



Prayer Garden Location Facing West 7th Street



Planned Design for Garden Benches



Matthew and Coy Norris Digging



Concrete Pavers Donated by Alley-Cassetty



Garden Fountain Donated by Al's Garden Art



Troop 114 Scouts and Parents Working on The Prayer Garden



Prayer Garden Location Facing Church From West 7th Street



Matthew and Megan Planning the Prayer Garden



Matthew Working at The Prayer Garden



Matthew and Ms. Mae Duncan



Matthew, Lester, and Daniel Digging the Prayer Garden



Matthew and Megan On Coy Norris Backhoe



Matthew Hamilton

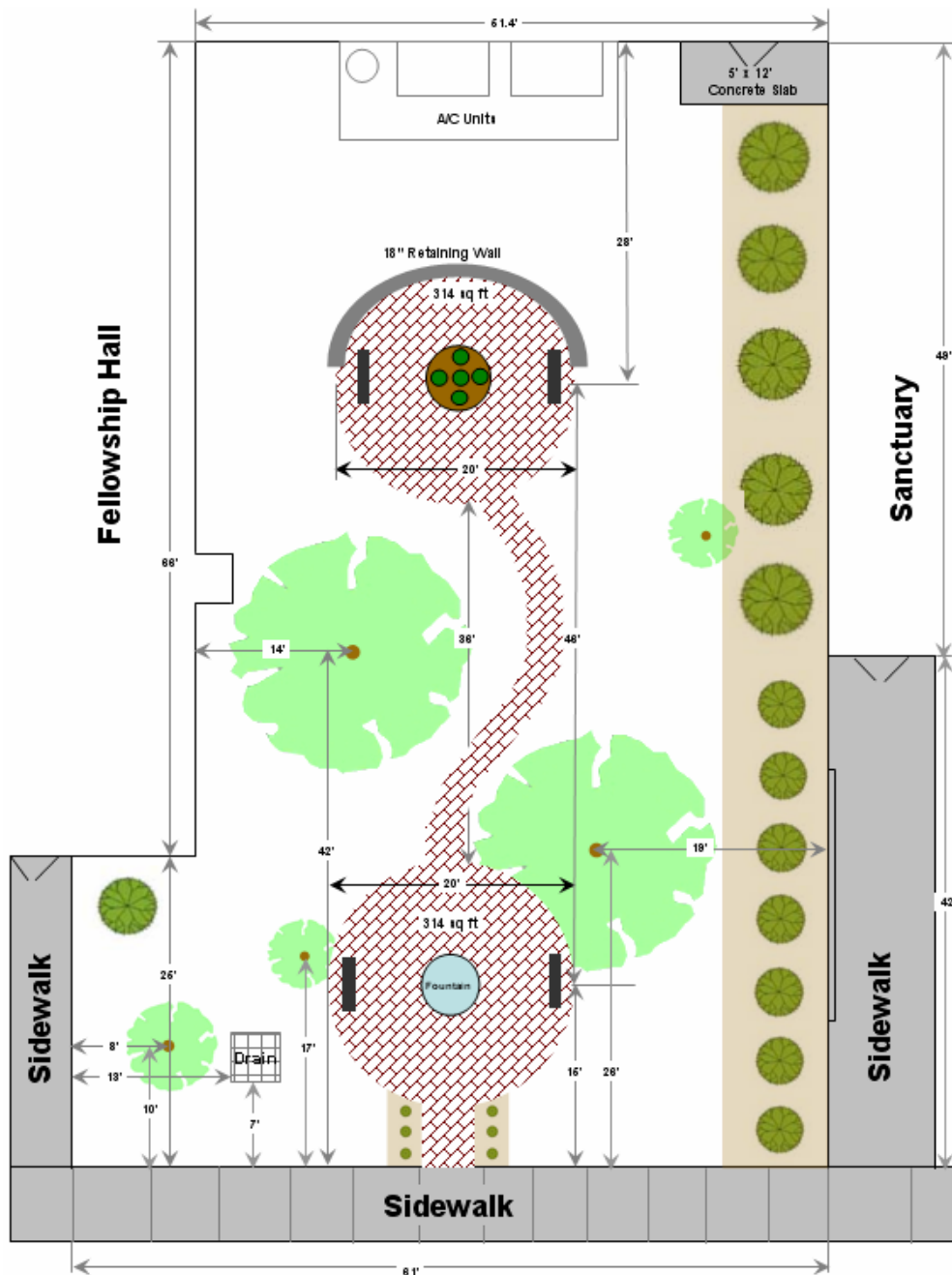
Boy Scout Troop 114

First United Methodist Church
Columbia, TN



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You can learn more about by project by going to www.matthewseagleproject.org.



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Eagle Scout Project Details

My name is Matthew Hamilton and I attend First United Methodist Church (FUMC) in Columbia, TN. I am a Boy Scout in Troop 114 at FUMC.

Scouting has taught me about the importance of serving others in our community. I am currently working on my community service project which is a requirement to become an Eagle Scout. My project involves building a Prayer Garden in the green space between the FUMC Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall. I am building the Prayer Garden to honor Mrs. Mae Duncan for her many years of service to First United Methodist Church and the Maury County Girl Scouts.

The Prayer Garden includes two separate gathering areas. Both areas will be built using concrete pavers. The lower area will include a fountain and the upper area will have a small garden.

Raising Funds for My Project

To complete my Eagle Project, I need to raise approximately \$6,000 in cash and \$10,000 in donated supplied and skilled labor. I'm asking for the help of my fellow church members and friends.

You can make an individual donation for my project by writing a check payable to the First United Methodist Church (please include the words "Prayer Garden" on your check). Mrs. Melanie Stephens (FUMC Financial Secretary) is helping me collect and manage all contributions. You may mail the checks to First United Methodist Church, 222 West 7th Street, Columbia, TN 38401. Please call me at 931-388-0771 if you have any questions. Please consider making a donation. Your participation will help give our church an outdoor gathering area that can be enjoyed by everyone.

Special memorial pavers can be purchased for \$75; you may get an order form at the Church office or contact Matthew or go to www.matthewseagleproject.org. All orders must be received by 7/15/07.

Ms. Mae Duncan
Prayer Garden