

# Welcome to WESLEY MEMORIAL

A UNITED METHODIST CONGREGATION

Our purpose is to make and sustain spiritually healthy followers  
of Jesus Christ who live in ways that transform the world.

**NOVEMBER 2, 2014**

## *All Saint's Sunday*

**Today we remember all our members who have died since  
our last All Saints' Day (Listed by date of death):**

Elizabeth (Betty) Barringer Thacker

James Liles (Bud) McInnis

William Thomas Hutchins, Sr.

Daniel Goehring Winklosky

Sarah Elaine Dorius

Lella Gueth

Gloria (Pat) Rutledge Michael

Lula Foushee Hinton Hoskins

Mary Clark Denny Cole

Elna Bridges Hodges

Billie Evelyn McGraner Stanley

James Russell (Jim) Stanton Jr.

Steven Nolan Brewer

David Samuel (Dave) DeCurtis

Everett C. Bryant, Jr.

Raymond Reitzel Hutchins, Jr.

Courtney Jean Freedle

Walter Jacob (Dickie) Wright, Jr.

Sula Barbee Parks

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# The Worship of God

Chapel

November 2, 2014

8:30 am

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## OPENING VOLUNTARY

*Benedictus* ..... Max Reger

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### † CALL TO WORSHIP

Our help is in the name of the Lord,

**Who made heaven and earth.**

In life and in death

**We belong to God.**

Baptized into Christ's death

**We live unto Him.**

Come let us worship God!

### † OPENING PRAYER

### † HYMN No. 711

*For All the Saints* ..... SINE NOMINE

### † AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

UM Hymnal No. 881

### SCRIPTURE LESSON

John 14:1-4

### SERMON

*"Reason To Be Untroubled"*

Al Ward

### INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE

UM Hymnal No. 12

### GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### OFFERTORY

*Agnus Dei* ..... Georges Bizet

Matthew Arnold, baritone

*Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy on us. Grant us peace.*

### † DOXOLOGY No. 94

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow* ..... LASST UNS ERFREUEN

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;**

**Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

### † HYMN No. 614 (vs. 1-3)

*For the Bread Which You Have Broken* ..... FOR THE BREAD

### GREAT THANKSGIVING

UM Hymnal No. 13

*(During the Great Thanksgiving, the names of the members from Wesley Memorial who have been granted eternal rest since last All Saints' Sunday will be read. We will light a candle for those remembered.)*

### LORD'S PRAYER

## Welcome!

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning! Please take a moment to sign the attendance notebooks during the announcements. If you are a guest, please leave your contact information and a pastor will contact you this week with more information about our church.

**SHARING THE EUCHARIST**

**PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

**† HYMN No. 708**

*Rejoice in God's Saints* .....HANOVER

**† BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING VOLUNTARY**

*Placare Christe Servulis* ..... Marcel Dupre

† Please stand as you are able.

**Worship Leaders:** **Al Ward**, Senior Pastor; **Jay Butler**, Director of Student Ministries;  
**Matthew Arnold**, Soloist; **Frank Pifferetti**, Organist.

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# Horizon Worship

The Gathering 8:45 am

November 2, 2014

The Beginning 9:45 am

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## Gathering Music

*I Call You Faithful* Donnie McLurkin

*The Sound That Saved Us All* Anthony Skinner

## Welcome and Announcements

## Prayer Concerns

## Offering

*Amazed* Lincoln Brewster

## Scripture

Matthew 5:1-12

## Message

Erin Beall

## Holy Communion

## Closing

If you are gluten intolerant, we now offer a gluten-free wafer. You may receive the wafer from the server between the communion stations. If you are not gluten-intolerant, we ask you to please receive the bread.

**Worship Leaders:** Erin Beall, Associate Pastor for Adult Spiritual Formation and Contemporary Worship; Jared Stine, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care; Keith Byrd, Director of Contemporary Music; The Horizon Praise Team.

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# HORIZON

Horizon Worship Services include The Gathering at 8:45 am and The Beginning at 9:45 am on Sunday mornings. Both services meet in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome!

# The Worship of God

Sanctuary

November 2, 2014

11 am

## OPENING VOLUNTARY

*Benedictus*.....Max Reger

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### INTROIT

*This Is The Day* .....Dale Grotenhuis

Chancel Choir

*This is the day the Lord has made, now let us give to the Lord what is his own. With solemn prayer, approach the throne; with meekness hear the Gospel word. Our joyful hearts and voices raise, and fill his courts with songs of praise!*

*Please stand as you are able.*

### CALL TO WORSHIP

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Baptized into Christ's death

**We live unto Him.**

Come let us worship God!

