

ORDER OF WORSHIP

June 30, 2019

11:00 A.M.

Our Mission: *Follow Jesus, Make Disciples, Transform the World*

PRELUDE MUSIC

CHORAL CALL TO WORSHIP

Open Your Heart

Choir

THE LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

{Please take a moment to register your attendance on the pew pads. Your faithfulness helps us keep up with those in worship. Guests please also fill out the pew card you will find in the racks on the pews and drop them in the offering plate so that we can get to know you! Thank you for your attendance today!}

***TIME OF GREETING**

{Please extend a word of welcome and a hand of hospitality to each other.}

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

Are You Washed in the Blood? (words on screen)

MORNING PRAYER

{Prayer cards are available in the pews. If you have or know of a prayer concern that needs to be brought to the pastor's and/or congregation's attention, please fill out the prayer card and place it in the offering plate. Prayers will be lifted up.}

PRELUDE TO PRAYER

Do You Know My Jesus (C&W, #8)

Have you a heart that's weary, tending a load of care? Are you a soul that's seeking, rest from the burden you bear? Do you know my Jesus? Do you know my friend? Have you heard, He loves you, and that He will abide till the end?

THE LORD'S PRAYER

(In Unison)

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, the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

STEWARDSHIP AND OFFERTORY

Psalm 107:22 *Let them sacrifice thank offerings and tell of his works with songs of joy.*

OFFERTORY

The Lily of the Valley

THE OFFERTORY PRAYER

(In Unison)

Heavenly Father, we thank you for all that you have given us. If we were to begin to praise you and thank you for all you have done for us, we could never finish because you have been so generous to us. Thank you for these gifts that we can offer to you today. We give these gifts today to say thank you for calling us your own and leading us to live as your children in this world. Please accept these gifts as pleasing to you. May these gifts be useful in your service, in your kingdom in this world that Jesus would be glorified in all ways. Come Holy Spirit into our hearts and lives. In Jesus Name we pray! Amen.

ANTHEM

Ivory Palaces

Choir

SCRIPTURE READING

(In Unison)

Romans 6:3-11 *Or have you forgotten that when we were joined with Christ Jesus in baptism, we joined him in his death? ⁴ For we died and were buried with Christ by baptism. And just as Christ was raised from the dead by the glorious power of the Father, now we also may live new lives. ⁵ Since we have been united with him in his death, we will also be raised to life as he was. ⁶ We know that our old sinful selves were crucified with Christ so that sin might lose its power in our lives. We are no longer slaves to sin. ⁷ For when we died with Christ we were set free from the power of sin. ⁸ And since we died with Christ, we know we will also live with him. ⁹ We are sure of this because Christ was raised from the dead, and he will never die again. Death no longer has any power over him. ¹⁰ When he died, he died once to break the power of sin. But now that he lives, he lives for the glory of God. ¹¹ So you also should consider yourselves to be dead to the power of sin and alive to God through Christ Jesus.*

SERMON

We Believe in the New Birth
Series: We Believe

Rev. Kari L. Howard

CONGREGATIONAL REAFFIRMATION OF THE BAPTISMAL COVENANT

Introduction

Renunciation of Sin and Profession of Faith

Pastor: And so I ask you, will you turn away from the powers of sin and death?

People: We renounce the spiritual forces of wickedness, Reject the evil powers of this world, And repent of our sin!

Pastor: Will you live in the freedom from sin and power of the Holy Spirit to resist the evil of this world that would try to pull you back into bondage?

People: We accept the freedom and power God gives us To resist evil, injustice, and oppression In whatever forms they present themselves!

Pastor: Will you proclaim the good news and live as disciples of Jesus Christ, his body on earth?

People: We confess Jesus Christ as our Savior, put our whole trust in his grace, and promise to serve him as our Lord, in union with the church which Christ has opened to people of all ages, nations, and races!

Pastor: Will you be living witnesses to the gospel, individually and together, wherever you are, and in all that you do?

People: We will remain faithful members of Christ's holy church And serve as Christ's representatives in the world.

