

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, July 23, 2023 ♦ 8th Sunday after Pentecost

**Prelude** Charlie Harnish

**Welcome** Rev. Linda Kelly

**Opening Hymn** *Love Divine, All Loves Excelling* UMH#384

**Affirmation of Faith** *Apostles' Creed* UMH #881

**Hymn** *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* UMH#140

**Children's Message**

**Praises & Concerns**

**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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.**

**Offering Prayer** Rev. Linda Kelly

**Offertory/Doxology** Charlie Harnish

**Scripture Reading** *Romans 13:8-10*

**Sermon** *Forgetting To Remember* Rev. Linda Kelly

**Hymn** *They'll Know We Are Christians By Our Love* TFWS#2223

**Benediction** Rev. Linda Kelly

**Postlude** Charlie Harnish

## PRAISES

All the Children and Youth in our church

Ava Grace,

Tom Stade 94th Birthday

Karen

## PRAISES/CONCERNS:

Bailey Howard, Emily Sewell, Lori Reese, Sharon and

George Waltman, Chris Whorshom

## FAMILIES OF DECEASED:

Singleton Family

## CONCERNS:

The disaffiliation within the Methodist Church, Marie Bertini, Charlie Bilcher, Cameron Blevins, Ed Blount, Tammy Cable, Jim Champion, David Coffey, Cynthia, Baby Davis, Deb, Lisa Dennison, Diane's people, Pat Duncan, Sandra Dyson, Lincoln Dyson, Mary Ann Fieffer, Cole Finch, Beth Finlay, Michael Gomon, Martha and Jack Harris, Vickie Harris, Lynn and Cliff Harvey, Emma Hughey, Becky Humphrey, Allen Johnson, Rebecca Johnson, Joyce Jost, Carrol Lawrence, Amanda Linstrom, Logan, Matt Lovelace, Lucy, Alex McBride, Nancy McCrink, Jan McNamara-Houck, Robin Murray, Dan Nester, Rick and Julie Phillips, Pearl Phillips, Porras Family, John Ramsey, Raelyn, Venus Roberts, The Robertsons, Serena and Will Robertson, Dottie Sherril, Doris Sorrells, Thomas Stade, Joan Stafford, Greg Strohm, Tara and Trace, Robert Teller, Alex and Katrina Tensi, Steve Tensi Sr., Ruth Ann Tensi, Holence Topkin, Robin Truscott, Michael Watkins, Faye Williams, Jean Williams, Claire Williamson.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ♦ **Please pass the pew pads.**
- ♦ **A warm and joyful welcome** to Reverend Linda Kelly while Pastor Richard is on vacation .

♦ **Cookies and Lemonade** following the worship today on the lawn.

♦ **Administrative Council:** Ad Council is starting to plan the mission and vision for our church. What is God saying to you? What has God put in your heart? Who is God calling this church to serve? Is there something you feel passionate about? Please reach out to our Ad Council members on the back of the bulletin with this information.

♦ **Finance Council:** Thank you for supporting Weaverville UMC. Your contributions have supported the BEAR Closet, 16 Confirmands, and a VBS that shared the love of God with over 50 kids. Please continue to give to the General Fund as we plan our ministries for the fall.

♦ **Explorer Class** will begin a new study on July 30th: *The Reason for God: Conversations on Faith and Life* by Timothy Keller. We meet in the Love Conference Room at 10 am .

♦ **Women's Bible Study:** We will begin a new 3-month study in August. Dates and study material will be announced soon.

♦ **Family Game Night today!** Join us from 3pm to 6pm in the Fellowship Hall.

♦ **Family Hike** to Rattlesnake Lodge Trail on July 27th or 28th.

♦ **Weaverville Community Prayer Meeting** on Wednesdays from 8am-9am in the Love Conference Room. Or join us in spirit wherever you may be.

♦ **Please take a moment** to look at all the names in the praise and concern listings and advise the office of names that can be removed.

**CHURCH INFORMATION:** You can learn more about WUMC by pointing your smart phone (in camera mode) to this QR code. It will give you a link which takes you to our web site, where you can sign up to receive our weekly newsletters and view past editions. We also have printed copies of our latest newsletter available in the Narthex for you to take with you. This service will be live-streamed and video recorded. Please notify an usher if you would prefer to remain off-camera.



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The B.E.A.R. ministry and clients say THANK YOU for your support!

Currently our greatest needs are for the following:

Infant car seats, bassinets, crib mattresses, infant bouncy seats, shoes for 6-9 months Boys 5T tops and shorts. Boys 4T and 5T shorts. Any non-expired car seats or boosters for car. Gently used/outgrown clothing & equipment always appreciated.

See the Amazon Wishlist on the church website. <https://www.weavervilleumc.org> Click BEAR Closet for ideas. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Help with 1st Mondays of the month for afternoon pickups from 5-7pm, and 2nd & 4th from 10am-Noon on a one time or regular basis.**



**In school, kids receive breakfast and lunch. The crisis ministry is expecting a large increase in families needing assistance during the summer months. Please be as generous as you can.**

**Pantry Needs:** Cornmeal, canned fruit, oatmeal and grits (tubs and/or packets), canned tuna

All money donated with the notation **ABCCM North** is used to purchase food for the North Buncombe pantry only. Please make out any checks to **ABCCM North**

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**11:00am**