### OPENING PRAYER

### PROCESSIONAL HYMN No. 711

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### AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

UM Hymnal No. 881

*Please be seated.*

### CHILDREN'S MOMENTS

### ANTHEM

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Matthew Arnold, baritone

*Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world, have mercy on us. Grant us peace.*

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### INVITATION TO COMMUNION

UM Hymnal No. 12

### GIVING OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*How Lovely Is Thy Dwelling Place* .....Johannes Brahms

Chancel Choir

*How lovely is Thy dwelling place, O Lord of Hosts! For my soul, it longeth, yea fainteth for the courts of the Lord; for my soul and body crieth out, yea for the living God. O blest are they that dwell within Thy house; they praise Thy name evermore.*

*Please stand as you are able.*

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Please come to the front by the center aisle, receive the bread or gluten-free wafer and dip it in the cup. After receiving, you may kneel at the prayer rail or return to your seat by a side aisle. If you need to be served at your seat, please tell an usher.

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## GREAT THANKSGIVING

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## LORD'S PRAYER

## SHARING THE EUCHARIST

## PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

*Please stand as you are able.*

## HYMN No. 708

*Rejoice in God's Saints*.....HANOVER

## BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

*Peace To You All*.....Dale Grotenhuis

Chancel Choir

*Peace to you all, and love with faith from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.*

## CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

## CLOSING VOLUNTARY

*Placare Christe Servulis*.....Marcel Dupre

**Worship Leaders:** Al Ward, Senior Pastor; Jared Stine, Associate Pastor for Congregational Care; Erin Beall, Associate Pastor for Adult Spiritual Formation and Contemporary Worship; Debbie Foust, Director of Children's Ministries; Anne Carroll, Director of Music Ministries; Frank Pifferetti, Organist; Chancel Choir; Matthew Arnold, soloist; Stuart Nunn and Hampton Helsabeck, Acolytes; Grayson Frye, Crucifer; Gary Yates, Sound Engineer.

**Ushers for the month of November:** Brett Barbour, Ed Bass, Daniel Dale, Bart Lassiter, Bob Niebauer, Bill Russell, Don Shaw.

**Greeters for the month of November:** Linda Dale, Jerry Tucker, Kay Tucker.

## Acknowledgments ~

The flowers in the Sanctuary are given to the Glory of God and in memory of members of Wesley Memorial who have departed this earthly life in 2014 by Stephen Ministry.

## Our Sympathy to ~

The family of Sula Barbee Parks who passed away on October 29, 2014.

## Thanks and praise ~

... to the students, parents, and other volunteers who helped run the Pumpkin Patch this past month.

... to everyone who came out and helped with Trunk or Treat last Sunday. Especially to Kristy Dudley and Wendy Kitley for coordinating the event, all those who decorated cars for the kids to Trunk or Treat from, the Hospitality and Evangelism and Children's Ministries Teams, Wesley 100 for cooking 450 hot dogs, youth helpers, and facilities team.

... to Darren Dyer (Housekeeping staff) for donning the Clifford the Big Red Dog costume and making appearances around Wesley Memorial School during "Book & Toy Fair" week. Children of all ages were delighted to meet this beloved storybook character!

## Charge Conference ~

Our annual Charge Conference will be held November 10, 2014, at 5:30 pm in the Circle View Room.

## Ways to CONNECT

### WHOLENESS & HEALING SERVICE THIS EVENING AT 7 PM IN THE CHAPEL

You are invited to a special service designed to help participants experiencing illness, sickness, or grief. If you are seeking balance, harmony or wholeness of body, mind, or spirit, come and be a part of this special service on Sunday, November 2 at 7 pm in the Chapel. A reception will follow immediately after the service in the Asbury Room sponsored by the Stephen Ministry. All are welcome!

### 5TH ANNUAL FEAST OF CARING FOR OPEN DOOR MINISTRIES

First Presbyterian Church of High Point, located at 918 N. Main Street, will be hosting the Feast of Caring on Thursday, November 13. This family-friendly event held at First Presbyterian Church of High Point includes live music from The Major Sevens Band, scrumptious soups and bread, and a raffle of various items. It also provides the chance to learn more about the important work that Open Door Ministries of High Point does to feed, clothe, and shelter our neighbors. Lunch will be served from 11 am - 2 pm and dinner from 5 pm - 8 pm. Please visit [www.feastofcaring.com](http://www.feastofcaring.com) to purchase tickets.



