



June 17, 2018

11:00 a.m.

4th Sunday after Pentecost  
Father's Day

*Please silence your phone as we prepare our hearts for worship.*

† We invite you to stand as you are able

### Chiming of the Hour

#### Welcome

#### Opening Voluntary

*Trumpet Fanfare on "Rescue"*

Hustad

#### Choral Introit

*Joy in the Morning*

Sleeth

#### Greeting (Responsive)

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I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic\*\* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

\*living \*\*universal

#### † Glori Patri

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

### Concerns of the Congregation

#### Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

#### Anthem

*Now Thank We All Our God*

arr. Michael Rosewall

Chancel Choir

Now thank we all our God, with hearts and hands and voices,  
who wondrous things has done, in whom this world rejoices;  
who from our mother's arms has blessed us on our way  
with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

Oh, may this bounteous God through all our lives be near us,  
Ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us;

And keep us all in grace, and guide us when perplexed,  
And free us from all harm in this world and the next.  
All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given,  
The Son and Spirit blest, who reign in highest heaven,  
The one eternal God, whom earth and heav'n adore;  
For thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore!

## **We Worship with our Tithes and Offerings**

### **Offertory**

*Freely, Freely*

Owens

### **Doxology**

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow. Praise him, all creatures here below.  
Praise him above, ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

## **We Worship with the Children**

(Kid Kits in the bright green bags, provided for K-5th graders, are located at the back of the sanctuary. Following *We Worship with the Children*, K-3rd graders are invited to attend Children's Worship on the ground floor Children's Ministry area...*just follow the Worship Leader.*)

### **Prayer for Illumination (Unison)**

**From the cowardice that dares not face new truth,  
from the laziness that is contented with half-truth,  
from the arrogance that thinks it knows all truth,  
Good Lord, deliver me. Amen.**

### **Scripture**

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### **Sermon**

*Growing Up*

Rev. Fred Jordan

### ✠ **Hymn of Response No. 2237 (*The Faith We Sing*)**

*As a Fire Is Meant for Burning*

Duck

### ✠ **Benediction and Blessing**

### ✠ **Postlude**

*Sent Forth by God's Blessing*

arr. Wagner

### ✠ **Chiming of the Trinity**

## **A Special Note from the Uwharrie District Missional Engagement**

As the final plans for the WNCC Annual Conference are coming together, I would like to encourage us to remember our mission connection. Together, as WNCC United Methodists, we have an opportunity to make a great impact! You and your church can work in connection to make an impact in two ways:

1) Take a special, **second-mile offering** in worship at your local church. These funds can be brought to Annual Conference and placed in the collection at opening worship (to support Bennett College) or closing worship (to support Save the Lake Junaluska Bridge). You could even split your church's giving between the two!

2) **Collect peanut butter.** 1/2 of the collection can stay in your community and go to your local food pantry. 1/2 of the collection can come to AC and will be given to a Haywood County food pantry.

Blessings,

Rev. Kris Mares, Uwharrie District Coordinator of Missional Engagement

- Place cash or check for the **second-mile offering** in an envelope designating "Bennett College" or "Lake J Bridge" and place in the offering plate today
- **Peanut butter** donations will be received in the main hallway today

**Today's Greeters:**

Ann and Olen Easter  
 Betty and Mike Frick

**Chief Ushers:** Richard Foust, Jimmy Everhart

**Captain:** Robert Phelps **Co-Captain:** Woody Smith

Doug Clayton, Ron Coleman, Jim Horn, John McWhorter, Wil Milleson, Charles Noe and Phil Torchio. **Security:** Varner Sink

**Flowers**

The flowers are placed on the altar today to the glory of God and in honor of Jo Doris Beck upon the occasion of her 95th birthday on June 19 by Larry & Terri Beck, Julie Finnegan & family, and Michael Beck & family.

The flowers are placed in the narthex today to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mom-mom, Dan, and Kelli Murphy by Tara Murphy.

**Announcements**

Remember to visit our website [www.fumclex.org](http://www.fumclex.org) to stay connected with our church calendar, ministries, activities and events.

Donations for the **2018 Belize Mission Trip Recreation Team** will be accepted through June 24 in the main hallway near the workroom. **Recreation items needed:** Jr/Small footballs, jump ropes, Frisbees, kick balls, beach balls, bandanas (all colors)

**Member Care Birthday Card Ministry**

Let us joyfully unite to remember the birthdays of our shut-ins and nursing home residents. Collection baskets are located near the 4th Avenue entrance and the main hallway near the workroom. Pastor Doug will personally deliver the cards to these dear folks.



19—Jo Doris Beck

23—Rebecca Mallet **UMAR**

30—Caroline McCree

**WNCC Annual Conference**

Thursday, June 21—Sunday, June 24 at Lake Junaluska, NC

**Mission Opportunities** (*Drop off items in the hallway near the work room.*)

**Open Hands Ministry:** Clean & Gently Used Towels and Washcloths

**Pastor's Pantry:** Canned Tuna/Chicken, Canned Green Beans, Canned Soups and Stews

**United Methodist Women:** Campbell's Soup bar codes

**Gentle Reminder:** We no longer collect used postage stamps.

PLEASE CONTACT THE CHURCH OFFICE TO ADD OR REMOVE A NAME FROM THE PRAYER LIST.

