

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)

Minutes for Mission

Choral Call to Worship Jefferson Cleveland, 1981

“Praise Ye the Lord”

*Praise ye the Lord, Hallelujah! Everybody praise the Lord.
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Opening Sentences Elder Zach Casteen

Leader: We gather together to worship God,

All: who comes to us when we least expect it,

Leader: who calls us out of the safety of our ordered lives

All: and invites us to him in the adventure of faith.

Leader: Let us worship God together!

*Hymn #555 NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT

“Now Thank We All Our God”

Prayer of Confession

God, you call us to step out in faith, to place our lives in your hands, and to commit wholeheartedly to following you. We confess that we find this difficult to do. It is not always easy to follow where you lead — to turn away from our own personal wants and desires, to let go of our safety nets, and to trust that you will provide for us in all things. Forgive us when we doubt you, God. Increase our faith. Open our eyes to see past our own interests and concerns, to your broader vision for us and the world. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

(Today's Prayer of Confession is taken from re:Worship, an online worship planning resource.)

Assurance of Pardon (Unison)

Leader: Here is proof that God's faithfulness never ends:

All: that while we were yet sinners, God sent God's Son, Jesus Christ, to shed his blood for our sins, that we might not be cast down into the pit, but rise with him to everlasting life.

Leader: Believe the good news:

All: In Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Thanks be to God!

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

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

FEED THE HUNGRY CHILDREN/BACKPACK MINISTRY OFFERING

Children's Sermon

Special Music “Now Thank We All Our God” arr. Mark Hayes

Prayer for Illumination

In the beginning was the Word. And the Word was with God, and the Word was God. For the Word of God written, for the Word of God proclaimed, for the Word of God made flesh, Alpha and Omega, we give you thanks, O God. May your everlasting Word be written on our hearts today. Amen.

Old Testament Lessons Elder Zach Casteen

Psalms 107:1-3, 23-32 and Isaiah 43:1-4 +Pages 536, 536 & 637

*Hymn “Jesus Calls Us” GALILEE

Jesus calls us: o'er the tumult
Of our life's wild, restless sea;
Day by day his sweet voice soundeth
Saying, “Christian, follow me.”

Jesus calls us from the worship
Of the vain world's golden store,
From each idol that would keep us,
Saying, “Christian, love me more.”

In our joys and in our sorrows,
Days of toil and hours of ease,
Still he calls, in cares and pleasures,
“Christian, love me more than these.”

Jesus calls us: by thy mercies,
Savior, may we hear thy call,
Give our hearts to thy obedience,
Serve and love thee best of all.

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Gospel Lesson *Matthew 14:22-36* +Page 15

Sermon “Tell Me the Stories of Jesus” Dr. Philip K. Gladden
Do Not Be Afraid

Choral Response to the Sermon

(Hymn #184 in Glory to God: The Presbyterian Hymnal)

Calm to the waves. Calm to the wind.
Jesus whispers, “Peace, be still.”
Balm to our hearts. Fears at an end.
In stillness, hear his voice.

A Time for Silent Reflection
Pastoral Prayer with the Lord's 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 #379 “My Hope Is Built on Nothing Less” SOLID ROCK

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction “Amen” African-American
Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen. Amen.

*Postlude

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



**Young Adults Sunday School Class
“What's So Amazing About Grace?”**

Sundays, 10:00 a.m.

**Meeting room across from
church secretary's office**

Discussion led by Rev. Lauren Deer

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, September 28	9:40 am	Opening Assembly
	10:00 am	Sunday School
	11:00 am	Worship/Feed Our Hungry Children & Backpack Offering
Tuesday, September 30	6:30 am	Coffee & Doughnuts, Room 304
	7:00 am	SonRise Worship Service, Rm.304
Wednesday, October 1	10:00 am	Bible Study, Room 304
	4:30-7:30 pm	LOGOS!
	6:00 pm	Handbell Practice
	7:30 pm	Choir Practice

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENT

- **This morning** we receive our monthly Feed Our Hungry Children Backpack Ministry Offering which provides school lunches and weekend food for children in area public schools. Contributions during the 2013-2014 school year came from twenty-one churches, individuals, businesses, civic clubs, and other organizations and totaled \$24,123. When the ministry began in February 2012, 25 backpacks of food were distributed per weekend. At the end of the last school year, 93 backpacks were distributed per weekend. 400 packs of food were provided for elementary schools to distribute during the summer 2014. 3,573 packs of food were distributed during the 2013-2014 school year (each pack contains 10 food items for two meals, at a cost of \$4.69 per pack). Schools served: Wallace Elementary, Charity Middle, Wallace-Rose Hill High, Rose-Hill Magnolia Elementary, Chinquapin Elementary, Beulaville Elementary.
- **Today's** bulletin cover of Jesus walking on the water was drawn by Robert Coombs in our LOGOS Worship Skills class.
- **Please join** the minister for a Bible study on Mark 6:30-44 (Jesus Feeds the 5000) on Wednesday, October 1 at 10:00 a.m. in Room 304 (across from the Music Room).
- **We will celebrate** the sacrament of the Lord's Supper during worship next Sunday, October 5. All who have professed faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and been baptized are welcome at the table.
- **The Worship and Music ministry team** are looking for help with decorating the church for the advent season. Those interested please contact Susie Bullard or Karla Casteen.



