

Our love and sympathy is extended to Jenna Anderson and her family upon the death of her father, Skip Dupree. Please join us in prayer for this family.

Prayer Concerns

Andie Rae Andrews, Steve Beavers, Lisa Bolick, William Carter, Louise Causby, Matt Chrien, Greg Cox, Jodie Cox, Gene & Gloria Edge, Barry Glenn, Bob Gorman, Vivian Grainger, Carla Haase, Maggie Harms, Leon Hartline, Andrew Maddry, Max Markham, Bob Myers, Mike Preib, Bill Richards, Dennis Scercy, Fred Schmidt, Bob Sims, Sylvia Sims, Joe Smith, Michael Stewart, Cody Turton

If you have a prayer concern you would like to share, please go to our website and click on the "Prayer Request" box at the bottom of the home page.

Happy Birthday!

Aug 07 Inez Jenkins, Stephanie Rost, David Streets

Aug 09 Vera Lee Bollten, Hailey Robertson, Tammy Thompson

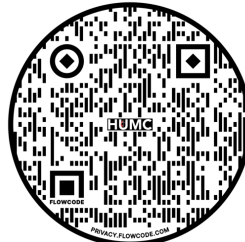
Aug 11 Kathy Beddingfield, Renee Brierley, Tyler Buchanan, Matthew Johnson

Aug 12 Shaniqua Johnson, Jesanne Roden-Reynolds, Dan Whitener

Aug 13 Yolande Sumner

We believe that GOD does immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine when we partner with God in giving to missional-ministry. For your convenience, HUMC offers electronic online giving (use the QR code below), in-person giving, by mail giving, and gifted stock transfer. For more details on stock giving, please contact the church office.

July 2022	
General Giving Budget*	\$ 62,500.00
INCOME	
General Giving	\$ 63,861.00
Missions/Rent/Other	\$ 3,975.00
Total Gifts	\$67,836.00
Budget YTD General	\$ 490,178.00
Actual YTD General	\$ 425,862.00



**The General Giving is our first funding priority as a congregation. It represents the base of our ministry. Thank you for making it the first priority in your giving.*



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August 7, 2022
8:30 a.m.



God calls us to open the door, make room at the table, and create spaces to foster lasting relationships with Jesus Christ.

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Announcements (video)

Prelude

Sherry Malia

*Call to Worship

Rev. Rod Arters

Leader: When we stand at the edge of fear and worry,

People: God invites us to step into the waters of faith and trust.

Leader: When we stand at the edge of the world's pain and need,

People: Jesus invites us to step into the land of humble service.

Leader: When we stand at the edge of our hunger and thirst:

People: the Spirit invites us to sit at the Table of grace.

All: Come, let us worship!

*Opening Hymn (117) *“O God, Our Help in Ages Past”*

Opening Prayer

Rev. Rod Arters

Anthem

“Orphans of God”

Linda Daniel, Sherry Malia, Kay Roebuck

Scripture Reading

Luke 12:22-34

Response

“The Anchor Holds”

Charles Morrow

Sermon

“Worrying About Me”

Rev. Paul B. Thompson

*Hymn (405)

“Seek Ye First”

The Sacrament of Holy Communion

Invitation

Confession and Pardon

Passing the Peace

The Great Thanksgiving

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. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the Kingdom, Power, and Glory, forever, Amen.

Giving the Bread and Cup

Offering

(Please bring your tithes and offerings forward as you come to receive the Communion elements and place the offerings in the plates provided.)

Prayer after Communion

Closing Hymn (707)

“In the Bulb there is a Flower”

Dismissal with Blessing

*Please stand as you are able.

Announcements

Welcome! We are so happy to see you this morning. If you are visiting for the first time with us today, please visit the “Connect” table and fill out an information card.

Church Council will meet NEXT Sunday, August 14 at 11:45 (following the 10:30 service) in the Fellowship Hall. A Zoom option will be available. **ALL** are invited to come to the meeting. Our key discussion will be the proposed new governance structure. This discussion will be led by the Nominations & Lay Leadership Committee, headed by Jackie Benjamin. If you have questions or concerns about the new structure, we encourage you to attend and have your voice be heard.

Cannonballers We still have tickets available for this Saturday night, August 13. Tickets are \$10 each. Register on the Church Center app, or go to the website under “Events.”

First Responder Gift Bags It’s that time again! On September 11 will honor (again!) our amazing first responders (police & fire departments) in Huntersville with a gift bag for their selfless and heroic efforts throughout the year. Between all the precincts and departments that's over 240 people! The approximate cost of one bag is \$6. You can donate and/or sign up to help. Go to “Event” on our website to find the link.

Disciple I Interest/Orientation meeting on Sunday, August 21, 6:00pm. There will be a Zoom alternative for those who need it. The meeting will last for one hour and will introduce the material, discuss the schedule, and make preparation for the beginning of the study which will begin in early September. See Pastor Paul for more information. You can email him at pthompson@wnccumc.net.

Fall Festival Planning The next meeting is Thursday, August 18 at Noon. We are still looking for vendors and silent auction items.

Golf Tournament (Monday, November 7) Updates We are seeking sponsorships and donations from local businesses like YOURS! All proceeds will go toward HUMC missions like our Food Pantry and Room in the Inn. Pick up a flyer in the lobby for more information.