

WHITE MEMORIAL

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

THE SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY
THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST
KICK-OFF SUNDAY

SEPTEMBER 8, 2019
8:15, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

Greeting

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

All: And also with you.

One: Let us prepare for worship.

Karl Zinsmeister

Preparation for Worship

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts. Give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that all people may know the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Prelude - Psalm Prelude; Set II, nr. 2 (Ps. 139:11) Herbert Howells (1892-1983)

(11:00) **Introit - Come with a Grateful Heart**

Lynn Shaw Bailey/Becki Slagle Mayo

Come to God with a grateful heart, ready to serve and ready to praise. God made everything, all creatures great and small. God loves everyone and God is Lord of all! Come on children! God so loved the world, he sent his only son. Jesus came to share God's love for everyone!

VBS Children; Lee Baker, leader

Christian Welcome and Announcements

Judy Yates Siker

Call to Worship

from Psalm 139

*One: O God, you have searched us and known us. You make our pathways,
you know our voices, you protect us in the front and to the rear.*

**All: Hear our prayers this day: for even in the mysteries of faith there is
wonderful knowledge and beautiful truth.**

One: Where can we run from your Spirit?

All: Where can we run from your Spirit?

*One: It is God who has made us, knitting us together in our mothers' wombs.
God and God alone. So let us praise God and worship God for we are
wonderfully made in the majesty of God's grace and love.*

***Hymn 270 - O Lord, You Are My God and King**

JERUSALEM

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

**God of grace and glory, hear our prayer of confession. We know we cannot
hide from your Spirit or your wisdom. But we try to hide anyway. Jesus
has taught us the high price of discipleship. But we try to get by on a
discount. You have made us in your image and blessed us every day with
life. But we chase after lesser goals and follow small and unloving idols.
In the name of Jesus Christ, forgive us. By your Holy Spirit grab our
attention and inspire us to live loving lives of service and celebration. Hear
our prayer, for the sake of your Son. Amen.**

Today is Kick-Off Sunday. Much of the annual ministry of the church begins today. Much of our ministry is Faith Formation, also known as Christian Education. This has been a historical commitment of Presbyterian people. Our foremothers and forefathers in faith "invented" Bible study and started Europe's first public schools so that all people could be literate and learn the scriptures.

This opening hymn, Hymn 270, is an affirmation of trust in God. Worship is nothing less than this affirmation: we begin and end with faith in God.

How would you define sin? How would you define discipleship? How often do we fall short of the high calling of Jesus, who asks everything of us? We confess our sin with unison voices because we are a covenant people and because all men and women have fallen short of what God asks.

WORSHIP | EMBRACE | SERVE

in the manner of Christ

*Assurance of Pardon

*Passing of the Peace

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

All: And also with you.

*Response - The Peace of the Earth

Guatemalan text and melody



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WE PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Sacrament of Baptism

(11:00) Lula Hawkins Dineen, child of Anna and Benjamin Dineen

Old Testament Lesson - Psalm 139 - Hymn 28

SURSUM CORDA (Smith)

Stanza 1: Choir; Stanzas 2-5: All

(9:30 & 11:00) Anthem - Lead Me, Lord

Samuel S. Wesley (1810-76)

Lead me, Lord, lead me in thy righteousness, make thy way plain before my face.

For it is thou, Lord, thou, Lord, only, that makest me dwell in safety.

New Testament Lesson - Luke 14:25-33

pew Bible, p. 73

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

All: Thanks be to God.

(11:00) A Time with Young Disciples

Following our time together, four year-olds through first graders will meet with Ashlyn Whitford at the door near the baptismal font, to be joined by Cole Whitford from the OnPoint service, for Worship Enrichment in L201.

Sermon - Say What, Jesus?

Christopher Edmonston

*Hymn 432 - How Clear Is Our Vocation, Lord

REPTON

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

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

Psalm 139 is among the most beautiful and amazing Psalms in the Bible. Today we are singing it as a congregation. Singing the psalms is a tradition rooted in ancient Jewish history. Today's setting of Psalm 139 is a metrical one found in our hymnal, *Glory to God*, Hymn 28.

Luke 14:33 is the focus of our sermon today: "So therefore, none of you can become my disciples if you do not give up all your possessions." That is an attention grabber. What do you make of it?

