

**WEST BEND CHURCH
ORDER OF WORSHIP
SUNDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2022**

FIRST 15 MINUTES

**OPENING SONG
ANNOUNCEMENTS
PRAYER REQUESTS AND PRAISES
GREETING TIME**

CALL TO WORSHIP “Immortal, Invisible” Handbells
 “Carillon Tune”

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
OPENING PRAYER**

THE LORD’S PRAYER (In Unison)
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 AFFIRMATION OF OUR FAITH** (In Unison)
 “The Apostles’ Creed” (UMH 881)

*I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic** church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen. (**universal)*

***HYMN OF PRAISE** “Fairest Lord Jesus” UMH 189)
OFFERTORY

OFFERTORY SPECIAL “Percussive Praise” Handbells
 “Bell Jubilee”

SCRIPTURE Psalm 139

You have searched me, Lord, and you know me. 2 You know when I sit and when I rise; you perceive my thoughts from afar. 3 You discern my going out and my lying down; you are familiar with all my ways. 4 Before a word is on my tongue you, Lord, know it completely. 5 You hem me in behind and before, and you lay your hand upon me. 6 Such knowledge is too wonderful for me, too lofty for me to attain. 7 Where can I go from your Spirit? Where can I flee from your presence? 8 If I go up to the heavens, you are there; if I make my bed in the depths, you are there. 9 If I rise on the wings of the dawn, if I settle on the far side of the sea, 10 even there your hand will guide me, your right hand will hold me fast. 11 If I say, “Surely the darkness will

hide me and the light become night around me,” 12 even the darkness will not be dark to you; the night will shine like the day, for darkness is as light to you. 13 For you created my inmost being; you knit me together in my mother’s womb. 14 I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well. 15 My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place, when I was woven together in the depths of the earth. 16 Your eyes saw my unformed body; all the days ordained for me were written in your book before one of them came to be. 17 How precious to me are your thoughts, God! How vast is the sum of them! 18 Were I to count them, they would outnumber the grains of sand—when I awake, I am still with you. 19 If only you, God, would slay the wicked! Away from me, you who are bloodthirsty! 20 They speak of you with evil intent; your adversaries misuse your name. 21 Do I not hate those who hate you, Lord, and abhor those who are in rebellion against you? 22 I have nothing but hatred for them; I count them my enemies. 23 Search me, God, and know my heart; test me and know my anxious thoughts. 24 See if there is any offensive way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

MESSAGE “Where To Go” Rev. Kari L. Howard
 Series: Psalm Life

***SONG OF DEDICATION** “Where Could I Go”

**THE RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS
*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE:**

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in the West Bend United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

***THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH
*RECESSIONAL** “My Shepherd Will Supply My Need” Handbells
*Stand as you are able

MESSAGE NOTES:

Cluster Charge Conference Nov. 29 at Central UMC at 6:30 PM

Prayer List

Our Church Family

Dave McGowan Ron Humble
Harold Hill Paul Foust
Carolyn Dotson Jane Cox
Lynn Foust Douglas McMasters
**Carol Petty

Our Family & Friends

Angie Toomes (Dare Campbell's daughter)
Tony Concutelli (Camp & Welch's friend)
Karen Davis (Doris Davidson's daughter)
Cathy Moore (Welch's friend)
Jeffrey Sykes (Carol Petty's nephew)
Carl & Sue Starr (Lora Hill's parents)
Sig McCain (Kerri Frazier's grandma)
Barbara Ingle (Tina Gunn's mother)
Amy Stanley (Lora Hill's friend)
Linda Stayler (Kerr Beth's cousin)
**Boyd Delk

Assisted & Skilled Living Residents

*=Church Member

Alpine:

*Juanita Porche (Harold Hill's mother)

Clapp's:

*Daffie Branson

Cross Roads:

Marie Caldwell (Carol Petty's sister)

Christian Sympathy is extended to the family & friends of:

**Coline Blake (Debbie Kinney's mother & Cliff Kinney & Jenni May's grandma)

Our Military

Kasey Ingold Logan Morris
Veterans

Other Requests

Church Growth Our Church
Our Country Revival
Students

Those with Covid and other sicknesses
Wisdom & Discernment for the Future

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

**New Addition this week

Table of Grace served 116 last week!

WinGs will be donating desserts for the Hospice BBQ. Anyone may donate desserts. Just bring them to the fellowship hall between 11 am and 12 pm Friday.

Honorarium in Honor of Jane Cox & Memorial in Memory of Betty Slack
by Sam, Debra & Kayla Rogers

Church Calendar

Sunday, October 9

9:30 AM Choir Practice
10 AM Worship Service
5 PM Handbell Practice

Tuesday, October 11

12 PM-1PM TOG serving Baked Pasta

Friday, October 14

11 AM-12 PM Bring Hospice Desserts to F. Hall

Debra will not be in the office this week 10/9-10/14.

Ministry Staff

Ministers Every Member
Reverend Rev. Kari L. Howard
Office Manager Mrs. Debra Y. Rogers
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Ways to Reach Church Staff

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Worship Associates:

Musicians-April Brown, Dan Leonard, Choir, Handbells
Sound System-Richard Lanier
Power Point-Tina Gunn
Nursery/Children's Church-Cedelle Troxler

WinGs would like to know if the church would like to help donate to Children's Christmas for Uwharrie Ridge.

We Are Blessed When

We Give Tithes and Offerings

¹⁰ Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this," says the Lord Almighty, "and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it. Malachi 3:10).

Budget Offering Needed Each Week:\$2,529.00

Budget Offering Rec. Last Week: \$2,379.39

Under Budget: -\$ 149.61

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

https://www.paypal.com/cgi-bin/webscr?cmd=_s-xclick&hosted_button_id=GEAUNSMH5HM9L&source=url

YTD Budget Needed: \$98,571.00

YTD Budget Received: \$79,404.91

YTD Under Budget: -\$19,166.09

We received a \$50 Florida Relief offering.

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**We want to welcome you to our worship service!
We are so happy you are here!**

If you are a visitor, please fill out one of the Connection Cards. If you have a prayer request, please fill out the prayer request section on the other side of the connection cards. Completed cards may be placed in the offering plate.