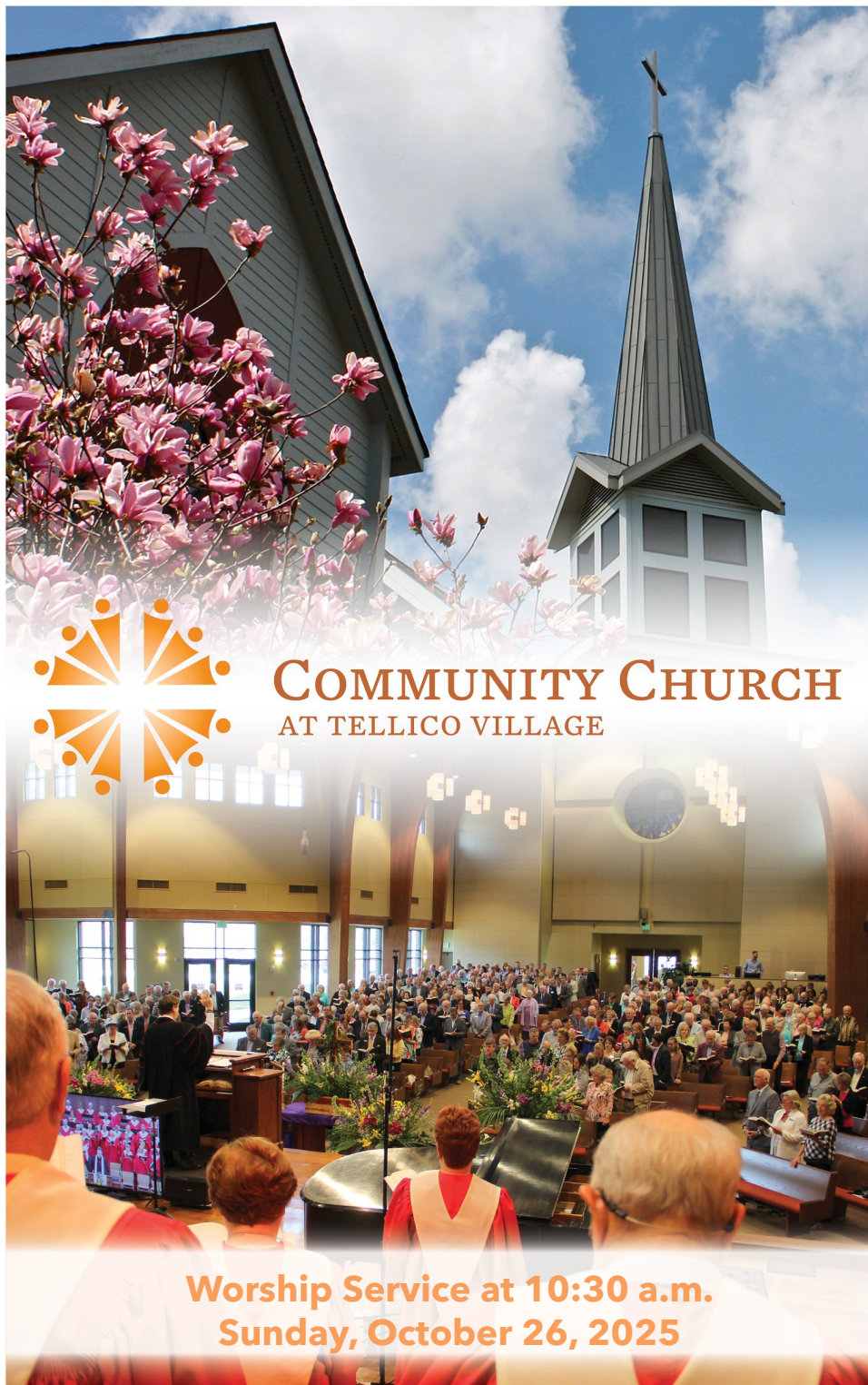




COMMUNITY CHURCH

AT TELlico VILLAGE

Worship Service at 10:30 a.m.
Sunday, October 26, 2025

Sunday Morning Worship

October 26, 2025

Reformation Sunday



Pre-Service Music		Marianne Barbour
Bell Peal	<i>A Mighty Fortress Is Our God</i>	EIN FESTE BURG IST UNSER GOTT
Welcome and Celebrations		Dr. Morgan-Harper
Introduction of New Members		
Prelude	<i>Voluntary No. 4</i>	Boëllmann
Call To Worship		Rev. Orr
Then I will pour out my spirit on all flesh, thus says the Lord. Send down the fire of your justice! Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Send down the rain of your love! Your old shall dream dreams, and your young shall see visions. Send down your Spirit, breathe life in your people! In those days, I will pour out my spirit. And we shall be people of God.		
*Opening Song #388	<i>Rain Down</i>	
Scripture Reading	Joel 2:23-32	Ingrid Warren
The Word of the Lord/ Thanks Be to God!		

**Those who are able, please stand.*

Anthem	<i>Sing a Jubilant Song</i> The Chancel Choir	Jim Stanton
<i>Sing to the Lord a new song for He's done such marvelous things! Shout for joy to the Lord, all ye nations, with the trumpet and timbrel and voice! Let the oceans resound and all life residing therein. Let the valleys and mountains echo with gladness. Let the rivers o'er flow with the waters of holiness. O let us sing to the Lord for He reveals Himself in righteousness to all the earth. ~ based on Psalm 98</i>		
Prayers for God's Children and the Lord's Prayer		Dr. Morgan-Harper
We Offer Our Gifts to God's Service		
Musical Offering	<i>I Love to Tell the Story</i>	arr. Whitworth
*Doxology (#706)		OLD 100TH
*Prayer of Dedication		Rev. Orr
*Passing of Peace	<i>Gloria Patri (#705)</i>	
Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost, As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be; World without end, Amen, Amen.		
Scripture Reading	Luke 18:9-14	Ingrid Warren
The Word of the Lord/ Thanks Be to God!		
