

### Welcome Guests!

We are so glad you have chosen to worship with us today. Please come by *The Welcome Center* after worship to receive a free gift on behalf of our church family. It is located on the first floor near the Kidville entrance. It can also be accessed from the main parking lot through the double doors marked Welcome.

First time with us? Please fill out a guest card in the pew and place it in the offertory plate or scan the QR Code.



There are children's activity bags for you in the back of the sanctuary and in the welcome center.

We are excited to have you join us today!

### CHILDREN & YOUTH NEWS:

We have available spots to serve in the Nursery (0-2 years) the 3rd Sunday and 2nd & 4th Sunday in 2's- PreK room.

### SAVE THE DATES!

Children's Camp: June 15-19  
Location: Eagle Eyrie Conference Center

Youth Camp: June 22-26  
Location: Fort Caswell, NC

Vacation Bible School  
Dates: July 19-23  
Contact: Jennifer Spencer

Church Information

### Deacon of the Week: Jonathan Walker

#### Jonathan's Deacon Families:

Matt & Ivory Bare; Mark & Tracey Blanchard; Ron & Eileen Fournier;  
John & Jane Keith; Lenny, Laura & Abigail Leonard; Barry & Angela Spain; Dillion Spain; Pamela Keith Creech; Joshua Nolan;  
Alyssa Jane Nolan; Justin & Cierra Puett

**Ushers for May: Kirby Carpenter, Jon Thompson,  
Cee Todd, Jonathan Walker**

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## *The Worship of God* *May 17, 2026*

Prelude

Opening Song

*Stanfill, Curran, Ingram, Smith*  
"Glorious Day"

Worship Song, Hymn No. 135

*Lowry*  
"Nothing But the Blood"

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Worship Song, Hymn No. 3

*Blankenship, York*  
"Worthy of Worship"

Children's Message

Special Music

*Smith, Wickham*  
"The Jesus Way"

Offertory Prayer

Message

Dr. Adam Pivec

Invitation Song

*Davis, Thomas*  
"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

Closing Prayer

Gary Strickland

Postlude

### Prayer Team Ministry

Be sure to stop and check out our prayer ministry resources located on the bookcase across from the elevator on the second floor. There are prayer guides, books, gospel tracts and other resources for children and more.

### PRAYERS

Theo Peets, nephew of Nicole Rush, on break from treatment  
 Claudette King, at home being treated for eye issues  
 Farrah Baynes, at home recovering from recent surgery  
 Joeann Horton, diagnostic testing at WAKE-MED CARY  
 Diane Adams, recovering from hip replacement surgery  
 Vickie Curtis- undergoing tests for upcoming surgery

**DEATHS**

Chris Hilliard's grandmother, Naomi Holt, passed away on May 1 st at the age of 102.  
 Chris conducted her services in Savannah on May 6 th .

**EXPECTING**

Michael and Michelle Davis, twin girls in May

WEEKLY FINANCIAL INFORMATION		
Week of 05/03 - 05/09		
	Actual	Budget
Contributions YTD	\$ 163,342.96	\$ 209,030.82
Expenses Year to Date	\$ 153,626.13	
Weekly Actual Contributions = \$ 12,595.57		
Weekly Contributions Needed to Meet Budget = \$ 12,180.37		
FTF Money Market = \$ 139,738.29		

Sunday, May 10: Life Group Attendance - 156  
 Sunday, May 10: Worship Attendance - 226

Dear WBC family: Thank you for all your prayers, texts, hugs, cards, and the love you showed me and Craig during my cancer surgery and treatments. Your prayers sustained us, and we appreciate you all so much. Radiation treatments are done, and things look good. We are blessed to have such friends in you and to be a part of the WBC family.

