



Welcome to

# **WESLEY MEMORIAL**

A UNITED METHODIST CONGREGATION

Our purpose is to make and sustain  
spiritually healthy followers of Jesus Christ  
who live in ways that transform the world.

**Sunday, August 25, 2019**



Traditional Worship in the Chapel

**8:30 am**

Contemporary Worship in the Fellowship Hall

**9:45 am**

Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

**11:00 am**

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# The Worship of God

Chapel

August 25, 2019

8:30 am

## OPENING VOLUNTARY

*Tallis' Canon* ..... Thomas Tallis

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### † CALL TO WORSHIP

Come to Christ, our rock...

**Our refuge and our strength.**

Come to listen for God...

**Our wisdom and our truth.**

Come to receive the Spirit...

**The breath of life itself.**

### † OPENING PRAYER

The Lord be with you.

**And also with you.**

Let us pray.

**Still-speaking God, open our ears to hear your voice;**

**open our minds to perceive your wisdom; and open our eyes**

**to recognize your healing love and your powerful presence. Amen.**

### † HYMN No. 731

*Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken* ..... AUSTRIA

### † AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

UM Hymnal No. 881

**I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and 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, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. 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. Amen.**

### † GLORIA PATRI

UM Hymnal No. 70

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;**

**as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen Amen.**

## FIRST LESSON

Isaiah 6:1-8 (OT pg. 635)

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Response:

Lord in your mercy, **hear our prayer.**

## 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.**

## Welcome!

Thank you for worshipping with us this morning! Please take a moment to sign the attendance notebooks during the announcements. If this is your first time, please leave your contact information and a pastor will contact you this week with more information about our church. Also, help yourself to a blue Wesley Memorial tote bag as our gift to you. Inside you will find information about our church. Check out our website at [www.wesleymemorial.org](http://www.wesleymemorial.org) and subscribe to our monthly newsletter or Wesley Weekly email blast for the latest events and opportunities!

**Dr. J. Warren Smith,** Associate Professor of Historical Theology at Duke Divinity School, is a graduate of Emory University and Yale University. He is the author of *The Lord's Prayer: Confessing the New Covenant* (Cascade Books, 2015). Dr. Smith is also a United Methodist minister from the North Carolina Annual Conference. Dr. Smith and his wife, Kimberly Doughty, live in Durham with their children, Katherine and Thomas. His interests outside of Duke Divinity School include hiking, studying the American Civil War and 19th century British history, and ACC basketball (men's and women's). **There will be a reception following our 11 am service so you can have an opportunity to meet Dr. Smith.**

**Service Notes:**  
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**GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**OFFERTORY**

**† DOXOLOGY No. 94**

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow*.....LASST UNS ERFREUEN  
**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below;  
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose  
power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**† PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**† HYMN No. 465**

*Holy Spirit, Truth Divine*.....CANTERBURY

**SECOND LESSON**

John 17: 1, 6, 11-19 (NT Pg. 111)

**SERMON**

*"Hallowing the Lord's Name"* Dr. J. Warren Smith

**† HYMN No. 395**

*Take Time to Be Holy*.....HOLINESS

**† BENEDICTION**

**CLOSING VOLUNTARY**

*Paean*.....Michael McCabe

† Please stand as you are able.

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Sanctuary

August 25, 2019

11 am

## OPENING VOLUNTARY

*Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*.....Albert L. Travis

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## INTROIT

*In Thee Is The Fountain Of Life*.....Eleanor Daley

Chancel Choir

*In Thee is the fountain of life; in Thy light shall we see light.*

*Please stand as you are able.*

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*"In Thee is the Fountain of Life"* was purchased for the glory of God by Anthem Angels Lou Anne and Dan Hamilton in loving memory of Louise Zimmerman.

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### GIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*Go Not Far From Me, O God* ..... Niccolo Antonio Zingarelli  
Chancel Choir

*Go not far from me, O God; cast me not away in the time of age; forsake me not when my strength faileth me. O let my mouth be filled with Thy praise, that I may sing of Thy glory and honor all the day long.*

*Please stand as you are able.*

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### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

### HYMN No. 582

*Whom Shall I Send?* ..... DEUS TUORUM MILITUM

*Please be seated.*

### SECOND LESSON

John 17: 1, 6, 11-19 (NT Pg. 111)

### SERMON

*"Hallowing the Lord's Name"*

Dr. J. Warren Smith

*Please stand as you are able.*

### HYMN No. 395

*Take Time to Be Holy* ..... HOLINESS

### BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

*Amen* ..... Dale Grotenhuis  
Chancel Choir

### CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

### CLOSING VOLUNTARY

*Paeon* ..... Michael McCabe

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**August Ushers:** Scott Dunbar, Windley Dunbar, Barbara Frye, Miles Gurley, Jane Harriss, Stuart Nunn, Tom Smothers.