Sermon	<i>Friends in Low Places</i>	Dr. Prevatte
*Hymn #295	<i>Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing</i>	NETTLETON
*Benediction		Dr. Prevatte
*The Family Responds	<i>Let There Be Peace on Earth</i>	J.J. Miller/S. Miller
*Postlude	<i>A Mighty Fortress Is Our God</i>	arr. Duncan

-Volunteers in Today's Service-

Scripture Reader Ingrid Warren

Greeters Lisa Sperry, Judy & Bob Bland, Bruce Jones, Karen Prazak, Ellen Pyles, Sue Shillingburg

Head Usher John Gray

Ushers Linda Gray, Mike Gower, Marsha Keiser, Mike Hammond, Linda & Harry Humbert, Monica & Mark Kreiter

Media Booth Sharon Hawkey, Robert Orr, Ron Voyer

Tellico Joe Hosts Bev Sikorski, Dianna & Steve Rieth, Kathy & Bob Kutschera

Bus Driver Brent Thompson

Prior Week Attendance

9:00 Service **98**

10:30 Service **257**

Online **110**

Adult Sunday School

9:00 in Room 1A

Hospitality—Rev. Dr. Leonard Markham

-Our Pastors-

Senior Pastor Dr. Stephen B. Prevatte

Associate Pastor Rev. Dr. Katie Morgan-Harper

Pastor of Worship and Music Rev. Dr. John R. Orr

Pastor Emeritus Rev. Martin C. Singley, III

Interim Pastoral Care The Rev. Ingrid Schalk

Interim Pastoral Care Rev. Dr. Leonard Markham

-Our Church Staff-

Organist/Accompanist Andrew Duncan

Director of Missions Nancy Gregg

Director of AVL Rex Prather

Director of Communications Gregg Randolph

Office Manager Pat Ouderkirk

Receptionist/Secretary Candy Smith

Financial Assistant Cathy Bradley

Facilities Manager Jeff McDaniel

Kitchen Coordinator Victoria McComb

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Church Family News **WELCOME TO THE COMMUNITY CHURCH** **AT TELlico VILLAGE**

*Cultivating believers, disciples, and servants to transform
our community and world for Christ.*

Thank you for choosing to worship with us this morning! We are an inter-denominational fellowship of Christian people from various denominations who bring the richness of our individual traditions into a church whose only label is Christian and whose only head is Christ.

