



# 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 SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

**June 4, 2017**

**11:00 A.M.**

*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.)*

Minute for Mission

Choral Call to Worship **"My Soul Cries Out with a Joyful Shout"**

*My heart shall sing of the day you bring.*

*Let the fires of your justice burn.*

*Wipe away all tears, for the dawn draws near,  
and the world is about to turn.*

Opening Sentences

Elder Pat Barrow

*Leader: Come, Holy Spirit. Inspire our hearts with your fiery presence!*

**All: Let your flame burn within us, stirring us to action.**

*Leader: Come, Holy Spirit. Energize our lives to work for God.*

**All: Let your wind of hope swirl around us, lifting and moving us  
from complacency.**

*Leader: Come, Holy Spirit. Pour your blessing on us.*

**All: Let your presence challenge us to proclaim God's presence  
and love in everything we say and do.**

*Leader: Holy Spirit, come to us; kindle in us the fire of your love.*

**All: Holy Spirit, come to us. Holy Spirit, come to us.**

\*Hymn #280

EBENEZER

**"Come, O Spirit, Dwell Among Us"**

*"Without the Spirit  
we can neither  
love God nor keep  
his  
commandments".  
St. Augustine,  
Bishop of Hippo in  
North Africa (354 -  
430 A.D.)*

*This prayer of confession comes from a complete liturgy for Pentecost Sunday called On the Day of Pentecost: a Service Celebrating the Holy Spirit's Power. It was published in Issue #39 of Reformed Worship magazine.*

*Today's Prayer for Illumination is taken from the 2017 Montreat College Conference worship resources.*

Unison Prayer of Confession:

*Our God, we come in humility, confessing who and what we are. We are often unresponsive for we are afraid. When your Spirit speaks, we turn deaf ears, for we fear what you might call us to do. When your Spirit touches our lips, we close our mouths, embarrassed to speak your Word. When the wind of your Spirit blows, we close the windows of our hearts, afraid the breeze will disrupt our ordered lives. When the fire of your Spirit touches us, we quench the flame, afraid of the new life it might bring. Forgive us, Lord. . .*

*(A time for silent prayers . . .)*

Choral Assurance of Pardon Hymn #288 "**Spirit of the Living 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

**"On Eagle's Wings"**

Michael Joncas

*And He will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn,  
Make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of His hand.*

*You who dwell in the shelter of the Lord, who abide in His shadow for life,  
Say to the Lord: "My refuge, my Rock in whom I trust!"*

*The snare of the fowler will never capture you, and famine will bring you no fear;  
Under His wings you refuge, His faithfulness you shield.*

Prayer for Illumination

*Come, Holy Spirit! Transform this humble gathering into the Living Church, the Listening Church, the Speaking Church, the Acting Church, the Reconciling Church, the Church of Jesus Christ. We are your people: people of dreams and visions, people of hope and witness, people of love and service. Burn away all that is false within us, ignite in us a passion for the Living Word in action among us. Open our hearts to your Word for us this day and evermore. **Amen.***

*“Trying to do the Lord’s work in your own strength is the most confusing, exhausting, and tedious of all work. But when you are filled with the Holy Spirit, then the ministry of Jesus just flows out of you.”*

*Corrie Ten Boom, Dutch Christian who helped many Jews escape the Nazi Holocaust*

