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Philippians 2:3-4

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“The Mind of Christ: Woke Up This Morning”

Today's Service
September 27, 2026
18th Sunday After Pentecost

Please note: the * symbol means to please stand if you can comfortably do so.

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal TFWS = The Faith We Sing W&S = Worship & Song

Opening Praise Song * "House of God" W&S #3132

Call to Worship*

Congregational Joys and Concerns

The Lord's Prayer

Children's Time

Sermon: "The Mind of Christ: Woke Up This Morning"

Doxology* "Love the Lord Your God" TFWs #2168

Pastoral Benediction*

Postlude Instrumental by Mary Kay Grout

CCLI #1147258



Bible Study: The book study on Isaiah continues with Session 6 tomorrow, September 28 at 6:30 pm.

Breaking Bread: Please join us after church Sunday, Oct 4, 2026. Come share a bite to eat and good fellowship. We will have pizza and salad to fill your belly. We will also have the privilege of hearing Eric Weber's quartet, Swing Shift, entertaining us while we eat to fill your ears.



Help Us Share God's Love: Bzz, Bzz, Bzz do you hear that sound buzzing around our Sanctuary, 5 hives of Bees and in the background the quacking of 10 paddlings of ducks. What an amazing Sunday, again the buckets rang loud as the children walked through the congregation. What a Joy to have the problem of not enough buckets! We've fixed that problem. We collected enough to buy several colonies of Bees.

This Sunday we are going to add chickens to our collection for Heifer Project. A flock of chicken costs the same as a flock of ducks. Chickens require little space and can thrive on readily available scraps; this allows families to make money from the birds without spending much. And since a good hen can lay up to 200 eggs a year, your flock of chickens gift provides a steady source of nutrition and income.



Cost for Each Animal Flock of Ducks-\$20; Flock of Chickens-\$20; Honey Bees-\$30; Garden Seeds-\$60; Pigs, Goats, and Sheep-\$120 each; Water Buffalo-\$250; and Cow-\$500



The Giving Tree is up and going. is up and going. We are collecting for Maplewood Elementary school next. We will be collecting winter coats. Please bring all childrens sizes K through 5th Grade. We will be collecting through October 25th.



Food Pantry: For September, we are collecting peanut butter and jelly. As of September 20th, we collected 59 jars of peanut butter, 49 jars of jelly, and 41 other items for a total of 134 items. Good start, McMurry.

Listening Sessions: Don't forget to sign up for a listening session with Pastor Tricia. There are 2 sessions left to choose from. The first one is September 29th from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and the second one is an evening slot on Tuesday, October 20th from 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Come have a small group discussion with Pastor Tricia. She is excited to hear from you as well as get to know you better. .

Worship Choir: Please join us Wednesday evenings in the balcony at 6:30 p.m. We are simply looking for desire to sing!



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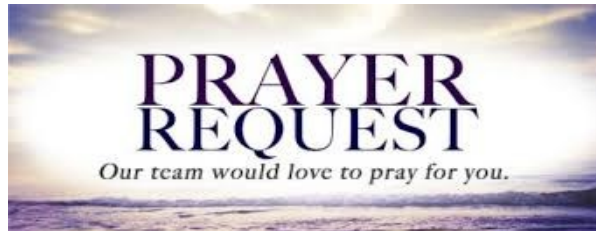
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New Here?

We are so happy you are here!
We would love to connect with you after Worship.



All are welcome to attend the Prayer Team's meeting at the church every Thursday at 2 p.m.

Please help keep our published prayer list current,
email new prayers or changes to prayers@mcmurrychurch.org.

What's Happening This Week

Sunday (Today)	10:00 a.m. - Worship Service
Monday (9/28)	6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - Bible Study in the Multipurpose Room
Tuesday (9/29)	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. - Listening Session in the Parlor
Wednesday (9/30)	12:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. - Game Day in the Multipurpose Room 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. - Choir in the Balcony
Thursday (10/2)	10:30 a.m.-11:30 p.m. - Chair Yoga in the Multipurpose Room 2:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m. - Prayer Team in the Library
Friday (10/2)	
Saturday (10/3)	
Sunday (10/4)	10:00 a.m. - Worship Service 11:15 a.m. - Breaking Bread Lunch in the Fellowship Hall

PCongregational Response, 27 September, 2026

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Amen.**

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The Lord's Prayer (Unison)

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