Sunday Services: 9:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.

Large print bulletins are available. Just ask an usher. Worship bags are available for children worshipping with their families.

Adult Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. in Room 1A
Hospitality

The 10:30 worship service is streaming live every Sunday! Visit our website to watch the Sunday service live. This allows you to worship with us no matter where you are! You can view this service again or browse our previous services on YouTube or at: tellicochurch.com/watch

**The Church Office is open Monday through Thursday, 9:00-4:00,
and Friday, 9:00-noon.**

Stay up to date, LIKE us on Facebook: facebook.com/tellicochurch

Need Prayer? Go to tellicochurch.com/prayer

Give online at tellicochurch.com/give

Altar Flower Dedications

Charlene Barton & Jenifer Pulliam remembering Jim & Jeff Barton
on their birthdays.

Janet & Bob Bray celebrating their 59th Wedding Anniversary.

The red rose is in remembrance of Marilyn Fergestad.

Prayers of the People

Today's Prayers of the People: Gary Fergestad on the passing of his wife, Marilyn; Rich Bowman; Search Team for the Minister of Congregational Care; family relationships; the conflict in the Middle East; the Ukrainian people; medical professionals; our nation's representatives; social justice; children and other victims of abuse, conflicts and disasters; and our armed forces and foreign service men and women serving around the world; and God's creation.

Matt
Corbin Acierno
Erika Adams
Randy & Carol Baldwin
Dana Bennett
Barb Behrman
Colletta Bihn
Eric Blodgett
Tracie & Scott Bondy
Tom & Diana Bradley
Yvette Brown
Rick Broyles
Andy Brush
Karen Bush
Dan Carney
Ruthie Carpenter
Noe Chavez
Fay Chernin
Louann Cherry
Brian Dates
Donna Davidson
Melissa Davis
Kyle Dixon
Marjorie Dixon
Emily Dolan
Alecia Denney
Sue Dougherty
Doug Doyen
Brad Duncan
Micah Durham
Laura Eatherly
Jan & Webb Edwards
Eddie Faberzak
Bill Farrand
Bill Filene
Alyce Fleishman
David Freeman
Ken Frye Jr.
Normand & Stacey Gagnier

Myra Germilhac
Barbara Goila
Linda Grant
Bill Hakken
Gwen Hamilton
Jeff Herbold
David Higdon
Nancy Holland & family
Kim Hopkins
Jim Huxhold
Mike Johnston
Jennifer Jones
Linda Jones
Karol Jackson
Linda Karle
Jeff Kiddey
Sharon Krischer
Raquel L.
Dan Lapinski
John Lapinski
Tom Lapinski
Jackie Ledesma
Victor Ledesma
Diane Lillemon
Harriet/Lions Academy
Debra London
Kathy Loy
Dan Lyman
Barbara Mannarino
Sgt. John & Lt. Lisa
Matamoros
Cathy McEntee
Colin McNeill
Kim McNeill
Elizabeth Miller
Jim Miller
Patti Miller
Mark Moderhack
Pat Moe

Mateo Morales
Lynne Morande
Helen Nicholson
Tom & Jane O'Dell
Osterberg Family
Kay Ouderkirk
Nola Pearman
Faye Perata
Maralyn Phillips
Bob Ponder
Denis Putnam
Jayden Ridley
Sue Roegner
Owen Scattergood
Peter Scott
Susan Scott
Jim Seidel
Kristina Selmo
Charles Smith
Ann Sneden
Mary Ellen Snyderhush
Amanda Sprinkle
Ray Stephen
Robert Stow
Irene & Gary Straz
Cathy Summers
Jan Thomas
Scott Thompson
Beverly Udchik
Stephanie Vasquez
Sydney Veldrett
Doug W.
Jason Weaver
Jeanie Weber
Kirk Woodall
Juanita Wright
Linda Wright
Yukie Wyatt
Bob Youngstead

