

Announcements

Children's Church and Nursery Care is available for children under the age of 10. Children are welcome to stay in worship with their parents.

Dementia Caregiver Support Group meets at Mabscott UMC every third Tuesday of the month.

Mondays @ 7:00 Sunday School Lessons Zoom only (contact Dave Rumberg for connection information)

Tuesdays @ 10:00 Bible Study @ BCUMC and Zoom

Tuesdays: @ 5:00 Choir Practice / **6:00** Hand Bell Practice

March 28 @ 5:00 Pancakes & Parables

April 2 @ 7:00 Maundy Thursday Service/Raleigh Shared & Temple @ BCUMC

April 3 @ 7:00 Good Friday Service/Raleigh Shared & Temple @ UM Temple

Mission Statement for Beckley Community UMC

We aspire to be a Christ centered, spiritually grounded Church. Welcoming and inclusive of all God's children, as we build beloved community and extend mission and ministry through service and generosity.

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Beckley Community United Methodist Church



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Palm Sunday

March 29, 2026

Worship Theme: Through Christ's death, we receive eternal life

Congregation reads together in the **bold** wording. + Means please stand if you are able.

The Prelude Mike Farris

Gathering (Welcome & Announcements) Laura Fygetakes

+ Call to Worship Psalm 118:1, 19, 22-24): Laura Fygetakes

Leader: O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good;

People: his steadfast love endures forever!...

Leader: Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them

People: and give thanks to the LORD.

Leader: The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.

People: This is the LORD's doing; it is marvelous in our eyes.

Leader: This is the day that the LORD has made;

All: let us rejoice and be glad in it.

+Opening "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" UMH #278

Young Disciples Moment Laura Fygetakes

Prayer of the People

Pastoral Prayer

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

First Reading Isaiah 50:4-9 Ron Moreland

+Gospel Reading Matthew 27:33-42 Jan Anderson

The Message "SERVING THE SUFFERING" Rev. Don Stilgenbauer

+Hymn "Beneath the Cross of Jesus" UMH #297

Offering Invitation

+Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH #95

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him
above, he heavenly host; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

Prayer after Receiving

+Closing Hymn "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus" UMH #277

Benediction "GO IN LOVE"

Breakthrough Prayer

Dear God, please break through and open doors to new hopes, dreams, and possibilities for discipleship. We surrender to the power of the Holy Spirit and faithfully follow Christ onto the open road adventure of Your new and unknown future for our ministry. May your will be done! Amen.

Postlude Mike Farris

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