

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, August 20 2023 ♦ 12th Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude	<i>"You Are My All in All—Fairest Lord Jesus"</i>	Matt & Phoebe Rogers
Welcome		Pastor Richard Blount
Opening Hymn	<i>"This is a Day of New Beginnings"</i>	UMH#383
Affirmation of Faith	<i>Apostles' Creed</i>	UMH #881
Hymn	<i>"As a Fire is Meant for Burning"</i>	TFWS#2237
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		Pastor Richard Blount
Offertory/Doxology		Mark Sudimak
Scripture Reading	<i>Romans 11:1-2</i>	
Sermon	<i>Deep End of The Pool</i>	Pastor Richard Blount
Hymn	<i>"I am Thine, O Lord"</i>	UMH#419
Benediction		Pastor Richard Blount
Postlude		Charlie Harnish

PRAISES

New members Greg and Sue Jones

Thank you for all who came to the workday last Saturday

PRAISES/CONCERNS:

Bailey Howard, Chris Whorshom

FAMILIES OF DECEASED:

Family of Treva Crisco, Family of Max Ramsey, Family of Margaret Warren

CONCERNS:

The disaffiliation within the Methodist Church, People of Maui, Deb Beckman, Marie Bertini, Charlie Bilcher, Cameron Blevins, Ed Blount, Jim Champion, David Coffey, Cynthia, Baby Davis, Lisa Dennison, Pat Duncan, Sandra Dyson, Lincoln Dyson, Laura Franklin, Cole Finch, Beth Finlay, Michael Gomon, Gale Gordon, Martha and Jack Harris, Vickie Harris, Lynn and Cliff Harvey, Matt Hoover, Emma Hughey, Becky Humphrey, Allen Johnson, Rebecca Johnson, Lois Jost, Carrol Lawrence, Amanda Linstrom, Matt Lovelace, Alex McBride, Nancy McCrink, Jan McNamara-Houck, Robin Murray, Dan Nester, Rick and Julie Phillips, Pearl Phillips, Porras Family, John Ramsey, Venus Roberts, Dottie Sherril, Doris Sorrells, Thomas Stade, Joan Stafford, Greg Strohm, Robert Teller, Jack and Mary Teague, Holence Topkin, Robin Tresco, Robin Truscott, Sharon and George Waltman, Michael Watkins, Faye Williams, Jean Williams, Claire Williamson, Pamela Witcher

SANCTUARY FLOWERS:

The flowers are given this morning by David and Barb McElroy along with Kylie Rogers for the glory of God and in honor of David's birthday

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ♦ **Please pass the Pew Pads.**
- ♦ **Explorer Class** is studying *The Reason for God* by Timothy Keller. We meet each Sunday in the Love Conference Room at 10 am

- ♦ **Administrative Council:** Ad Council is starting to plan the mission and vision for our church. Please reach out to our Ad Council members on the back of the bulletin with your thoughts, ideas and suggestions.
- ♦ **Women's Bible Study** begins with *Acts Awaking to God in Every Day Life* by Melissa Spoelstra. This is a 6-week study and will be co-led by Angela Moser & Lorraine Cipriano. **Start date: Sunday September 10th at 430pm & Tuesday September 1030am** in the Love Conference room. Book can be purchased at many sites. On November 5th & 7th we will start a study on prayer that will end before Christmas. More information to follow. Please contact Angela Moser at 828-215-2642 or Missangelf@outlook.com for any questions.
- ♦ **Weaverville Community Prayer Meeting** on Wednesdays from 8am-9am in the Love Conference Room. Or join us in spirit .
- ♦ **Contributions:** Thank you to our members who have been faithful with their tithes and offerings. Your tithes pay for VBS, confirmation, the BEAR closet and lots of community outreach. Please prayerfully consider how your giving will support the life and ministry of our church. We have a need of \$8,938.85.
- ♦ **Art in Autumn** is on September 16. We need volunteers who are willing to do a parking lot fundraiser for the Youth and Children's program..
- ♦ The funeral for Max Ramsey is scheduled for this afternoon here at WUMC. Visitation at 3pm, Funeral at 4pm, Meal 5pm. May God comfort his family and welcome him into His kingdom.

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.



ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS: Council Chair: Jeremy Stowe jeremywilliamstowe@gmail.com; PPRC Chair: Jennifer Miller jlbarn77@yahoo.com; Trustee Chair: John Dankel jdankel47@gmail.com; Lay Leader: Angela Moser Missangelf@outlook.com; Finance Chair: Kim Morelock: klmorlock@yahoo.com; Nurture Chair: Joe Cipriano: jrcipria@msn.com; Outreach Chair: Renee Weaver: grohweaver@aol.com; UWF Chair: Joanie Strohm: ssjsmars@charter.net ; UMM Chair: Rick Spoering: rjspoeing@yahoo.com



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, pack and plays, crib mattresses, infant bouncy seats, shoes for 6-9 months, baby shampoo/wash combo. 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: Self rising flour, cornmeal, pasta sauce, grits and oatmeal. 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** Clients are so appreciative and thankful.

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