Pastor: Since we confess and believe these promises, let us join together in professing the Christian faith as contained in the Scriptures of the Old and New Testaments. So I ask all of you present today: Do you believe in God the Father?

People: I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth.

Pastor: Do you believe in Jesus Christ?

People: I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living and the dead.

Pastor: Do you believe in the Holy Spirit?

People: I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. (*universal)

Thanksgiving Over the Water

Pastor: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Pastor: Let us pray. Eternal Father: When nothing existed but chaos, you swept across the dark waters and brought forth light. In the days of Noah you saved those on the ark through water. After the flood you set in the clouds a rainbow. When you saw your people as slaves in Egypt, you led them to freedom through the sea. Their children you brought through the Jordan to the land which you promised.

People: Sing to the Lord, all the earth. Tell of God's mercy each day.

Pastor: In the fullness of time you sent Jesus, nurtured in the water of a womb. He was baptized by John and anointed by your Spirit. He called his disciples to share in the baptism of his death and resurrection and to make disciples of all nations.

People: Declare Christ's works to the nations, his glory among all the people.

Pastor: Pour out your Holy Spirit, to bless this gift of water and those who receive it, to wash away their sin and clothe them in righteousness throughout their lives, that, dying and being raised with Christ, they may share in his final victory.

People: All praise to you, Eternal Father, through your Son Jesus Christ, who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns forever. Amen.

Reaffirmation of Faith

Pastor: Remember your baptism and be thankful.

People: Amen.

Pastor: The Holy Spirit work within you, that having been born through water and the Spirit, you may live as faithful disciples of Jesus Christ.

People: Amen.

{During our time of remembrance, the ushers will guide you to the altar where the baptismal font is prepared. You are invited to come and touch the water with your fingers and hands, and then touch your forehead or hands or lips in a way meaningful to you to express thankfulness of your Christian baptism. Then proceed to the altar or to your seats to pray. This is a time of reflection and thankfulness of our baptism and a reaffirmation of our faith.}

Reception of New Member into the West Bend UMC Congregation

(We welcome Kerri Beth Frazier forward for membership into the West Bend UMC family. Those wishing to stand with her may come forward to the altar when she comes.)

Congregational response:

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and we welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the body of Christ and in the West Bend United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant faithfully to participate in the ministries of the church by our prayers, our presence, our gifts, our service, and our witness, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

***HYMN OF DEDICATION**

In The Garden (#62 Cokesbury, words on screen)

***THE BENEDICTION AND SENDING FORTH**

"Therefore, dear friends, since we have such promises, let us cleanse ourselves from every impurity, of the flesh and spirit, completing our sanctification in the fear of God," and may the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, be with you now, and remain with you always. Amen. {Based on 2 Corinthians 7:1}

***RECESSIONAL**

Don't Go Away Without Jesus (Refrain) (C&W, #54)

When trials and troubles surround you, The road seems eternally long, Your life seems a meaningless, wasted way, And everything seems to go wrong. O don't go away without Jesus, O don't go away without Him; You know He is willing to save you, And cleanse from your heart every sin. O yield to His offer of mercy; O take of the grace He imparts, And don't go away without Jesus In your heart.

***POSTLUDE**

**Please stand as you are able.*

MESSAGE NOTES:

Mainline: We Believe in the _____ of the _____ in Jesus Christ.

John 3:3-7

Baptism is a symbol of the New Birth in these ways:

1. Baptism signifies our _____ in Jesus.

Matthew 3:13-17, 1 Peter 2:21

2. Baptism is a sign of God's _____.

Romans 5:8-11, Romans 6:22-23

3. Baptism is a symbol of our _____ of and _____ from _____.

Romans 6:1-11, Colossians 2:12

4. Baptism demonstrates our commitment as _____ of Jesus.

Matthew 28:19, Acts 2:37-41, Hebrews 6:1-2

Church Calendar

Sunday, June 30

9:30 AM Young Adult Sunday School
 9:45 AM Sunday School
 10:30 AM Choir Warm Up
 10:55 AM Prayer at altar
 11:00 AM Worship
 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM Handbell Practice

Tuesday, July 2

10:00 AM Bulletin Deadline
Table of Grace Closed for Holiday

Thursday, July 4, & Friday, July 5

Happy 4th of July!
Office Closed for Holiday



GET ME TO CHURCH SUNDAYS JUNE, JULY & AUGUST

Excuse proof yourself from
summer participation.

