

**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!

***Sermon Notes***

**CHILDREN & YOUTH NEWS:**

Youth Lock-In  
Friday, May 2

Saturday, May 17th  
Galaxy Fun Park  
*Cost: \$30*

*Register with the link: <https://bit.ly/galaxyfunpark>*

**Graduation Sunday!**

Sunday, June 1  
Scholarship application is on the website!

Save the Date!  
Vacation Bible School  
Dates: July 13-17

May 4, 2025  
Dr. Scott Kellum

**Deacon of the Week: Buddy Hopkins**  
**Buddy’s Deacon Families:**  
Lestor Boyd; Michelle Pace Davis; Cara Pace Dunnavant; Will & Brianna Hamilton; Jerry & Deborah Pace; Hernan & Sandra Salazar; Hannah, Caroline & Catherine Sasser; Alton & Maude Staples; Janet Thompson; Sandy Townsend; Joyce Turner; John Williamson

**Ushers for April: John Williamson, Jarrett Frazier,  
Ray Alford, Warren Boyette**

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***The Worship of God***  
***April 27, 2025***

Prelude	
Call to Worship	<i>Leonard, Jordan</i> “Great Are You Lord” Performed by the Kid’s Choir
Children’s Message	<i>Jennifer Spencer</i>
Worship Song	<i>Hastings, Asbury, Hulse</i> “The Father’s House”
Welcome and Announcements	
Worship Song	<i>Ackley</i> “He Lives”
Worship Song	<i>Tomlin</i> “Always”
Offertory Prayer	
Message	<i>Dr. Scott Kellum</i> <i>Joshua</i>
Invitation Song	<i>Hellebronth, Gauton, Herbert, Weeks</i> “Stir a Passion”
Closing Prayer	<i>Bennie Collins</i>
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**

Sue Moody, recovering at home following March 27<sup>th</sup> hip replacement surgery  
Hurshell Baggett, recovering at home following surgery on April 22nd  
Mike Carroll, recovering at home following pacemaker implantation procedure on April 21<sup>st</sup>

The family of Bill Farmer who passed away on Good Friday  
Victoria Thompson, Jon Thompson’s mother, passed away on Wednesday, April 16<sup>th</sup>  
The Hilliard Family  
Our Church

**EXPECTING**

Will and Brianna Hamilton, baby boy due in August

WEEKLY FINANCIAL INFORMATION		
Week of 04/13 - 04/19		
	Actual	Budget
Contributions YTD	\$ 168,368.57	\$ 168,986.04
Expenses Year to Date	\$ 155,455.43	\$ 168,986.04
Weekly Donations	\$ 16,865.00	
Annie Armstrong Easter Offering: \$3,000		
Contributions to Date: \$2,982.71		
FTF Money Market = \$ 58,989.14; FTF CD = \$ 51,868.36		

Sunday, April 20: Life Group Attendance - 169
Sunday, April 20: Worship Attendance - 254

**College Student of the Week**

Sydney Willis is a freshman at Appalachian State University. She is double majoring in Commercial Photography and Marketing. Please let Sydney know that her church supports her by sending cards, emails and other well wishes this week:

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**Mission Spotlight:**

Habitat for Humanity

*Seeking to put God's love into action, Habitat for Humanity brings people together to build homes, communities and hope*

Contacts: Bennie Collins

**WEEKLY CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**SUNDAY, APRIL 27, 2025**

8:30 a.m. -Prayer Time in the Chapel  
9:15 a.m. -Life Group Classes  
10:30 a.m. -Worship Service, Sanctuary  
11:00 a.m. -Hispanic Worship Service, Large Fellowship Hall  
2:00-3:30 p.m. -iChoose Baby Shower, Large Fellowship Hall  
3:00 p.m. -Bible Study led by David Hodges, Room 106

**MONDAY, APRIL 28, 2025**

3:30-5:30 p.m. -Food Pantry Available in the Small Fellowship Hall

**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30, 2025**

6:30 p.m. -Adult Bible Studies  
6:30 p.m. -Youth, Children, GA's, and RA's Activities  
7:30 p.m. -Choir Rehearsal  
8:45 p.m. -Worship Team Rehearsal

**FRIDAY, MAY 2, 2025**

6:30 a.m. -Men’s Bible Study, Small Fellowship Hall

**BIBLE STUDIES**

**Sunday Afternoon Study:**

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

**Wednesday Night Studies**

Adult Bible Study- at 6:30 PM in Large Fellowship Hall

The book of Galatians including Timothy Keller's *Galatians For You* commentary led by David Hodges in Classroom 106

Hispanic Study Bible

Wednesday evenings led by Pastor Edwin Euceda

**iChoose Baby Shower**

When: Sunday, April 27 from 2-4 PM  
Who: iChoose Pregnancy Center  
Where: Large Fellowship Hall  
This event is sponsored by the WMU

**Baby Dedication:**

If you were wanting to be part of our child/baby dedication service on Mother's Day Sunday, May 12th, please contact Mrs. Jennifer Spencer by April 27.

**Save the Date!**

ALS Walk for Mark Blanchard

When: Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup>  
9:00 am in the Large Fellowship Hall,  
walk begins at 10:00  
Registration with the QR Code:



**Preschool Family Sunday**

When: Sunday, May 18

What: Preschool Family Appreciation service followed by a catered luncheon for church members and preschool families. Luncheon RSVPs will be in the bulletin beginning May 4.

**Operation Christmas Child through the year!**

We are excited to be collecting items throughout the year for Operation Christmas Child! These will be used for our packing parties with the Youth and the Children. For the month of April we will be collecting pocket size notebooks. We have a box for the items by the Welcome Center. Scan the QR Code to see the Amazon wish list to have items sent to the church.



**WBC Preschool is hiring!**

We are looking for a teacher for the 2-year-olds and a teacher for the 3-year-old class! If you know someone who may be interested, please contact Jenny Price, WBC Preschool Director, at [wendellbaptistpreschool1@gmail.com](mailto:wendellbaptistpreschool1@gmail.com)

**Pictorial Directory Update!**

We will be printing these soon! If you have not emailed your picture to Michelle, please do so ASAP!! Email family pictures to [wendellbaptist@gmail.com](mailto:wendellbaptist@gmail.com)

Order forms are located in LIFE Group classes and on the porch by the office.

**UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:**