**Prayer Requests**

Buddy Taylor  
Sue Corn  
Kathy Baragona  
Doug Clayton  
June Craver  
Linda Fisher  
John & Judy Hensch  
Earl Hester  
Martha Highsmith  
Miheepa Jones  
Susan Terry Jones  
Adrian Neal  
Jim Ragan  
John Scarff  
Dare Wilson

**Shut-Ins**

Dot Kinsey  
Caroline McCree  
Evelyn Sink

**Piedmont Crossing**

**Health Care**

Margaret McCrary Carver  
Barbara Proctor  
Margaret Ragan  
Nancy Wilkinson

**Residents**

Jo Doris Beck  
Herman & Naoma Crabtree  
Richard & Camille Lawrence  
Madeline Palmer  
Jim Ragan

**Alston-Brook**

Isabelle Trimpey

**Bethany Woods (Albemarle)**

Alvin Pope

**Brookdale**

Opal Bloome  
Betty Darr

**Brookstone**

Albert Gobble

**Genesis House (Salisbury)**

Julee Smith

**Lexington Health Care**

Hilda Brower

**Rolling Green Village**

(Greenville, SC)

Peggy Trollinger

**Spring Arbor (Albemarle)**

Bonnie Cates

**Wood Haven (Albemarle)**

Louise Pope

**Extended Family & Friends**

JoAnn Poston Hill  
Mary Garrett  
Helen Hall  
Tutterrow Family  
Norma S. Trotter  
Jimmy McDermott  
Rev. Jamie Armstrong  
Rev. Elizabeth Graves  
Shannon & Steve Ford  
Sherry & Roger Smith  
Rae Leonard  
Jayne James  
Arlena Edwards  
Sandy Balsler  
Ruth Carlton  
Mike Daniel  
Craig Thompson  
Lynn Mack & family  
Jennifer Bagby  
Katrina Hunt  
Bailey Christensen  
Rev. Russell Brownworth  
Gary Leonard  
Lillian Shearin  
Tami Robinson  
Kelli Jones  
Tom Sigmon  
Chris Hunt  
Spencer Davis  
Faye Graham  
Gracie Joy Hedrick  
Kendall Conner  
David Ogle  
Tempie Almstead

Kelly Michael  
Kristin Harris  
Claire Dowling  
Ann Schaefer  
David Stafford  
Cameron & Pete Dunlap  
Linda & Tom Dunlap  
Carol & Steve Harris  
Peggy Sisk  
Anna Smathers  
Pat Wilson  
Jack Smith  
Gene Oldham  
Nakajah Vaughan  
Brenda Hipp  
Jane King  
Breanna Wilson  
Ethan Reavis  
Jason & Stacy Heitman  
Jenny Rains  
Jimmy Davis  
Bentley Leonard  
John Bruce Davis  
Eric Leonard  
Robert, Doris, & Keith Hunt  
Martha Daniel  
Debra Ann Leonard  
Betty Jean Whitaker  
Len & Dottie Harris  
Jack & Susan Phillips  
Jordan Beswick  
Susan Fritts  
Regina Chrest  
Bruce Thornton

**Serving in the Armed Forces**  
SGT John Hall  
Capt. Jarrad Thorley  
SMS Jason Brownworth  
SGT Alan Ingram



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## **WEEKLY CALENDAR**

### **Sunday, June 17**

*Father's Day*

- 8:30 a.m. United Methodist Men, Fellowship Hall
- 8:30 a.m. Early Worship, Sanctuary
- 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
- 11:00 a.m. Morning Worship, Sanctuary
- 7:00 p.m. Finance, Parlor

### **Monday, June 18**

- 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts and Venturers, Youth/Scout House

### **Tuesday, June 19**

- 7:00 p.m. Theology Pub, Sophie's Cork & Ale

### **Wednesday, June 20**

- 7:45 a.m. Prayer Breakfast, Cagney's

### **Thursday, June 21**

- 7:45 a.m. Men's Devotion & Fellowship, Biscuit King on S. Main Street  
WNCC Annual Conference, Lake Junaluska

### **Friday, June 22**

WNCC Annual Conference, Lake Junaluska

### **Saturday, June 23**

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### **Sunday, June 24**

*WNCC Annual Conference Sunday*

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## **NEW Contact Information for Jamie Armstrong and Elizabeth Graves**

Mailing Address:

PO Box 243

Lake Junaluska, NC 28745

Physical Address:

43 Armstrong Drive

Lake Junaluska, NC 28745

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60 Old Clyde Road #243

Lake Junaluska, NC 28745

Preferred Email: [jarmstrongl@wnccumc.net](mailto:jarmstrongl@wnccumc.net)

Mobile Phone: 828-292-3966 (Jamie)

**Books, Books, and More Books!** Jamie left some books in the Pastor's Study for those who may be interested in taking the books home for their personal library. If you are interested, please drop by the Pastor's Study **any time through Friday, June 29.**

**Our Stewardship for God's Work** This stewardship report is given so you may follow our financial progress throughout the year. Each Sunday, please review and thoughtfully pray over this report. Everyone is a part of God's stewardship.

Report for Sunday, June 10, 2018:

Early Worship: 28 Morning Worship: 150 Total: 178

Weekly Offerings: \$5,472.59

Weekly Needed: \$10,632.90

Total Received to Date: \$231,058.63

Needed to Date: \$244,556.70



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arr. Larkin

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