Offertory Anthem

(8:15) *The Call*

Lee Hoiby (1926-2011)

Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life: such a Way, as gives us breath; such a Truth, as ends all strife; such a Life, as killeth death. Come, my Light, my Feast, my Strength: such a feast as mends in length; such a strength as makes his guest. Come, my Joy, my Love, my Heart: such a Joy, as none can move; such a Love as none can move; such a Heart, as joys in love.
(George Herbert)

(9:30 & 11:00) *With a Voice of Singing*

Martin Shaw (1875 - 1978)

With a voice of singing declare ye this, and let it be heard, Alleluia. Utter it even unto the ends of the earth. The Lord hath delivered his people, Alleluia. O be joyful in God, all ye lands, O sing praises to the honor of his name, make his praise to be glorious. (Isa 48:20b; Ps 66:1-2)

*Offertory Response Hymn 761 - stanza 1

BEECHER

**Called as partners in Christ's service, called to ministries of grace,
we respond with deep commitment fresh new lines of faith to trace.
May we learn the art of sharing, side by side and friend with
friend, equal partners in our caring to fulfill God's chosen end.**

*Affirmation of Faith

from *A Declaration of Faith*, 1976

**We acknowledge one God alone, whose demands on us are absolute,
whose help for us is sufficient. That One is the Lord,
whom we worship, serve, and love.**

**We cannot fully comprehend who God is for God's reality far exceeds
all our words can say. The Lord's requirements are not always
what we think is best. The Lord's care for us is not always what
we want. God comes to us on Jesus' terms and is able to do far
more than we ask or think.**

**Jesus Christ stands at the center of the biblical record. The Bible is
the account of God's word and action in history. It is the story of
the one God, who is the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. That
story is still unfolding and in faith we make it our own. It forms
our memory and our hope. It tells us who we are and what we are
to do. To retell it is to declare what we believe.**

WE GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Hymn 726 - *Will You Come and Follow Me*

KELVINGROVE

*Charge and Benediction

*Closing Response Hymn 541 - verse 1

RANDOLPH

**God be with you till we meet again; loving counsels guide,
uphold you, with a shepherd's care enfold you:
God be with you till we meet again.**

*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 from Symphony V*

Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937)

Greeters: 9:00 - Kristin Seale, Brandy Vannoy, Carol Vassey; 10:30 - Heather Horton, Melinda Fox, Paul Fox.

Ushers: 8:15 - Diane Payne (DIC), Ann White, James White, Mary Ward Boerner, Bruce Broadbelt, Laura Broadbelt; 9:30 - Stephen Riddick (DIC), Howard Browne, Duncan Jennings, Wendy Burkard; 11:00 - Robert Ange (DIC), Mary Tyrey, Scott Tyrey, Carol Lynn, Linda Mahan, Kelly Washburn.

Treasurer's Assistant: Gary Pendleton, Bill Fairfax.

Shuttle Driver: Bill Pollock.



"...hands to receive, hands to give,
hands to serve..."

Image by Elizabeth Steele Halstead

What does it mean to follow Jesus? Jesus Christ knows us by name. Jesus Christ rose from the tomb for the redemption of the world. Jesus calls us and claims us. This hymn, Hymn 726, is a "first person" response to the call of Jesus, placing we who sing it in the role of those responding to the calling to follow our Lord.

The flowers in the chancel this morning are the wedding flowers of Sarah Ashton McLawhon and Martin Rossie Jernigan, whose marriage was celebrated yesterday. Sarah is the daughter of Paige and Craig McLawhon.



WM App is available through the Apple store and Google Play. You may also text WMPC APP to 77977 to download.

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. - 12:15 p.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 renovations.
- **Childcare** is available for children up to four years old.
- **Sunday School** is offered at 9:30 for all ages.
- **Refreshments** are served in Carol Copeland Courtyard or Pickard Hall on Sundays at 10:30 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 today and September 22.
- **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, September 8 (*Psalms 139; Luke 14:25-33*)

Worship (8:15, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m. - Sanctuary;
11:00 a.m. - OnPoint @1704 - Pickard Hall)
8:30 a.m. - 2's Milestone Day (S200)
9:00 a.m. - Blessings of the Backpacks (Carol Copeland Courtyard)
9:30 a.m. - Confirmation Kick Off (Geneva Hall); Cover to Cover (C203)
3:00 p.m. - Youth Adviser Training (C200)
3:45 p.m. - Youth Choir Rehearsal (S300)
5:00 p.m. - Youth Ministry Kick Off (Pickard Hall)
6:30 p.m. - Session Meeting (Geneva Hall)

