

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, May 12, 2024 ♦ 7th Sunday of Easter—Mother's Day

Prelude	<i>"Down By the Riverside"</i>	Chancel Choir
Welcome		Pastor Richard Blount
Opening Prayer and Announcements		Mark Sudimak
Opening Hymn	<i>"For the Beauty of the Earth"</i>	UMH #92 (v. 1, 4-6)
Hymn	<i>"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"</i>	UMH #384 (all verses)
Affirmation of Faith	<i>Apostles' Creed</i>	UMH #881
Offertory	<i>"Resurrection Victory"</i>	Chancel Choir
Doxology	<i>"Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow"</i>	UMH #95
Children's Message		Jennifer Miller
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>"Matthew 28:1-10"</i>	
Sermon	<i>"Faith vs. Fear"</i>	Pastor Richard Blount
Welcome Children Back		
Hymn	<i>"God of Love and God of Power"</i>	UMH #578 (all verses)
Benediction		Pastor Richard Blount
Postlude		Charlie Harnish

PRAISES:

All Mothers, Audrey Blount confirmation, Lexi Ogle, Emily Sewel, Community Blood Drive

FAMILIES OF DECEASED:

Family of Will Lewis, Family of Mike Mileky

PRAISES/CONCERNS:

Ed Blount, Gwen Harris, Chyanne Hatley, Kurt Spoering, George Waltman, Advent Health Hospital in Weaverville, Decisions from the General Conference, Preschool graduation in 2 weeks

CONCERNS:

Lloyd Clark, Debbie Conejo, Debbie Davis, Susan DeBonis, Tad Edwards, Ben Farthing, Gavin's Dad, Michael Gomon, Jim Greenhurt, Jace, Lynn Harvey, Shawn Henderson, Brandon Henson, Becky Humphrey, Cassandra Jost, Lynn Ledger, David Leo, Frank Meadows, Jamie Olsen, Jennifer Phillips, Porras Family Friend, Larry Schultz, Jack Seay, Joan Stafford, Stan Strohm, Jack Teague, Will Weaver, Jeff Wohlfarth, Wars in Ukraine, Gaza, General Conference, Mass Shooting in Charlotte.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS:

The flowers in the sanctuary are given to the Glory of God and in honor of all my children by Bonnie Rockwood.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ♦ Please pass the pew pads.
- ♦ **Youth Group** will not meet this afternoon .
- ♦ **Red Cross Blood Drive tomorrow**, Monday, May 13, from 3pm-8pm in the Fellowship Center. More details in the flyer.
- ♦ **Celebration of Life** for Scott Cole, son of Judy and Zane Cole, is planned for this coming Saturday, May 18, in the Fellowship Hall with an ice cream and cake social from 2-4pm.

- ♦ **Ad Council Meeting** is scheduled for Sunday, May 19, following the Sunday worship.
- ♦ **Vacation Bible School** 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.
- ♦ **M&M Luncheon**, Thursday May 16 at 11:45am. Ms will be celebrating the season with hotdogs, sides with a dessert of cookies and ice cream. Our speaker will be one of the coordinators of this year's Vacation Bible School. We will be hearing about this June's VBS program, On The Case, and learn of ways we can help. As always, please RSVP, and if you would like to help with food, contact Lorraine Cipriano at rincip@charter.net or 828-707-2724.
- ♦ **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. This study will conclude on May 21. The group will break for the summer and begin a new study after Labor Day.
- ♦ **Community Prayer Meeting** each Wednesday mornings from 8am-9am in the Love Conference Room, or join us in spirit.

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.



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)



A BIG THANK YOU to Warren Gearrick for replacing our parking cones and posts! They look great and are so much easier to place

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. We are looking for someone to wash slightly soiled clothing and sorters for clothes

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