. She spends a lot of her time outside hiking, training for half marathons and taking pictures (many with her iphone). Back in 2003 she decided to quit her job and sell her house to go for a 6 month walk on the Appalachian Trail with her sister. She's not very good at games, laughs a bunch, loves to have a LOT of fun as long as it is before 10 p.m, is extremely close to her family, talks with her hands, loyal to a fault and drinks her coffee with grass-fed butter blended in.

*Music Camp 2016*

**July 18-22 ♦ 9 a.m. - 12 Noon ♦ Belmont United Methodist Church ♦ Ages 4 through grade 6**

Our week of Music Camp week will be different this year as we combine events with our neighbor congregation Belmont United Methodist Church. Campers and leaders from both churches will work together and experience a great week that will involve singing, instruments, bells, movement, crafts, and games. Then in 2017, the children and leaders from Belmont UMC will join us here at West End for a Music Camp week in our 4th Story Theater. Look for registration information in the near future. For more information contact Andrew Risinger at [arisinger@westendumc.org](mailto:arisinger@westendumc.org) or 615.983.8821.

*share the gift*   
**By The Numbers**

Thank you to everyone who spent differently during the holiday season by purchasing fair trade and alternate gifts for loved ones through our Share the Gift Missions Market and Alternative Gift Catalog. Through sales at the Missions Market, we raised over \$10,000 that will go to support Justice for Our Neighbors (\$3590), Thistle Farms (\$3791), Henderson Settlement and local artists (\$907), Miriam's Promise (\$257), Harvest Hands (\$1090), and ODIM Guatemala (\$837). Our gifts through the Alternative Gift Catalog totaling \$11,477 will enable out partner organizations to serve their communities in the following ways:

**Around the region and the world...**

- ♦ Nutrition for 40 mothers and babies in Guatemala
- ♦ Safe Birth Kits for 8 women in Guatemala
- ♦ Six months of baby formula for two babies in Guatemala
- ♦ \$1160 to support distribution of disaster relief kits around the world
- ♦ 2 first aid kits for community healthcare workers in Zimbabwe
- ♦ 19 flocks of chickens to provide eggs for families in Honduras
- ♦ 8 beehives for families in Honduras
- ♦ 5 stoves for families in Honduras
- ♦ 5 goats to provide milk and cheese for families in Honduras
- ♦ \$275 to buy critically needed medicines for a hospital in Haiti
- ♦ \$225 for medical supplies for WEUMC's Guatemala Mission Trip
- ♦ Sponsor 3 children for Jr. Pro Basketball at Henderson Settlement
- ♦ Food boxes for 6 families at Henderson Settlement
- ♦ Sponsor mother and provide baby supplies for 7 families through Henderson Settlement
- ♦ \$75 to help with transportation for youth Ministries at Henderson Settlement

**In Nashville...**

- ♦ 1 Week of Summer Program for 3 children, field trips for 24 children, and 32 books for Project Transformation's summer program
- ♦ Covered 33 days for middle schoolers to attend the afterschool program and hot meals for 13 home-bound senior adults for a month through Bethlehem Centers
- ♦ Dental check-ups for 16 children and adults, 6 patient exams and extractions, and two sets of dentures for a senior adult through Interfaith
- ♦ Seven \$20 gift cards for new mothers through Miriam's Promise
- ♦ Six therapy sessions for a child through Miriam's Promise

- ♦ \$120 for pillows and bedding for new families entering the Shelter program and \$650 for household items for families graduating from the Shelter program at Safe Haven Family Shelter
- ♦ 4800 meals to families in need through Second Harvest Food Bank
- ♦ 30 meals for people at Monthly Neighborhood Banquet and five days for after-school ministry snacks through Sixty-First Avenue UMC
- ♦ 336 meals for the hungry, homeless, and working poor through Luke 14:12
- ♦ \$200 to provide healthy meals and fresh product through The Nashville Food Project
- ♦ \$160 to provide rental or mortgage assistance to families in need through Rooftop
- ♦ Medical exams for 11 patients at Faith Family Medical Clinic
- ♦ 3 hours of interpretation services for a client, one meal for volunteers and clients, and \$100 for resources for monthly legal clinics provided by Justice for Our Neighbors
- ♦ 5 tarps, one birth certificate, and 4 sleeping bags for homeless persons through Open Table Nashville
- ♦ Medical exams for 24 people at Siloam Family Health Center
- ♦ 2 weeks of preschool for a family in need at WEUMC's Preschool
- ♦ 5 training day lunches for in TIME
- ♦ Sponsor one inter for a week through in TIME
- ♦ \$40 for household items and one breakfast for Edgehill Neighborhood Partnership FreeStore
- ♦ ACT or college application fees for 5 high school girls and one meal for The Spot afterschool program through Edgehill Neighborhood Partnership
- ♦ \$100 for emergency items (coats, shoes, etc.) through the Edgehill Neighborhood Partnership



