Brookstown United Methodist Church
Reverend James T. Webb, Jr.



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November 15, 2026
6274 Yadkinville Road
Pfafftown, NC 27040

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25th Sunday after Pentecost **November 15, 2026**

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Nursery (3 & under), Children (4-11), and Youth (12-17) Sunday School/Worship Classes meet in the upstairs classrooms at 11am.
PARENTS, please accompany your child(ren) to their class & sign them in.

Preparation for Worship

Open our spiritual eyes, blessed Lord,
that we may catch a glimpse of Your holiness.

Order of Worship

Ringing of the Bell

Prelude

Lighting of the Candles

Greeting & Announcements

***Hymn No. 117**
"O God, Our Help in Ages Past"

Thanksgivings & Prayer Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Choral Anthem

Sermon

***Hymn No. 67**
"We, Thy People, Praise Thee"

***Benediction**

***Closing Music**

***Postlude**

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**Please stand in body or in spirit, as you are able.*

Scripture Readings

Judges 4:1-7 ~ Psalm 123 ~ 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 ~ Matthew 25:14-30

Welcome to Worship

Friends in Christ, it's a joy to be with each other today for worship!
Please welcome one another with a sign of Christ's peace.

Announcements

Flowers have been placed in our services today to the glory of God by Becky Payne, in memory of her paternal grandmother, Susie Jane Thomas. It's a special 70+ year-old Thanksgiving/Christmas cactus that was passed from Grandmother Thomas to Becky's mother, who passed it on to Becky.

A Special Thank You

Thank you to all who helped prepare and participated in our Veterans Day Celebration. It was a great night! Each and every person brought such joy to my heart and the children were very inspired. It was a blessed event!

~ Marsha Campbell, Children's Ministry Coordinator

CHILDREN'S MUSIC PRACTICE: Children ages 3-10 will practice in the choir room at 11am Sundays, Nov. 15, 22 and Dec. 6. Their Christmas Program will be Sunday, December 13 at the 11am Worship Service. See Marsha Campbell or Kelli Rush to confirm.

HANGING OF THE GREENS PRACTICE: Today, November 15 in the sanctuary, immediately after the 11am Worship Service. The Children & Youth will host this service again this year on **Sunday, November 29 at 11am** to prepare the church for the beautiful season of Advent. If you'd like to help, let Jonna Lasley know (336-995-2861).

UNITED WOMEN IN FAITH MEETING: This Wednesday, November 18 at 11am in the Fellowship Hall, with a potluck lunch and program "Thanks for Every Part"; we will also collect our World Thank Offering. All women are invited to join us.

CHARGE CONFERENCE: Sunday, November 22 at 12:15pm at Brookstown, followed by potluck lunch. Then we will move outside for our Annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony. See the following announcement.

12th ANNUAL CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING: Sunday, November 22, following the potluck lunch. Join us as we gather around The Brookstown Christmas Tree, given in memory of Pete and Jo Thomas by their daughter Becky Payne and family, as a reminder of their love and support of their church.

POINSETTIAS: It's time to order poinsettias for Advent worship services. **Orders will be taken through Sunday, November 22**. Order forms are in the narthex and in your November newsletter. Proceeds benefit the Children & Youth Ministries.

COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING SERVICE: Wednesday, November 25, 7pm at Bethlehem A.M.E. Zion Church.

MARINE CORPS TOYS FOR TOTS: Collecting thru December 1. See the flyer in your bulletin for details (on back of Prayer List).

2026 Giving Tree

This year our "Giving Tree" for the Christmas season is a Senior Angel Tree. Many older adults in our community find basic household essentials hard to come by due to limited finances and/or access to transportation. These items play a vital role in helping seniors remain safely in their homes.

The Senior Angel Tree is available at our services on Sundays, and will be in the Fellowship Hall during the week, through December 13. The tags on the Giving Tree have items from Senior Service's Wish List of needs that will help our local seniors.

Please take a tag and sign your name on the list beside the tree. Place your unwrapped gifts on the table in the hall past Lavonda's office. If you are unable to shop, you may give money, which will be used to buy items from the list. Make checks payable to BUMC. Again, these gifts will be collected through Sunday, December 13.

Crisis Control Gifts of the Month

Baking Items (Cooking Oil, Baking Mixes, etc.)
For Kids: "Little Bites" Snack Cakes & Cookies
There are containers at the church entrances for donations.

Stewardship November 8

Church Attendance

Worship Services: 8:30: 22 **~ 10:00:** 22 **~ 11:00:** 42
Adult Sunday School: 8 **~ Children & Youth Sunday School:** 6
Veteran's Day Celebration Service: 65

Financial

Tithes & Offerings: $1,820 ~ **Other Gifts:** $56 ~ **Total:** $1,876

Weekly Calendar

Sundays	8:30am	Worship Service in Fellowship Hall & Live on Facebook
	10:00am	Worship in Fellowship Hall; Adult Sunday School
	11:00am	Worship Service in Sanctuary & Live on Facebook; Children & Youth Sunday School
Tuesdays	6:30pm	Tai Chi Exercise Class, Fellowship Hall
Wednesdays	7:00pm	Choir Practice

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