

## WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

205 West Main Street • Wallace, North Carolina 28466

### THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Second Sunday after Pentecost

June 22, 2025

11:00 A.M

## **GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE**

Welcome Elder Debbie Price

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

Prelude

"We Gather Together"

arranged by Mark Hayes

We gather together to ask the Lord's blessing; He chastens and hastens His will to make known; The wicked oppressing now cease from distressing. Sing praises to His name, He forgets not His own.

Announcements

Choral Call to Worship

"Sanctuary"

Thompson & Scruggs

Lord, prepare me to be a sanctuary, pure and holy, tried and true. With thanksgiving, I'll be a living sanctuary for you.

Opening Sentences (Based on Psalm 42)

As a deer longs for flowing streams, our souls long for you, O God.

Our souls thirst for God, for the living God.

Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me?

Hope in God, for we shall again praise the Lord, our help and our God.

\*Hymn #307

"God of Grace and God of Glory"

**CWM RHONDDA** 

\*Prayer of Confession

Rev. Robert H. Lapp

Loving God, we yearn to be close to you and to dwell in the shelter of your wings. Be with us when our yearning goes unsatisfied, bring us the help we need the most. Wipe away our fears. Comfort us in our regrets. Forgive our mistakes. Strengthen us with healing and hope. Draw us so close to you, that we may never question your presence or have reason to be afraid. Amen.

\*Responsive Assurance of Pardon

Before faith, we were locked away in our fear.

But faith is ours through the grace of Christ.

In this grace, we are no longer chained; we are no longer bound by regrets or sin.

We are freed with love, freed to love, and freed to be loved.

Friends, believe the good news of the gospel. In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

\*Gloria Patri

"Glory Be to the Father"

Hymn #581

## **PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD**

Children's Sermon

\*Hymn #318

"In Christ There Is No East or West"

ST. PETER

Unison Prayer for Illumination

Elder Debbie Price

God revealed in fire, earthquake, and silence, reveal yourself to us now in the reading and proclamation of your holy Word. Amen.

**Gospel Reading** 

Luke 8:26-39

**Epistle Reading** 

*Galatians 3:23-39* 

Sermon

"Put on Christ"

Rev. Robert H. Lapp

A Time for Silent Reflection

Prayers of the People 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

## "Darwall's 148th"

arranged by Mark Hayes

Come sing, O church, in joy! Come join, O church, in song! For Christ the Lord has led us through the ages long! In bold accord, come celebrate the journey now and Praise the Lord!

\*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 #305

"Come Sing, O Church, in Joy!"

DARWALL'S 148TH

\*Benediction

\*Choral Benediction

"We Will Go Out with Joy"

Donaldson

We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God. We will go out with joy in the Spirit; we will go out with God.

\*Postlude

\*All who are able may stand.

### 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 interimpastor@wallacepresbyterian.com

### **Secretary**

Cheryl Brinkley <a href="mailto:cheryl@wallacepresbyterian.com">cheryl@wallacepresbyterian.com</a>

#### **Treasurer**

Wayne Casteen

#### **Clerk of Session**

Hope 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-KindergartenMelony	y Henderson, Ellie Newton, Kelli Norris, Sara Matthews
First-Third Grade	Jennifer Johnson & Bailey Riley
Fourth-Sixth Grade	Kristin Cottle & Casey Hall
	Mary Laine Rouse & Lindsay Skidmore
	Glenn Price & Curt Simpson
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### PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN



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





### JUNE

US FIRS

06/22: Ellie & Michael Newton 06/29: Harriet & Windsor Farrior Charley Farrior, Head Joyce Ange Hayes Ludlum David Long

### **OPENING CHURCH BUILDING**

June 16-30: Curt Simpson July 1-15: Charley Farrior



Summer is Here!



#### 2025 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 14 - 18 ~ AM Grades K-2 and PM Grades 3-4

July 28 - August 1 ~ AM Grades K-2 and PM Grades 5-8

\*\*\* Select Group Based on Your Child's Completed Grade

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

CAMP TUITION ~ \$130.00 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 <a href="mailto:artweaver@msn.com">artweaver@msn.com</a> for registrations 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 and Wallace Methodist Church.

# WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, June 15	TRINITY SUNDAY/HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!	
•	9:00 am	Choir Practice
	9:45 am	Adult Sunday School Class
	10:00 am	Sunday School Classes
	10:30 am	Fellowship Time
	11:00 am	Worship/Presbyterian Homes Father's Day Offering
	5:00 pm	Cub Scouts-Pack 35
Tuesday, June 17	6:00 pm	Session Meeting, Room 304
Wednesday, June 18	10:00 am	Bible Study, Room 304
	7:00 pm	PNC, Room 304

### NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The Annual Father's Day Offering for The Presbyterian Homes (Presbyterian Homes Inc. and Brightspire formally merged to form Kintura in 2024), will be received this morning. They provide 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.
- **The session** will meet on Tuesday, June 17, at 6:00 pm in Room 304. If you have any business or concerns for the session to consider, please speak to one of the elders or the pastor.
- **Pastor Led Bible Study** on Wednesday, June 18, 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: Luke 8:26-39. **There will not be any Bible Study next Wednesday, June 25.**
- Food Pantry Needs for the month of June: Pasta Sauce & Pasta. Also, if you have any empty egg cartons, we can use them! Thank you!
- Summer Children's Sunday School Teachers:

Children's Sunday School summer program begins this week and Christian Education is looking for volunteers to help teach our youngest members. If you love working with young people and want to share God's word, this is the perfect opportunity!

\*\*How to Sign Up:\*\* Please visit the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the fellowship hall. Choose the week or weeks you are available to teach. Thank you for your willingness to serve and make a difference in our children's spiritual growth this summer!



The flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in memory of our father, A.C. Rivenbark, Jr., who was a great Dad, and in honor of our parents' 60<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary on June 11 by Bryan, Allie, Brad & their families.

