

WHITE MEMORIAL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

JULY 21, 2019
8:15 & 10:15 a.m.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Greeting

Karl Zinsmeister

One: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

All: And also with you.

One: Let us prepare for worship.

Preparation for Worship

O Most high, glorious God, enlighten the darkness of my heart and give me a right faith, a certain hope and a perfect love, understanding and knowledge, O Lord, that I might carry out your holy and true command. -Francis of Assisi

Gathering Hymns - Union of Text and Tune part 2: 366/BEECHER, 353/MELITA, 119/127

Christian Welcome and Announcements

Chip Pope

Call to Worship

One: See what love God has for us,

All: that we should be called the children of God,

One: and that is what we are.

All: Beloveds, let us love one another,

One: for love is from God.

All: Let us worship together in love.

***Hymn 14 – For the Beauty of the Earth**

DIX

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, we confess that too often we have not lived in your love. Too often we have failed to see others through the eyes of love. Too often we have valued ourselves and our own needs and wants more than the needs of others. Focusing on ourselves has kept us from looking outside and sharing your love and friendship with others. Forgive us when we keep to ourselves instead of showing acts of love, mercy and kindness. Teach us your way through Jesus Christ, the great lover of our souls. (Silence for personal confession). Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

*Passing of the Peace

One: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

All: And also with you.

*Response Hymn 581 – Glory Be to the Father

GLORIA PATRI (Greatest)

**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, amen.**

WORSHIP | EMBRACE | SERVE

in the manner of Christ

WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Gospel Lesson - John 15:9-17

pew Bible, p. 103

Epistle Lesson - 1 John 4:7-12

pew Bible, p. 226

One: The word of God for the people of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

(10:15) A Time with Young Disciples

Following our time together, children will return to the pews for the remainder of the service.

Sermon - *Love One Another*

Cate Church Norman

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

***Hymn 203** - *Jesu, Jesu, Fill Us with Your Love*

CHEREPONI

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Gloria Johnson

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.**

**Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.**

For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Offertory - *Canon in D*

J. Pachelbel/arr. Weekley and Arganbright

***Offertory Response Hymn 643** - stanza 1

NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT

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

***Affirmation of Faith**

from *A Declaration of Faith*

**God created human beings with a need for community
and with freedom to enter into it
by responding to their Maker with grateful obedience
and to one another with love and helpfulness.**

**We believe that we have been created
to relate to God and each other
in freedom and responsibility.**

**We may misuse our freedom and deny our responsibility
by trying to live without God and other people
or against God and other people.**

**Yet we are still bound to them for our life and well-being,
and intended for free and responsible fellowship with them.**

**Since every human being is made
for communion with God and others,
we must treat no one with contempt.**

**We are to respect and love all other people
and ourselves as well.**

*ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND.

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn 205 - *Live in Charity*

UBI CARITAS

*Charge and Benediction

*Closing Response Hymn 306 - stanza 1

DENNIS

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love.
The fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

*Chiming of the Trinity

The worship service ends with the Chiming of the Trinity.
Please be mindful of those who remain to listen to the postlude.

*Postlude - *Toccata in e minor*

Johann Pachelbel (1653-1706)

The flowers in the chancel this morning are the wedding flowers of Sarah Connell Smerko and Chad Michael Blankenkaker, whose marriage was celebrated yesterday. They are given to the glory of God and in honor of their families. Sarah is the daughter of Beth and Jeff Smerko.

Last Sunday, July 14, was Robert Galloway's final Sunday at White Memorial as the Pastoral Resident. Robert has accepted a call to First Presbyterian Church in Charlotte as their Associate Pastor for Christian Formation and Young Adults. He will begin his new role on August 1. Should you like to send him any well wishes, First Presbyterian's address is 200 West Trade St., Charlotte, NC 28202.

Greeters: 10:15 - Rebecca Kayye, Mel Groves, Kyle Groves.

Ushers: 8:15 - Cheryl McLean (DIC), Jim Graham, Alva Moore, Ernie Simons, Muriel Summers, Roy Teel;
10:15 - Scott Lasso (DIC), Alexander Baah, Jackie Baah, Bob Banta, Molly Banta, Bob Usry.

