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*Breathe*  
*on me*

Breathe on me, Breath of God,  
Fill me with life anew,  
That I may love what  
Thou dost love, And do what  
Thou wouldst do.

# STEELE MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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**Welcome to Worship!**  
**April 25, 2021**

**GREETINGS & ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**HYMN** *"Ancient Word"*

**PRAYER CONCERNS**

**PRAYER OF THE DAY**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**CHILDREN'S STORY**

**CHORUS**

**SERMON** *"How to Grow Your Faith"* Pastor Kevin Lantz  
Matthew 17: 14-21

**ACTION STEPS TO DISCIPLESHIP**

**SONG** *"Lord I Need You"*

**CLOSING**



**Welcome!**  
*Remind us again, O God, of your loving presence,  
from which nothing can separate us.*

# Prayer Concerns

## OUR CHURCH FAMILY

Malinda Adkins	Bonnie Herrold
Phyllis Argabriite	Monica Jackson
Eloise Baumgardner	Amy Jarvis
Rosetta Blake	Richard Jimison
Teresa Blake	Ben Maynard
Mary Frances Burns	Helen McClure
Shirley Bowen	Brenda Morning
Carl Chapman	Amy Reiter
Tim Damron	Lois Silling
Vickie Delp	Reba Swann
Dana Godfrey, Sr.	The Turman Family
Joan Gross	Doris Wooten
Pat Gwinn	Jack Yeager and Family
Amy Herrenkohl	

## FRIENDS AND RELATIVES

Erik Ballengee	(Son of Kevin & Cindy Ballengee)
Simon Ballengee	(Grandson of Kevin and Cindy Ballengee)
Julia Canfield	(Sister of Karen Canfield)
Richard Chafin	(Father of Rita Kelley)
Carroll Cornwell	(Brother of Pat Cornwell)
Suzanne Elliot	(Niece of Jim & Sandy Boggess)
Sherry Hagley	(Daughter of Delores Donahoe)
Tracy Jimison	(Daughter-in-law of Dick & Lou Jimison)
Bob Martin	(Grandfather of Aimee Merritt)
Brian Knost	(Husband of Andrea Yeager-Knost)

## THIS WEEK <sup>at</sup> GLANCE



### SUNDAY, APRIL 25th

9:40 a.m. - Sunday School  
10:45a.m. - Morning Worship

### MONDAY, APRIL 26th

9:30 a.m. - ReFit  
6:30 p.m. - Cub Scouts  
7:40 p.m. - Scouts

### TUESDAY, APRIL 27th

6:30 p.m. - SPPR Mtg.

### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28th

9:30 a.m. - ReFit

### FRIDAY, APRIL 30th

9:30 a.m. - ReFit

## WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

April 18, 2021

Present: 87

Total Views: 0 (Local internet down)

## WEEKLY GIVING REPORT

April 18, 2021

Amount Received

\$14,318.09

Amount Needed Per Week:

\$8,490.06

<https://tithe.ly/give?c=1315386>



**THE CARNATION** on the altar is placed in memory of Chuck Yeager, brother of Jack Yeager and Karen Turman who passed away Sunday, April 18th. Let's remember these families in our prayers during this season of loss.

**THE ALTAR FLOWERS** are placed in memory of Mike Smith on his birthday, April 24th.

By: Marlene, Jessie, Jeremy, Amy and LeighAnn.

**SMALL GROUP BIBLE STUDY:** Cathy Conard is leading a 7-day Bible study using the YouVersion App Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m. via Zoom.

"James Challenge", James focuses on our attitudes, behaviors and speech as Christians. In 7 days the book of James will challenge you to think, speak, and live more like Christ, as we explore core contemporary topics such as; wisdom, the use of slang, faith, prayer, the function of trials, sin and so much more.

To participate you will need the YouVersion App found in the App Store of your mobile device or on the web at [www.youversion.com](http://www.youversion.com). To join via Zoom, contact Cathy Conard at 304-360-2637 or [cathyaconard@aol.com](mailto:cathyaconard@aol.com).

**FREE CAR WASH OFFERED:** The engage team is offering a free car wash as a service to our community and to *engage* the community in the love of Jesus Christ on Saturday, May 1<sup>st</sup> 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at Advanced Auto Parts located at 5720 US Route 60 E Barboursville (across from the Big Lots shopping center.)

Refreshments of bottled water and brownies will be offered. Volunteers needed, Please contact Alan Beasley at 304-964-3007 or Chris Jarvis at 304-360-2658 if you would like to participate.

*One day as the crowds were gathering, Jesus went up the mountainside with His disciples and sat down to teach them. This is what He taught them: "God blesses those who realize their need for Him, for the Kingdom of Heaven is given to them." (Matthew 5:1-3)*

We live in a world where people just don't know the God who loves them. We want to ENGAGE our community to express His love!

**FLOOD RECOVERY BENEFIT:** Fellowship Baptist Church in Barboursville, WV is sponsoring a Benefit Concert and silent auction for the 2021 Flood Recovery on May 15, 4:30 – 8:30. The benefit will be held at The Barn at the Olde Homestead, 206 Homestead Way, Ona, WV 25545. The concert will feature The Jason Lovins Band, with Render the Hearts, and Austin McCoy. Ticket price includes a delicious dinner catered by The Spice of Life! Tickets are \$63, available at [www.fellowshipbarboursville.com/concert](http://www.fellowshipbarboursville.com/concert)

**COMMUNITY BLOOD DRIVE** The Red Cross Blood Drive will be at Christ the King Lutheran Church on April 30, and July 28, from 1 pm – 6:30 p.m. The Church is located on Rt. 60 across from the Big Lots Plaza.