**Special Mission Offering for Great Day of Service**

During this Lenten Season, we will have a special mission offering to help cover the cost of the Great Day of Service Potato or Produce Drop (Saturday, April 23). Our goal is to raise \$5,000 to donate to the Society of St. Andrew to cover the cost for the freight

and the potatoes or produce.

You can contribute to the Offering for the Great Day of Service anytime throughout Lent. Just designate your gift for "Great Day of Service."

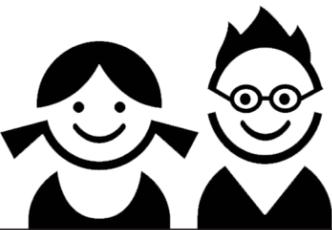
To learn more about the Society of St. Andrew, go to [endhunger.org](http://endhunger.org).

**An update from the Trustees**

Good news! The final payments

have been made on the new monument sign on West End Avenue, and we have a savings in excess of \$14,000. The Trustees have made the decision to move the excess funds to the Legacy Campaign, which will put the pledges and gifts much closer to the goal! If you contributed to the sign fund, and feel strongly that your gift should be applied in a different manner, email Sandy Durbin at [sdurbin@westendumc.org](mailto:sdurbin@westendumc.org). Thank you for your stewardship.

# Children's Ministry



## THIRD GRADE BIBLE PRESENTATION

On Sunday, January 24, 10 third graders and their parents celebrated an important step on their faith journey in the presentation of Bibles in worship. It was an important day since almost all the families braved the snowy roads for this milestone in their child's life. When the church presents Bibles to its third graders it symbolizes that the church celebrates the fact that third graders can begin to read the Bible for themselves. With help from parents and Sunday morning small group leaders, the children begin to also discover how the words in the Bible impact their lives.

The third graders who received Bibles this year are: Lily Catherine Bury, William Dalton- Drye, Connor Harris, Margo Jenkins, Elsbeth Keefer, Henry Keefer, Adelle Medovich, Margaret Nelson, Cailin Rork, and Vivian Sanders.

The third graders set out on a Bible Adventure under the leadership of Laura Riley, Martha Snow, and Mildred Tilley. The third graders have spent the last 4 weeks exploring their Bibles and learning how to use them in fun and creative ways. We are grateful that our third graders have an opportunity to focus on this foundation of our Christian faith and have fun doing it!

## It's an Easter Eggstravaganza

### Children's Easter Egg Hunt ♦ Saturday, March 12 ♦ 10 a.m.

Come find out about God's Easter surprise as we hunt for eggs and fellowship together! Parents and children will gather in McWhirter Hall where there will be craft activities for early arrivers. Children will be divided into 3 groups and led by adults and youth to the play garden. All age groups will hunt eggs at the same time. All ages of children are welcome to participate. Children ages 3 and under need to be accompanied by a parent. Remember, God's surprise on that first Easter morn was that the tomb was empty; just like the tomb, our eggs are empty. Following the egg hunt, families will return to McWhirter Hall for refreshments and prizes.

**Activities and Hunt begin promptly at 10 a.m. All activities will end by 11:15 a.m. In case of rain, the Easter Egg Hunt will be held indoors on the 4th floor of the church.**

Mission Emphasis: Our Mission emphasis will allow parents to purchase animals from Heifer International to honor your child and to celebrate how these animals provide life to people around the world. Your financial gift in honor of your child "pays it forward" to help others receive the necessary livestock to transform the lives of hungry and impoverished communities. Heifer International is partnering with people to provide the tools and education to help end hunger and poverty.



