



MAIN STREET
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

November 17, 2024
Twenty-sixth Sunday after Pentecost

8:45am
Jubilee! Worship Service

Psalm Reading

Psalm 113

Robin Rayfield

Scripture

John 6: 35-39

Lanny Lancaster

Sermon

Lanny Lancaster

“Life in Christ: Christ in Communion”

*We are happy you have joined us for our Jubilee! Worship Service today!
Please sign the Connection Pad so that we may have
a record of your presence.*

TODAY'S JUBILEE WORSHIP LEADERS:

Clay Howard, Jubilee Music Director
Wayne Purdy, Pastor of Youth Ministries
Victoria Smathers, Director of Children's Ministries
Rev. Lanny Lancaster, Senior Pastor

Our Mission: *To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.*
Our Vision: *Fostering vital communities through love and life-changing experiences.*

Let's Worship Together!

Sundays

8:30am less-formal Traditional service in the Sanctuary
8:45am Jubilee Contemporary service in the Chapel
10:55am Traditional Worship service in the Sanctuary

Wednesdays (September-May)

5:30pm Oasis Mid-week Service in the Sanctuary

Thursdays

6:30pm NOW: Night of Worship contemporary service in the Chapel (1st & 3rd Thursdays)

Announcements

THE RED ROSEBUD on the altar in the Chapel is given to the Glory of God and in honor of the birth of Joel Shelton, new son of Justin & Taylor Shelton.

THE RED ROSEBUD on the altar in the Sanctuary is given to the Glory of God and in honor of the birth of Claire England Eidson, new granddaughter of Cooke & Carole Eidson. Parents are David & Betsy Eidson.

A CELEBRATION OF LIFE for MSUMC member Richard Hedgecock will be held at 1:00pm on November 22 at Main Street UMC.

THE WEDNESDAY CONNECT DINNER on **November 20** is Spaghetti Carbonara (*gluten-free entrée is available upon request*). Dinner is served at **5:30pm**. Dining together is a great fellowship opportunity, but if you need to get your meal “to-go”, then we can do that, too! We have disposable takeout containers but we encourage you to bring your own re-usable containers for “to-go” meals. Reservations can be made by: signing a reservation card and placing it in the offering plate; calling the church office at 336-993-3411; emailing Kathryn (kathryn.jenkins@mainstreetumc.org); visiting our website or clicking the link in the Thursday Connections email each week. Reservations for dining in-person or “to-go” must be made by **Monday at noon**. The suggested donation is \$6/adult, \$3/child (10 & under). *Seafarers SS class serving.*

TAKE A HIKE on Tuesday, **November 19**. Meet in the church parking lot at 9 AM.

KERNERSVILLE CHRISTMAS STOCKING FUND CONCERT has a new date: **November 22**, at 7:00 PM. For over 29 years, many of Kernersville’s children and families have been able to wake up on Christmas Morning with gifts under the tree and a special Christmas Feast on the table. This is made possible by the generosity of community members and the donations from the Annual Kernersville Christmas Stocking Fund Concert. This Kernersville Tradition is coming early this year--on Friday, November 22 at 7pm in our Sanctuary. Start the Holiday Season off on a “jolly” foot and join us for this special night of fundraising, music, and merriment on the Friday BEFORE Thanksgiving!

FUNDRAISER LUNCHEON: In the aftermath of Hurricane Helene, our hearts have been called in service to our Brothers and Sisters in Christ in Western NC. On Sunday, **November 24**, the UMM will be hosting a churchwide Hurricane Relief BBQ luncheon that will be served at 11:00 in the Fellowship Hall. Lunch will consist of BBQ Pork, BBQ Chicken, Brunswick Stew, vegetables and desserts. We will be accepting a Love Offering and Cash Donations that will be sent to UMCOR to help supply long term assistance to those affected by the hurricane. Church members are encouraged to bring a friend for this event to experience the Love of Christ and Service to others that Main Street UMC is built upon.