- Deanna and Craig Rogers

**WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**SUNDAY, MAY 17, 2026**

- 8:30 a.m. -Prayer Time in the Chapel
- 9:15 a.m. -LIFE Groups
- 10:30 a.m. -Worship Service, Sanctuary
- 11:00 a.m. -Hispanic Worship Service, Large Fellowship Hall
- 3:00 p.m. -Bible Study led by David Hodges, Room 106
- 5:00 p.m. -Quarterly Business Meeting, Large Fellowship Hall

7:00 p.m. -Deacon's Meeting, Room 106

**MONDAY, MAY 18, 2026**

- 9:30 a.m. -Women's Bible Study, Large Fellowship Hall
- 3:30-5:30 p.m. -Food Pantry Open, Small Fellowship Hall
- 5:00-6:30 p.m. -Love Thy Neighbor Outreach

**TUESDAY, MAY 19, 2026**

- 11:00 a.m. -WMU Group, Large Fellowship Hall

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 20, 2026**

- 6:30 p.m. -Adult Bible Studies
- 6:30 p.m. -Youth Activities, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Loft
- 6:30 p.m. -Children, GA's, and RA's Activities
- 7:30 p.m. -Choir Rehearsal
- 8:45 p.m. -Worship Team Rehearsal

**FRIDAY, MAY 22, 2026**

- 6:30 a.m. -Men's Morning Bible Study

**BIBLE STUDIES**

**Sunday Afternoon Study:**

The book of Jeremiah & Lamentations, including John MacArthur's book on Jeremiah on Sunday afternoons at 3:00 PM

**Monday Morning Study:**

The "Digging for Gold" Women's Bible Study led by Kristy Todd, in the Large Fellowship Hall studying the Book of Revelation. Bible Study begins at 9:30 am and is open for any women in the community! For more information reach out to Kristy Todd at 919-632-6346 or Jeanne Poole at 919-389-3550

**Wednesday Night Studies**

The book of Colossians led by David Hodges in Classroom 106 at 6:30 PM

**Hispanic Study Bible**

Wednesday evenings led by Pastor Edwin Euceda

**Adult Bible Study, Large Fellowship Hall**

Led by Pastor Adam Pivec

**Friday Morning Men's Bible Study**

Join our men's group in the Small Fellowship Hall for a Bible Study and discussion.

**UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

**Quarterly Business Meeting:**

When: Sunday, May 17 at 5:00 pm  
 Where: Large Fellowship Hall

The Building & Grounds Team with the Budget & Finance Team present the following as a motion to be voted on at the Quarterly Business Conference, Sunday, May 17. **Exterior Door I**, on Pine Street,

after many years of use the door needs replacement. We received the best bid for a 42'' wide single door, casing replacement and standard safety panic bar, (like Door C at the Preschool entrance): Convenient Glass Service, Inc door bid \$7,250. The Errol Briggerman Memorial Fund, \$1,160 will be used. The remaining balance of \$6,090, would come from Funding The Future funds.

The Building & Grounds Team with the Budget & Finance Team present the following as a motion to be voted on at the Quarterly Business Conference, Sunday, May 17. **Replacing the flooring in rooms 114 and 116**, located in the children's (preschool) area. The current flooring is original from 1977 when the Education building was completed: A&B Carpets and Interiors bid includes current tile removal and prep, commercial grade LVT, installation and new base molding for \$6,807. The Weekday Preschool will pay 50% of the cost. The remaining balance, \$3,403.50, would come from Funding The Future funds.

**Love Thy Neighbor Outreach:** Thank you to all the volunteers who made our last outreach a success. God sent ten adults and twelve children--all new guests. Several families expressed an interest in our youth program. Thank you to Jeanne Poole for managing the clothes giveaway. Thank you to John Pulleyn for managing the kitchen and for giving his testimony.

We have more than enough clothes and shoes for our **next outreach on Monday, May 18 from 5-6:30 pm**. Please continue to pray for God to send those He wants us to serve.

**WMU Group** will meet on Tuesday, May 19 at 11:00.

The next family fellowship meal is scheduled for Wednesday, June 3.