Monday, September 9 (*Psalms 2; Jeremiah 18:12-23; 1 Timothy 3:14-4:5*)

9:30 a.m. - Russia Sewing Group (C200); PW - Coordinating Team Meeting (C301)
10:30 a.m. - PW - Finance Meeting (C300)
11:00 a.m. - Mental Health Task Force (W400)
5:30 p.m. - T'ai Chi for Exercise (Pickard Hall)
7:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous (C100); Stephen Ministry (ConEd/Supervision)(K200)
Handbell Choir Rehearsal (S300)

Tuesday, September 10 (*Psalms 2; Jeremiah 19:1-15; 1 Timothy 4:6-16*)

7:00 a.m. - Men's Breakfast/Bible Study (Geneva Hall);
Women's Breakfast/Circle M Bible Study (The Connector)
8:30 a.m. - Yoga for Exercise (C100)
9:30 a.m. - Fit After Fifty (Pickard Hall); God Talk (W400)
10:30 a.m. - Tuesdays with Tracey (C301)
11:30 a.m. - Circle N - Glenaire (Off Premises)
3:00 p.m. - Labyrinth Open for Walking (Chapel)
3:30 p.m. - StepUp Ministry Development Meeting (C203)
5:30 p.m. - Community Service Committee (K302); Property Care Committee (C204)
6:00 p.m. - StepUp Life Skills Program/Dinner (Geneva Hall)
6:30 p.m. - Circle K (Off Premises); Low Country Boil (Off Premises)
7:00 p.m. - Circle O (C203); Chancel Choir Rehearsal (S300)
7:30 p.m. - Boy Scout Troop 395 Meeting (Geneva Hall)

Wednesday, September 11 (*Psalms 2; Jeremiah 20:1-18; Luke 18:18-30*)

8:00 a.m. - StepUp Ministry Employment Training Workshop (C100)
9:30 a.m. - Bible Bells (Offsite)
10:00 a.m. - Chair Yoga (C200)
4:30 p.m. - Carol Choir (S300); Joyful Noise Choir (K304); Cherub Choir (L304)
5:00 p.m. - Wednesday Together Dinner (Pickard Hall)
6:00 p.m. - Youth Ministry Committee Meeting (C301)
6:15 p.m. - Youth Band Rehearsal (S300)
6:30 p.m. - Officer Training (C200)
6:45 p.m. - Meditation 101 (Chapel); OnPoint House Band Rehearsal (S300)
7:00 p.m. - Circle L (W400)
8:00 p.m. - Al-Anon (C100)

Thursday, September 12 (*Psalms 14; Jeremiah 13:20-27; 1 Timothy 1:1-11*)

8:00 a.m. - StepUp Ministry Employment Training Workshop (C100)
9:30 a.m. - Lilies of the Field (C301); Thursday Morning Bible Study (W400)
10:45 a.m. - Meditation 101 (Chapel); Keenagers (C200)
11:00 a.m. - Circle D - Cypress (Off Premises); Faith Formation Team Meeting (W323)
12:00 p.m. - Keenagers Lunch (Geneva Hall)
1:00 p.m. - Cancer Companion Leaders (C203)
5:30 p.m. - StepUp Ministry Graduation (Pickard Hall); T'ai Chi for Exercise (C200)
6:00 p.m. - Sounds on Oberlin Concert Series Committee (C203)
6:30 p.m. - Disciple Bible Study: Romans (C301)
7:30 p.m. - Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal (S300); Webelos Scouts (K304)

Friday, September 13 (*Psalms 14; Jeremiah 4:1-10; 2 Peter 2:1-10a*)

8:00 a.m. - StepUp Ministry Employment Training Workshop (C100)
9:30 a.m. - Fit After Fifty (Pickard Hall)
6:30 p.m. - Healing Prayer Support (Chapel)
8:00 p.m. - Alcoholics Anonymous (C100)

Saturday, September 14 (*Psalms 14; Jeremiah 4:13-21, 29-31; John 10:11-21*)

9:00 a.m. - Burn & Learn (Geneva Hall)

Each Sunday, we offer four opportunities for you to worship with us at White Memorial (8:15, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary and 11:00 a.m. OnPoint@1704 in Pickard Hall). While you will notice differences in music, location and worship leadership among our different services, what unites us in our worship is our liturgy. All services use the same Call to Worship, Prayer of Confession, readings from Scripture and Affirmation of Faith.