NURSERY

09/28: Leon & Jewel Wells
10/05: Charley & Harriet Farris



GREETER

09/28: Art & Cheryl Raymond
10/05: Leon & Jewel Wells



YOUTH WORSHIP LEADERS

09/28: Lydia & Kennedy Thompson
10/05: Joe Wallace & Kendrick Minchew

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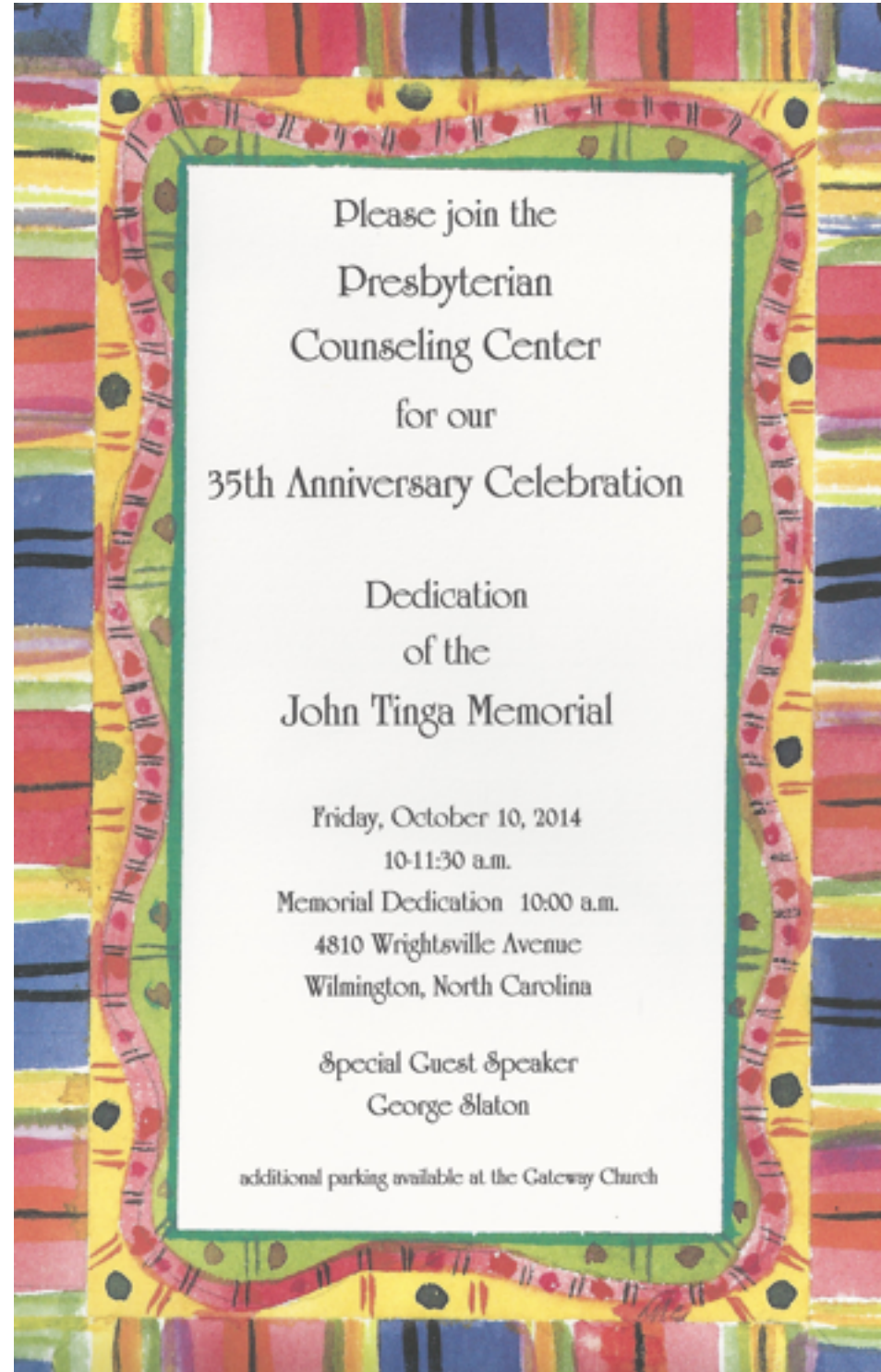
Freddy Hall, Leader
Wayne Casteen J Parker
Greg Maready Rich Phaneuf

OPENING & CLOSING:

September 16-30: Dave Wells
October 1-15: Bill Carone



Bill Blalock-Rehab-Wilmington, Myree Bland, Avalee Bowman-daughter, stroke) Warren Cavanaugh, Raleigh, Tammy Callahan-(Frankie Coleman's daughter, stroke) Warren Cavanaugh, Brain Tumor, Rose Curth-Brain Cancer, Joe Dormagen (Verlie Wells' son-in-law), 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), Frank Lettieri, Bruce & Barbara Lyon (Jim Sills mother and her husband; Mr. Lyon had a stroke), Pat McGowen family, Sharon Moore, Bill Norris-River Landing, Glenn Powell, Suzanne Powers (part-time resident at River Landing battling cancer), Judy Robinson,



Wallace Presbyterian Church



THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

September 28, 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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