

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, April 21, 2024 ♦ 4th Sunday of Easter

Prelude	Charlie Harnish
Welcome	Pastor Richard Blount
Opening Prayer and Announcements	Mark Sudimak
Opening Hymn	<i>"Hymn of Promise"</i> UMH #707(v. 1-3)
Hymn	<i>"Standing on the Promises"</i> UMH #374(v. 1-2, 4)
Affirmation of Faith	<i>Apostles' Creed</i> UMH #881
Offertory/Doxology	Charlie Harnish
Children's Message	Shawn Williamson.
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.
Scripture Reading	<i>"Acts 4:5-12"</i>
Sermon	<i>"Tough Spot"</i> Pastor Richard Blount
Welcome Children Back	
Hymn	<i>"Sent Forth by God's Blessing"</i> UMH #664(v. 1-2)
Benediction	Pastor Richard Blount
Postlude	Charlie Harnish

PRAISES/CONCERNS:

Ed Blount, George Farthing, Gwen Harris, Chyanne Hatley, Advent Health Hospital in Weaverville

FAMILIES OF DECEASED:

Family of Isaiah Adams, Family of Scott Cole

CONCERNS:

Lloyd Clark, Bob Cipriano, Debbie Conejo, Debbie Davis, Susan DeBonis, Ben Farthing, Gavin's Dad, Michael Gomon, Jim Greenhurt, Lynn Harvey, Shawn Henderson, Brandon Henson, Becky Humphrey, Lynn Ledger, David Leo, Jamie Olsen, Jennifer Phillips, Larry Schultz, Jack Seay, Emily Sewel, Joan Stafford, Stan Strohm, Jack Teague, Cassandra Jost, Wars in Ukraine, Gaza.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS:

The flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God by Kim and Vance Litz

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ◆ Please pass the pew pads.
- ◆ **Altar Flowers.** Please find a spot on the flower calendar to sign up for a bouquet at worship. Many spaces are available. Kim Mallicoat creates beautiful arrangements at a reasonable price. Her number is 828.280.7664.
- ◆ **Youth Group** and Confirmation class will meet this afternoon from 4:30pm– 6:00pm in the Fellowship Hall. Snacks will be provided. Bring your bible and a friend.
- ◆ **Ignite Class** is studying *Wrestling with Doubt* by Adam Hamilton and meeting Sundays at 9:45am in the Education Building.
- ◆ **Explorer Class** is meeting each Sunday at 10am in the Love Conference Room. We are studying *What is the Least I Can Believe and Still Be a Christian?* By Martin Thielen.

- ◆ **Women's Bible** study meets Tuesdays at 10:30am in the Love Conference Room. The study is *Jeremiah: Daring to Hope in an Unstable World* by Melissa Spoelstra.
- ◆ **Community Prayer Meeting** each Wednesday mornings from 8am-9am in the Love Conference Room, or join us in spirit.
- ◆ **Vacation Bible School** is happening once again this year. The dates are June 17-20 from 9am to 12pm. The theme is "On The Case" and planning is in full swing. We are looking for volunteers. Please contact the office if you are able to help.
- ◆ **Upper Room** devotionals for May and June are in the narthex. Pick up your copy before you leave today.
- ◆ The **Minevia Brittain Circle** of UWIF meets on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 7pm. Call Joy Pansiera for info @828-777-2337.
- ◆ The **Matilda Dryman Circle** of UWIF meets on the 3rd Thursday of the month at 10am in the Love Conference Room. Call Joanie Strohm for more information at 828-707-8928. Everyone is welcome.
- ◆ **Celebration of Life** for Scott Cole, son of Judy and Zane Cole, is planned for May 18, in the Fellowship Hall with an ice cream and cake social from 2-4pm.

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 prefer to remain off-camera.



Hooray! We moved into our new space! Thank you to Robert Weaver for the excellent work constructing it! It provides a safer workspace and room to organize.

Our current needs are for the following: high chairs, clothes for preemie boys and girls., children's toothpaste, brushes and thermometers. 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.

Want to help? Contact Catherine Love at catmlove@charter.net or call BEAR CLOSET at 828.658.5373



A Basket is located in the Narthex for donations.

Always Needed: Peanut Butter, Hearty Soups Canned Chicken and Tuna, Grits, Adult Cereal.

Volunteer are always needed!

The North Ministry at 403 Weaverville Rd, Woodfin. Call Sheryl 828.398.6951.

For monetary donation, please make check to the church with the notation: **ABCCM North** (for food) **ABCCM Other** (for all other services/necessities)

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