Toys & CONCERNS

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PRAYERS AND CHRISTIAN CONCERNS TO

Becky and Justus Everett, Jane, Matt, Gunter and Rebecca Goering, and Bob and Ashlyn Everett, on the death of Becky's mother, Naomi Pugh Barefoot, August 31, Raleigh, NC.

NEW PRESBYTERIANS

Wyatt Liam Colby, born August 3, child of Gracie and Jeff Colby, grandchild of Becky and Charles King.

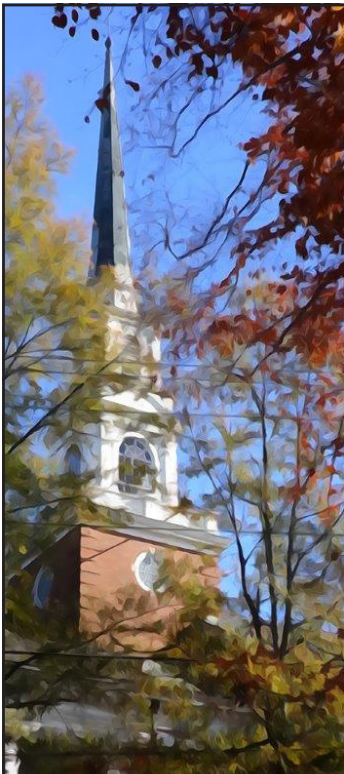
Beau Bryant Apple, born August 28, child of Maggie and Pat Apple.

HOSPITALS (*designates discharged)

Rex: Jan Frye

Rex Rehab: Pat Toole

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.



INTERESTED IN MEMBERSHIP AT WHITE MEMORIAL?

JOIN US!

The next
Believing & Belonging
@WMPC Class
for new and
prospective members
will meet on
Sunday, September 22
and join on
Sunday, September 29

REGISTER BY SEPTEMBER 9
WWW.WHITEMEMORIAL.ORG/REGISTER

Meditation 101: REBOOT

Are you familiar with meditation and hope to deepen your practice? Are you new to meditation and want to learn more? This three session class led by Associate Pastor Cate Church Norman will provide guidance and tools to enhance or begin your practice. Discover the relationship between meditation and prayer and experience several forms of meditation like loving-kindness meditation, centering prayer and guided visualization.

This course will meet in three sessions:

Wednesday 6:45-8:00pm
September 11, 18 & 25

or
Thursday 10:45am-12:00pm
September 12, 19, 26

Feel free to come for dinner before the Wednesday night class or stay for lunch after the Thursday morning class.

Register:

www.whitememorial.org/register
or call Amy Clapgood at
(919) 834-3424. Childcare is
available with registration.



TAI CHI MEANS MOVING MEDITATION

Tai Chi is often referred to as “Moving Meditation” because the movement allows the mind and body to work together to achieve balance and a feeling of well-being. This quiet movement encourages prayerful reflection and mindfulness. The workout is low-impact and physically rewarding as well as calming for the mind. Wear sneakers and loose clothing, you will not need a mat. This ongoing class is taught by lifelong teacher and WMPC member Honey Music. Enrollment is ongoing and new students are welcome anytime. Cost for 8-class course is \$64. Classes are offered Mondays and Thursdays at 5:30 p.m. in Pickard Hall. Questions? Contact Honey Music at 919-946-2900 or honeyjmusic@gmail.com.

CENTERING PRAYER GROUPS

Centering Prayer groups will meet for 6 weeks beginning Tuesday, October 1 from 6-6:30 p.m. in W400. We will gather quietly, a leader will begin the 20 minutes of silence, and we will end with The Lord's Prayer. All are invited; attend as you are able. RSVPs are requested but they are not required. If you have questions, please contact Cate Church Norman at cchurchnorman@whitememorial.org or Melinda Fox at melindafox22@gmail.com. Register at www.whitememorial.org/register.