### HELP MAKE A CAT OR DOG HAVE THE LUCK OF THE IRISH

Our next Older Elementary Fellowship event for 4th, 5th, and 6th graders on March 13 is to make some furry friends feel extra lucky. Everyone will gather to watch the movie, Hotel for Dogs, in the 4th Story Theater from 4:30 - 7 p.m. There will be popcorn and snack supper served. Bring a friend! Your admission to the movie is to bring one of the following: a dog/cat toy, dog blanket, dog/cat food or kitty litter. We will donate these items to the Nashville Humane Association. Register by March. 9 at [westendumc.org/movie](http://westendumc.org/movie).

## SURF'S UP! TIME FOR SURF SHACK!

Vacation Bible School 2016  
June 20 - 24 ♦ 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. ♦ Monday - Friday  
Ages Older 3s (very potty trained) - 3rd grade

*Come on! Grab your board! Pack your shades! We are on a Mission forever to shine God's light to others!*

While at the Surf Shack, children will have an opportunity to experience God's amazing love; explore God's mission for their lives; encounter powerful water stories from the Bible; discover ways to live out God's amazing love. Registration begins April 17. You can register online or by returning a registration form with payment. All registrations and payment are due by May 25. Tuition/Supply Fee for VBS is \$25 for the first child, \$15 for each additional child in the family. Please make checks payable to West End United Methodist Church.



*get amped...it's time to dive deep*



## GET AMPED! TIME TO DIVE DEEP WITH SCUBA!

Children's Mission Week 2016  
June 20 - 24 ♦ 9 a.m. - 12 p.m. ♦ Monday - Friday  
Ages Rising 4th - 6th grade

*Come On! Get ready to catch the Mission wave of God's amazing love by helping others and spreading God's love around the world.*

While at SCUBA, children will have the opportunity to create items and raise funds that benefit both adults and children in the Nashville community and around the world. Each hands-on mission project will help make a difference with its amazing ripple effect as God's love goes out into the community.

Tuition/Supply fee for Children's Mission Week is \$25 for the first child, \$15 for each additional child.

### AFTERCARE AVAILABLE

Aftercare is available for families who need it. Aftercare will be 12 - 5 p.m., Monday - Thursday. The rate is \$20 per day per child. We will have paid childcare workers to care for the children. Each child will need to bring a lunch each day.

### HOW WILL YOU SERVE DURING VBS WEEK AND CHILDREN'S MISSION WEEK?

Adults, parents, and youth are invited to begin thinking how you will serve during our Vacation Bible School Week. Leaders are needed to help or assist in our Activity Centers: Bible story, Music, Snack, Science, and Crafts. Adults are also needed to assist with age groups of children ages 3 - grade 3.

**Can't be there to work with children?** Help on Saturday, June 19 to decorate the 4th floor and transform the building into a Beach Party. Go to the website, [cokesburyvbs.com](http://cokesburyvbs.com), and watch the preview video to find out more about Surf Shack VBS 2016!

Children's Mission Week will also need adults to help lead, guide, and chaperone the older elementary children in their mission/outreach projects. Do you have a heart for Mission and outreach? Help our children develop that same love and passion by offering leadership, June 20-24.

*Remember, there is a place for everyone to serve at VBS and Children's Mission Week!*

## Missions and Outreach Committee Announces 2016 Grant Beneficiaries

The Missions and Outreach Committee has worked diligently to review grant requests from local and global mission organizations through our annual grant process. Our goals are to partner with agencies in which our church members are currently investing their time, there are opportunities for long-term and multifaceted relationships, and help to enrich the missional identity of our church. We are excited to announce this year's recipients of Missions and Outreach grants.

### Local Organizations

Bethlehem Centers of Nashville  
Community Care Fellowship  
Edgehill Neighborhood Partnership  
Faith Family Medical Clinic  
Family Reconciliation Center  
Interfaith Dental Clinic  
in TIME  
Launch Pad  
The Little Pantry That Could  
Luke 14:12  
Mending Hearts, Inc.

Miriam's Promise  
Nashville Cares  
The Nashville Food Project  
Open Table Nashville  
Pastoral Counseling Centers  
Planned Parenthood PG-13 Players  
Preston Taylor Ministries  
Project Transformation  
Rooftop Foundation  
Safe Haven Family Shelter  
Siloam Family Health Center  
Sixty-First Avenue UMC

Tennessee Justice for Our Neighbors  
Thistle Farms  
West End UMC Preschool Scholarship Fund  
West End YMC Youth Mission Support

### Regional/Global Organizations

AMOS Health & Hope (Nicaragua)  
Bahamas Methodist Habitat  
Henderson Settlement  
ODIM Guatemala  
Project Tariro  
Promise for Haiti

The Missions and Outreach Committee is chaired by Mindy Boyce and includes Jean Farris, Kay Gray, Doug Doss Kenny Griffin, Zak Kelley, Jane Shoun, Andrew Nielson, Jennifer Rawlings, Lauren LeSturgeon, Charles Tidball, and Cyrs Zinkiewicz. Outgoing members John Cowden, Sue Stein, and Sarah Williams and past Chair Kathi Whalen also participated in the grant review process.

