

The congregation is asked to remain silent during the prelude as a time of prayer and meditation.

GATHERING OF GOD’S PEOPLE

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

(During this time the friendship pads are passed to be signed)

CELEBRATING CHERYL BRINKLEY'S TWENTY YEARS AS CHURCH SECRETARY

Minute for Mission

Choral Call to Worship **“Jesus, Remember Me”**

Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.

Opening Sentences Elder Rick Batchelor

Leader: *We lift up our souls to you, Holy God.*

All: We trust the Lord with our past, present, and future.

Leader: *Teach us, Lord, that we may know your ways.*

All: Guide our every move, Holy One, that we may walk in your paths of love and mercy.

Leader: *Let us worship the One who leads us in what is right.*

All: Together, let us worship God!

*Hymn #78 **“Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed”** MARTYRDOM

Prayer of Confession

Eternal God, we have failed to love you with all our heart and to be good stewards of your creation: Lord, have mercy. We have failed to take up the cross of discipleship and to be good stewards of your gospel: Christ, have mercy. We have failed to be faithful members of your church and to be good stewards of your spiritual gifts: Lord, have mercy. Forgive us our sins; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri Hymn #579 *Glory Be to the Father*

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

FEED OUR HUNGRY CHILDREN/BACKPACK BUDDIES OFFERING

Children’s Sermon

Special Music

Prayer for Illumination

Open your Word, Lord, as we search your story, and breathe in your Spirit, that we may see Jesus. Open our hearts, Lord, to burn with your Good News. Open your Word, Lord, that we may see Jesus. Amen.

Old Testament Lesson Elder Rick Batchelor
Deuteronomy 26:1-11 +Page 178

*Hymn #414 FOREST GREEN
“As Those of Old Their Firstfruits Brought”

New Testament Lesson *Luke 12:32-48* +Page 71

Sermon **“The Right Stuff”** Dr. Philip K. Gladden

A Time for Silent Reflection

Pastoral Prayer

GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Offertory

*Doxology and Prayer of Dedication

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*The Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles’ Creed
I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Hymn #76 **“My Song Is Love Unknown”** LOVE UNKNOWN

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction **“Amen”** Robinson
Amen. Amen. Amen.

*Postlude

*All who are able may stand. +The page number in pew Bible



WALLACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
301 South College Street Wallace, NC 28466
12:05 p.m. Worship & Lunch

Thursday, March 27

Speaker Rev. Andy Beard, Corinth Baptist

Music Todd Peterson, Corinth Baptist

Thursday, April 3

Speaker. Jim Garrison, WUMC

Music Suzannah Carter, Kingdom Builders

Thursday, April 10

Speaker. Penny Ross, First Baptist

Music. Phil Rivenbark, First Baptist

Please join us for lunch after the service in our fellowship hall.

Holy Week Worship Opportunities



Holy Thursday, April 17: 7:30 pm Wallace United Methodist Church
Living Last Supper in fellowship hall with open communion.

Good Friday Service, April 18: 7:30 pm Wallace Presbyterian Church
Good Friday Service with communion

Good Friday Tenebrae, April 18: 7:30 pm Wallace United Methodist
A candlelight meditation on Jesus’ crucifixion.

Easter Sunday, April 20: 7:00 am First Baptist Church
Sunrise-Early Easter Service & Breakfast

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, March 23	THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT 9:40 am Opening Assembly 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship/Feed the Hungry Children/ Backpack Buddies Offering 4:00 pm Lenten Bible Study, Room 304
Tuesday, March 25	6:30 am Coffee & Doughnuts, Room 304 7:00 am SonRise Worship, Room 304 5:15 pm PW Coordinating Meeting-Blue Room
Wednesday, March 26	10:00 am Bible Study, Room 304 6:00 pm Handbells 7:30 pm Choir Practice
Thursday, March 27	12:05 pm Lenten Worship/Luncheon, WUMC