POINSETTIAS AND MEMORIAL GIFTS: A poinsettia may be placed in the church in honor or memory of a friend or loved one. These poinsettias can be ordered through the church office for \$10.00 each. Orders are due no later than **November 24**. You can write a note on an offering envelope and place your payment in the offering plate or you can place your order using the “sign ups” tab at www.mainstreetumc.org. If you would rather make a memorial donation instead of purchasing a poinsettia, there is also an option on the “sign up” to make an Honorarium/Memorial contribution to the Kernersville Christmas Stocking Fund. Poinsettias will be placed in the Sanctuary and Chapel in early December and we will list the gifts (both poinsettias and stocking fund memorials) in the December 17 newsletter.

2025 MINISTRIES OPPORTUNITIES SURVEY: Be sure to pick up a copy of the new *Ministry Opportunities Survey* from the Narthex or Commons and let us know how you would like to share your time and talents with the church. This survey has over sixty opportunities for you to serve and connect with your church family. Survey is also available at mainstreetumc.org under “signups.” Surveys are due by **November 30**.

CANTATA SUNDAY, December 8 at 10:30 am in the Sanctuary, the Music Ministry presents Joel Raney’s “A Thrill of Hope”...a weary world rejoices! Invite your family and friends to come celebrate the birth of Jesus in song at our ONE SERVICE on December 8 at 10:30 am.

JOB OPENING: Main Street UMC is looking for a part-time custodian to work alongside our current custodial staff on Thursdays and Fridays from 7AM – 4PM. Please contact Tina Crew in the Church Office if interested.

MSUMC ORNAMENTS made of pewter with a lovely image of our church in the snow are available from Circle #5 members in the Commons for a suggested donation of \$25; there are only a few left, so get yours today!

Lyrics

Beautiful One

Wonderful, so wonderful
Is your unfailing love
Your cross has spoken mercy over me
No eye has seen no ear has heard
No heart could fully know
How glorious, how beautiful you are
Beautiful one I love you, Beautiful one I adore
Beautiful one my soul must sing
Powerful so powerful
Your glory fills the skies
Your mighty works displayed for all to see

10,000 Reasons (Bless the Lord)

Refrain: Bless the Lord O my soul
O my soul, Worship his holy name
Sing like never before
O my soul, I'll worship your holy name
The sun comes up, It's a new day dawning
It's time to sing your song again
Whatever may pass and whatever lies before me
Let me be singing when the evening comes
Refrain

Thank You

Thank You for Your kindness
Thank You for Your mercy
Thank You for the cross
Thank You for the price You paid

Thank You for salvation
Thank You for unending grace
Thank You for Your hope
Thank You for this life You gave

There is no one like You
There is no one like You, God
All my hope is in You
Jesus, Jesus

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Come Thou Fount of every 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,

The beauty of your majesty
Awakes my heart to see
How marvelous how wonderful you are
Beautiful one I love you, Beautiful one I adore
Beautiful one my soul must sing
Beautiful one I love you, Beautiful one I adore
Beautiful one my soul must sing
You opened my eyes to your wonders anew
You captured my heart with this love
Because nothing on Earth is as beautiful as you
You opened my eyes to your wonders anew
You captured my heart with this love
Because nothing on Earth is as beautiful as you are.

You're rich in love and you're slow to anger
Your name is great and your heart is kind
For all your goodness I will keep on singing
10, 000 reasons for my heart to find

Refrain

And on that day when my strength is failing
The end draws near and my time has come
Still my soul will sing your praise unending
10, 000 years and then forever more

Thank You for Your promise
Thank You for Your favor
And thank You for Your love
And everything You've done for me

There is no one like You
There is no one like You, God
All my hope is in You
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, Jesus

To Your name
We give all the glory
To Your name
We give all the praise

Wandering from the fold of God;
He, to rescue me from danger,
Interposed His precious blood.

Oh, 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, Oh, take and seal it,
Seal it for Thy courts above.

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Seal it for Thy courts above.