



# WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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

*Please silence your cell phones.*

*\*All who are able may stand.*

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

## THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

**June 3, 2018**

**11:00 A.M.**

### GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

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

Minute for Mission

Choral Call to Worship      **"Rain Down"**      arr. John Carter

*Rain down; rain down; rain down your love on your people.*

*Rain down; rain down; rain down your love, God of life.*

Opening Sentences

Elder Curt Simpson

*One: Observe the Sabbath day and keep it holy.*

**All: Six days we labor and do all our work—but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the Lord our God.**

*One: Remember that you were a slave in the land of Egypt, but God brought you out from there with a mighty hand and an outstretched arm.*

**All: We, and the resident alien in our towns, and all creatures great and small, rest; giving thanks and praise to God, who has set us free!**

*One: Let us worship God.*

\*Hymn #761

**"Called as Partners in Christ's Service"**

BEECHER

\*Unison Prayer of Confession

**God of the outstretched arm, though you lead us into freedom, we choose again and again the chains of sin. Forgive us, we pray, for bowing to the false gods of our time: We believe we have made ourselves, rather than being made in your image—the work of your hands. We practice legalism against others, yet expect exceptions for ourselves. We rest in ease, while others bear heavy burdens on our behalf. Heal us where we are withered in hand or heart or faith. Stretch us beyond what we have managed or imagined, to live as you intend and command. In the name of Christ, who came to set us free. Amen.**

(A time for silent prayers of confession . . .)

Responsive Assurance of Pardon

*One: We are clay jars with a treasure within—an extraordinary power that does not come from us, but from God.*

**All: We are not left crushed, despairing, forsaken, or destroyed. The life, death, and resurrection of Jesus Christ is visible and at work in us. Thanks be to God!**

\*Gloria Patri

**Glory Be to the Father**

**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.**

## **PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD**

P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Answer to Hunger) OFFERING  
Children's Sermon

Anthem

**"Wake Up Church, Wake Up!"**

Pepper Choplin

*How lovely is thy house, O Lord, what joy we find inside  
as we in blessed peacefulness abide.*

*How comforting is the music, how comfortable are the pews as we rest in the Lord.*

*Wake up, church, wake up! The Lord is calling you.*

*Wake up, church, wake up! There is kingdom work to do and so arise and shine.*

*Now tell the world your light is come.*

*Wake up, church, wake up! There'll be plenty of time to rest when life is done.*

*We can't hide inside the walls, sitting on the pews.*

*God calls us to go out and we cannot refuse and so arise and shine.*

*Now tell the world your light is come.*

*And so arise and shine and give God the glory, glory, children of the Lord.*

*Wake up, church, wake up!*

Prayer for Illumination

**Shine in the darkness, O God, and shine in our hearts, so that, by the power of your Holy Spirit, we may grow in the knowledge of your glory, proclaiming Jesus Christ and not ourselves, until his life is made visible in us, even in us. Amen.**

Gospel Lesson

*Mark 2:23-3:6*

Elder Curt Simpson

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\*Hymn #824

**"There Is a Place of Quiet Rest"**

MC AFEE

Sermon

**"Never on Sunday"**

Rev. Cynthia Williams

A Time for Silent Reflection

Pastoral Prayer with the Lord's Prayer

**GIVING THANKS TO GOD**

Commissioning of Ruling Elder Curt Simpson to General Assembly

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

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.*

\*Hymn #177

**"I Will Come to You"**

YOU ARE MINE

\*Benediction

\*Choral Benediction

**"Amen"**

AFRICAN-AMERICAN

*Amen. Amen.*

*Amen. Amen. Amen.*

\*Postlude

*\*All who are able may stand.*

*+The page number in the pew Bible.*



## Sanctuary Flowers

Dear WPC Family,

Each week sanctuary flowers are provided for our Sunday morning worship. Members and friends of the church take this opportunity to remember a birthday, anniversary or recognize/honor someone special. Acknowledgement of the flowers is in the church bulletin. There are Sundays available, and we ask that you consider taking a date to provide the flowers. Please contact Joyce Ange or Gloria Wells.