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENT

- **Today** we celebrate and give thanks for Cheryl Brinkley's twenty years of faithful service as our church secretary. Cheryl began work at WPC in March 1993 and served through January 1997. After a year away, she returned as our secretary in January 1998. Thanks for a job well done, Cheryl!
- **This morning** we receive our monthly Feed Our Hungry Children/Backpack Ministry offering. These funds help provide lunches for students in our public schools whose families are experiencing difficult financial times.
- **The PW Coordinating Team** will meet Tuesday, March 25, at 5:15 pm in the Blue Room.
- **Please join** the minister for a Bible study on Romans 5:6-21 on Wednesday, March 26 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 304.
- **Thanks to all** of our Bible teachers, worship skills leaders, recreation and crafts leaders, table decorators, kitchen crews, table parents, and many other volunteers who made our 2013-2014 LOGOS year so wonderful! See you in the fall! **Thank you** to Olivia Tate for serving as our LOGOS Director since the beginning of the ministry. Congratulations and thanks to Carol Steen, who will be our new LOGOS Director in 2014-2015.
- **This week's Community Lenten Service and Luncheon** will be on Thursday, March 27 at 12:05 p.m. at the Wallace United Methodist Church. Speaker: Rev. Andy Beard. Music: Todd Peterson.
- **On Saturday, March 29**, the Wallace Volunteer Fire Department will have a training burn using the house next door to our church parking lot. The session donated the house to the WVFD because it is presently a safety and insurance risk due to its poor condition and infestation with black mold.



The flowers in the sanctuary today are given in honor of Cheryl Brinkley for her 20 years of service as church secretary.



NURSERY

03/23: Fred Burroughs & Nell Sloan
03/30: Joyce Ange & Leah Fussell



GREETER

03/23: Art & Cheryl Raymond
03/30: Nell Sloan & Joann Phillips



YOUTH WORSHIP LEADERS

03/23: Riley & Neyland Tate
03/30: Lydia & Kennedy Thompson

USHERS

Dan Robinson, Leader

Chuck Farrior Kevin Johnson
Joyce Ange Rj Peppe
Tim Peppe

OPENING & CLOSING

March 16-31: Dave Wells



Prayer Requests
Karen Bitner-recovering from surgery, Bill Blalock-Rehab-Wilmington, Avalee Bowman-The Oaks at Mayview, Raleigh, Alyssa Byrd-2 yr. old with leukemia from Spivey's Corner, Tammy Callahan-(Frankie Coleman's daughter, stroke) Warren Cavanaugh, Brain Tumor, Dotsie Caproni, Rose Curth-Brain Cancer, Helen Glass-cancer, Emily Godwin and baby Aiden-viral infection, Herman Hardy, Ozelle Kennedy-(Joell Parker's Grandmother), SPC William Krupitzer-(nephew of Linda Burroughs), Wright Lanier family, Pippa Larsen-one year old diagnosed with AAL, a form of leukemia, (friends of Nick & Lee Baker), Nicholas McGowen, home, Sharon Moore, Lori Pierce family, Glenn Powell, Suzanne Powers (part-time resident at River Landing battling cancer), Judy Robinson, Bill Saunders, Evelyn Shaver, Patty Smith-Brian Center, Michael Sumner, Bettisue Tillman-Dayspring, Rusty Walker, recovering from surgery, Kelsea Webster, Edgar Wells, recovering from surgery, Verlie Wells-Rosemary, Andrew, Mary Kate, Amelia & Leah White, Marjorie Williams-(Ronnie Williams Mother), Members and friends in the armed services: Jason Payne.



Praying the Psalms in Lent
A Lenten Bible Study
Sundays, March 9 - April 13
4:00 p.m. (except March 16,
3:00 p.m.) Room 304
(Alternative Sunday School
Classroom)

The Psalms have been a special source of prayer and reflection during the season of Lent for centuries. Join us as we pray through six selected psalms on the Sundays of Lent. This will be a time of sincere reflection, prayer, and fellowship as we prepare for our celebration of Holy Week and Easter.

Bring your Bible and a friend and spend some time with God's Word and fellow believers.

March 23	Psalm 38	A Prayer in Times of Trouble
March 30	Psalm 51	A Prayer for Forgiveness
April 6	Psalm 130	Trusting the Lord in Times of Trouble
April 13	Psalm 143	A Prayer in Times of Danger



**FEED OUR HUNGRY CHILDREN
BACKPACK BUDDIES MINISTRY
OFFERING
SUNDAY, MARCH 23**



Between July 1 and December 31, 2013, twenty-two churches, civic organizations, and businesses contributed \$19,991 to help purchase school lunches and food for the weekends for public school students whose families are experiencing financial hardship. Thank you for your contributions!

Wallace Presbyterian Church

THIRD
Sunday
in Lent



THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

March 23, 2014

Eleven O'clock in the Morning

We support Presbyterian Church (USA) mission co-workers, Rev. Dustin and Sherri Ellington, in Lusaka, Zambia, Africa.

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