Service Assistants: 10:15 - Kate Sandreuter.

Treasurer's Assistant: Tracey Hall, Ebie Britt.

Shuttle Driver: Kim Peters.



Morgan Riker, artist

This summer we are preaching through the many “each other” and “one another” texts in the New Testament. During Associate Pastor Cate Church Norman's Installation service this spring, the Pastor of Durham Presbyterian Church, Franklin Golden, read through all 59 of these and presented Cate with a piece of art (left) depicting them. They are as challenging as they are beautiful. Each of them serves as a snapshot of the behaviors which can define Christian life. We hope you find in them both deep meaning and authentic challenge as we encounter many of them in our worship this summer.

WELCOME TO WHITE MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC (USA)

We are glad you are worshipping with us.
Visiting? Stop by the Welcome Table in
Jane Bell Gathering Space for information,
directions and a friendly greeting.
New members are received after attending
Believing & Belonging @WMPC Class.
Visit whitememorial.org/join
or contact Elizabeth Viohl at ext. 206
for details, class dates and registration.

THINGS TO KNOW:

- **Shuttle buses** run every Sunday at five-to-ten-minute intervals, 8:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. from Carolina Place, 2626 Glenwood Avenue, across from Glenwood Village Shopping Center.
- **Restrooms** are located on the first floor of the Luther Building immediately behind the sanctuary/Jane Bell Gathering Space, and across the street in the Calvin Building unless otherwise noted during our summer renovations.
- **Childcare** is available for children up to four years old.
- **Refreshments** are served in Carol Copeland Courtyard or Pickard Hall on Sundays at 9:30 a.m.
- **The sanctuary** has a loop hearing aid system and an FM system.
- **Live-streamed services** are at whitememorial.org.
- **Radio**, WPTF 680 AM, every other Sunday at 11:00 a.m.: next broadcast is July 28.
- **Bulletins** left in the sanctuary following worship services are recycled as part of our care for God's creation.



We are a Stephen Ministry congregation.

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CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, July 21 (*John 15:9-17; 1 John 4:7-12*)

Worship (8:15 & 10:15 a.m. - Sanctuary;
10:15 a.m. OnPoint @1704 - Pickard Hall)
8:15 a.m. - Spirituality Center for all Ages (Chapel)
9:15 a.m. - OnPoint House Band Warm-Up (Pickard Hall);
Summer Trips - Prayer Partner Session (C304)
1:00 p.m. - Facilities Closed

Monday, July 22 (*Psalms 119:17-32; Amos 7:1-6; Colossians 1:27-2:7*)

1:00 p.m. - Youth Recreation in Pickard (Pickard Hall)
4:30 p.m. - Stephen Training Team (C203)
5:30 p.m. - T'ai Chi for Exercise (Pickard Hall); Worship Committee (Off Premises)
6:00 p.m. - Health Ministry Committee (C203)
7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous (C100)

Tuesday, July 23 (*Psalms 119:17-32; Amos 8:13-9:4; 1 John 2:1-6*)

7:00 a.m. - Men's Breakfast/Bible Study (Geneva Hall);
Women's Breakfast/Circle M Bible Study (K100)
8:30 a.m. - Yoga for Exercise - Summer Series (C100)
9:00 a.m. - Presbytery Meeting - Trinity Pres. - Durham (Off Premises)
9:30 a.m. - Fit After Fifty (Pickard Hall)
10:30 a.m. - Agape Care Team Committee (C203)
12:00 p.m. - Midsummer Celebrations Committee Meeting (Geneva Hall)
3:00 p.m. - Labyrinth Open for Walking (Chapel)
6:00 p.m. - StepUp Life Skills Program/Dinner (Geneva Hall)

Wednesday, July 24 (*Psalms 119:17-32; Amos 9:5-15; John 6:41-51*)

8:00 a.m. - StepUp Ministry Employment Training Workshop (C100)
4:00 p.m. - Men's Retreat Committee (C203)
6:00 p.m. - Faith Formation Committee (C301)
6:30 p.m. - Healing Prayer (Chapel)
8:00 p.m. - Al-Anon (C100)

