

September 14, 2025
Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost
8:45am Jubilee Worship Service
Main Street United Methodist Church



Psalm Reading	Psalm 14	Julie Connell
Scripture	Genesis 1: 1-5, 31, 2: 1-3	Lanny Lancaster
Sermon	“The Creating God”	Lanny Lancaster

TODAY’S JUBILEE WORSHIP LEADERS:

Clay Howard, Jubilee Music Director
Rev. Wayne Purdy, Pastor of Youth Ministries
Rev. Lanny Lancaster, Senior Pastor

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OASIS WORSHIP SERVICE

Come to the Sanctuary at 5:00pm on Wednesdays for an intimate 30-minute service with Holy Communion and prayer led by one of our pastors, with music by Chuck Foster, and a short devotion by a member of our congregation. Our Oasis service is meant to be a time of refreshment and encouragement in the middle of a busy week. Oasis will meet only on weeks that we have the Wednesday Night Connect Dinner.

WEDNESDAY CONNECT DINNER

The entrée on **September 17** is Chicken Marsala (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; emailing Kathryn (kathryn.jenkins@mainstreetumc.org); calling the church office at 336-993-3411; 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). We accept cash, check, or cards. New Horizons SS class serving.

SUNDAY MORNING COUNTER NEEDED

If you are available to help count the morning offering after the late service on the 2nd Sunday of each month, please contact Tina Crew in the Church office. Training is provided and the counter will work with a partner.

HERITAGE CLUB

Everyone is invited to the next event hosted by MSUMC’s Heritage Club on **October 23** for Lunch at Daniel Boone Inn and shopping in Blowing Rock – The van will leave at 9:45am. Cost to ride the van will be \$5.00. Lunch seating is at 11:30 and will cost \$29.88 (includes tax & tip) cash or check only, no debit or credit cards. Reservations are required--deadline to signup is October 20, contact Debbie Smith (336-671-1215).

MAKING CROSSES WORKSHOP

Join Miriam Ward on Monday, **September 15** from 9:30am to 12:30 as we experience a new way of worship—making crosses from found objects! Bring special recycled items from home that are meaningful and then we will take a walk in our local area to collect items from nature before we come back to the church to construct our crosses. More details are in the Aug. 12 newsletter. Contact Kathryn in the Church Office (336-993-3411) to register for this workshop.

SHREDDING

Circle #2 is sponsoring a Shred Event on Saturday, **September 20** from 9am until noon in the church parking lot. Suggested donation is \$5 per box and all proceeds go to benefit local ministries in Kernersville.

YOUNG ADULT ENSEMBLE

Ages 20-50 are Young Adults! The first meeting of this new musical ensemble will be held on **September 21** at 5:00pm. Contact Jill Gardner (336-993-3411) for more information.

CHURCH COUNCIL MEETING

Church Council will meet at 7pm in the Fellowship Hall on **September 25**.

PUMPKIN DELIVERY DAY

It’s hard to believe, but pumpkins are almost here! We need YOUR help to unload the truck on **October 4** at 9:00am. We also need help with volunteer shifts in the pumpkin patch throughout October. Contact Kellie Vinay at the preschool or Victoria Smathers at the church office for more information (336-993-3411).

2026 MINISTRY 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. Surveys are due by **October 15**.

PUBLICATION DEADLINES

Main Street Connections Email requests are due to the church office by 4:00pm on Tuesdays; Bulletin Announcements are due to the church office by noon on Tuesdays; and Newsletter Articles are due by noon on the FIRST Friday of every month.

COLLECTION BOXES

Collection boxes are in the Main Entrance to the Commons for: GOT SNEAKERS—donate used sneakers to be repurposed; HOPE CENTER—donate empty egg cartons, clothing, groceries; BOOKSAPALOOZA—donate new or used books; and CRISIS CONTROL—donate non-perishable food, each month has an item to focus on, September’s items are instant grits and oatmeal.

Lord Reign In Me

Over all the earth you reign on high
Every mountain stream, every sunset sky
But my one request, Lord my only aim
Is that you'd reign in me again

Lord reign in me, reign in your power
Over all my dreams, in my darkest hour
You are the Lord of all I am
So won't you reign in me again

Over every thought, over every word
May my life reflect the beauty of my Lord
Cause you mean more to me than any earthly thing
So won't you reign in me again

Lord, reign in me, reign in Your power
Over all my dreams, in my darkest hour
'Cause You are the Lord of all I am
So won't You reign in me again

Great Are You Lord

You give life, You are love, You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore, Every heart that is broken
And great are You, Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs, So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise, It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

You give life, You are love, You bring light to the darkness
You give hope, You restore (You restore)
Every heart that is broken, Great are You, Lord

It's Your breath in our lungs, So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise, It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

And all the earth will shout Your praise
Our hearts will cry, these bones will sing
Great are You, Lord (sing twice)

It's Your breath in our lungs, So we pour out our praise
We pour out our praise, It's Your breath in our lungs
So we pour out our praise to You only

All Who Are Thirsty

All who are thirsty, all who are weak
come to the fountain
dip your heart in the stream of life
let the pain and the sorrow be washed away,
in the wave of his mercy
as deep cries out to deep, we sing

Come Lord Jesus, come (4 times)

(Repeat)

God of Wonders

Lord of all creation, Lord of water, earth and sky
The heavens are your Tabernacle
Glory to the Lord on high

And God of wonders beyond our galaxy
You are holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy, holy

Lord of heaven and earth, Lord of heaven and earth
So early in the morning, I will celebrate the light
As I stumble in the darkness, I will call your name by night

God of wonders beyond our galaxy
You are holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy, holy

Lord of heaven and earth, Lord of heaven and earth
Lord of heaven and earth, Lord of heaven and earth
Hallelujah! To the Lord of heaven and earth (3x)

The God of wonders beyond our galaxy
You are holy, holy
Precious Lord, reveal Your heart to me
Father, holy, holy
The universe declares Your majesty
You are holy, holy
Holy, holy
Hallelujah! To the Lord of heaven and earth (3x)