

SinSingle Vision May 2018 Newsletter

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First Broad Street United Methodist Church, Church Circle, Kingsport, TN

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Costs: bus \$3, tour cost \$5. Supper on your own. Call Jane (423 246-1727) or sign up Mondays. Host: John Powers (423 335-5697)

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