Thursday, July 25 (*Psalms 85; Hosea 4:1-19; Acts 1:15-20*)

8:00 a.m. - Labyrinth Open for Walking (Chapel);
StepUp Ministry Employment Training Workshop (C100)
9:15 a.m. - Library Committee (C203)
5:30 p.m. - T'ai Chi for Exercise (Pickard Hall)

Friday, July 26 (*Psalms 85; Hosea 5:1-15; Acts 2:22-36*)

8:00 a.m. - StepUp Ministry Employment Training Workshop (C100)
9:30 a.m. - Fit After Fifty (Pickard Hall)
8:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous

Saturday, July 27 (*Psalms 85; Hosea 1:11-2:15; Luke 8:22-25*)

No Events Scheduled

Toys & CONCERNS

IN THE CHURCH TRIUMPHANT

Peggy Lou Futrelle Nowell – July 11, 2019

WMPC family members: sons and their wives: Schooner Nowell and Susan Harris, Matt and Harriet Nowell; grandson and wife, Gwynn and Bee Nowell III, and great-grandson Gwynn Nowell IV.

NEW PRESBYTERIAN:

Scottie Lee Barnhill, born July 3, child of Tyler and Taylor Barnhill, grandchild of Lisa and Scott Barnhill.

MARRIAGES:

Sarah Ruth Collins and Larry Garrett Bellamy, July 13, WMPC. Sarah is the daughter of Barbara and Ned Collins.

If you have experienced a birth, marriage or death you want to share with the church, email Rebecca Turner at rturner@whitememorial.org. If you have a relative or church friend who is hospitalized, call the church office or email Amy Clapgood at aclapgood@whitememorial.org so our pastoral staff can reach out. If you have a pastoral care need outside of regular business hours, call our after hours pastor on call at 919-605-4593.

WHITE MEMORIAL —PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—

SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sundays July 21, 28;
August 4 (with communion) **11, 18, 25**
8:15 Sanctuary | 10:15 Sanctuary
10:15 OnPoint@1704

Sunday, September 1
Holiday Worship Schedule
(with communion)
8:15 Sanctuary
10:15 Sanctuary/Integrated OnPoint

Families are invited to worship together all summer. Our Children's Sunday School classes are taking a break until September 8. Nursery care will be available for babies and children through age 4.

Schedule of four worship services resumes on Sunday, September 8

SUMMER PREACHING SERIES

"...WITH ONE ANOTHER"

Sunday, June 30

"Submit to one another out of reverence for Christ."
Ephesians 5:21

Sunday, July 7

"Forgiving each other"
Ephesians 4:32

Sunday, July 14

"Offer hospitality to one another without grumbling."
1 Peter 4:9

Sunday, July 21

"Love one another."
1 John 4:7; 4:11 & 4:12

Sunday, July 28

*"Confess your sins to each other" &
"Pray for each other."*
James 5:16

Sunday, August 4

"Encourage each other" & "Build each other up"
1 Thessalonians 5:11

Sunday, August 11

"Be patient, bearing with one another in love."
Ephesians 4:2

Sunday, August 18

"Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you."
Romans 15:7

Sunday, August 25

"Honor one another above yourselves."
Romans 12:10 &
"Live in harmony with one another."
Romans 12:16

Sunday, September 1

"Spur one another on toward love and good deeds."
Hebrews 10:24

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE

The first bricks were placed on the new building! They look great and match our current facilities. The Luther renovation is under budget and on schedule. New floor installation will be installed soon with new cabinetry and a fresh coat of paint to follow. There will be more site work during the summer to make way for the playgrounds and the grease trap for the new kitchen. You can expect sidewalk closures and equipment offloading to take place on the building-side of Colonial Road during this time. The Knox roof was replaced during the first week of July. Between the Knox and Luther roof replacements, we will have a perfect foundation for the solar panel installation this Fall. There will be much to celebrate come September!