The church guidelines are:

- Flowers need to be in the sanctuary before assembly.
- Flowers need to be removed after the service.
- No bows or ribbons
- Family is to pay the florist directly.
- Flowers do not have to be from a florist. You can create your own arrangement.
- The use of silk or artificial flowers and plants is discouraged.

Two local florists have keys to the church and will deliver the flowers on Saturday.

Stallings Florist – (910) 285-3896

Olive Branch Gardens – (910) 285-4957

Let us hear from you, please.

Joyce Ange – 910-599-5156, [jwange53@gmail.com](mailto:jwange53@gmail.com)

Gloria Wells – 910-296-4093, [gbwells5@gmail.com](mailto:gbwells5@gmail.com)

Wallace Presbyterian Women  
Co-Chairs for Sanctuary Flowers

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, June 3	9:40 am	Opening Assembly
	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship
Wednesday, June 6	10:00 am	Morning Bible Study on Break.

## NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- \* **We welcome Rev. Cynthia Williams** as our Stated Supply Pastor for the months of June-September.
- \* **Today we will collect our quarterly P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Answer to Hunger Offering).** This offering supports the Hunger Program of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina and provides grants for congregational food ministries, including our Helping Hands Food Pantry.
- \* **Elder Jim Sills** will be our preacher on Sunday, June 10.
- \* **The Wednesday morning Bible study** will take a break until Fall 2018.
- \* **There will be no Choir practice in June or July.**



*The flowers in the sanctuary today are given by Jewel and Leon Wells in loving memory of her mother Doris Barwick Barfield.*





06/03: Stanley & Lindsay Skidmore  
 06/10: Lydia Woodard & Andrea Casteen



Joe Tillman, Leader  
 Dean Hanson  
 Harvey Knowles  
 Jim Sills  
 Sam Rose



## YOUTH WORSHIP LEADERS

06/03: Garrett Bullard & Hill Lanier



## GREETERS

06/03: Bill & Susan Walters  
 06/10: Joey Fussell & Mary Carone

## Opening Church Building

June 1-15: Roger Coombs



**June Blalock** (Rosemary), **James Brice** (automobile accident, suffering some paralysis), **Joe Dormagen** (Verlie Wells' son-in-law), **Betty Hall**, (Rosemary), **Jeffrey Hill family**, **Royal & Jennifer Johnson family**, **Wright Lanier Family**, **Amy Moss** (breast cancer, sister of Debbie Thomas) **Matthew Parks** (16 years old, snow-sledding accident, broken back, paralysis; parents are college friends of Hope Turnbull) **Nancy Pate**, (Libby Godwin's twin sister-inoperable brain tumor), **Nathan Pensinger** (is currently at his home in Hampstead. Continued prayers for strength and a smooth recovery). **Amanda Perry family**, (niece of Margaret Toothman and daughter of John Perry), **Dick Phillips** (stable and still on chemo), **Jennifer Raynor** (Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome) **Judy Robinson**, **Zayne Rivenbark** (cancer), **Rev. Bobby Tyson**, Wallace United Methodist Church (heart issues), **Kelsea Webster**, **Verlie Wells**-Rosemary, **Members and friends in the armed services: Jason Payne. William Krupitzer**-(Linda Burroughs nephew).

(When you request a name to be put on the prayer list, please notify the church office when you wish it to be taken off)



## P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Answer to Hunger) Offering Today, June 3 During Worship

Our quarterly P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Answer to Hunger) offering supports the Hunger Program of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina. That program provides meals for children in feeding programs in the African nation of Malawi and in the country of Haiti. Funds are also used to support congregational food ministries in our presbytery through grants. Our Helping Hands Food Pantry recently made application for grant funds to purchase food to supplement the contributions from the church and community. Thank you for your contributions!