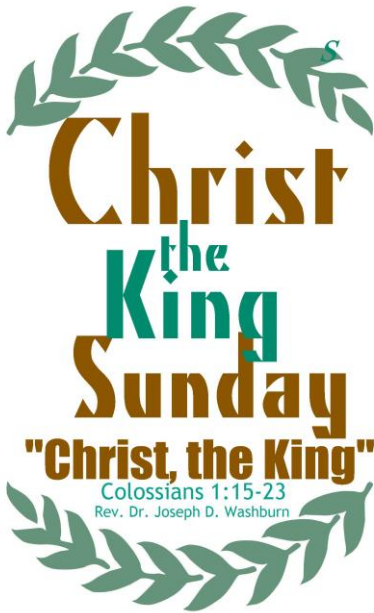


First Presbyterian Church

Whiteville,
North Carolina
"To be a light in our
community reflecting
Christ's love and
compassion..."

Christ the King Sunday
November 25, 2018



Rev. Dr. Joseph D.
Washburn

Gathering Around the Word

Prelude

The Humphreys

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

Let all who seek the presence of the Lord come together!

Lord, come into our lives and touch our hearts.

We seek God's guidance in all we would do or say.

Lord, come into our lives and open our hearts so that we may know you.

God so loved us that we were sent the Christ to give us eternal life.

Blessed be the name of the Lord!

*Hymn of Praise

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"Crown Him with Many Crowns"

*Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession

Lord, so often we call out for you to be with us, yet we will not open our eyes of faith and see your presence; or we ask for your guidance, yet we try to tell you the ways we want to go. Forgive us, Lord, and help us to have the courage to let go of our preconceived ideas so that we might know and accept your presence in our lives today. In Christ we pray. Amen.

*Assurance of Forgiveness

We worship a God who gives as the world cannot give.

Let us accept the gifts of grace and forgiveness that clear our guilt and renew us. Glory to God.

Glory to God, forever and ever. Amen.

Song of Assurance

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"In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful"

*Gloria Patri

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.

Cents-ability Offering

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

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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.

Proclaiming the Word

Time with the Children

Choral Anthem

"O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Handbell Choir

Prayer for Understanding

Scripture Lesson

Colossians 1:15-23

This is the Word of the Lord;

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

Rev. Dr. Joseph D. Washburn

"Christ, the King"

Responding to the Word

Call for the Offering

Giving Our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise Him, above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

*Hymn of Commitment

"Alleluia! Sing to Jesus"

260

*Charge and Benediction

Music in Preparation for Service to the World

Next Week:

Scripture: Luke 1:26-38

Sermon: "Faces at the Manger... Mary"



Centsability Offering today!

Bible Study
with Angela Washburn
Tuesday, November 27
7:00 pm



Advent | November 28 6:30 pm



Thursday,
November 29
5:00 pm
Decorate the
Chrismon Tree

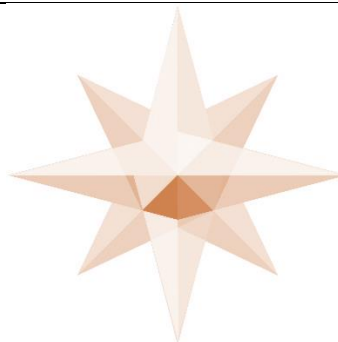
Saturday,
December 1
9:00 am
Decorate the
Sanctuary for
Christmas



Caroling & Hot Dogs

Sunday, December 2 Arrive at 4:30
Trailer leaves at 5:00
Hot Dog Dinner after.

Join Us!



Moravian Love Feast
Sunday, December 9, 2018 | 7:00 pm

WELCOME! We welcome you in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ! May today's worship open you to God. *Your entire family is welcome*, but we do offer a nursery for children birth to 3 years of age located in the education building behind the sanctuary.

Prayer Concerns: Geraldine Becker; Kathryn Clark; John Hall; Dolores Harris; Bob High; Rita & R. L. Lewis; Miriam Marks; Grace Palmer; Sally Smith; Walter Strickland; Nancy Thurston.

Assisted Care: Arlene Blaha; Anna Jane Collier; Charlene Hinnant; Kenneth Smith; Ellen Thurston.

Friends: Pat Allen; Sara and Rob Armstrong; Annette Caldwell; Billie Joe Conrad; Shari Dutton; Betty Faircloth; Rick Hedgecock; Shelby Hodge; Barry Housend; Daphne McLeod; Jerome McPherson; Gail Moye; Angie Pinkston; Hollis Salyer; Barbara Shepherd; Scott Short; Ken Smith; Tori Tarro; Ronnie Thayer; Gail Townsend; Melba Ward.

Please notify the office when names can be removed.

- *Sympathy extended to the family of Mack Thompson following his death on Saturday, November 17, 2018*
- *Thank you handbell choir for your music today!*

Nursery Team:	November 25: Mandy Horne	December 2: Joan Dorsett
Sound Team:	November 25: Fuller Royal	December 2: Justin Smith
Backpack Ministry:	November 25: MVE Committee	December 2: Men of the Church
Head Usher:	November: Debbie Viets	December: Sara Cartrette

CHURCH CALENDAR:

Sunday, November 25:	Handbell Rehearsal, Sanctuary - 5:30 pm
Monday, November 26:	Boy Scouts, Fellowship Hall - 6:30 pm Al-Anon, Reformed Rebels Classroom - 7:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous, Community Room - 8:00 pm
Tuesday, November 27:	Ladies Bible Study, Conference Room - 9:30 am Cub Scouts, Fellowship Hall - 7:00 pm Bible Study with Angela Washburn, 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal, Choir Room - 5:30 pm
Wednesday, November 28:	Wednesdays Together: Advent, Fellowship Hall - 6:30 pm Alcoholics Anonymous, Community Room - 8:00 pm
Thursday, November 29:	Chicks with Sticks, Parlor, 10:30 am Decorate the Chrismon Tree, Sanctuary - 5:00 pm Alcoholics Anonymous, Community Room - 8:00 pm
Saturday, December 1:	Decorate the Sanctuary for Christmas, Sanctuary - 9:00 am
Sunday, December 2:	Men's Breakfast, Fellowship Hall - 8:30 am Caroling and Hot Dogs, Fellowship Hall - 4:30 pm

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