## The Loving Light of Christ in Haiti

Thanks for helping us to be the loving light of Christ in Haiti. Through your prayers and support, West End sent a six-member mission team to Haiti the first week in January. Your communion offering purchased medicines which allowed the team to set up two mobile medical clinics in rural Haiti and treat over 300 patients, as well as restock the regional hospital's pharmacy. The team also toured the hospital, schools, and a local orphanage. It was a meaningful trip for all participants, and they returned with new friendships and a greater understanding of Haiti's challenges and needs.

Back home, church members who couldn't go to Haiti helped the cause by organizing a concert that helped raise money to pay the salary of a Haitian nurse at Promise for Haiti's hospital in Pignon, Haiti. The concert, featuring singer/songwriter and church member Claudia Nygaard, was held was January 31 in the 4th Story Theater. The concert was a wonderful event but fell short of raising the amount needed to support a Haitian nurse for a year. Even if you can't go to Haiti, you can be part of the work there. If you would like to make a contribution to help the 4th Story Theater raise the \$5,500 still needed, make checks payable to West End UMC with "Haiti nurse" written in the for line. For more information about Promise for Haiti, visit [promiseforhaiti.org](http://promiseforhaiti.org).



## Reconciliation Christmas Dinner – A Wonderful Evening

On Saturday, December 12, we hosted twenty families connected with Family Reconciliation Center, an organization that supports families of incarcerated individuals. It was a wonderful evening of music, a time of remembrance, gifts, poinsettias, family photos and crafts. Each family was hosted by a West End family or individual. Both our guests and hosts shared how much they enjoyed the evening.

What a great way to honor and strengthen these families during the advent season! Thank you to everyone who helped make this such a great event by sponsoring family gifts, purchasing poinsettias, shopping, or volunteering at the dinner by hosting a family or helping with crafts.



# Happy Birthday to Mrs. Chris Tibbott

On December 1, 2015, the Body Recall Group celebrated the 95th birthday of Mrs. Chris Tibbott. Mrs. Tibbott joined West End UMC in 1931 and is still an active part of our community today. She regularly attends the Body Recall group which meets weekly in the Lower Level. The sessions include stretching, walking and exercising while sitting. Started in 1995, the group has become a caring community to all who join them.