*“When it is a question of God’s almighty Spirit, never say, ‘I can’t.’”*

*Oswald Chambers, early 20th century Scottish evangelist and teacher*

\*Hymn #291

**"Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness"**

SPIRIT

New Testament Lesson

Acts 2:1-13

+Page 885

Sermon

**"Can They Hear Us Now?"** Dr. Philip K. Gladden

A Time for Silent Reflection

Pastoral Prayer with the Lord’s Prayer

## GIVING THANKS TO GOD

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.*

\*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 #292

**"As the Wind Song"**

WAIKUA TAPU

*"Hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us."*

*Romans 5:5*

\*Benediction

\*Choral Benediction

**"Amen"**

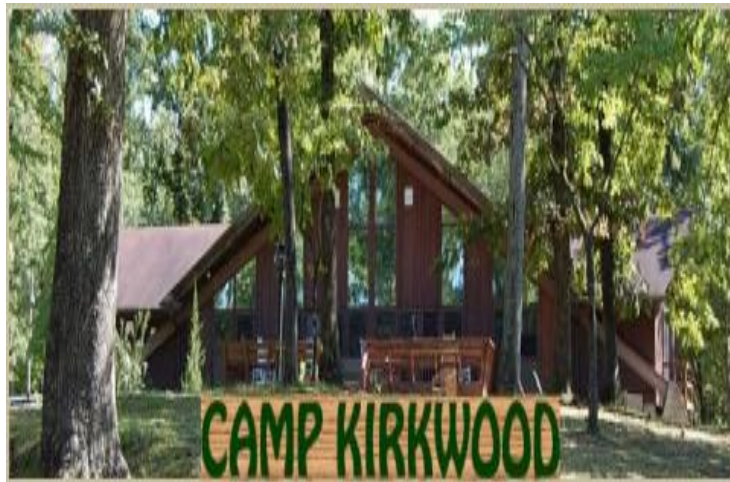
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*Amen, amen, amen. Amen, amen.*

\*Postlude

*\*All who are able may stand.*

*+The page number in the pew Bible.*



## KIRKWOOD CREATION CAMP 2017

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

### JUNE 12-17

### VBS REGISTRATION

### SUNDAY, JUNE 11

### 3:00-5:00 PM

### CAMP KIRKWOOD

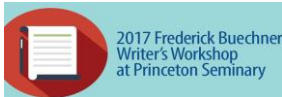


## WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, June 4		DAY OF PENTECOST
	9:40 am	Opening Assembly
	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship/P.A.T.H. Offering
	2:00 pm	Called Session Meeting, Room 304
Tuesday - Friday, June 6-9		Minister on Continuing Education Leave
Wednesday, June 7		No Wednesday Bible studies
	7:30 pm	Choir Practice
Saturday, June 10	9:30 am - 1:15 pm	Presbytery's East Community Gathering, Sneads Ferry Presbyterian Church

## NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- \* **Today we collect our quarterly P.A.T.H. offering.** This 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!
- \* **Philip Gladden** will be on continuing education leave at Princeton Theological Seminary Tuesday - Friday, June 6-9. Please contact the church office (285-2808) or Elder George Francis, Clerk of Session (285-0343) in an emergency.
- \* **There will be no Wednesday Bible studies this week.**
- \* **The East Community of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina** will hold its second annual gathering on Saturday, June 10 at the Sneads Ferry Presbyterian Church. Elder Ann Carter and Rev. Philip Gladden will represent our congregation.



Philip Gladden will attend the 3rd Annual Frederick Buechner Writer's Workshop at Princeton Theological Seminary June 6-9. Best-selling authors Anne Lamott and Diana Butler Bass will headline the workshop.

Brian Allain, Buechner Center spokesperson says, "This workshop is designed to appeal to writers who, like Buechner, think honestly about their Christian faith and are not afraid of where that thinking will take them." Dr. Phil has registered for five seminars: (1) Terrible First Drafts: The Necessity of Failure for Creativity; (2) Listening to Your Life: The Backstory Behind the Sermon; (3) Wait, Where's My Cabin in the Woods?: Finding the Time, Energy, and Inspiration to Write When Your Life is Demanding; (4) Creativity and Commerce: Writing Spirituality for an Audience; and (5) Creative Experience and Spiritual Realities.

In case of an emergency in Dr. Phil's absence, please contact the church office (285-2808) or Elder George Francis, Clerk of Session (285-0343).



