

WESLEY MEMORIAL

A METHODIST CONGREGATION

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WELCOME

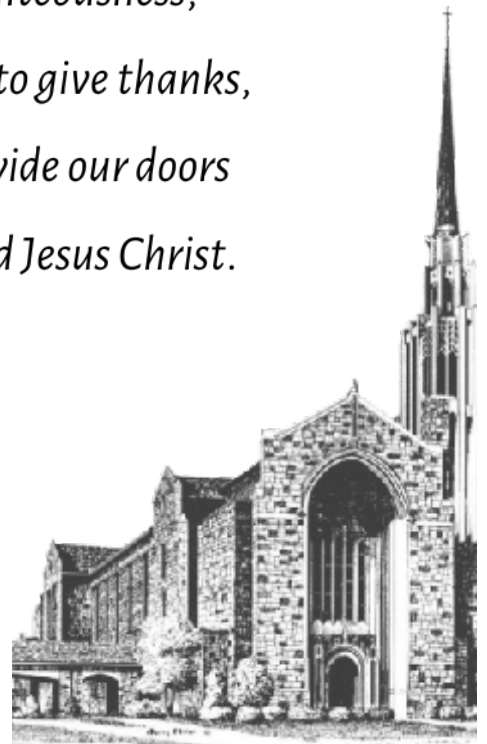
To all who are spiritually weary *and seek rest*,
to all who mourn *and long for comfort*,
to all who struggle *and desire victory*,
to all who sin *and need a Savior*,
to all who are strangers *and want fellowship*,
to all who hunger *and thirst after righteousness*,
to all who have been blessed *and wish to give thanks*,
and to whoever will come -- *we open wide our doors*
and offer welcome in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ.

JUNE 7, 2026

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST ~ HOLY COMMUNION

TRADITIONAL WORSHIP IN THE CHAPEL 8:30 A.M.

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



Order of Worship

PRELUDE

The prelude is a time for people to become quiet, to meditate and pray, and to prepare their hearts individually for the worship of God.

WELCOME

Rev. Jeff Patterson

† CALL TO WORSHIP AND OPENING PRAYER Congregation reads bold print
Blessed be God: the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit.
And blessed be his kingdom, now and forever. Amen.

Let us pray:

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your Holy Name, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

† HYMN No. 9

Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens, Adore Him AUSTRIAN HYMN
*Praise the Lord! ye heav'ns, adore Him; praise Him, angels in the height;
sun and moon, rejoice before Him, praise Him, all ye stars of light. Praise the
Lord! for He hath spoken; worlds His mighty voice obeyed; laws which never
shall be broken for their guidance He hath made.*

*Praise the Lord! for He is glorious; never shall His promise fail; God hath
made His saints victorious; sin and death shall not prevail. Praise the God of
our salvation! Hosts on high, His pow'r proclaim; heav'n and earth and all
creation, laud and magnify His name.*

*Worship, honor, glory, blessing, Lord, we offer unto Thee; young and old, Thy
praise expressing, in glad homage bend the knee. All the saints in heav'n adore
Thee; we would bow before Thy throne; as Thine angels serve before Thee,
so on earth Thy will be done.*

PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

Pray in Unison

O holy merciful God, we confess that we have not always taken upon ourselves the yoke of obedience, nor been willing to seek and to do your perfect will. We have not loved you with all our heart and mind and soul and strength, neither have we loved our neighbors as ourselves. You have called us in the need of our sisters and brothers, and we have passed unheeding on our way. In the pride of our hearts, and our unwillingness to repent, we have turned away from the cross of Christ, and have grieved your Holy Spirit. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Welcome!

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning! Please take a moment to sign the Friendship 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.

CARING CARDS

We share the names of some of our people who would be blessed to hear from you. There are cards in the Welcome Folders. Please write your encouraging message on the caring card and drop in the offering plate for us to address and mail.

SYMPATHY TO DAVID
DEW ON THE LOSS OF HIS
MOTHER, ON 5/30

ON COMMUNION
SUNDAYS WE PROFESS
THE NICENE CREED, 325
AD, THAT PROFFESSES
THE FAITH OF THE
UNIVERSAL CHURCH.

SOLO

Be Still, My Soul

arr. Brian D. Petersen

Be still, my soul! the Lord is on thy side; with patience bear the cross of grief or pain. Leave to thy God to order and provide; in ev'ry change He faithful will remain. Be still, my soul! thy best, thy heav'nly Friend through thorny ways leads to a joyful end.

Be still, my soul! thy God doth undertake to guide the future as He has the past. Thy hope, thy confidence let nothing shake; all now mysterious shall be bright at last. Be still, my soul! the waves and winds still know His voice who ruled them while He dwelt below.