You may add anyone to our prayers list by going to tellicochurch.com/prayer, but for privacy you must have permission from the person. *Please be sure to include your name with each request.* **Please let us know if a name can be removed.** We will remove names after a year unless updated. If you would like a visit or know of someone that is ill, in the hospital and would enjoy a visit please notify the church office.

Remember our church family at home or at caring facilities: Gary Fergestad at Foothills; Kathy Thorn at River Oaks in Lenoir City; Judy Morris at NHC; and our church family at the Neighborhood.

Please pray for these Missionaries and Christian Workers: Sister Didi Mojapelo (Refilwe Bophelo Clinic, South Africa); Panang Mohlakoana (Inspired Hope, South Africa); Xoli Msimanga (Thembaletu, South Africa); Frank Twum-Barimah (Orange Feather Community Foundation, Ghana); Church World Service (partner of International Council of Community Churches).

Spiritual Support

Alcoholics Anonymous

*Every Monday at 7 p.m.
lower CLC*

Al-Anon

*Shepherd of the Lake Lutheran Church
Every Monday at 10 a.m.
Fellowship Hall*

*United Methodist Church–Loudon
Every Tuesday at 7 p.m.*

Caregiver's Support Group

*(Includes Alzheimer's Support Group)
2nd & 4th Tuesday of month at 1 p.m.,
lower CLC*

Grief Support Group

Scott & Suzanne Duncan

Guy to Guy

Chuck Hitch

Hospitalization Support

Call the church office

Lay Communion Ministry

*In Home Communion
Call the church office*

Parkinson's Support Group

*1st Thursday of month at 1 p.m.,
lower CLC
Kathy Milam, Peggy Crowder*

Pastoral Counseling

Pastor Steve Prevatte

Prayer Chain

Jan Elliott

Prayer Shawls–Knitters & Crocheters

*2nd Monday of month at 11 a.m.,
Puckett Building Conference Room
Jan Martin*

Stephen Ministry

*Jan Elliott
Marjorie Stephens
Jeannine Wolf
Lori York*

**For more information please
contact the church office at
865-458-1516.**

Church Calendar

Church activities can change. For more up-to-date information, check out our calendar at our church website:

tellicochurch.com/events

THIS WEEK

Sunday, October 26

Sunday School 9:00

Worship Service 9:00 & 10:30

Monday, October 27

Assoc. Pastor Search Team 9:00

Crafters 9:30

AA 7:00

Tuesday, October 28

Caregivers Support Group 1:00

Handbells 3:00

Mission Dinner 5:30

Small Group Study 6:30

Wednesday, October 29

Women's Bible Study 10:00

PJ's Movement Class 1:00

Bible Study 1:30

Chancel Choir 7:00

Thursday, October 30

GriefShare 10:00

Premier—Bible Study 1:00

Stephen Ministry Training 6:00

Saturday, November 1

Crafters Fall Sale 9:00

ONGOING REMINDERS

- Sunday flower dedications are \$40. Flowers are given to shut-ins following the service. Please contact the church office to make your dedication as we have only two per week.
- Columbarium double niches are \$4,000. Single niches are \$3,000.
- Veterans Plaza Paver Bricks are available for \$150.
- Please remember your church in your will. Your investment in the future of our church will make a positive difference for God's Kingdom. Contact the church office for more information.
- Medical Closet Ministry. Contact the church office during office hours if you are in need of medical equipment on a short term loan basis.
- Please wear your name tag to all church events.
- Please help us stay current by notifying the office if your contact information has changed.

Time Change: Fall back 1 hour on November 2.

