

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

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

July 22, 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 "Celebrate" Carol Saylor, 1980 Celebrate, come celebrate. Join in as God's people in worship and singing.

Celebrate, come celebrate. Rejoice as we witness His love. As we follow the path of life, may His strength be shown. Celebrate, come celebrate His loving us as His own.

Opening Sentences (from Ephesians 2) Elder Clay Blue

Leader: Come into the presence of the Most High God with songs of praise and shouts of thanksgiving.

People: For our Savior frees us from slavery; our Savior heals our diseases; our Savior is our peace.

Leader: Remember, you are a holy temple in the Lord Jesus
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Christ. Come; let us worship God.

*Hymn #803 "My Shepherd Will Supply My Need" RESIGNATION



*Unison Prayer of Confession (from Psalm 23)

God of green pastures, we confess that we can get so busy and distracted that we lose sight of your love and care for us. We forget to live in gratitude and fail to live lives of goodness and mercy. Forgive us, heal us, and lead us down gentle paths that restore our souls. Amen.

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

Responsive Assurance of Pardon

Leader: But now in Christ Jesus you who once were far off have been brought near by the blood of Christ.

People: For he is our peace; in his flesh he has made both groups into one and has broken down the dividing wall, that is, the hostility between us.

Leader: He has abolished the law with its commandments and ordinances, that he might create in himself one new humanity in place of the two, thus making peace. So friends believe the Good News of the Gospel that in Christ Jesus we are forgiven.

*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

Children's Sermon

Special Music

"Ode to Joy"

Hayes Skidmore, piano

Prayer for Illumination

May the reading of your Word draw near to you those of us once far off. May the hearing of your Word break down the dividing walls between us, for Jesus Christ, your living Word, is our peace. Amen.



Epistle Lesson

Ephesians 2:11-22

Elder Clay Blue +Page 949



Affirmation!

*Hymn #460

"Break Thou the Bread of Life"

BREAD OF LIFE

Gospel Lesson

Mark 6:30–34, 53–56

+Page 818

Sermon

"Who Is Jesus?"

Rev. Cynthia Williams

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.

*The Affirmation of Faith: [from the Declaration of Faith II.4] God made us for life in community. God created human beings with a need for community and with freedom to enter into it by responding to their Maker with grateful obedience and to one another with love and helpfulness. We believe that we have been created to relate to God and each other in freedom and responsibility. We may misuse our freedom and deny our responsibility by trying to live without God and other people or against God and other people. Yet we are still bound to them for our life and well-being, and intended for free and responsible fellowship with them. Since every human being is made for communion with God and others, we must treat no one with contempt. We are to respect and love all other people and ourselves as well.



*Hymn #39

"Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

FAITHFULNESS

*Benediction

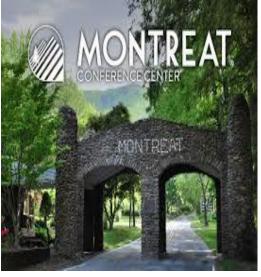
*Postlude

*All who are able may stand.

+The page number in the pew Bible.







2018 Montreat Youth Conference July 29 - August 4 Lift Every Voice

Madelyn Coombs, Elizabeth Sills, Garrett Bullard, Zoe Adermann, and Youth Ministry Leader Zach Casteen, will join other Senior High Youth and adults from the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina at the 2018 Montreat Youth Conference July 29-August 4. Youth and adults from across the United States will be united in worship, fellowship, small group discussions, Bible study, and fun for a week in the North Carolina mountains.





WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, July 22 9:40 am Opening Assembly 10:00 am Sunday School

11:00 am Worship

Wednesday, July 25 5:00-7:00 pm Youth Game Night

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- * **Next Sunday** we receive our 5th Sunday Building Offering. This money helps us maintain the physical plant in order to provide worship, education, and outreach ministries for our congregation and the community.
- * Ladies, please check the kitchen counter near the refrigerator for any bowls, platters or storage containers that may belong to you. We have quite a collection at this time. Any items left after Sunday the 29th will be donated to the Blessings Store Thrift Shop.



The beautiful flowers in the sanctuary today are in loving memory of Judy Sterling (Bill Walters sister). They are given by Bill and Susan Walters.



Wednesday 5:00-7:00 pm



07/22: Lindsay & Stanley Skidmore

07/29: Susan & Ellie Carone



Charley Farrior, Leader **Curt Simpson Bill Carone**

Rick Batchelor

Jonathan Fussell



YOUTH WORSHIP LEADERS

07/22: Henry & Piper Moore 07/29: Ayden & Camryn Fussell



GREETERS

07/22: Greg & Geneva Maready 07/29: Gary & Joyce Ange

Opening Church Building

July 16-31: Curt Simpson



June Blalock (Rosemary), Lindsey Blackmon (heart issues), James Brice (automobile accident, suffering some paralysis), Allen Browers (Cancer), Joe Dormagen (Verlie Wells' son-in-law), Betty Hall, (Rosemary), 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 (Nathan is slowly gaining weight and energy. He did return to work this week and will continue on a limited schedule. Prayers for continued good health). Dick Phillips (stable and still on chemo), Jennifer Raynor (Postural Orthostatic Tachycardia Syndrome) Judy Robinson, Ruth Roderick (Harvey Knowles cousin), 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)



Fifth Sunday Building Offering July 29

This offering helps underwrite the costs of maintaining the physical plant that provides needed space for many ministries of our congregation. Thank you for your support!

"Like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ."