



WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

205 West Main Street • Wallace, North Carolina 28466

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY *Third Sunday after Pentecost*

June 14, 2026

11:00 A.M

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Welcome

Elder Wayne Casteen

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

Prelude

“Here I Am, Lord”

arranged by Mark Hayes

*Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.*

Announcements

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.*

Call to Worship

The Lord reigns! Let the earth rejoice.

How beautiful are the feet that bring good news of peace.

The Lord has comforted His people and redeemed Jerusalem.

Come, let us sing for joy and worship our King!

*Hymn #35

“Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty”

LOBE DEN HERREN

*Prayer of Confession

Dr. Joseph D. Washburn

Merciful God, forgive us when we discredit the gospel through our actions. When we are frustrated, we blame you for our misfortune. We envy the well-to-do and forget to seek God's realm. Christ taught the meaning of faith, yet we are full of mistrust and are suspicious of your grace. We confess our faith even as we confess our failure. Forgive us our inconsistent behavior, and heal our divided natures. We lift this prayer in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Assurance of Forgiveness

As Jesus healed the afflicted and restored those who had died, so also through him our sins are forgiven and we are given new life.

May we be awakened to the assurance of your pardon, O Lord, and arise to the promise of Christ's redeeming grace.

*Gloria Patri

"Glory Be to the Father"

Hymn #581

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

*Hymn #458

"Thy Word Is a Lamp unto My Feet"

THY WORD

Unison Prayer for Illumination

Elder Wayne Casteen

Send us your Holy Spirit, O God, that these words might speak to us as your Word, and our lives bear witness to the good news of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Psalm 96:1-13

Anthem

"Light of the World"

Lauren Daigle
Creation Camp Youth

*The world waits for a miracle, the heart longs for a little bit of hope.
O come, O come, Emmanuel.
A child prays for peace on Earth and she's calling out from a sea of hurt.
O come, O come, Emmanuel.
And can you hear the angels singing?
Glory to the light of the world. Glory, the light of the world is here.*

Scripture Reading

Acts 1:6-11

Sermon

"Don't Just Stand There!"

Dr. Joseph D. Washburn

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 **“Wonderful Words of Life” with “Thy Word”** arr. by Carol Tornquist
*Sing them over again to me, wonderful words of life;
Let me more of their beauty see, wonderful words of life;
Beautiful words, wonderful words, wonderful words of life.
Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.
Thy word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.*

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

*Prayer of Dedication

*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 #69 **“I, the Lord of Sea and Sky”** HERE I AM, LORD

*Charge and Benediction

*Choral Benediction **“God Be with You Till We Meet Again”** Rankin & Timer
*God be with you till we meet again; loving counsels guide, uphold you,
With a shepherd’s care enfold you: God be with you till we meet again.*

*Postlude **All who are able may stand.*

Next Week:

Guest Preacher: Rev. Cynthia Williams

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, June 14

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

9:00 am

Choir Practice

9:45 am

Adult Sunday School Class

10:00 am

Sunday School

10:30 am

Fellowship Time

11:00 am

Worship

5:00 pm

Cub Scouts, Pack 35

Monday, June 15-Sunday, June 21

Pastor Joe on Vacation

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Pastor Joe Washburn** will be on vacation Monday, June 15-Sunday, June 21.
- **Youth Summer Sunday School Sign-Up:** Don't forget that during the summer, in an effort to give our youth Sunday School teachers a well deserved breath, we are looking for volunteers each Sunday to prepare and teach a lesson. So, this Sunday, be sure to see the sign-up sheet on the youth bulletin board in the fellowship hall. If you have any questions, please reach out to Kristin Cottle. Thank you for investing in the lives of our young people and supporting our church's youth ministry!
- **Children's Church is on Summer Break.** It will resume after Labor Day on September 13.
- **Wednesday Morning Bible Study** will resume after Labor Day on Wednesday, September 9.
- **Upcoming Events:**
 - June 15-June 21-** Pastor Joe on Vacation
 - June 21-** Presbyterian Homes Father's Day Offering. Guest Pastor: Rev. Cynthia Williams
 - July 5-** Communion
 - July 19 -24 -** CROSS MISSIONS (middle & high school youth)



The flowers in the sanctuary this morning are in celebration of the wonderful and blessed week we all experienced at Creation Camp!



ANNUAL FATHER'S DAY OFFERING FOR THE PRESBYTERIAN HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA Sunday, June 21

Presbyterian Homes Inc. and Brightspire formally merged to form Kintura in 2024. This merger created a new parent entity, Kintura, which encompasses the combined history and mission of both organizations. The new organization, Kintura, serves nearly 3,000 residents and employs over 2,100 team members in its five life plan communities in NC: Glenaire, Cary; River Landing, Colfax; Well-Spring, Greensboro; The Village at Brookwood, Burlington; and Scotia Village, Laurinburg. The mission of Kintura is to honor God by creating experiences that enrich lives and touch hearts while exceeding the needs of a diverse population of older adults. The vision of Kintura is to be the leader in creating a vibrant, diverse and innovative set of services for older adults. Read more about Kintura at <https://www.kintura.org/>. This offering will be received on Father's Day, June 21.

06/14: Mary Laine & Jason Rouse
06/21: Ellie & Michael Newton

Charley Farrior, Head
Joyce Ange Hayes Ludlum
David Long

OPENING CHURCH BUILDING

June 1-15: Hayes Ludlum
June 16-30: Dave Long

Stewardship – In response to the gospel of Jesus Christ, we offer our gifts to God.
Thank you for your generosity to the mission and ministry of WPC.



2026 SUMMER ART CAMP



INSTRUCTOR ~ CHRISTIE BONEY WEAVER
Retired Art Teacher from Pawleys Island, S.C.

PLACE ~ Wallace Methodist Church
303 South College Street, Wallace, NC

DATES ~ July 27 - 31 ~ AM Grades K-2 and PM Grades 5-8
August 3 - 7 ~ AM Grades K-2 and PM Grades 3-4

***** Select Group Based on Your Child's Completed Grade**
High School Students are welcome in the 5-8 grade art camp

TIMES ~ AM - 9:00am - 12:00pm
PM - 1:00pm - 4:00pm

CAMP TUITION ~ \$165.00 includes tuition & materials/daily snack
Art camp participants will create 2-D and 3-D projects to include clay, sculpture, multimedia compositions, and a variety of painting mediums

Contact Christie Weaver at artweaver@msn.com for registration forms or by phone at 843-222-9664 for more information

Registration forms may also be picked up at the following locations: Duplin County Elementary/Middle Schools/ Libraries and Wallace Methodist Church.

THE SESSION

Class of 2026

Kevin Johnson
Royal Johnson
Nell Sloan

Class of 2027

Karla Casteen
Geneva Maready
Devan Riley

Class of 2028

Susan Carone
Kristin Cottle
Dwight Hall



CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Pastor

Rev. Dr. Joseph D. Washburn
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Secretary

Cheryl Brinkley
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Wayne Casteen

Clerk of Session

Hope Turnbull

Music Director

Karla Casteen

Organist

Vera Simpson

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.....Ellie Newton, Kelli Norris, Danielle Sills, 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
Brenda Long, Advent



Harriet Farrow, Debbie Price, Sanctuary Flowers, Susan Walters,
Ann Carter, Candace Knowles, Bereavement