WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS & **RECOGNITION OF VETERANS**

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP	All Creatures of Our God and King	Choir
*HYMN OF PRAISE	Faith of Our Fathers	UMH 710

ALL SAINTS' DAY RECOGNITION OF WEST BEND MEMBERS Joe Terry, Ken Patrick, Marion Auman,

Clarence Davis, William Lassiter

MUSICAL SPECIAL	Scars in Heaven	Kerri Beth

PRAYER

In Unison

We bless your holy name, O God, for all your servants who, having finished their course, now rest from their labors. Give us grace to follow the example of their steadfastness and faithfulness, to your honor and glory; through Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

ANTHEM Shall We Gather At the River	Choir
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SCRIPTURE

Romans 8:9-17

Rev. Kari Howard

⁹ You, however, are not in the realm of the flesh but are in the realm of the Spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God lives in you. And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, they do not belong to Christ.¹⁰ But if Christ is in you, then even though your body is subject to death because of sin, the Spirit gives life because of righteousness.¹¹ And if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies because of his Spirit who lives in you. ¹² Therefore, brothers and sisters, we have an obligation—but it is not to the flesh, to live according to it. ¹³ For if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live.

¹⁴ For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God. ¹⁵ The Spirit you received does not make you slaves, so that you live in fear again; rather, the Spirit you received brought about your adoption to son-ship. And by him we cry, "Abba, Father."¹⁶ The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children.¹⁷ Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory.

SERMON

The Spirit Who Raises Series: I'm So Thankful THE SERVICE OF HOLY COMMUNION

{You will be offered pre-packaged, COVID safe elements for communion *before the service begins*}

THE PRAYER OF CONSECRATION

The Lord be with you. And also with you. Lift up your hearts. We lift them up to the Lord. Let us give 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: God of Abraham and Sarah, God of Miriam and Moses, God of Joshua and Deborah, God of Ruth and David, God of the priests and the prophets, God of Mary and Joseph, God of the apostles and the martyrs, God of our

mothers and our fathers, God of our children to generations to come. 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 are you, and blessed is your Son Jesus Christ. 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.

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.

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. Renew our communion with all your saints, who have gone on before us. Since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, strengthen us to run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus, the Pioneer and Perfecter of our faith. 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 God, now and forever! And now with the confidence of the children of God, let us pray:

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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD

Because there is one loaf, we, who are many, are one body, for we all partake of the one loaf. The bread which we break is a sharing in the body of Christ. The cup over which we give thanks is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

THE GIVING OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

THE PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING THE LORD'S SUPPER In Unison

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given Yourself to us. Grant that we may go into the world in the strength of Your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Message Notes:

THE LORD'S PRAYER

***HYMN OF DEDICATION**

UMH 701

When We All Get To Heaven

***THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH**

***RECESSIONAL** Blest Be The Tie That Binds UMH 557 *Stand as you are able

Please place your offering in the tithes and offering box on your way out. Thank you for your gifts.

In Unison

Prayer List

Our Church Family Bruce Burrow Thurman Coltrane Harry Cooper Jane Cox **Peggy Foust Paul Foust** Liz Johnson Dave McGowan **Lovier Stephens Betty Sykes**

Our Family & Friends

Lynn Cash (Pastor Kari's friend) Karen Davis (Doris Davidson's daughter) Elaine Freeman (Donna Robbins' mother) Vicki Freeman (Horace Lewallen's daughter) Sig McCain (Kerri Beth's grandmother) Angie Toomes (Dare Campbell's daughter)

Assisted & Skilled Living Residents *=Church Member Alpine *Juanita Porche, Clapp's Coline Blake (Debbie Kinney's mother) *Daffie Branson Cross Roads Marie Caldwell (Carol Petty's sister) North Pointe, Archdale, NC *Lib Howell

Christian Sympathy is extended to the family & friends of: **Clarence Davis' family** William "Bill" Lassiter Junior Sykes (Betty Sykes' son)

Our Military Kasey Ingold Logan Morris

Other Revival Students Those with Covid and other sickness

Prayer requests will be left for 2 weeks unless notified otherwise.





Table of Grace Ministry Delivering Grace on Wheels and Delicious Meals

Thank you to all of our cooks, cleaners, buyers and delivery persons.

TOG Deliveries are on Tuesdays at 11 AM. If you need a meal or know of someone that does, please contact Carol Petty, Delivery Coordinator, by 11 AM on Mondays.

TOG sent out 128 meals last week.

Charge Conference is today right after worship.

Leadership Team, please stay for this brief Charge Conference.

Thank you.

Tithes and Offerings Update Offering Needed Each Week: \$2,529.20

> Received 10/31: \$1,853.83

You can give in person or by mail to P.O. Box 1845, Asheboro, NC 27204 or by PayPal Link:

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> The ministry of the church is ongoing.

Thank you for your generosity.

Church Calendar

All Saints & Communion Sunday November 7 10 AM Worship After Worship: Charge Conference

> **Tuesday, November 9** 11 AM TOG Deliveries 11 AM Bulletin Deadline

Wednesday, November 10 10 AM Word for Wednesday Phone Call

Thursday, November 11 6 PM Choir Practice Veterans Day Church Office Closed for Holiday

> **Ministry Staff** Ministers **Every Member** Rev. Kari L. Howard Pastor **Office Manager** Mrs. Debra Y. Rogers Lay Leader Mrs. Laurie Hunt **Mr. Tim Burrow**

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Worship Associates

Live Streaming:

Laurie Hunt, Rita Lanier

Ushers:

Mike Brown, Bill Burrow, Richard Lanier

Musicians: April Brown,

Kerri Beth Frazier, Choir

Counting/Attendance/Sound:

Richard Lanier

Openina/Closina/Trash Detail:

Bill Burrow

Please remember to get someone to take your

place if you can't be here.

In Memory of Clarence & Margaret Davis by:

Memorial Gifts to the Budget

West Bend U.M. Church

Pinewood Country Club Staff

In Memory of Bill Lassiter by:

In Memory of Marion Auman by:

William & Joanie Reckmeyer

West Bend U.M. Church

Ward Mannering

Ray & Betsy Proser

Ruth & Jack Sparks

Judy Freeman

Joretta Holt

In Memory of Clarence Davis by:

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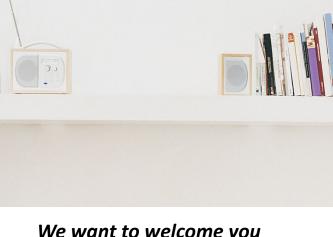


*** HONORING ALL WHO SERVED ***

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Sunday, November 7, 2021



We want to welcome you to our worship service today!

If you are a visitor, please fill out one of the Connection Cards which the ushers will hand you. Completed cards may be placed in the tithes and offerings box.

If you have a prayer request, please fill out a prayer request card which is on the other side of the Connection Cards and place in the tithes and offerings box. Extra cards are beside the box.