

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, November 10, 2024 ♦ 25th Sunday after Pentecost

Prelude	<i>"I Want Jesus to Walk With Me"</i>	Bell Choir
Welcome and Announcements	<i>New Member Susan Johnson</i>	
Opening Hymn	<i>"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"</i>	UMH #154 (v. 1, 4, 6)
Hymn	<i>"This is My Father's World"</i>	UMH #144 (all verses)
Affirmation of Faith	<i>Apostles' Creed</i>	UMH #881
Offertory	<i>"My Shepherd Will Supply My Need"</i>	Bell Choir
Doxology	<i>"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"</i>	UMH #95
Children's Message		Sophie Banks
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.	
Sermon Scripture	<i>"Matthew 5:13-16"</i>	
Sermon	<i>"Protect Your Testimony"</i>	Pastor Richard Blount
Welcome Children Back		
Hymn	<i>"Trust and Obey"</i>	UMH #467 (all verses)
Blessing		Pastor Richard Blount
Postlude		Charlie Harnish

PRAISES:

New member Susan Johnson, Mark and Susan Sudimak following God's Call to more fully dedicate their lives to "Abide Ministries"

FAMILIES OF DECEASED:

Family of Pam Coss-Hunsuck, Family of Helen DeBruhl, Family of Gene Grant, Family of Nathaniel Groseclose.

CONCERNS:

Families who lost their jobs due to Helene, ongoing hurricane recovery; Burnsville Schools, Marshall, Barnardsville, Hot Springs and all other communities; Artists and businesses in the RAD, Search for Youth and Children's Director, Election Results, Jessica and Mason Austin, Pat Beatty, Ed Blount, Linda Cook, Tad Edwards, Ben Farthing, Tonya Fotinos, Christina Freelan, Jim Greenhut, Joyce Ingle, Jace, Elizabeth and John Hambring, Lynn Harvey, Henderson Family, John King, Katherine LaMonica, Ken Lovelace, Olivia Lowe, Karen Lugo, Jamie Olsen, Jeff Pansiera, Jennifer Phillips, Pond Family, Raymond Rodrigue, Beverly Royall, Ronnie Reese, Thomas Stade, Joan Stafford, Stan Strohm, Jeff Sudimak, Jonathan Sudimak, Sue Sudimak, Susan Sudimak, Jack Teague, Unspoken, Terri Wilson, Jeff Wohlfarth, Wars in Ukraine, Gaza

SANCTUARY FLOWERS:

The flowers this morning are given by Cliff Harvey. Happy 248th Birthday to the United States Marine Corps! And prayers for all Marines past, present and future. Semper Fidelis.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ♦ Please pass the pew pads.
- ♦ **Charge Conference** today at 4pm at Bright Hope Laurel UMC; 271 Laurel Valley Rd, Mars Hill, NC 287754. Please make plans to attend.
- ♦ **Red Cross Blood Drive** is planned for Tuesday, November 19. See flyer for more information.
- ♦ **Operation Christmas Child.** We are not promoting this important ministry of Samaritan's Purse this year, but if you feel moved, take a shoe box to fill and return it by November 24.

- ♦ **Shower** for the Pond Family today after our worship in the fellowship room downstairs. The family requests monetary donations only as they have no space to store any items at this time. Checks can be made out to the church and note "Pond Family" in the memo line. Gift cards are also appreciated. Light refreshments will be served.
- ♦ **UWiF Minevia Brittain Circle** will meet on Wednesday, November 13 at 6:30pm in the Love Conference Room for a BEAR Closet sorting session. Pizza will be available. Bring your own drink. Come one, come all! Membership not required.
- ♦ **M&Ms (Mature and Methodist).** We will meet on Thursday, November 21, at 11:45am in the Fellowship Hall. Our speaker is **Joyce Endaya** of Lutheran Services who is working to help resettle refugees in our area. Lunch will be an assortment of soups and salads with dessert. Please RSVP Lorraine Cipriano at rainscip@charter.net or 828-707-2724. We need volunteers who can provide a soup, salad, bread or dessert. Let Lorraine know if you are interested in helping. As always, please think of a friend that you can invite.
- ♦ **Women's Bible Study:** We will be studying weekly Bible verses of comfort. We meet Tuesdays 10:30-12 Noon in the Education Building.
- ♦ **Children Sunday School** meets from 9:45am-10:45am in the Education Building. We are so very grateful for our dedicated teachers!
- ♦ **Youth Group** will not meet this afternoon.
- ♦ **Explorer Class** meets each Sunday at 10am. Next Sunday begins the new study *"Encounters with Jesus"* by Timothy Keller.
- ♦ **Ignite Class** is studying *Blessed Are the Misfits* on Sundays from 9:45am-10:45am in the education building.

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.



We have extended our hours to accommodate increased demand. Thank you to all who are helping!

Current needs are girl and boy sizes 3 to 5T winter clothing. 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 the BEAR closet at 828.658.5373. **A couple of options are to wash slightly stained clothing and sorters for clothes.**

CHURCH STAFF

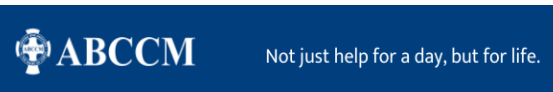
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THANKSGIVING is in 3 weeks!

Please help by purchasing some of the fixin's and bring them next Sunday, November 17.

29 oz cans of sweet potatoes, instant mashed potatoes, stuffing mix, canned corn, gravy cranberry sauce.

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

- ◆ **Community Prayer at the Weaverville Community Center** beginning on Monday, September 30, at 7pm in the smaller room. Everyone is invited.
- ◆ **WUMC Wednesday Morning Prayer** group will continue to meet at 8am in Education Building.



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