*Don't want to dress up?
Coming in from the beach or lake?
Too Hot?
Don't worry...come as you are!*

We will have Casual Sundays, Camp
Meeting Style Music (Old Fashioned Hymn
Singing), & Special Services throughout
the summer.

Upcoming:
Wayne Euliss as Elvis will also make an
appearance on July 28.
We will enjoy a cookout after
Our Back to School worship with the
Shiloh Creek Girls, Blessing of the
Backpacks and a lot more on August 11.
You don't want to miss
the excitement!

Lemonade, water, and light snacks will
also be available for you to enjoy each
Sunday! Invite your friends!
Make no excuses!

July Community Needs

CUOC: Manwich
Hospice: Snacks, Travel Size Toiletries

Special Thanks To Our Worship Associates for June

Lector: Rita Lanier
 Announcements: Laurie Hunt
 Musician: April Brown
 Music: Choir, Handbells
 Ushers: Clay Hill, Derrick Hill,
 Denny Reinhardt
 Sunday School Nursery:
 Wanda Stout, Linda Burrow
 Communion Stewards: Susann Camp,
 Laurie Hunt, Carol Petty, Rita Lanier
 Opening & Closing: Dave Camp
 Media: Lora Hill
 CUOC Deliveries: Cindy Ingold



Our Church Family

Clarence Davis
 Ed Hinkel
 Juanita Porche

Our Family & Friends

Angie Isenhour
 Vicki Freeman

Assisted & Skilled Living Residents

Carillon, Asheboro
 Ramona Shephard

Clapp's, Asheboro
 Daffie Branson
 Ruby Howard

Cross Roads, Asheboro
 Rene Overton
 Joe Thomas

North Pointe, Archdale
 Lib Howell

Somerset, Mocksville
 Bernice Dwigins

Universal, Ramseur
 Ann Suggs

Woodland Hills, Asheboro
 Kim Shaw

Our Military

Kasey Ingold
 Logan Morris

Others

Our Church
 Our Country
 Revival
 Unchurched

*Prayer requests will be left on for 2
weeks unless specified for a longer
time.*

If you need assistance hearing during our
worship service, please see the sound tech
in the back of the church before worship.

We have ear buds
you can use during worship!

Welcome Guests!

We would like to extend a warm
West Bend welcome to our visitors
today. We hope you will plan to
worship with us again and
consider joining
our church family.

The Nursery and restrooms are
located through the double doors
up the steps behind the sanctuary
and the handicap restroom is
through the double doors in the
chapel.

Please feel free to join in any of our
ministries. If you have any
questions about the church, the
pastor's e-mail address and phone
number are located in the staff
section.

We are a community in which
questions are welcome, the dress
code is whatever you have on, and
the grace of God revealed in Jesus
matters above all else.

Ministry Staff

Ministers	Every Member
Pastor	Rev. Kari L. Howard
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Lay Leader	Mrs. Laurie Hunt
Janitor	Mr. Tim Burrow