Be still, my soul! the hour is hast'ning on when we shall be for ever with the Lord, when disappointment, grief, and fear are gone, sorrow forgot, love's purest joy restored. Be still, my soul! when change and fear are past, all safe and blessed we shall meet at last.

SCRIPTURE LESSON

EXODUS 20:1-3 (Pg.60)

SERMON

"The First Commandment"

Rev. Jeff Patterson

† NICENE CREED

We face the cross and profess in unison

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen. We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end. We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. We believe in the one holy catholic* and apostolic church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

* universal

GIVING

Offering plates will be passed down each row during the service. To give online use your camera on your phone to scan the QR code or text the word DETAILS to 94000 to give online.



CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

† DOXOLOGY

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!

† THE PRAYER OF GREAT THANKSGIVING

The Lord be with you.

And with your spirit.

Lift up your hearts.

We lift them up to the Lord.

Let us give our thanks to the Lord our God.

It is right to give our thanks and praise.

It is right, and a good and joyful thing, always and everywhere to give thanks to you, Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. You formed us in your image and breathed into us the breath of life. When we turned away, and our love failed, your love remained steadfast. You delivered us from captivity, made covenant to be our sovereign God, and spoke to us through your prophets, who looked for that day when justice shall roll down like waters and righteousness like an ever-flowing stream, when nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war anymore. And so, with your people on earth and all the company of heaven we praise your name and join their unending hymn:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest. Holy are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ. Your Spirit anointed him to preach good news to the poor, to proclaim release to the captives and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, and to announce that the time had come when you would save your people. He healed the sick, fed the hungry, and ate with sinners. By the baptism of his suffering, death, and resurrection you gave birth to your Church, delivered us from slavery to sin and death, and made with us a new covenant by water and the Spirit. At his ascension you exalted him to sit and reign with you at your right hand.

On the night in which he gave himself up for us, he took bread, gave thanks to you, broke the bread, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me." When the supper was over he took the cup, gave thanks to you, gave it to his disciples, and said: "Drink from this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, poured out for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

And so, in remembrance of these your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ's offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.

Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

Please be seated

Pour out your Holy Spirit on us gathered here, and on these gifts of bread and wine. Make them be for us the body and blood of Christ, that we may be for the world the body of Christ, redeemed by his blood.

By your Spirit make us one with Christ, one with each other, and one in ministry to all the world, until Christ comes in final victory, and we feast at his heavenly banquet. Through your Son Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit in your holy Church, all honor and glory is yours, almighty Father, now and forever. **Amen.**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE PRAYER OF HUMBLE ACCESS

We do not presume to come to this your table, O merciful Lord, trusting in our own righteousness, but in your abundant and great mercies. We are not worthy so much as to gather up the crumbs from under your table, but you are the same Lord whose character is always to have mercy. Grant us, therefore, gracious Lord, so to eat the flesh of your dear Son Jesus Christ, and to drink his blood, that our sinful bodies may be made clean by his body, and our souls washed through his most precious blood, and that we may evermore dwell in him, and he in us, Amen.

SHARING THE EUCHARIST

Please come to the serving table and receive the bread or gluten-free wafer. After dipping it into the cup, you may kneel at the prayer rail. Our Stephen Ministers are available if you wish for anointing with oil and prayer. (If you are unable to come forward and would like to be served at your seat, please let an usher know.)

MUSIC DURING HOLY COMMUNION

HYMN No. 49

Be Thou My Vision

SLANE

Be Thou my Vision, O Lord of my heart; naught be all else to me, save that Thou art- Thou my best thought by day or by night, waking or sleeping, Thy presence my light.

Be Thou my Wisdom, and Thou my true Word; I ever with Thee and Thou with me, Lord; Thou my great Father, I Thy true son; Thou in me dwelling, and I with Thee one.

Riches I heed not, nor man's empty praise, Thou mine inheritance, now and always; Thou and Thou only, first in my heart, High King of heaven, my Treasure Thou art.

High King of heaven, my victory won, may I reach heaven's joys, O bright heav'n's Sun! Heart of my own heart, whatever befall, still be my Vision, O Ruler of all.

HYMN No. 37

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing

NETTLETON

Come, Thou Fount of ev'ry blessing; tune my heart to sing Thy grace; streams of mercy, never ceasing, call for songs of loudest praise. Teach me some melodious sonnet, sung by flaming tongues above. Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, mount of Thy redeeming love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer; hither by Thy help I'm come; and I hope, by Thy good pleasure, safely to arrive at home. Jesus sought me when a stranger; wand'ring from the fold of God; He, to rescue me from danger, interposed His precious blood.

