

WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

205 West Main Street • Wallace, North Carolina 28466

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

The Third Sunday after Pentecost

June 9, 2024 11:00 A.M

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Welcome Elder Kevin Johnson

Prelude "Blessed Assurance" arranged by Mark Hayes

This is my story, this is my song, praising my Savior all the day long.

Announcements

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

Choral Call to Worship

"Rain Down"

Jaime Cortez

Rain down; rain down; rain down your love on your people. Rain down; rain down; rain down your love, God of life.

Opening Sentences (from Psalm 130)

Leader: Out of the depths, I cry to you, O Lord.

People: Holy One, hear my voice.

Leader: I wait for the Lord, my soul waits.

People: In God's word I hope.

Leader: My soul waits for the Lord, more than those who watch for the morning.

People: For with the Lord there is steadfast love and great power to redeem.

*Hymn #377

"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light"

HOUSTON

*Prayer of Confession

Rev. Robert H. Lapp

Like a father in the midst of our brokenness, O God, knit us together as your family. Like a mother in the midst of our woundedness, O God, seal us in your heart as sisters and brothers. Like the rush of a mighty wind, O God, swing wide the doors of our church, that all may find within these walls a place to call home and a people to call family. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

*Responsive Assurance of Pardon (John 3:16-17)

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Leader: Relentlessly God seeks us to form a family.

People: With abundant grace and boundless mercy, God welcomes us home.

Leader: This is good news! In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

People: Thanks be to God! Amen.

*Gloria Patri

"Glory Be to the Father"

Hymn #581

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

*Hymn #306

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

DENNIS

Prayer for Illumination (Unison)

Elder Kevin Johnson

Gracious God, illumine these words by your Spirit that we might hear what you would have us hear and be who you would us be, for the sake of Jesus Christ, the Word made flesh. Amen.

Epistle Reading

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

Anthem

"In This Season"

Crane & Lockaby

In this season, shifting tides, fears are churning as our burdens rise.

Through the trouble, peace assured, hope will be our guide.

For every trial that we must face becomes a step on the path of faith.

Though all is stripped away yet love remains.

Love abiding, love providing, in this season.

In this season, tossed and tried, doubts, like shadows looming, cloud our sight.

Through the darkness, grace secured, Christ will be our light.

A time to weep, a time to laugh. A time to mourn, a time to dance.

The moments fly as the seasons pass,

Yet God's love endures. Yes, God's love is sure, his love is sure. Love abiding, love providing, God's love providing, in this season.

Gospel Reading

Mark 3:20-35

Sermon

"All in The Family"

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.

GIVING THANKS TO GOD

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory "All Things Bright and Beautiful" arr. by Mark Hayes

All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small, All things wise and wonderful, 'twas God that made them all.

*Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" Hymn #606

*Prayer of Dedication

*The Affirmation of Faith: The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty,

Maker of heaven and earth

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 #318

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction "Pe

"Peace of God Be with You"

Richard Colligan

ST. PETER

Peace of God be with you. Peace of God be with you. Salaam, salaam. Peace of God be with you.

*Postlude

*All who are able may stand.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, June 9 THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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 All Church Lunch

Wednesday, June 12 10:00 am Bible Study, Room 304

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- All Church Lunch is today, June 9. After worship there will be a luncheon in fellowship hall for the congregation to hear a report on the Holy Cow! survey results.
- **Thanks to** everyone who helped with Creation Camp at Camp Kirkwood this past week!We had a fantastic time and week!
- **Pastor Led Bible Study** is Wednesday, June 12, 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. The scripture for this week is Mark 4:26-34.
- Pick up your copy of 2024 Church Address & Phone Directory at the back of the church on pew below window.
- We will receive our annual Father's Day Offering for the Presbyterian Homes of North Carolina next Sunday, July 16. The mission of The Presbyterian Homes is to honor God by enriching the lives and touching the hearts of those they serve. PHI provides independent living, assisted living, memory care, and skilled nursing within a community of friendship with others of similar age and diverse interests. Facilities are located at Glenaire in Cary, River Landing in Colfax, and Scotia Village in Laurinburg.
- **FOOD PANTRY NEEDS BAGS!** If you have any plastic food bags from the grocery store please bring them to the church office to use in Food Pantry. We are in great need of plastic bags! Thank you!

NURSERY JUNE USE ERS

06/09: Lindsay & Stanley Skidmore Charley Farrior, Head
06/16: Mary Laine & Jason Rouse Joyce Ange Hayes Ludlum
Dave Long

OPENING CHURCH BUILDING

June 1-15: Hayes Ludlum June 16-23: Curt Simpson