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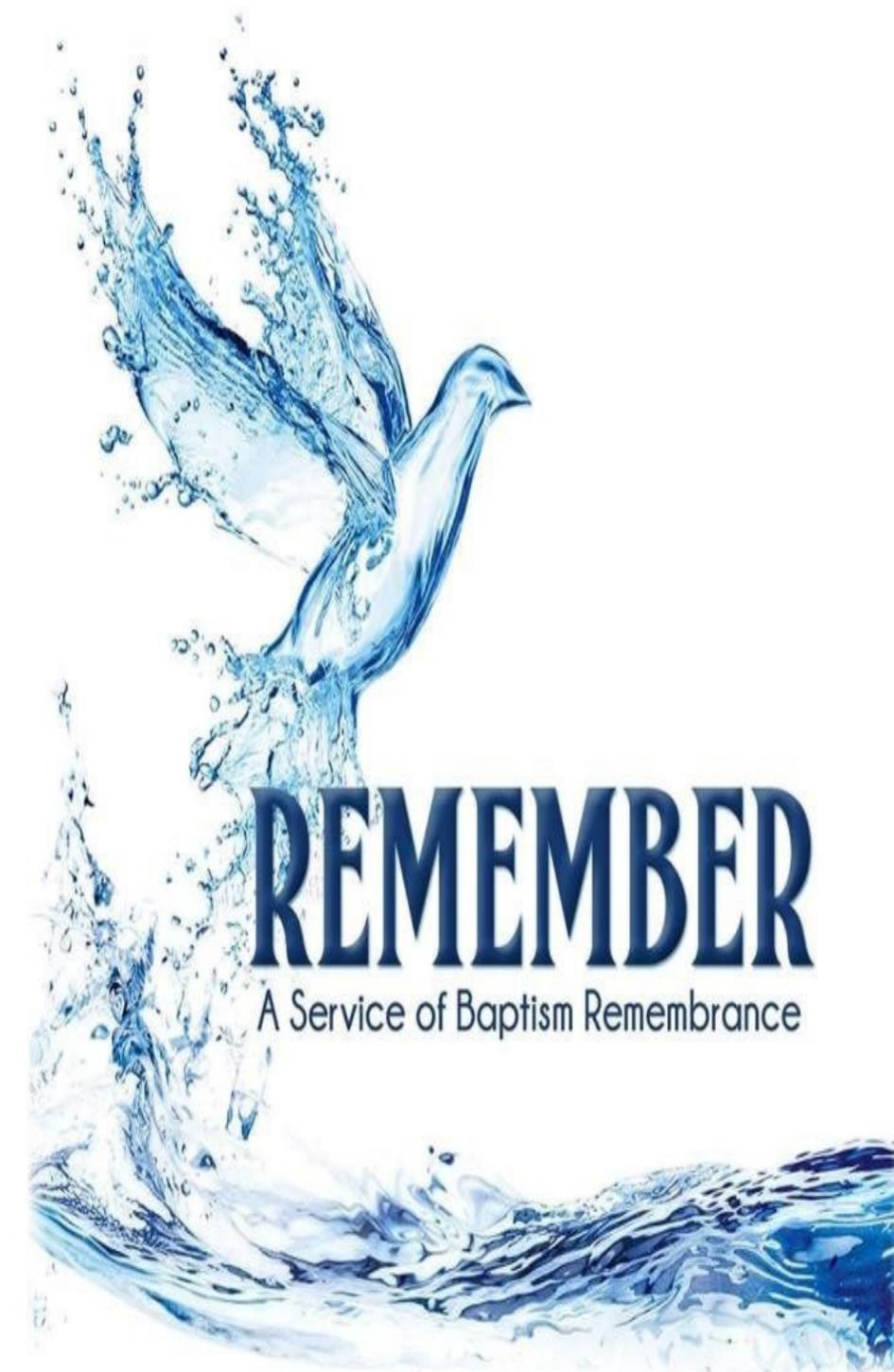
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110 Years and Counting!

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**WEST BEND
U.M. CHURCH**
11 AM SUNDAYS
 1080 Albemarle Rd.
 Asheboro, NC
Please join us!

**Help Advertise Your Church
to your neighbors!**

Yard Signs like the pic above are
available for \$10 each.

Please see Rita Lanier in the church
office after church or come by the
church office and see Debra during
the week if you would like to
purchase one to display in your front
yard.

Thanks!

Budget Weekly Stewardship Update

Budget Needed To Date	\$60,240
Budget Received To Date	\$46,647
	-\$13,593

Budget Received Last Week: \$1,360

Budget Offering Needed Each Week: \$2,510

Thank you for your gifts.