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O to grace how great a debtor daily I'm constrained to be! Let Thy goodness, like a fetter, bind my wand'ring heart to Thee. Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love; here's my heart, O take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts above.

† BENEDICTION

† POSTLUDE

† *All are invited to rise in body or spirit.*

WORSHIP LEADERS:

Reverend Dr. Jeff Patterson, Senior Pastor
Reverend Clark Chilton, Contemporary Worship/Evangelism
Reverend Dr. Ken Lyon, Generosity/Church Vitality/Missions
Reverend Dr. Glenn Myers, Pastor of Visitation
Mr. Phillip Leach, baritone soloist
Ms. Charli Mills, Director of Traditional Music and Worship Arts
Ms. Mora Wolff, Organist

Congregational Town Hall

Join us TODAY for a Townhall Meeting from 3 p.m. - 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. This will be an important time to gather as a church family, hear updates, and stay engaged in the life of our congregation. Our pastoral search consultant will be in attendance. We encourage everyone to come and participate.

Wesley 100 Chicken Pies

The Wesley 100 will be selling chicken pies TODAY, Sunday, June 7. Pies are \$15 each. Sales will be in the Dining Hall from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. and in the Asbury Room after the 11 a.m. service. Don't miss out on these delicious pies!

Serenades & Symphonies for Winds

Come hear Serenades & Symphonies for Winds at 7 p.m. THIS Friday, June 12 in the Sanctuary.

NexTonal Winds is a chamber wind ensemble based in North Carolina's Triad Region. Founded in 2024, the ensemble is dedicated to presenting both traditional and contemporary wind repertoire through engaging performances that celebrate the richness and versatility of chamber wind music.

Drawing inspiration from the historic harmonic tradition, NexTonal Winds seeks to inspire and enrich audiences through the shared experience of live performance. We hope to see you there!



CLASSIC CAR
Cruise-In
SATURDAY, JUNE 13
10AM - 2PM
WESLEY MEMORIAL CHURCH
1225 CHESTNUT DRIVE HIGH POINT NC 272762
FREE HOT DOGS | BOUNCE HOUSES | FAMILY FUN

The poster features a vibrant, retro-style illustration of classic cars (a red Ford Mustang, a blue Ford Mustang, and a yellow classic car) parked on a street lined with palm trees under a sunset sky. The text is bold and stylized, with the event name in a large, bubbly font.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome, guests! We're glad you're here. Scan the QR code to receive a free welcome gift. Nursery childcare is available for infants through 2-year-olds during the 9:30 and 11 a.m. services on the children's ministry hall (ask an usher for help finding it). Members and guests, please take a moment to fill out and pass the friendship folders in each row. Large-print hymnals are available in the Narthex.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

MONDAY, June 8 9:00 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Music & Arts Camp Pastor Jeff's Summer Bible Study Ball & Bible Daisy Scouts AA Meeting	Fellowship Hall Media Center Fellowship Hall Admin A220/A221 Adult Wing D208
TUESDAY, June 9 9:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m.	Music & Arts Camp Board of Directors Team Meeting W.O.W.	Fellowship Hall Circle View Room Student Soul Cafe
WEDNESDAY, June 10 7:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:45 p.m. 6:45 p.m.	Dr. Willett's Bible Study with Pastor Jeff Music & Arts Camp Pastor Jeff's Summer Bible Study Vespers Wesley Memorial Students Pastor Jeff's Summer Bible Study Chancel Choir Rehearsal	Dining Hall Fellowship Hall Media Center Chapel Student Ministry Wing Choir Room Media Center
THURSDAY, June 11 9:00 a.m. 6:00 p.m. 7:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m.	Music & Arts Camp Contemporary Praise Team Rehearsal AA Meeting AlAnon	Fellowship Hall Fellowship Hall Adult Wing D202 Adult Wing D201
FRIDAY, June 12 9:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.	Music & Arts Camp NexTonal Wind Band Concert	Fellowship Hall Sanctuary
SATURDAY, June 13 10:00 a.m.	Car Cruise-In	Front Circle
SUNDAY, June 14 7:30 a.m. 8:30 a.m. 9:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:45 a.m. 10:15 a.m. 10:45 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:15 a.m.	Televised Worship Service Traditional Worship AA Meeting Contemporary Worship Children's Ministry Sunday Funday Student Ministry Sunday School Adult Sunday School Chancel Choir Rehearsal Contemporary Unity Group Traditional Worship Children's Church	WGHP, FOX8 Chapel Adult D202 Fellowship Hall Children's Ministry Wing Student Ministry Wing Adult Wing Choir Room Dining Hall Sanctuary Children's Ministry Wing

Vespers Time Change

This is a friendly reminder that Wednesday evening Vespers will move from 5:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. for the summer (June - August). Our Wednesday evening dinners will start back on September 16th.