KARL ZINSMEISTER, ORGAN

Join us for Sounds on Oberlin's first concert of its second season. On Sunday, September 29 at 3 p.m. in the Sanctuary Karl Zinsmeister will present *A to Z and In Between*, an organ recital featuring compositions by Albright, Bach, Miller, Still, Vierne, and yes, an arrangement for brass choir and organ by Zinsmeister. The first portion of the program will include a piece called *Rex: The King of Instruments* for narrator and organ—the work demonstrates and explains some of the basic workings of the grandest of instruments, the pipe organ. Young audience members will be invited up to sit near the console for an up close view during this selection. Other musical styles include bluegrass, hymn, march, and Franz Liszt's *Prelude and Fugue on the Name B-A-C-H*. All are invited—there should be something for everyone—from A to Z! Admission is free. A love offering in support of the Sounds on Oberlin concert series will be collected.

GENTLE YOGA


Gentle Yoga designed for aging bodies. Classic poses will be taught with emphasis on alignment to keep our bodies structurally sound. Movement is slow and mindful. Students must be able to get up and down on their mat. A yoga mat and blanket are required. \$8 per class. Class meets every Tuesday from 8:30-9:30 a.m. in C100. If you have questions, please contact Beth Robinson at elizabeth.robinson44@gmail.com.

Sippin' & SEEKING

Where: North Hills Club Lounge
4824 Yadkin Dr. | Raleigh, NC 27609
When: Tuesday | September 17 | 7 pm

Please join us for a glass of wine & conversation as we offer a casual introduction to this year's Presbyterian Women's Study: *Love Carved in Stone: A Fresh Look at the Ten Commandments*. Study Guides will be available to look over and also for purchase. Cost is \$10.

Please RSVP by 9/17 to Olivia Edwards 252-525-8108 or Julie Leon 919-475-0861.
You can just show up too... ALL ARE WELCOME!



WMPC WOMEN'S KICK-OFF LUNCHEON

PLEASE JOIN US FOR A BUFFET STYLE GET-TOGETHER TO CATCH UP WITH EACH OTHER AND KICK-OFF THE NEW CHURCH YEAR.

monday | september 16
(3rd monday)
pickard hall
noon

please register by noon
friday | september 13
for buffet lunch and/or childcare
www.whitememorial.org/register
lunch \$6 | free childcare provided

DON'T WAIT- FIRST 100 TO REGISTER EAT FREE AND GET THEIR NAMES INTO RAFFLE FOR PRIZES FROM SOME OF YOUR FAVORITE STORES. A LITTLE SOMETHING FOR LATE-COMERS TOO.

DID YOU GET YOUR MEMBER LOGIN INFORMATION?

On August 25 you should have received an email from CCB (Church Community Builder) with your activation code. By activating your account you will have access to our new, improved church database. **Everyone needs to activate their account by Kickoff Sunday, September 8!** If you have any questions, please call the church office at 919-834-3424 and ask for Elizabeth Viohl or Colleen Aguirre. You can also view a tutorial on how to set-up your personal information by visiting www.whitememorial.org/member-login.



GET THE WM APP

Our app is available through the Apple store and Google Play. You can also text: WMPC APP to: 77977 to download our new app.



FAITH FORMATION: A WORD OF INVITATION

You have an opportunity this fall to deepen your faith and connect with other disciples. On our website

you will find full descriptions for a variety of classes and groups that you are invited to try. We invite you to read through the list, choose a group, attend at least six times and see if it is the group for you. Investing in your life of faith is worth your time and energy and may change your life for the better. If you have questions, please contact Tracey Daniel, Associate Pastor for Faith Formation at tdaniel@whitememorial.org.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILDING UPDATES

WMPC is the lead sponsor for the new initiative - *The Fiesta Build* which brings us together with many Hispanic organizations and groups. Construction will begin Saturday, September 7, at 12:30 p.m. with a wall build at the Habitat construction facility at 2615 Westinghouse Blvd. followed by a wall blessing ceremony at the home site, 1000 Skinner Drive in the Crosstowne Subdivision, at 3:00 p.m. Our other two build days are Saturday, September 14 and Saturday, October 19 at 8:15 a.m. at 1000 Skinner Drive in the Crosstowne subdivision. Sign up at <http://vhub.at/fiestabuild>. We will have our annual Wall Build on Saturday, October 12, beginning at 8:15 a.m. with location forthcoming. Contact Harry Montgomery at hrrymntgmry@aol.com or sign up at <http://vhub.at/whitememorial.org>.



BURN & LEARN

Join us on Saturday, September 14 from 9-10:30 a.m. in the Courtyard. Enjoy a 45-minute walk or run while listening to a podcast followed by a 30-minute discussion. Bring your smart phone and headphones. No registration

required. Contact Tracey Daniel with questions, tdaniel@whitememorial.org.



