WELCOME GUESTS AND MEMBERS!

We are so glad you chose to worship Jesus Christ with us today! We would love to know that you were with us. Please fill out this slip, detach it, and drop it in the offering plate.

GUESTS

Name(s)

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Street Address

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City/State/ZIP

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Phone

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Email

☐ I would like to become a member

☐ I would like to become involved in a ministry or mission

☐ I would like the pastor to call me

MEMBERS

List each person present and update any info

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Name(s)

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PRAYER CONCERNS

Marie Lenderman, Chuck Byers, Gary Hughes, Brenda Dale, Billy Hayes, Mary Summerford, Mike Roope, Dorothy Wilcox, Jane Brady, Mary Jane Rich, Kathy Clonch, Phyllis Austin, Family of Trenton Barnes (Chuck's nephew), Charles Drum, Hal Emery, Jimmy Epley, Millie Einhardt (2 yr old battling brain cancer), Kyson Farley, Ronnie Farley, Craig Freas, Terry & Anne Garwood, Cade Gibbs, Troy Harmon, Sherry Harrold, Kimberly Hughes, Francoise Hughes, Shannon Hughes, Mark Johnson, Brenda Kilby, Pam King, Becky Lakey, Mike Mabry, Bubby McEntire, Janice McHolland, Ricky Moretz, Adam Randolph, James Rizoti, Mary Sallie Styers, Keith Summerford, Lee Tedder, Kim Tetzlaff, Cecil Walters, TA Welborn, Edgar Wilcox, Derrick Wilson, Becky Wilson, Seth Wilson, Ernie Winslow, Gavin Young, Hispanic neighbors, Ukraine, our planet in crisis, for God to bring Peace, for our government, for law and order.

SENIOR LIVING FACILITIES: Brenda Dale (Wilkes Health and Rehab), Cathy Freeman (Harmony at Brookberry Farm/Winston), Wanda Garwood (Rose Glen Village), Barbara Groce (Wilkes Assisted Living), Troy Harmon (Yadkinville Nursing Center/Magnolias), Caroline Randolph (The Pines in Davidson)

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF

TODAY	Join us For Sunday School @ 11:00am in the Ecclesia Room
TUESDAY	Coffee this week 10 am Anchor Coffee
WEDNESDAY	Bible Study 3:00pm
FRIDAY	Join the Friday Night Foodies at 5pm today at Cagney's for dinner.

STAFF and LAY SERVANTS

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USHER:	Art Groce and Barton Waddell	
SOUND TECH:	John Mabry	
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KEENAGERS: (>50)	Let us know if God is calling you to lead this vital ministry.	
MEMBER CARE	Jan Taylor	j.kay.tay@gmail.com

GENERAL CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENSES

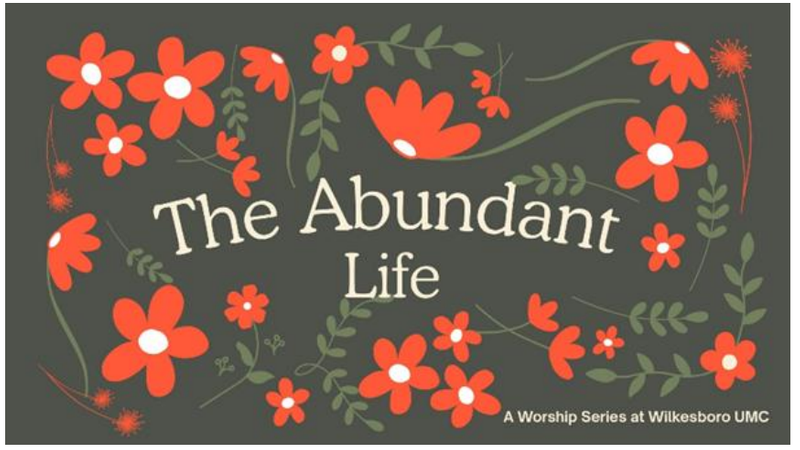
11/16/2026 TITHES & OFFERINGS: $277,568.55 EXPENSES: $288,531.92

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THE REIGN OF CHRIST

GATHERED IN WORSHIP

NOVEMBER 22, 2026

AN ORDER OF WORSHIP

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November 22, 2026 -The Reign of Christ Sunday - 10:00am

– Call –

Welcome and Announcements **Rev. Brian Elwell**

Time of Centering

Prelude

***Call to Worship** **From Psalm 95** **Dr. Jim Brooks**

Leader: O come, let us sing to the Lord;

All: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation.

Leader: For the Lord is a great God;

All: a great ruler over heaven and earth!

***Hymn of Thanksgiving** **UMH #694**

"Come, Ye Thankful People Come"

***An Opening Prayer** **Dr. Jim Brooks**

***Psalter Reading** **UMH #789**

Psalm 65

–Word–

The Children's Moment **Rev. Brian Elwell**

The Gospel Reading **Dr. Jim Brooks**

Luke 10:1-9

10:1 After this the Lord appointed seventy-two others and sent them two by two
ahead of him to every town and place where he was about to go. **2** He told them,
"The harvest is plentiful, but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest,
therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field. **3** Go! I am sending you out
like lambs among wolves. **4** Do not take a purse or bag or sandals; and do not
greet anyone on the road.

5 "When you enter a house, first say, 'Peace to this house.' **6** If someone who
promotes peace is there, your peace will rest on them; if not, it will return to you.
7 Stay there, eating and drinking whatever they give you, for the worker deserves
his wages. Do not move around from house to house.

8 "When you enter a town and are welcomed, eat what is offered to you. **9** Heal
the sick who are there and tell them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to
you.'

The Anthem **Lantz**

"We Give Thanks"
John Patton, bassoon

The Sermon **Rev. Brian Elwell**

"72"

– Response –

Prayers of the People **Dr. Jim Brooks**

Leader: Lord, in your mercy

All: Hear our prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Congregational Response **UMH # 102 (v 1)**

"Now Thank We All Our God"

Giving our Gifts

Your gifts go to the building of our mission and ministry.
We ask for your gifts, prayers, and presence.

The Offertory **arr. Dempsey**

"To God Be The Glory"
John Patton, bassoon

***The 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.

***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

– Sending –

***Hymn of Sending Forth** **UMH #569**

"We've a Story to Tell to the Nations"

***Blessing and Benediction** **Rev. Brian Elwell**

***Benediction Response** **UMH # 671 (v 2)**

"Lord, Dismiss Us With Thy Blessing"

***Postlude** **Thompson**

"Jesus Is All the World to Me"

PRAYER CONNECTIONS

Jesus said, "Therefore I say to you, whatever you pray and ask for, believe that you will receive it, and it will be so for you."

- Mark 11:24 (CEB)

We believe in the power of prayer. If you have a prayer concern that you would like for the church and/or the pastor to pray with you about, please let us know by writing it down on the slip below and dropping it in the offering plate.

☐ **Check here to have your prayer request shared with the church. Otherwise, it will remain confidential.**

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Use the space below to list any requests for more information about events or to provide additional place this slip in the offering plate.

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