## WEST END TRANSITIONS

### Deaths

- ◆ Kathi and Eva Whalen are mourning the death of Kathi's father, *Denny Whalen*, who died October 29 in Ocala, FL.
- ◆ Peaches Blank and her family are mourning the death of her father, *Daniel C. Gunter, Jr.* who died November 1 in Gastonia, NC. He is survived also by his granddaughter, Raleigh Anne Blank.
- ◆ Jim and Carole Fesmire are mourning the death of Jim's mother, *Lucille Fesmire*, who died November 1 in Memphis, Tn. She is survived also by her grandchildren, Anna and Craig Fesmire.
- ◆ *Jeanne Fonville Riddell* died November 7.
- ◆ Keith, Camilla, Leo and Alexandra Spadafino are mourning the death of Keith's father, *Leonard "Len" Spadafino*, who died Nov 11 in Kingsport, TN.
- ◆ *Thomas Crockett Herbert* died November 19.
- ◆ Mark, Nancy, Sam, Caroline and Tucker Deaton are mourning the death of Mark's father, *Donald Jason Deaton*, who died November 23.
- ◆ *Louise Kellogg* died November 22.
- ◆ Rick, Helen, Isabelle and Vivian Sanders are mourning the death of Rick's mother, *Sandy Rich*, who died November 24 in Palm Desert, California.
- ◆ Doug, Susan, Harrison and Blaine Brown are mourning the death of Doug's father, *Harrison Brown*, who died December 5 (at the age of 100) in Huntsville, AL.
- ◆ George and Anne Schultz are mourning the death of George's mother, *Florence Rebecca Tipton Schultz*, who died December 6 in Dyersburg, TN.
- ◆ David, Ann, Lauren and Olivia Pickens are mourning the death of David's father, *Bryan Pickens*, who died December 10 in Chattanooga, TN.
- ◆ We were saddened to learn of the death of *Mike Ritenour* who died December 1 in a house fire in East Nashville. Mike sold The Contributor and was a regular presence at West End for a number of years.
- ◆ Peggy Hutton is mourning the death of her daughter, *Julie*, who died December 18.
- ◆ Trey, Susan, Mary Frances, and Maggie Harrell are mourning the death of Trey's mother, *Linda Harrell*, who died December 29 in Ocala, Florida.
- ◆ *Christopher Gilbert Magee* died January 14. Among his survivors is his mother, Betty Magee.
- ◆ Peggy and Bob Sewell are mourning the death of Peggy's sister, *Mary Jo Cox*, who died January 10 in Stratford, Texas.
- ◆ *Adelaide Shull Davis* died January 19. Among her survivors is her nephew, Buster Shull.
- ◆ Lisa Bolton and her son Nash Bolton are mourning the death of her father, *Albert Guy Bolton*, who died January 20 in Kansas City, Missouri.
- ◆ *Eunice Wylie Doty* died January 25.
- ◆ Eddie and Lisa Gwock and their family are mourning the death of Eddie's mother, *Marie Hoy*, who died January 26 in Vancouver, British Columbia.
- ◆ *Michael P. Ishie* died January 27. He is survived by his wife Pam Ishie and daughter, Elizabeth Ishie Farris.
- ◆ *Robert Harris Elledge* died February 4. He is survived by his parents Lee and Cliff Elledge.
- ◆ Susanne, Chip, Katherine and Eliza Frensey are mourning the death of Susanne's step father, *William A. Stowe*, who died Feb 8 in Lake Placid, NY.
- ◆ John, Jeannette and Emma Goddard are mourning the death of John's mother, *Margaret H. Goddard*, who died February 10.
- ◆ Tom and Lois Adkinson are mourning the death of Tom's sister-in-law, *Astrid Adkinson*, who died February 11 in Englewood, Florida.

### Births

- ◆ *John David "Jack" Garrison* was born September 12 to Erica and Dave Garrison. He is welcomed also by his siblings, Lucy and Henry Garrison.
- ◆ *Aubrey Reynolds Allen* was born September 29 to Whitney and Ryan Allen. She is welcomed also by her sister, Adelyn Allen.
- ◆ *Benjamin Isaiah Radish* was born October 20 to Elisabeth and Evan Radish.
- ◆ *Margaret Rose Forester* was born October 2 in Norman, OK to Catie and Jason Forester. She is welcomed also by her big brother, Jack Forester, and grandparents, Joey and Lalia Click.
- ◆ *Carlisle Francis Smith* was born November 2 to Kelly and Phillip Smith. She is welcomed also by her big brother, Ellis Smith.
- ◆ *Madeline Grace Duncan* was born November 3 to Tony and Natasha Duncan. She is welcomed also by her big brother, William Duncan.
- ◆ *Lucas Ezra Dunnivant* was born November 14 to Linda and Daniel Dunnivant. He is welcomed also by his big brother, Keith Dunnivant.
- ◆ *Wesley Robert-Carter Johnson* was born November 23 to Julia Candler Johnson and Sean Johnson in Valencia, California. He is welcomed also by his grandfather, Jim McFerrin.
- ◆ *Evelyn Ruth Silton* was born November 26 in Atlanta, GA to Kristen and Jordan Silton. She is welcomed also by her big brother Benji Silton and grandparents, Lisa and Eddie Gwock.
- ◆ *Jack Turner Hughes* was born November 28 to Sara and Ryan Hughes.
- ◆ *John Edward "Jack" Pollard* was born December 3 to James and Lauren Pollard. He is welcomed also by his big sister, Vivian Pollard; grandfather, Tom Trent; and his uncle and aunt; Alex and Valerie Trent.
- ◆ *Madeline Jane Gambill* was born December 7 to Jodie and Eric Gambill. She is welcomed also by her big sister, Ella Gambill.
- ◆ *Katherine "Kate" James Fowler* was born December 28 to Katherine and Chris Fowler. She is welcomed also by her big sister, Liza Fowler.
- ◆ *Easton Wiley Hall* was born December 28 to Walton and Randy Hall. He is welcomed also by his big brother William Hall and his grandmother, Beth Creighton.

