

9:00 a.m. Worship

ACTS OF GATHERING

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTERING MOMENT

SONG OF GATHERING *Come As You Are*

OPENING PRAYER

ACTS OF PROCLAMATION

BLESSING OF THE CHILDREN

SCRIPTURE Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

SERMON *Imitating*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

WORDS OF PARDON

HYMN *Faith, While Trees Are Still in Blossom* No. 508

ACTS OF RESPONSE

OFFERTORY

PASTORAL PRAYER

ACTS OF SENDING OUT

SONG OF SENDING OUT *10,000 Reasons*

BLESSING AND BENEDICTION



WELCOME IN THE LOVE OF JESUS CHRIST


Please register your presence with us by signing the attendance pad located in each pew.

Preservice Music & Fellowship

Use this time to greet your neighbors in love.

Listening devices are available from the sound booth.
Nursery (birth-4yr) available. See an usher for assistance.
Blessing of the Children. Children, K through 2nd grade, are invited to Children's Church in Room 106 downstairs.
Family Room: A rocking chair and changing table are available to meet your family's needs in Room 214 in the hallway behind the choir loft, near the elevator.


WEDNESDAY, March 20th

 Lenten Series BYOB [Bring Your Own Bag lunch] 12—1:00pm @ First UMC, North Wilkesboro
Facilitated by: Rev. Kedron Nicholson, St. Paul's Episcopal Church

A short time of worship will begin ~12:10 which will lead into holy conversations on current issues facing our community. The Lenten Observances schedule is available in the narthex & Educational building.

SERMON NOTES

FIFTH SUNDAY BRUNCH

 Let's gather in the Fellowship Hall at 10am on March 31st for the Fifth Sunday, spending time, fellowship & community with one another.

If you or your group would like to sponsor brunch, contact the church office.

Our fellowship will continue as we help each other setup and cleanup :)

11:00 a.m. Worship

GATHERING & PRAISE

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CENTERING MOMENT

PRELUDE *Jesu Priceless Treasure* Bach

CALL TO WORSHIP

INVOCATION

HYMN *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* No. 103

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND WORDS OF PARDON

RESPONSE *Be Still, My Soul* No. 534, v. 2

OFFERTORY *When I Survey the Wondrous Cross* Hambert

DOXOLOGY

PROCLAMATION & RESPONSE

BLESSING OF THE CHILDREN

PASTORAL PRAYER

ANTHEM *O, Lord Most Holy* Hopson

SCRIPTURE Genesis 15:1-12, 17-18

SERMON *Imitating*

HYMN *Faith, While Trees Are Still in Blossom* No. 508

BLESSING

CHORAL BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Largo* Handel



MISSION & MINISTRY

SUNDAY, March 17
 9:00am & 11:00am Worship
 5:00pm Finance Committee
 6:00pm Administrative Council

TUESDAY, March 19
 10:00am Krafters
 7:30pm Jubilate Ringers

WEDNESDAY, March 20
 12:00pm Lenten Lunch Series
 BYOB, *see inside*
 6:00pm Fellowship Supper
 prepared by CFSS.
 6:30pm JAM Children; Youth
 6:45pm Adult Bible Study
 6:45pm Carillonneurs
 7:45pm Chancel Choir

SATURDAY, March 23
 UMW District Prayer Breakfast,
 United Methodist Women
 Memorial Service,
 Birthday Celebration
 [pre-registered attendees]

SUNDAY, March 24
 Ice Cream Social
 2—4pm (*see UMW insert*)

WEDNESDAY, March 27
 Chili Cook-Off
 & Dessert Auction
 Benefits Honduras Mission Team
 (*see narthex & Educ. bldg. bulletin boards*)

TUESDAY, March 26 Join the Keenagers for the day!
 9:30am—Carpool to Mayberry Market/Souvenirs, Mill
 Creek General Store, Amish store. Contact Jenny Miller:
 336-667-9495, virginiamis@aol.com.

