

# WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

205 West Main Street • Wallace, North Carolina 28466

## THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY *Palm Sunday*



April 13, 2025

11:00 A.M

### GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Welcome

Elder Sandy Cobb

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

Prelude

**“Triumphal Entry”**

Joel Raney

Announcements

Choral Call to Worship

**“I’ve Got the Joy”**

Traditional

*I’ve got the joy; I’ve got the peace that passes understanding;*

*I’ve got the love of Jesus down in my heart.*

Opening Sentences (*Psalm 24:7-10*)

*Lift up your heads, O gates;*

**and be lifted up, O everlasting doors, that the King of glory may come in!**

*Who is the King of glory?*

**The Lord, strong and mighty, the Lord, mighty in battle.**

*Lift up your heads, O gates;*

**and be lifted up, O everlasting doors, that the King of glory may come in!**

*Who is this King of glory?*

**Truly the Lord of hosts is the King of glory.**

\*Hymn #196

**“All Glory, Laud, and Honor”**

VALET WILL ICH DIR GEBEN

\*Prayer of Confession

Rev. Robert Lapp

**God of righteousness, draw near to us in the coming week. We yearn to keep singing our hosannas, but fear that we too may lose our convictions in the face of an angry mob. We long to see ourselves as your loyal friends, but fear that we too might deny and betray you. Strengthen our resolve during Holy Week, that we may remain your faithful followers. Amen.**

\*Responsive Assurance of Pardon

*The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.*

**He will not always accuse, nor will he keep his anger forever.**

*He does not deal with us according to our sins nor repay us according to our iniquities.*

**For as the heavens are high above the earth, so great is his steadfast love toward those who fear him;**

*As far as the east is from the west, so far he removes our transgressions from us.*

**Thanks be to God. Amen.**

\*Gloria Patri

**“Glory Be to the Father”**

Hymn #581

**PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD**

Special Music

**“Ho-ho-ho-hosanna”**

Traditional

**“Sing Hosanna!”**

Joseph Martin

*Jesus is coming, sing a psalm! Raise your voices, wave the palms.*

*Children gather, clear His way! Come and celebrate this day.*

*Sing hosanna, glory to the King! Sing hosanna, let your praises ring!*

*Sing hosanna, joyful music bring. Sing hosanna to the King!*

\*Hymn #197

**“Hosanna, Loud Hosanna”**

ELLACOMBE

Unison Prayer for Illumination

Elder Sandy Cobb

**Illuminating God, shine your light through the darkness of this world into every corner of our hearts. As the words of Scripture are read, may we recognize the presence of your one true Word, Jesus Christ, who bears your love into the world. Amen.**

Old Testament Lesson

*Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29*

Gospel Lesson

*Luke 19:28-40*

Sermon

**“Some Saw Glory”**

Rev. Robert H. Lapp

A Time for Silent Reflection

Pastoral Prayer with the Lord’s Prayer

**Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.**



## THE SESSION

### Class of 2025

Sandy Cobb  
Debbie Price  
Blake Wallace

### Class of 2026

Kevin Johnson  
Royal Johnson  
Nell Sloan

### Class of 2027

Karla Casteen  
Geneva Maready  
Devan Riley

## CHURCH LEADERSHIP

### **Interim Pastor**

Rev. Robert (Robb) Lapp  
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### **Secretary**

Cheryl Brinkley  
[cheryl@wallacepresbyterian.com](mailto:cheryl@wallacepresbyterian.com)

### **Treasurer**

Wayne Casteen

### **Clerk of Session**

Hone Turnbull

### **Vision**

At Wallace Presbyterian Church, we envision a community where faith, friendship, and service intertwine to embody God's love and grace. We strive to create a nurturing environment and develop ministries where individuals of all ages can grow spiritually, form meaningful relationships, and actively participate in acts of compassion and service, both locally and beyond.

### **Mission**

To carry on Christ's mission today by enriching the lives of our church and community, nurturing the faith of children and youth, fostering meaningful relationships across all ages, and serving through dedicated outreach and support.

## THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Birth-Kindergarten.....Melony Henderson, Ellie Newton, Kelli Norris, Sara Matthews  
First-Third Grade.....Jennifer Johnson & Bailey Riley  
Fourth-Sixth Grade.....Kristin Cottle & Casey Hall  
Seventh-Ninth Grade.....Mary Laine Rouse & Lindsay Skidmore  
The Adult Class.....Glenn Price & Curt Simpson



## PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Sandy Cobb, Moderator  
Christy Johnson, Vice-Moderator  
Carol Steen, Treasurer  
Joyce Ange, Secretary  
Harriet Farrior, Debbie Price, Sanctuary Flowers





APRIL



04/13: Danielle Sills & Hope Turnbull  
04/20: Christy Johnson & Payton Westbrook

Curt Simpson, Head  
Royal Johnson James Whitfield  
Harvey Knowles

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

OPENING CHURCH BUILDING

04/13: Geneva Maready  
04/20: No Children's Church

April 1-15: Stan Skidmore  
April 16-30: Blake Wallace

SAVE THE DATE!

Friday, April 18, 2025

7:00 pm

Good Friday Joint Service

with

Beulaville Presbyterian Church

at

Wallace Presbyterian Church

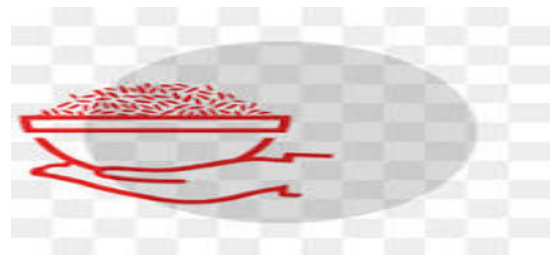


RISE AGAINST HUNGER

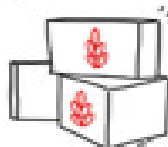


Help package 10,000 meals to fight global hunger!

Wallace Presbyterian Church  
Saturday, May 17th  
1 - 3 PM



Through this event, we will package meals to be distributed through global partners that administer school feeding programs, orphanages, health clinics, vocational training or respond to crises. Please scan the code or go to the church website to register for this event.



Register & donate!



[events.riseagainsthunger.org/wallacepresbyterian](https://events.riseagainsthunger.org/wallacepresbyterian)

## WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, April 13



**PALM SUNDAY**

9:00 am

Choir Practice

9:45 am

Youth Group Handbell Practice

9:45 am

Adult Sunday School Class

10:00 am

Sunday School Classes

10:30 am

Fellowship Time

11:00 am

Worship

12:00 pm

WPC Youth Beta Fundraiser Lunch, Fellowship Hall

5:00 pm

Cub Scouts-Pack 35

Wednesday, April 16

10:00 am

Bible Study, Room 304

6:00 pm

Handbells

7:00 pm

PNC, Room 304

Friday, April 18

7:00 pm

Good Friday Service

## NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Today** after worship, please join us for the WPC Youth Betas Fundraiser Lunch in the Fellowship Hall. Fun, Food, and Fellowship will be provided by our very own Betas from Wallace Elementary, Rose Hill Magnolia and Harrells Christian Academy. A donation jar will be also be available. Thank you for helping our kids to raise money to go to Nationals in Orlando, Florida!
- **Pastor Led Bible Study** on Wednesday, April 16, at 10 am in room 304. Together we will examine the lectionary text for the following Sunday's sermon. We look forward to you joining us. Scripture: John 20:1-18.
- **The Quarterly These Days** are located at the front of the church, on tables in the fellowship hall, and the information table in Gladden Hall. Pick up your copy!
- **Food Pantry Needs for the month of April: Toothpaste, tooth brushes, and soap.** Also, if you have any empty egg cartons. We can use them! Thank you!
- **SAVE THE DATE!** Kirkwood Creation Camp: June 1-5, 2025, 2015 Camp Kirkwood Road, Watha, NC 28474. Creation Camp registration deadline is April 27.
- **SAVE THE DATE!** "Dance for Life" featuring The River Bandits, May 9, 6:00 pm, Celtic Court, Mad Boar. Tickets are \$60, which include dinner, dancing and great music! Tickets go on sale April 1, 2025. See Barbara Swetis for more information. All proceeds go to The Helping Hands Food Pantry and Life Line Sampson. See announcement in Newsletter for more info.

*Flowers*



*The flowers in the sanctuary are given in loving memory of Mary Glyn Johnson by Tom Johnson and family. Happy Birthday Cookie! We all love you.*



**FEED OUR HUNGRY CHILDREN/  
BACKPACK MINISTRY OFFERING  
SUNDAY, April 27**