# WEST END MEMORIALS AND HONORARIUMS

## MEMORIALS

### Living Church Fund

- ◆ Ruby Setzer  
by Berl and Marilyn Garey and Family  
by Elizabeth and Fyke Farmer, Jr.  
by Betty Snellings  
by Barbara and Chip Hanback and family  
by Mary and Paul Stumb  
by Charlotte Royer  
by Irwin and Jeff Fisher  
by Linda (Sparkman) Brannon and Bob Brannon
- ◆ Margie Howell  
by Jean and Bill Farris  
by Holcim (US) Inc.  
by Mary and Paul Stumb  
by Martha and Bob Burrows  
by Mack and Katherine Linebaugh  
by Bobby Williams  
by Connie Ansley  
by Mary Lawrence Breinig  
by Betty O. Williamson  
by Charlene and Leigh Kammerer  
by Mary Anne and Ed Herbert  
by Charlie Potter
- ◆ Bill Earthman  
by Sandy and Jay Sangervasi  
by Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Lazenby  
by Mr. & Mrs. Albert P. Whitson, Jr.  
by Ruthie and Chuck Cherry
- ◆ Winifred White  
by Catherine White
- ◆ Margaret Lowe  
by The Deaton Family  
by Anne and George Schultz  
by Nancy O'Dell  
by Jane and Sam Stumpf  
by Jim McFerrin  
by John, Karyn, Katie and Jackson Bryant
- ◆ Ann Bright  
by Hugh and Celia Bright
- ◆ Jean Stumpf  
by her family
- ◆ Jeanne Riddell  
by Matt and Betty Dobson  
by John C. Eason  
by Mary W. Stover  
by Paula Hughey  
by Jo and Ben Doubleday  
by Betsy and Steve Silverman  
by Irwin and Jeff Fisher  
by Frances Edwards  
by Mary and Bill DeLoache  
by Austin Funeral Services
- ◆ Daniel C. Gunter, Jr.  
by Lawrence Blank-Cook and Charles Cook  
by Irwin and Jeff Fisher
- ◆ David Eberling  
by Gayle Douglas
- ◆ Thomas C. Herbert  
by Hennie Benedict Morris  
by Charles C. Martin, Jr.  
by Water Control Roofing, Inc.  
by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Herbert  
by Karol and Duncan Fort  
by Steve Wherry
- ◆ Jean Crawford  
by Kay and Earl Beasley
- ◆ Ruby Setzer  
by Benjamin and Joanna Robbins
- ◆ Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Stone  
by Sissy Stevinson

- ◆ Grace Stumb  
by The Skelo Family
- ◆ Roger Burgess  
by Alex Robison
- ◆ Marion Cox  
by Sissy Stevinson
- ◆ Lenda Woody  
by Sissy Stevinson
- ◆ Frank Riddick  
by Sissy Stevinson
- ◆ Julie Hutton  
by Jo and Ben Doubleday  
by Judy and Pete Nebhut
- ◆ Eunice Doty  
by Ann and Kirby Davis  
by Neal & Harwell, PLC  
by Peggy Downing  
by The Upper Room Sunday School Class
- ◆ Susan Litton Hammond and Mr. & Mrs. W. Lyle Hammond  
by Allison Hammond
- ◆ William Henry Likins  
by Jeanne Likins and Joseph Flood
- ◆ Marie Hoy  
by Ann and Kirby Davis  
by Davis and Melora Turner
- ◆ Janice Bentley  
by Sissy Stevinson
- ◆ Paul and Anetta Haury  
by John D. Haury

### General Fund

- ◆ Dorothy Atkinson  
by Clay and Suzanne Petrey
- ◆ Annette and Rife Hughey  
by Paula Hughey
- ◆ A. G. Bolton  
by Lisa Bolton

### Legacy Campaign Fund

- ◆ Margie Howell  
by Bob and Fern Richie
- ◆ Ruby Setzer  
by Sue W. Edwards
- ◆ Daniel Gunter  
by Jean Ann and Barry Banker