### NEW UMW CIRCLE STARTING THIS FALL

The F.A.I.T.H. Circle (Faith And Inspiration Through Him) is for women on the go who enjoy being able to have somewhere to come and connect, worship, and be involved with other women just like them. If you are interested in joining, please contact Kellie Hall at 336-708-6432 or [kellie.h.hall@gmail.com](mailto:kellie.h.hall@gmail.com).

## Ways to GROW

### INTERESTED IN JOINING A UNITY GROUP AT WESLEY MEMORIAL?

One of the best ways to grow spiritually, emotionally, and mentally is to be in intentional relationship with other people who are seeking to GROW. At Wesley Memorial, the primary way to do that is to join a Unity Group. Many of these groups have been around for many years and have formed incredibly tight bonds, walking with one another through life changes, stressful times, and joyful experiences. If you are interested in having a group of like-minded women or men like this in your life, good news! We are planning to start a new women's and a new men's unity group this fall. Please contact Erin Beall if you are interested.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR!



### CONSECRATION SUNDAY - NOVEMBER 23

We will formally receive, bless and give thanks for our 2015 pledge commitments. It will be a day for our congregation to come together and express our gratitude to God and to each another for the abundant blessings that surround us.

We will have TWO worship services on November 23:

- Contemporary Worship Celebration** • 9:00 am (Fellowship Hall)
- Fellowship Brunch & Mission Activity • 9:30-11:30 am (Dining Hall)
- Traditional Worship Celebration** • 11:00 am (Sanctuary)



# CAROLINA CHRISTMAS BAZAAR

Saturday, November 15 • 8 am - 3 pm

**VOLUNTEERS & DONATIONS NEEDED TO BENEFIT UMW MISSION PROJECTS**



This year there will be 75 vendors, a Bake Sale, and Cafe with breakfast and lunch foods. Are you cleaning out closets, moving or getting ready for market? We'd love to have your gently used items for the Silent Auction and General Store portions of the Bazaar. You may drop off your donations at the church office, labeled for the bazaar, and we will store them. Nicely boxed please and NO CLOTHING. If you need help getting items in the church or have a full car, call ahead and someone will be available to help you. Your participation is vital to the success of our Bazaar. Proceeds will support local and global Mission projects of the United Methodist Women. For complete details, visit:

[www.wesleymemorial.org/carolinachristmasbazaar](http://www.wesleymemorial.org/carolinachristmasbazaar)

## Ways to SERVE

### ON THIS COMMUNION SUNDAY . . .

We share the addresses of some of our members with health concerns who would like to hear from you. There are cards in the Welcome Folders. Please take a moment to write to them. Please address the card. You may mail it or place it at the altar rail or in the offering plate for us to mail.

**Susan Gurley**  
403 Cascade Dr.  
High Point, NC 27265

**Charlotte Wagner**  
1137 Gatehouse Rd  
High Point, NC 27262

**Ann Jeffords**  
630 Whittier Ave (Rm 205)  
High Point, NC 27262

## Ways to GIVE

### THANKSGIVING FOOD ITEMS NEEDED TO FEED LOCAL FAMILIES

Now through November 21, we are collecting specific items (see below) for Thanksgiving food bags that will be distributed to families in need. Our Goal is to supply enough food for 50 complete bags. A Turkey will be added to each bag to complete their Thanksgiving meal. We will be "packing" these bags as a Mission activity on Consecration Sunday, November 23rd from 9:30-11:30 am in the Dining Hall. Please see the list of specific items and the group responsible for that item(s). Items can be dropped off in the labeled bins outside each worship space and the Administration Building Lobby.



### NON PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS LIST:

- Student Ministries - Green Beans (large cans)
- Student Ministries - Stove Top Stuffing
- Adult SS Classes/Unity Groups - Candied Yams (large cans)
- Adults SS Classes/Unity Groups - Corn Bread Mix (add water)
- Children's Ministries - Chicken/Turkey Broth
- WM School - Instant Potatoes

### ON-LINE STEWARDSHIP RESOURCES AVAILABLE

Not going to be at church Sunday, November 23? Submit your 2015 pledge commitment on-line at [wesleymemorial.org/gifts](http://wesleymemorial.org/gifts) or use this QR code.



### WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE AN ANTHEM ANGEL?

To purchase an anthem or major work for the traditional music library in honor of or in memory of someone, contact Anne Carroll ([acarroll@wesleymemorial.org](mailto:acarroll@wesleymemorial.org) or 812-4816).

### DONATIONS NEEDED TO FILL THE BACKPACKS

Please help us feed hungry children by donating the following items: **Granola Bars, Fruit Cups, Juice Boxes, and Individual Cereal Boxes.** Collection bins are in the Narthex, Fellowship Hall Lobby and Administrative Building Lobby.



## CALENDAR: NOVEMBER 2 - 9, 2014

### Sunday, November 2, 2014

- Children's Music (Grades 2-5), 9:30 am, Children's Gathering Space
- Paths of Grace (Wesley 201), 9:45 am, Circle View Room
- Children, Youth & Adult Sunday School, 9:45 am
- Faith Formation Retreat, 12:30 pm, Children's Gathering Space
- Bible Explorers, 4:45 pm, Children's Gathering Space
- Youth Handbells, 5:00 pm, E204
- Student Ministry Small Groups, 6:00 pm, Underground
- Service of Wholeness & Healing, 7:00 pm, Chapel

### Monday, November 3, 2014

- Jean Stockton's Bible Study, 10:30 am, Circle View Room
- Congregational Care Team, 5:15 pm, Circle View Room
- Faith Formation Retreat, 5:30 pm, Children's Gathering Space

### Tuesday, November 4, 2014

- Facilities Team Meeting, 5:30 pm, Circle View Room
- Mission & Community Impact Team, 7:00 pm, Circle View Room
- Evangelism Team, 5:30 pm, Conf. Rm. #3

### Wednesday, November 5, 2014

- Mid-Week Communion, 11:00 am, Chapel
- Bible Study Lunch, 12:00 pm, Dining Hall  
(Cost is \$5 for the soup-and-sandwich combo. Call the church office by 4:30 pm on Monday to make a reservation.)
- Prayer Shawl Ministry, 1:30 pm, 6 Grade / A&C
- Wesley Ringers, 4:15 pm, D204
- Wednesday Dinner, 5:30 pm, Dining Hall (Menu: BBQ Chicken, Baked Beans, Slaw, Bread and Dessert. Call the church office at 884-2204 to make a reservation. Cost is \$6 -adults, \$3 - youth 14-18, and free for those under 14.)
- Confirmation Class, 5:30 pm, Underground C101
- DivorceCare & Support Class, 6:30 pm, D213 Media Center
- Chancel Choir Practice, 6:30 pm, Choir Room
- Men's Bible Study, 7:00 pm, D208

### Thursday, November 6, 2014

- Student Ministry Breakfast Club, 7:00 am, Chick-fil-A
- Adult Handbell Rehearsal, 7:00 pm, E204

### Saturday, November 8, 2014

- Praise Team Rehearsal, 9:00 am, Fellowship Hall

### Sunday, November 9, 2014

- Children's Music (Grades 2-5), 9:30 am, Children's Gathering Space
- Wesley 101, 9:45 am, Conf. Rm. #2
- Paths of Grace (Wesley 201), 9:45 am, Circle View Room
- Children, Youth & Adult Sunday School, 9:45 am
- Bible Explorers, 4:45 pm, Children's Gathering Space
- Youth Handbells, 5:00 pm, E204

## WELCOME VISITORS!

Thank you so much for joining us today in worship. If this is your first time worshipping with us, **please help yourself to a blue Wesley Memorial reusable tote bag as our gift to you.** Inside you will find information about our church. We also invite you to take our First Time Visitor Survey found on the homepage of our website. We hope you will return to worship with us again!

Our faithfulness in attendance October 26, 2014

All Worship Services: 404

(Goal 505)

## CONNECT • GROW • SERVE

### OUR CLERGY & MINISTRY STAFF:

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**Scott Howell**, *Director of Administration & Finance*

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**Anne Carroll**, *Director of Music Ministries*

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**Debbie Foust**, *Director of Children's Ministries*

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**In the event of an emergency, you simply need to call the main number, 884-2204.** You will then **choose option 1.** It is available 24/7 and will connect you with a pastor.