24th Sunday after Pentecost Revised Common Lectionary WALLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

205 West Main Street • Wallace, North Carolina 28466

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

The Twenty-fourth Sunday after Pentecost/All Saints Day

November 3, 2024

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Elder Joyce Ange

11:00 A.M

Prelude

Welcome

"How Great Thou Art"

Then sings my soul, my Savior God to Thee How great Thou art, how great Thou art! arr. Mark Hayes

Announcements

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

Choral Call to Worship "From the Rising of the Sun"

From the rising of the sun to the going down of the same, The name of the Lord shall be praised. So praise ye the Lord. Praise ye the Lord. Psalm 113

Opening Sentences Sing to the Lord a new song; let all the faithful praise the Lord. Let us give thanks for all the faithful who now live eternally with God. Jesus is our Alpha and Omega, our Beginning and End. We rejoice that nothing in all creation can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

*Hymn #625

"O Lord My God"

HOW GREAT THOU ART

*Prayer of Confession

Rev. Robert H. Lapp

Eternal God, you call us to proclaim your name, but we are silent. You call us to do what is just, but we remain idle. You call us to live faithfully, but we are afraid. In your mercy, forgive us. Give us courage to walk in your way, that joined with the faithful ones from our past who have served you well, we may inherit the kingdom you promised in Jesus Christ. Amen.

*Responsive Assurance of Pardon Jesus said: Blessed are the merciful, **for they will receive mercy.** In the name of Jesus Christ, we are forgiven! **Thanks be to God.**

*Gloria Patri

Glory Be to the Father"

Hymn #581

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

*Hymn #738	"O Master, Let Me Walk with Thee"	MARYTON
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Prayer for Illumination (Unison)

Elder Joyce Ange

Faithful God, how blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness. Sanctify us by your Word and Spirit so that we may glorify you in the company of the faithful; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Old Testament Reading

Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Special Music "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing" *arr*. Twila Paris Marney Crayton, mezzo-soprano Come, Thou fount of every blessing tune my heart to sing Thy grace. Streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise. Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above. Praise His name, I'm fixed upon it, name of God's redeeming love! Hither to Thy love has blessed me; Thou hast brought me to this place. And I know Thy hand will lead me safely home to Thy good grace. Jesus sought me when a stranger, wandering from the fold of God. He to rescue me from danger, bought me with His precious blood. Oh, to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be! Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wandering heart to Thee. Prone to wander, Lord I feel it, prone to leave the God I love. Here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for Thy court above.

Gospel Reading

Mark 12:28-34

Sermon

"Great Commandments"

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

"For All The Saints"

arr. John Purifoy

Thy name, O Jesus, be forever blest. Alleluia, Alleluia!

*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. 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. "For All the Saints" *Hymn #326 SINE NOMINE *Benediction *Choral Benediction "We Will Go Out with Joy" Donaldson & Donaldson

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*Postlude

*All who are able may stand.

THE SESSION

Class of 2024

Joyce Ange Danielle Sills Curt Simpson **Class of 2025**

Sandy Cobb Debbie Price Blake Wallace

Class of 2026

Kevin Johnson Royal Johnson Nell Sloan

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Interim Pastor Rev. Robert (Robb) Lapp interimpastor@wallacepresbyterian.com

Secretary Cheryl Brinkley <u>cheryl@wallacepresbyterian.com</u>

> **Treasurer** Wayne Casteen

Clerk of Session Hope Turnbull

THE CHURCH SCHOOL

Birth-Kindergarten	Melony Henderson, Ellie Newton, Kelli Norris, Sara Matthews
First-Third Grade	Jennifer Johnson & Bailey Rouse
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 Brenda Long, Advent Harriet Farrior, Debbie Price, Sanctuary Flowers



WEEKLY CALENDAR				
Sunday, November 3	THE TWENT	TY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST		
-	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		
	5:00 pm	Cub Scout Pack 35 Meeting, Fellowship Hall		
Monday, November 4	8:00-12:00 pm	River Landing Food Drive-Fellowship Hall		
Tuesday, November 5	10:30 am	Morning Circle: Fellowship Hall		
	7:00 pm	Evening Circle: Fellowship Hall		
Wednesday, November 6 10:00 am		Bible Study, Room 304		
-	6:00 pm	Handbells		
	7:00 pm	PNC, Room 304		

NOTES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

• **The 19th Annual River Landing Food Drive** is Monday, November 4. Donation bags are available in the sanctuary as you leave the church. If anyone would like to donate their time from 8:00-12:00 on Monday, contact Barbara Swetits at 908-500-9079. Monetary donations also welcome.

• **Pastor Led Bible Study** is Wednesday, November 6, at 10 am in room 304. The scripture for this week is Mark 12:38-44.

• East Community Gathering of the Presbytery will be at Sneads Ferry Presbyterian Church on November 16.

• Wallace Presbyterian Church T-Shirts - Badger Performance Style T-Shirts are available for \$18 and Comfort Colors for \$16. Sign-up sheets are on the table in the fellowship hall by the Youth bulletin board. List your name, size, and phone number. These are the T-Shirt designs that were given to our children and youth on Rally Day.

• Food Pantry Needs for the month of November: Canned Meat Thank you!



The flowers in the sanctuary today are given in loving memory of our parents Mr. & Mrs. Bill Sheffield and Mr. & Mrs. Bruce Ludlum. They are lovingly given by the Ludlum family.



Church Cleanup Day Saturday, November 23 9:00-12:00

All are invited to come and pitch in to help spruce up our church building and grounds! Please bring your own cleaning supplies and/or yard tools. Thank you,

Danielle Sills



OCTOBER



11/03: Sara Matthews & Kelli Norris 11/10: Emily & Hayes Ludlum Dan Robinson, Leader Freddy Hall Kelli Norris Tom Whitfield

CHILDREN'S CHURCH

11/03: Debbie Price 11/10: Geneva Mareadv

OPENING CHURCH BUILDING

November 1-15: Jim Simpson November 16-20: Glenn Price



Wallace Presbyterian Church will hold its annual meeting of the corporation and congregation on **Sunday**, **November 17**, following the worship service. After we adjourn the meeting, we'll enjoy a covered dish lunch together. The church will provide the meats. Please bring sides and desserts.



The Atttie Carlton Handbell Choir Invites you to celebrate with us at Our 30th Anniversary Concert Immediately following lunch On Sunday, November 17, 2024 In the Sanctuary



It's hard to believe that the Christmas season will soon be here! We will be decorating the church for Christmas on Saturday, November 30 at 10:00 am. Please come be a part of this festive time and help with making it special for the Advent and Christmas season. Any questions, call Joyce Ange 910-599-5156.