### Music Ministry Fund

- ◆ Jane Delony  
by Rife "Buddy" Hughey
- ◆ Grace "Susie" Irvin  
by Eleanor Templeton
- ◆ Ruby Setzer  
by Eleanor Templeton  
by Dr. Doug and Mercer Trapp
- ◆ Margie Howell  
by Don and Karen Marler  
by Eleanor Templeton  
by Ruth Ann and Marc Rowland  
by Sue and Bill Miller  
by Allen and Mary Mina Morgan  
by Tommy Cowan  
by John F. Howell
- ◆ Diane and Sam Sawyer  
by Sue and Bill Miller
- ◆ Jeff Creel  
by Frances A. Lambert
- ◆ Marie and Buck Cowan  
by Tommy Cowan
- ◆ Annette and Rife Hughey  
by their children
- ◆ Adelaide Shull Davis  
by Elizabeth Collins

### Minister's Discretionary Fund

- ◆ Margie Howell  
by Bobby Williams

### Building Endowment Fund

- ◆ Jeanne Riddell  
by Anne Webber

### Sara Rodes Scholarship Fund

- ◆ Eunice Doty  
by May Dean Eberling

### Local Outreach Fund

- ◆ Elizabeth and Betty Butterfield  
by Martha Butterfield

### UMCOR – Disaster Relief

- ◆ Carl Davis  
by Virginia Holladay

### Youth Ministries

- ◆ Margaret Lowe  
by Sue and Bill Miller

### Nursery Program/ Children's Ministry

- ◆ John Hale Hayes  
by Craig and Peggy Nielson

### Contributor Memorial

- ◆ Mike Ritenour  
by Scott and Ellen Wolfe  
by Brent and Jennifer Lankford  
by Revell Michael  
by Mike and Sue Salato  
by Bob and Mindy Boyce  
by Marilyn and Earl Henry  
by The Brakefield family  
by Anonymous  
by Paul and Cynthia Fata  
by Shara Parker  
by Barbara Love  
by Ann and Kirby Davis  
by Byron and Aleta Trauger  
by Laura Creekmore and family  
by The Tettleton family  
by Anonymous  
by Janie Parmley  
by Kathi Whalen  
by Anonymous  
by Daniel Nelson  
by Marc and Ruth Ann Rowland  
by A. Sanford  
by Judy Andrews  
by The Click family  
by James and Charlotte Sewell  
by Jane Hamm  
by Sue Stein  
by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Henderson, Jr.  
by Becky Lane  
by Dot and Jean Byassee  
by Caroline Jenkins  
by Jennifer and Dave Rawlings  
by Jim and Nancy Culver  
by Judy Helfer  
by Roger and Judy Ireson

### Guatemala Mission Trip

- ◆ Linda Harrell  
by Sue Edwards  
by Bob and Beth Howard

## HONORARIUMS

### Living Church Fund

- ◆ The birth of Charlotte Davis Levine  
by Ann and Kirby Davis
- ◆ Tricia Wagers  
by Sissy Stevinson

- ◆ Basil Carter  
by his friends at West End UMC
- ◆ Sallie and Bill Norton  
by Charlie and Carmine Jordan
- ◆ Mr. and Mrs. Matt H. Dobson, IV  
by Matt H. Dobson, V
- ◆ Madeline Gambill  
by Dot and Jean Byassee
- ◆ Holly Wilford's birthday  
by Sissy Stevinson

### Habitat for Humanity Fund

- ◆ Bonnie Seay  
by Hannah Waltermann

### Music Ministry Fund

- ◆ Andrew Risinger  
by Don and Karen Marler  
by Bob and Nita Henderson  
by Bob and Fern Richie  
by Davis and Melora Turner  
by Ruby Fowinkle  
by Lois and Tom Adkinson
- ◆ Heath Jones  
by Lois and Tom Adkinson
- ◆ Jo and Ben Doubleday  
by Rife "Buddy" Hughey

### Children's Choir Program

- ◆ Jay and Jennifer Cook  
by Mary Nelle Cook

### Advent – Edgehill

### Neighborhood Project

- ◆ Aaron Schoch's birthday  
by Scott and Mary Ellen Fortune

### Sunny Day Club

- ◆ Sue McSwiney  
by Mary Hooks and Robert Hines
- ◆ Fern and Bob Richie  
by Sam Patterson

### Don Marler Music Scholarship Fund

- ◆ Andrew Risinger  
by Mary Hooks and Robert Hines

### General Fund

- ◆ Pastoral Care Team  
by Mary Hooks and Robert Hines

### 4th Story Theater Ministry

- ◆ Michael Williams  
by Bob and Fern Richie