**THE GREATER BARBOURSVILLE COMMUNITY OUT-REACH** is recruiting a coordinator who would volunteer to communicate and delegate the service mission of our local church congregations. Currently, the GBCO organizes and promotes a free monthly meal in Barboursville for anyone in our community. These meals are being distributed from the Picnic Shelter at Steele Memorial Church on the last Saturday

of each month, prepared in advance by the food preparation unit at WalMart. If you or a team of people from the Church would like to take this on, please contact Pastor Kevin as soon as possible: 304.638.34840

**HOME REHAB** A member of our community is needing volunteer help to construct a simple roof over a deck at their home. If you or a team of people from the Church would like to take this on, please contact Pastor Kevin as soon as possible: 304.638.34840

**PAINTING PROJECT** Looking for volunteers with good paint skills to paint the railings outside the Church this spring. If you or a team of people from the Church would like to take this on, please contact Eddie Smith or the Church Office.

**WE NEED YOU:** Children's Sunday School Teacher We are reminded of the vital roll we play whenever we receive new families into membership at Church or celebrate baptism among our families. With the liturgy, we affirm our responsibilities: "With God's help we will proclaim the good news and live according to the example of Christ. We will surround 'these people' with a community of love and forgiveness, that they may grow in their trust of God, and be found faithful in their service to others..."

Can you teach our group of 10-12 wonderful children, ages 4 through 5th grade on Sunday mornings? We need people who love children to teach – every other month. Contact Whitney Stead or Ashley Kinker if you're interested or want more information.

**YOUTH MINISTER OPENING** The Church is seeking leadership for our Youth Ministry. Interested persons may contact the Church Office or Jon Fannin, chairman of the Staff-Parish Relations Committee: [church@steelememorial.com](mailto:church@steelememorial.com)

The Youth Ministry has been well served under Becky Dameron in recent years, and we express our deep appreciation for her faithful calling.

**HONORING OUR MOTHERS:** Mother's Day is fast approaching on Sunday, May 9th! Many people on this weekend remember their mothers or a woman who has had a major impact in their lives.

To honor our mothers we are collecting photos to include in a slideshow during our Sunday Worship service on Mother's Day.

If you would like to submit your mother's photo, you may email it to [church@steelememorial.com](mailto:church@steelememorial.com) or bring it to the church office.

Please include:

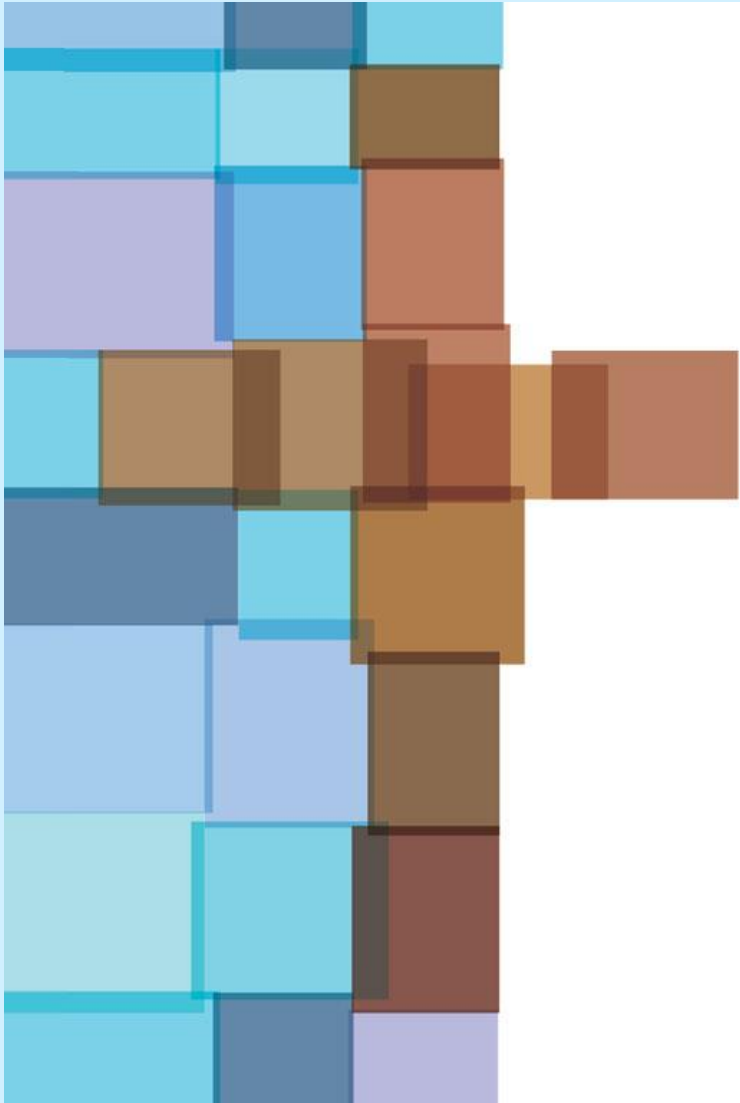
- \* Mother's Name
- \* Name of Contributor
- \* Name of Mother's Children

Photos must be received by May 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**GRADUATE SUNDAY:** Sunday, May 23rd we will honor our graduates! If you have a graduate in your family, please contact the church office at 304-736-4583 or email [church@steelememorial.com](mailto:church@steelememorial.com) Information needed:

- \*Name of Graduate
- \*Parents and Grandparents
- \*School Name, City and State
- \*Future Plans
- \*Photo

Submissions must be received by: Friday, May 14th.



...the life  
I now live  
in the flesh  
I live by  
faith in  
the Son  
of God,  
who  
loved me  
and gave  
himself  
for me.

Galatians 2:20, NRSV

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