MIDSUMMER CELEBRATIONS

There is still time to register for Midsummer Celebrations! We welcome Christian, Muslim and Jewish children (1st - 5th graders) to join us for this interfaith program August 12-15 from 6-8:00 p.m. There will be supper, drum circle, hip hop, crafts, music, recreation and drama with children and leaders for our multi-faith, multicultural community. Cost is \$20 per person. Register for Midsummer Celebrations at whitememorial.org/children/summer-programs. If you have questions about registration, please contact Jennifer Eastman at jeastman@whitememorial.org or 919-834-3425, ext 212. If you have questions regarding the program, please contact Lynn Springfield at lspringfield@whitememorial.org or 919-834-3425, ext 232.



CHAIR YOGA

**August 7 - September 25 &
October 16 - December 11**

\$70 - both sessions | \$40 - each session
\$8 - drop in class

Yoga is for every body - all shapes, sizes and fitness levels can participate in chair yoga. Yoga is a practice in mindfulness, breathing and body awareness. Benefits can include better

muscle strength, balance, and posture; improved heart, joint and bone health; better mental focus and sleep. Movements can be modified to accommodate a range of abilities. There will be two 8-week sessions this fall on Wednesdays from 10-11 a.m. in C200. Please contact Margie Mould at mmould@bellsouth.net for more information.



SPIRITUALITY CENTER FOR ALL AGES EVERY SUNDAY THROUGH AUGUST 25

Would you like to grow in faith and feel closer to God? Try some of the spiritual practices set up

on Sunday mornings this summer. The chapel and Calvin 204 have been prepared for you to try some spiritual exercises. The spaces are open each Sunday morning from 8:15 a.m. until noon. The exercises are clearly described so that you can practice them on your own. Drop by for 10 minutes or stay an hour, it's up to you. All ages are welcome to participate. Children should be accompanied by an adult.



- HS and MS Youth Recreation
July 22, 3:00-5:00 p.m.
Pickard Hall
- Montreat Youth Conference
July 28 - August 3
9:00 a.m. Check-in
Lower Dover Parking Lot
- Confirmation Kick Off
8th grade students & parents
September 8, 9:30-10:30 a.m.
- Confirmation Commissioning
September 8, 11:00 a.m.
- Youth Ministry Kick Off
September 8, 5:00-7:00 p.m.
All parents and youth are invited. Bring your calendar!

LOOKING AHEAD

- Middle School Asheville Mission Trip
August 4-9
- High School & Middle School Field Day, August 20
1:00-4:00 p.m.
Fred Fletcher Park
Bring Water
- Youth Summer Forum
August 25, 11:15 a.m.
Pickard Hall
All are invited to hear stories from the youth of summer trips

- High School Beach Retreat
September 28-29
Online Registration open
- Middle School Fall Retreat
October 4-6
Online Registration open

WEEKLY YOUTH EMAIL NEWSLETTER

Do you want to receive the weekly youth email newsletter that's full of great information? Contact Deb Smith at dsmith@whitememorial.org to be added to the contact list.

HAVEN'T GOTTEN YOUR PW STUDY GUIDE?

ORDER NOW!

\$10 or \$15 for large print

You can order online at
www.whitememorial.org/register
or mail payment to the church,
attn: Tonya Higgins.

DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, AUGUST 30

COMMUNITY ALLOCATIONS COMMITTEE OF WHITE MEMORIAL

The Community Allocations Committee of White Memorial Presbyterian Church allocates funds given by the congregation to agencies in Wake County that provide for the needs of individuals and groups in the community where our church has strong commitment and involvement. While no precise definition is possible in assessing need, we consider agencies that attempt to provide basic needs, teach life coping skills, and promote self-sufficiency. The Community Allocations Application process begins in September of each year and awards are announced in February. All grant applications are due September 1. If you have questions contact Gloria Johnson, gjohnson@whitememorial.org. Applications can be found at whitememorial.org/community-grants.



ANGEL FOOD MINISTRY

Looking for a way to get involved at White Memorial? If you want to volunteer your time to deliver meals or simply like to cook, please consider giving your time to the Angel Food Ministry.

We are part of Martha Ministry and we provide meals to church members in times of need. Contact Laura Bryant at lkcbryant@gmail.com or 404-408-9085, or Jean Williams at jwilliams@whitememorial.org for more information about getting involved.