Stewardship: Did you remember your 2026 stewardship pledge? If not, go to tellicochurch.com/give/pledge.

Women's Bible Study: Please join Pastor Katie for "Portraits of Jesus" on Wednesdays at 10:00 in Classroom 1A/B, October 29-November 19. This lecture-based study examines the Jesus each gospel writer depicts.

Crafters: Craft & Bake Sale, Saturday, November 1, from 9:00–noon in the Fellowship Hall. All proceeds benefit local organizations & scholarships. Baked goods needed for the sale. Bring your donated baked goods to the Fellowship Hall on Friday, October 31 from 9:00–10:30 or Saturday, November 1 from 8:00–9:00.

Veteran's Day: A special service honoring all men and women who have served our nation in times of peace and war will be held in the Founder's Chapel at 9:00 on November 11.

Missions: Our CCTV church family is invited to learn more about Orange Feather Education Foundation, one of our CCTV mission partners. Founder Frank Twum-Barimah and his family will be here to share information about their ministry in Ghana. Dinner will be in the Fellowship Hall at 5:30 on Tuesday, October 28. There is no charge for the dinner, but you must RSVP by Monday, October 27 to attend. Email mission@tellicochurch.org for more information.

The Reception of New Members

October 26, 2025

A Membership Litany

Dr. Prevatte

Friends, I commend to your love and care these persons whom we receive into our fellowship this morning. What is your mind toward them?

Church Family Response:

We rejoice to welcome you as fellow members of this church, and bid you welcome to all its privileges. Your peace, joy, and welfare are now our own. With you, we renew our pledge to God and the Church, promising to uphold it by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, and our service.



Ron Johnson lives in the Toqua Cove Neighborhood. He has a United Methodist background and lived in Memphis. Ron has a PhD and was a licensed professional counselor for the United Methodist Church. He enjoys pickleball and is a Stephen Minister. Ron is a pickleball ambassador and loves Disney.

Bel (Mariabel) Loo was born in Hong Kong and has spent most of her adult life in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, with a short stay in Chicago, Illinois before moving with her husband to Loudon in March of 2025. Bel worked as a clinical social worker at the VA Medical Center for 30+ years before retirement. She enjoys hiking, reading, cooking and travelling.



Mark & Helen Maret live in Rarity Bay. They come from Cincinnati, Ohio where they attended Anderson Hills Church. Helen was raised Greek Orthodox. Helen went to Penn State and then became a flight attendant which she retired from. Mark retired as a pilot for Delta Airlines. He enjoys golf, while she loves baking and gardening. They both enjoy college football, sports, boating, and skiing.

Kelli & Tim Myers live in the Chota Neighborhood. They come from northern Illinois and have a Catholic background. Kelli has less than 1 year before retirement and works in gastroenterology. Tim has recently retired as a Software Engineer. Both hope to travel and get involved with all the activities that Tellico has to offer. They are avid Green Bay Packer fans but also enjoying cheering on the Vols!



Karen & Tom Peterson live in the Toqua neighborhood. They come from Connecticut and have a Catholic background. Tom retired as an autobody mechanic, but is currently working at the Rarity Pro Shop. Karen attended Fairview University in Connecticut and is retired. She volunteers at the Good Neighbor Shoppe. Tom enjoys golfing. Karen enjoys the gym classes, and they both love walking their dog.

Greg & Jeri Slatton live in the Chota Hills neighborhood. Jeri is from Kingston, has a Methodist/Baptist background, a BS from the University of Tennessee, and worked as a CPA in Data Management. Greg is from Chattanooga, has a Methodist background, a BS from Auburn, and worked as a Civil Engineer. They love to play cards, gardening and scuba diving. Jeri enjoys birds and Greg plays tennis and does woodworking.



Carol Ann Watson lives in the Chatuga neighborhood. She is from the Denver, Colorado area and has a Lutheran background. She was a clinical psychologist and was a Stephen Minister. Carol Ann joined the chancel choir as she enjoys singing. She also enjoys thrifting, boating, and travelling.