# Nottingham Church

## August 27, 2023 11:00 am Morning Worship Thirteenth Sunday after Pentecost

MUSIC MINISTRY OF PATSY

OPENING PRAISE "What A Mighty God We Serve"

WELCOME, JOYS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP-----Cokesbury 337

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

HYMN "Holy, Holy, Holy"------Cokesbury 6

WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS

\*DOXOLOGY ------Cokesbury 2

SONG "Fill My Cup, Lord"

SCRIPTURE/SERMON-----Pastor Bill Porter

HYMN "Just As I Am" ------Cokesbury 151

PRAYING FOR ONE ANOTHER

MUSIC MINISTY OF PATSY

**BENEDICTION** 

Greetings and Welcome – We're glad you are here today. If you are visiting with us today at Nottingham, Welcome in the name of Jesus! Celebrate!!!

**PASTOR:** Bill Porter GREETER: Bob Bays

MUSICAN: Patsy Mercer
AUDIO/VISUAL TECH: Aaron Sams
TELLERS: Danielle & Franky
USHERS: Jerry G., Karen G., & Lisa M.

<u>Nottingham Church Membership</u> – Today, we will have our membership book ready for you to sign and unite with Nottingham Church. Please read the statement in front of the book. *Sue will be at table in foyer to assist you – after morning worship.* 

<sup>†</sup> CONGREGATION STANDING

**Prayer List**: Tony Peters Family, Bill Jones Family, Charlie Anderson Family, Charles Kilgore Family, Nadine Horton Family, Heather Smith Family, Danny Hensley Family, Kathy Greene Family, William Shane Ballard Family, Allen Bright Family, Linda Tipton Family, Family of John D. Kerney, Family of Fave Fansler (Helen's Sister), Family of E.J. Vincill (Sue's Brother), Rev. David Gibson Family, Family of Travis Stanley (Wayne's Nephew), Phyllis Smith Family, Lynda Porter Family, Mike Snodgrass Family, Matthew Lane Family, Mark McKinley Family, Beth Blackburn Atkins Family, Garvie Porter Family, Doug McNutt Family, Mike McConnell Family, Rickey Quillen Family, Donnie Godsey Family, Dr. Bill Fuller Family, Jan Mosier Family, Ernie Williams Family, Della Bays, Charles Bogan, Bird Blackburn, Martha Bledsoe, Barbara Graham Dalton, Laura Darnell, Carolyn Depew, Brandon Derting, Otis Dockery, Ron Bowen, Kristen Dykes, Audley Fansler, Melissa Farmer, Terry and Anna Farmer, Zelda Faust, Gran Fields., Helen Goode, Marlene Hale, Wanda Helms, Kenneth & Patsy Herron, Melanie Horne, Carl and Lynn Johnson, Marie Jones, Sherri Jones, Drexie & Ken Key, Lois Kyllonen, Marie Lawson, James Lee, Melanie Lester, Randy Marcum, Little Liam McDavid, Scott McConnell, Patsy Mercer, Teresa & John Page, Calvin & Shelia Newton, Tony Peters, Nell Powers, Jim Putman, Andy Richards, Ruth Richards, Bonnie Robinson, J. Fred Shelton, Helen Shelton, Robin Smith, Troy and Marcia Strawbridge, Joan Taylor, Wes Taylor, Velena Wheatley, the lost, those who have recently lost loved ones, one another, the brokenhearted & discouraged, those traveling, our President & world leaders, troops & the world.

<u>Love and Sympathy</u>- We extend our heartfelt love and sympathy to the family of Tony Peters. Tony is the father of Sonya Peters. The funeral was Monday at Oak Hill. Please pray for this family.

<u>Today after morning worship - Baby Blessings</u> – Cody and Miracle are expecting, Brooklyn Elaine. Please stay for a light luncheon and let's pray for baby and family and bless this little one.

<u>Mendota Worship</u> – Sundays at 3 *pm*. No Service Today.

<u>Wednesday Bible Studies</u> – We will continue studying the Heroes of Faith. Mendota begins at 11 *am* weekly. Nottingham's Bible Study begins at 1 *pm* weekly. Please join us for one or both of these studies.

<u>Car Show</u> – We still have 20 XL t-shirts to sell. They are \$12 each.

### **Coming Events:**

<u>Children/Youth Ministries</u> – Meeting on Tuesday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm. Everyone is invited to attend and help plan a fall event for our kids plus events for Christmas. We love our kids and need your ideas and help. See Irene if you cannot attend but want to help.

<u>Nottingham Gems</u> – Thursday September 21st at Noon.

Our Guest Speaker will be Sissy Vest from Pearisburg, Va. Our focus will be Missions. Come and invite a friend.

<u>PHOTOS</u> – Hebrews 12:1 reminds us that we are surrounded by a "great cloud of witnesses". We have examples of past saints to remember and follow. And we have many photos of saints displayed on the sanctuary walls today that brings joy to our hearts as we fondly remember their lives and know we are surrounded by a "great cloud of witnesses". Many other pics are displayed also. Please take time to look and give thanks to God for the lives of these individuals. Give God thanks also for Nottingham's 125 years of ministry.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR STUDENTS AND TEACHERS.

<u>CHURCH SIGN</u> – Nottingham has several future pending projects for repair or replacement. One is our church sign. We can replace the wording on the sign at a very reasonable price or we can choose to upgrade to a digital sign where we can share Bible verses, announcements, etc. on this sign. Other pending items: Replace the carpet in the foyer and sanctuary, new roof on storage building, clean and paint steeple, painting outside and inside church, ice machine, replace lights in Fellowship Hall and sanctuary windows caulked and painted. If you would like to contribute toward the cost of the sign or other pending needs, please "earmark" on your check. Thanks.

<u>DISAFFILIATION</u> – Nottingham was one of 264 churches submitted for disaffiliation at a special called session on April 22<sup>nd</sup> and was approved. We have not been a part of the United Methodist Church since May 29<sup>th</sup>. We feel loss in this separation and we grieve the loss of our big church family. We are trusting God to heal and renew and revive us again. Please pray for Nottingham as God opens doors, hearts and opportunities for ministry to continue for the next 125 years!

September Birthdays: Lisa Bosworth (1) Amy Bellamy (6) Allie Bledsoe (6) Jordan Marcum (13) Irene Porter (15) Laura Beth Johnson (18) Patsy Herron (19) Logan McDavid (24) Agron Brook (26) Jim Putman (29)

Logan McDavid (24) Aaron Brock (26) Jim Putman (29) September Anniversaries: Travis & Danielle Calhoun (28)

August Birthdays: Carolyn Horton (3) Casey Bellamy (3) Rita Walters (10)

Calvin Newton (28) Travis Calhoun (29)

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## **Calendar**

Sunday, August 20, 2023 11:00 *am* Morning Worship Children's Church

Friends Day/Homecoming Celebration

Monday, August 21, 2023

Nottingham Ladies Meeting 2 pm

Tuesday, August 22, 2023

Wednesday, August 23, 2023

Bible Study – Mendota 11:00 am

Nottingham 1:00 pm

Thursday, August 24, 2023

Mendota Food Pantry 12-5 pm

Friday, August 25, 2023

Saturday, August 26, 2023

Sunday, August 27, 2023

11:00 am Morning Worship

Children's Church

3:00 pm Mendota Worship

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