To view the full church calendar visit our website, wesleymemorial.org/calendar
 Visit wesleymemorial.org/announcements for our announcement board

WAKE UP CALL

THROUGH SEEDBED

JOIN US FOR OUR DAILY WAKE-UP CALL DEVOTIONALS THROUGH SEEDBED.

SUMMER SCHEDULES CAN GET BUSY, BUT STAYING CONNECTED TO JESUS AND YOUR CHURCH FAMILY MATTERS. EACH MORNING, WAKE-UP CALL OFFERS A SIMPLE WAY TO BEGIN YOUR DAY GROUNDED IN GOD'S WORD AND ENCOURAGED IN YOUR FAITH.

- A SCRIPTURE TO CENTER YOUR HEART ON JESUS
- A SHORT DEVOTIONAL REFLECTION
- A GUIDED PRAYER
- A FEW JOURNAL QUESTIONS TO HELP YOU APPLY GOD'S TRUTH TO YOUR LIFE

WHETHER YOU'RE TRAVELING, RELAXING AT HOME, OR MANAGING A FULL SUMMER CALENDAR, WAKE-UP CALL HELPS KEEP YOUR HEART CONNECTED TO CHRIST AND OUR CHURCH COMMUNITY. SCAN THE QR CODE TO JOIN US EACH MORNING BY EMAIL PODCAST, OR ONLINE.



"WAKE UP, SLEEPER, RISE FROM THE DEAD, AND CHRIST WILL SHINE ON YOU." — EPHESIANS 5:14

Holy Land 2027 - Educational Opportunities Tours with Dr. Jeff Patterson

Sites: Sea of Galilee, Capernaum, Tiberius, Mount of Beatitudes, Magdala, Nazareth, Tel Megiddo (Armageddon), Caesarea Maritima, Jericho, Qumran, Bethlehem, Jerusalem (Western Wall, Via Dolorosa through Old City, Cathedral of St. James, Tower of David, Ruins of the Ancient Temple, Worship at Christ Church-Anglican, Rabbi's Tunnel, Mount of Olives, Upper Room, Caiaphas's House, Hezekiah's Tunnel, Pool of Bethesda, Antonia Fortress, Church of the Holy Sepulchre, Garden Tomb, Garden of Gethsemane), Masada, Dead Sea

Cost: \$4748 covers roundtrip air travel from Greensboro, First Class Hotels, Breakfast and Dinner buffets daily, transportation in Israel, guided tours with Dr. Patterson and a local Israeli Guide-David Aarons, hotel gratuities, fuel surcharges and government fees. **Information Meeting:** 7 p.m. on Tuesday, July 28 in the Wesley Memorial Media Center. For complete brochure and more information, contact Dr. Patterson at jpatterson@wesleymemorial.org

Now Enrolling for the Upcoming School Year!

Wesley Memorial School is now accepting enrollment for

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memorial school

NURSERY • PRESCHOOL • KINDERGARTEN

Nursery, Preschool, and Kindergarten! We provide a loving, faith-centered environment where children grow academically, socially, and most importantly, spiritually. Through engaging lessons, play-based learning, and Biblical foundations, we nurture each child's unique gifts and curiosity.

If you're looking for a place where your child will be known, loved, and encouraged to thrive, we would be honored to partner with your family. Matthew 19:14 "but Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of heaven.'"

Spots are limited—register today!

For more information or to schedule a tour, please contact us at agatewood@wesleymemorial.org

Martha & Stephen's Ministry Volunteers Needed

Looking for a way to get involved? Join the Martha & Stephen's Ministry, serving at Wednesday night dinner; help with drinks, setup, or cleanup. If the Lord has given you the gift of hospitality, we would love to help you steward that gift! To sign up or learn more, contact Mike Wallace via email at mwallace@wesleymemorial.org.

ACTIVITIES FOR JUST OLDER YOUTH AGES 60+



Events Column

June 2026

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SHELF LIFE BOOK CLUB

Current Book: *Painting Grace* by Mary Hester. Author appearance!
@ 1:30 p.m. in Media Center

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THIRD THURSDAY LUNCH

Music Bingo & Potluck. Fried chicken provided. Cost \$10
@ 12:00 p.m. in Dining Hall

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TASTE BUDS KITCHEN

Pasta Making Class: Spinach Ricotta Ravioli, Fettuccine, Tomato Sauce. Pre-Registration Required. Cost \$65
@ 6:00 p.m. Transportation Available

To sign up for any of the J.O.Y Events, visit wesleymemorial.org/joy-60plus. Or to inquire, please email joy@wesleymemorial.org