COME HEAR HOW OUR CHURCH IS MEETING THE FAMILY DOMESTIC SAFETY NEED IN OUR COMMUNITY

On Wednesday, September 18 we invite you to learn more about how our church is meeting the need. We will begin at 5:45 p.m. in Calvin 301. If you would like to be part of a small group interested in this community need, please contact Gloria Johnson, Associate Pastor for Outreach at gjohnson@whitememorial.org.



WELCOMING CHILDREN TO THE LORD'S SUPPER WORKSHOP

Children in third, fourth and fifth grades and their parents are invited to participate in our Welcoming Children to the Lord's Supper Workshop in C200 on Sunday, September 22 from 3-5:00 p.m. Please visit www.whitememorial.org/register to register for the workshop and to make childcare reservations for younger siblings by September 17. Children who attend the workshop will be invited to share in communion with their families on Sunday, October 6 at the 11 a.m. OnPoint@1704 service. Questions? Contact Lynn Springfield at 919-834-3425, ext. 232.

STEPHEN MINISTRY INFORMATIONAL GATHERING

PLEASE JOIN US FOR AN INFORMATIONAL GATHERING



Monday, October 7
6:30-8 P.M.
Geneva Hall

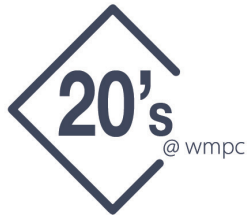
This is a time of great food, fellowship and fun!
Please reserve your spot by noon Thursday, October 3 at
www.whitememorial.org/register

MEANING AS MILLENNIALS

Faithful Conversations about Christianity and Culture

MEANING AS MILLENNIALS

Meaning as Millennials is a social and study group for people in their late 20s to late 30s interested in exploring their faith and today's culture. Discussions are based upon Scripture, articles, current events, podcasts, or books. This group meets monthly at various homes and venues around Raleigh. For more information contact Grier Richards at grichards@whitememorial.org or Tyler Craft at tycraft@gmail.com.



20'S @WMPC

Our 20's young adult group will be kicking off their year on Tuesday, September 10 with a low country boil at Hunter and McCall Moore's home from 6:30-8 p.m. 20's will be meeting on Tuesday nights throughout the year and is for anyone in their 20's

seeking a faith community in which to serve, learn and grow. No matter where you come from or how you got here, you are welcomed here, and we hope you will join us. To receive more information on the low country boil kickoff or young adult offerings please contact Grier Richards at grichards@whitememorial.org or Levi Bannerman at lbannerman@whitememorial.org.



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.

KICK OFF SUNDAY

- **Confirmation Kick Off**
(8th grade students and parents) September 8
9:30-10:30 a.m.
- **Confirmation Commissioning**
September 8, 11 a.m.,
OnPoint Worship Service
- **Youth Ministry Kick Off**
September 8, 5-7 p.m.

All parents and youth are invited. Bring your calendar!

FALL RETREATS

- **High School Beach Retreat**
September 28-29
Email Deb Smith to be placed on the wait list.
- **Middle School Fall Retreat**
October 4-6
Online Registration open

6TH GRADE SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED

The Youth Education Team is seeking a team of adults to serve as teachers and assistants once a month in our 6th Grade Class. If you would be willing to hear more about this important role, please contact Melanie Biddell, mtbiddell@gmail.com, or Lynn Ashby, lynchashby@gmail.com

LOOKING AHEAD

- **Confirmation Day Retreat**
September 29
9:30 a.m.-3 p.m.
Gather in C100 to depart
All 8th graders and Confirmation Mentors

This support group uses Cancer Companions devotionals, videos and Bible lessons to explore how we can draw closer to God as we go through difficult times.

Seeing
GOD
in Your Cancer Journey

Sundays, September 15-
November 17
4:30 - 6:00 p.m. | C204

Questions: contact

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Amanda Kidd at awkidd1961@gmail.com



FLU SHOTS

Thursday, September 26
9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
C204

Don't let flu season catch you off guard! Keenagers are invited to come and get a flu shot from 9-10:30 a.m. with priority appointments. After that, the clinic will be open to all members and staff until noon. You must be at least 14 years old to receive a flu shot at White Memorial Presbyterian Church. Please bring your insurance card.