Serving	Today	Next Sunday
Acolyte & Crucifer	9a Seth Wilson 11a Sailyrn Kilby	Hannah Thornton Caitlyn Summers
Children's Church & Nursery	9a TBD 11a Caitlyn Summers, Susie Triplett	TBD Kim Hayes, Luna Hayes
SS K-5	10a Susanna Chavez	Angila Thornton
Ushers	9a TBD 11a Art Groce, John Henry Groce, Joe McMillan, Mike Roope	TBD
Media	9a Jerry Kilby, Kaleb Thornton, Seth Wilson 11a Marcus Giles, Mike Reid	

PRAYER CONCERNS

[03/14/19]

*Please notify the church office with confirmed updates.
 Names will be removed after 30 days unless otherwise requested.*

Members—Family of Audrey Absher, Bill Alexander, Bobbie Burke, Hugh Dancy, Jim Dale, Jim Day, Family of Frances Grant, Frances Henderson, Frances Howell, Françoise Hughes, Jane Joines, Tom Kinlaw, Marie Lenderman, Sherry Mabry, George Miller, Rachel Miller, Adam Randolph, Keith & Mary Summerford, David Taylor, Sue Taylor, Sue Testerman & Family, Randall Woodruff

Residing In—Curis: Clayton, Buddy Hulcher; Rose Glen Manor: Ruth Forrest; Rose Glen Village: Jean Alvis, Bobbie Blake, Jean Garwood, Wanda Garwood, Paul & Peggy Marley; Villages of Wilkes: Mary Lou Brooks, Ruth Hanville

Friends & Relatives—Amburn Family, Marie Anglin, Jonah Brown, Justin Cervantes, Family of Holly Ferall, Joyce Hayes, Shannon Hughes, Kay Kinlaw-Presutti, Doug Merritt, Rev. Jesse Miles, Marian Pegram, Beth Phillips, Ridge Reilly, Lois Steele, Doris Stevens, Gerald Stierwalt, Payne Stuart, Sue Summers

In the Military—Tyler Bowman, Ashley Hannah Bruhn, Aaron Jones, Thomas Snyder, Ryan Wyatt

PRAYER CONCERNS: Please let us know if you are ill, will have/had a hospital visit/stay or if you know church family experiencing any of the aforementioned. We are members of one body and can help carry one another's burdens by supporting each other in prayer.

MISSION & MINISTRY

IN PREPARATION FOR THE EASTER EGG HUNT
 (Apr. 13th) for the children of WUMC & Moravian Falls Elem., donations of small candies/prizes and/or plastic eggs with goodies already inside, + larger prizes for game winners would be greatly appreciated. Please place items in the UMW donation bin located in the Educ. bldg.

HONDURAS AGAPE FOUNDATION
 Unidos por la misma sangre

MISSION: HONDURAS
 A team of 8 from WUMC (Tori Combs, Jerry Kilby, Chris Lakey, Mark Reavill, Will Stutts, Brad Triplett, Lorie Triplett, and Casey Woodruff) will travel in May with the Honduras Agape Foundation to the community of Texoxingales (Teo) Honduras.

Teo is a small but growing community in the western region of Honduras. As the school continues to grow, the existing bathrooms are in severe disrepair. Planned projects for the team include refurbish/replacement of the bathrooms, shelving for the medical clinic and other needs.

Contributions are needed for these projects as well as school supplies and airline fees for dresses, shorts and book bags (donated by our Sewing Bee Mission) all to be distributed in the community. To financially contribute, please indicate Honduras Mission on your gift to WUMC.

Upcoming Benefits on Wednesdays, 3/27, 4/17, & 5/01.

SAVE THE DATE—>Luminaria Walk, June 14
 Luminaries will be displayed for the Luminary Walk event In Honor and/or In Memory of those who have fought cancer on June 14th. The WUMC Sharing the Flame Relay for Life team is accepting luminary orders now. Forms are available in the narthex and Educ. bldg.

CONTACT US

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CHURCH BUSINESS

Administrative Council meeting minutes and Treasurer Reports are available in the sanctuary narthex and the WUMC website (via the *Newsletter* link).

The General Budget is our first funding priority. It represents the base of our ministry.

Tithes & Offerings	\$61,413
Expenses	\$59,554

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 Church Office Hours: Monday—Friday, 9:00am—3:00pm

Wilkesboro United Methodist Church



Second Sunday in Lent March 17, 2019

Wilkesboro United Methodist Church is sharing the good news of Jesus Christ, comforting the troubled, and embracing God's love.