

WELCOME GUESTS AND MEMBERS!

We are so glad you chose to worship Jesus Christ with us today! We would love to know that you were with us. Please fill out this slip, detach it, and drop it in the offering plate.

GUESTS

Name(s) _____

Street Address _____

City/State/ZIP _____

Phone _____

Email _____

I would like to become a member

I would like to become involved in a ministry or mission

I would like the pastor to call me

MEMBERS

List each person present and update any info

Name(s) _____

Street Address _____

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Phone _____

Email _____

PRAYER CONCERNS

Phyllis Austin, Chuck Byers, Wade & Brenda Church, Margaret Cooper, Brenda Dale, **Amy DeSouza, Hendrix Michael DeSouza**, Charles Drum, Hal Emery, Jimmy Epley, Kyson Farley, Ronnie Farley, Craig Freas, Charles Gambill, Terry & Anne Garwood, Cade Gibbs, Jennifer Gibby, **Troy Harmon**, Sherry Harrold, Kimberly Hughes, Francoise Hughes, Shannon Hughes, Mark Johnson, Brenda Kilby, Pam King, Tom Kinlaw, Barbara Kitchen, Aislynn Ladouceur, **Becky Lakey, Mike Mabry**, Bubby McEntire, Janice McHolland, Joe McMillan, **Ricky Moretz**, John Nobles, Glenda Pierce, Adam Randolph, Debbie Reeves, Mary Jane Rich, James Rizoti, Mary Sallie Styers, Gerald Stierwalt, Mary Summerford, Keith Summerford, Amber Thornton, Donnie Thornton, Bob Taylor, Lee Tedder, Kim Tetzlaff, Cecil Walters, TA. Welborn, Dorothy Wilcox, Edgar Wilcox, Derrick Wilson, Becky Wilson, Seth Wilson, Ernie Winslow, Gavin Young, Hispanic neighbors, Ukraine, our planet in crisis, for God to bring Peace, for the hearts our president and our country's leadership to be "strangely warmed" with God's love, those affected by storms, our unhoused,

Family of Jim Day, Troy Hamon (Broken hip) Yadkinville Nursing Center/Magnolias. Dan Parks (Update by Carla Parks) Dan has entered Hospice care. Cards can be sent to 1102 Copper Circle, Mabane, NC 27302

SENIOR LIVING FACILITIES: Brenda Dale (Wilkes Health and Rehab), Cathy Freeman (Harmony at Brookberry Farm/Winston), Wanda Garwood (Rose Glen Village), Barbara Groce (Wilkes Assisted Living), Troy Harmon, Caroline Randolph (The Pines in Davidson)

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK OF

TODAY	Join us for Sunday School at 11am
TUESDAY	Coffee with Karen at Anchor Coffee at 10am.
WEDNESDAY	No Bible Study This Week
FRIDAY	Join the Friday Night Foodies at 5pm today at Cagney's for dinner.

STAFF and LAY SERVANTS

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SOUND TECH:	John Mabry		
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GENERAL CHURCH CONTRIBUTIONS AND EXPENSES

04/1/2026 TITHES & OFFERINGS: \$67,538 EXPENSES: \$76,118



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EASTER SUNDAY

GATHERED IN WORSHIP

APRIL 5, 2026

John 20:1-18 (NRSV)

1 Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. **2** So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him." **3** Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went toward the tomb. **4** The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. **5** He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. **6** Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, **7** and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. **8** Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; **9** for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. **10** Then the disciples returned to their homes. **11** But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; **12** and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. **13** They said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping?" She said to them, "They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him." **14** When she had said this, she turned around and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. **15** Jesus said to her, "Woman, why are you weeping? Whom are you looking for?" Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, "Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away." **16** Jesus said to her, "Mary!" She turned and said to him in Hebrew, "Rabbouni!" (which means Teacher). **17** Jesus said to her, "Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, 'I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God.'" **18** Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, "I have seen the Lord"; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

Sermon Notes:

Easter Lilies 2026 Dedications



GIVEN IN MEMORY OF:

Kathy Benfield

By: Ray Benfield

Pete & Lael Carlton

Ernest & Mildred Winslow

By: Cindy & Ernie Winslow

Sue & Sheldon Davenport

Jane & Paul Rogers

By: Jim & Laura Davenport

Joann Rich & Ed Little

By: Ray & Mary Jane Rich

Becky McMillan

By: McMillan Family

Archie Oakley, Ruth Forrest, Johnny Cox,

& Jeana Oakley

By: Debra & Gilbert Cox

Mack & Mary Patton

Ed & Dorothy Durick

By: John, Carol, Mary & James Patton

Carter Perkins

By: Carol Perkins

Hugh & Jo Stetler

By: Jean Stetler

David Taylor

By: Jan Taylor

GIVEN IN HONOR OF:

Dustin Mullins

Mackenzie McLaughlin

By: Debra & Gilbert Cox