6/04: Ann Carter & Gerri Hanson  
 6/11: Rhonda & Freddy Hall



Dan Robinson, Leader  
 Tim Peppe Joyce Ange  
 R.J. Peppe Chuck Farrior  
 Kevin Johnson

 **GREETERS**

6/04: Art & Cheryl Raymond  
 6/11: Ann Carter & Bobby Ives



**YOUTH WORSHIP LEADERS**

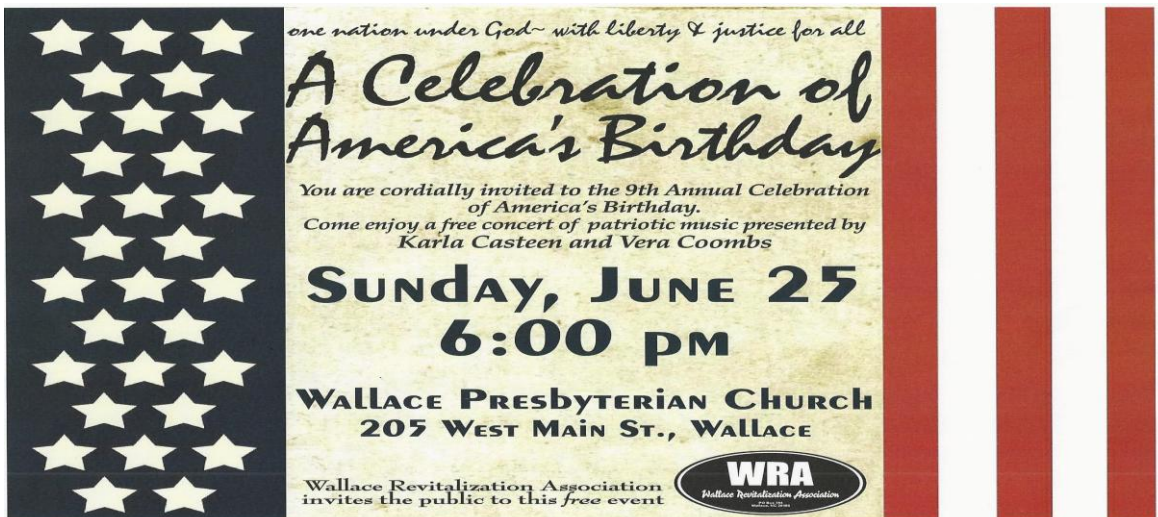
6/04: Lydia & Kennedy Thompson  
 6/11: Elizabeth & James Sills

**Opening Church Building**  
 June 1-15: Roger Coombs



**James Brice** (automobile accident, suffering some paralysis), **Rob Childress** (Art & Cheryl Raymond's son-in-law-colon surgery), **Joe Dormagen** (Verlie Wells' son-in-law), **Betty Hall**, (Rosemary), **Wright Lanier Family**, **Hope Lettieri** (cancer), **Mr. & Mrs. Ray Matthews**, **Family of Lorene Morgan**, **Amy Moss** (breast cancer, sister of Debbie Thomas) **Jason Norris** (cancer, Kelli Norris' brother-in-law) **Matthew Parks** (16 years old, snow-sledding accident, broken back, paralysis; parents are college friends of Hope Turnbull) **Nathan Pensinger** (River Landing: multiple organ transplants needed) **Brison Ricker** (just celebrated his 16th birthday- **His brother Preston** has just been diagnosed with thyroid cancer ) **Judy Robinson**, **Zayne Rivenbark** (cancer), **Rylan Schubkegel** (18 year-old nephew of Nick Baker diagnosed with Hodgkin's Disease), **Family of George Walker**, **Kendra Wallace** (Joe & Judy Wallace's daughter-in-law-surgery), **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)



*one nation under God~ with liberty & justice for all*

**A Celebration of America's Birthday**

*You are cordially invited to the 9th Annual Celebration of America's Birthday.  
 Come enjoy a free concert of patriotic music presented by Karla Casteen and Vera Coombs*

**SUNDAY, JUNE 25**  
**6:00 PM**

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 205 WEST MAIN ST., WALLACE

Wallace Revitalization Association invites the public to this free event