**Greeter:** Laney Morris



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A poster for 'The Legend of Captain Jim Is Magic'. It features a pirate character, Captain Jim, standing with a sword. The text reads: 'THE LEGEND OF CAPTAIN JIM IS MAGIC MASTER OF TRICKERY & TALL TALES AN EXCITING, FAMILY FRIENDLY, FEEL GOOD SHOW'. At the bottom, in large red letters: 'FUN FOR EVERYONE—This morning! 9:45 am in the Dining Hall'.A poster for 'Prayer as a Way of Life'. It features a close-up of hands clasped in prayer against a blue wooden background. The text reads: 'Prayer as a Way of Life A Joint Sunday School Class for Adults Aldersgate-Miller Classroom Led by Jacob Lancaster, Melissa Lowe, Jessica Nelson, Barry Osborne, and Jeff Patterson All Adults are Welcome! Sunday Mornings June 16 - September 1 9:45 am - 10:40 am'.

## The Compassion Experience September 6-9 *(in the Front Circle)*

This interactive, immersive display allows you to step into the life of a child who has suffered under the crippling weight of poverty. In the span of 20 minutes, you will travel with that child from hardship to hope. Free and appropriate for all ages. Walk-ins are also welcome. (*Strollers not allowed inside exhibit*).

To REGISTER FOR EVENT or to VOLUNTEER:

**[compassionexperience.com](http://compassionexperience.com)**

Questions about  
**Senior Adult (60+) Ministries?**

Please contact **Susan Sumpter** at  
**336.848.4128** OR **susan.m.sumpter@gmail.com**



**WALK TO  
END  
ALZHEIMER'S**  
alzheimer's association

**Saturday, September 7**  
**High Point Seniors' Walk**  
Wesley Memorial UMC  
25 Chestnut Drive, High Point, NC  
9:00 am Registration  
10:00 am Gathering  
10:15 Walk Begins

Family  
Fun for  
ALL

**Choice of  
Walking Paths**

Indoors—Dining Hall

Outdoors— Campus Sidewalks

**Bake Sale**

**Free Hotdog Lunch**

 **RED CROSS  
BLOOD DRIVE**

Sunday  
September 8  
8:30 am—1:30 pm; Dining Hall  
make an appointment on-line  
[www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org)  
sponsor code: wesley

Refreshments  
provided by the  
**Chancel Choir.**

Sponsored by  
**Circle 6 of  
United Methodist  
Women.**

Questions or to make an appointment **Glenda Miller 336.870.4513**

**Rise**  
**AGAINST HUNGER**

food • community • sustainability

**Meal Packing Event**

**Sunday, September 15**

**2:00—5:00 pm , Dining Hall**

**(Kona Ice Truck at 4:00)**

**Thanks & Praise...**

...to our guest preacher this morning, **The Reverend Dr. Warren J. Smith**, Associate Professor of Historical Theology at Duke Divinity School. Dr. Smith is preaching at all 3 services this morning.

**Our Sympathies...**

...to Andy Beck and family upon the death of his mother, **Rachel "Rae" Beck Logan**, on August 14, 2019.

...to the family of **Patricia "Pat" Morakis** upon her death on August 17, 2019.

**Announcements**

If you would like to sponsor an **orchestra instrument** when they are used in worship in honor or memory or a loved one, contact **Anne Carroll**. Your sponsorship will be announced in the bulletin and your loved one mentioned.

**Open Door Ministry—Our Father's Table** needs volunteers to fill food trays for dinners. 3-4 adults are needed on the 3rd Monday and 2nd Tuesday of the month from 5:30—7:30 pm. Contact **Myra Snider** at 336.803.1403 to sign up.

**Financial Update**  
at 8.19.2019

**Income** \$1,136,466  
**Expense** (\$1,219,930)  
**NET** (\$83,464)



## This Week at Wesley Memorial: **August 25 –31**

### **Sunday, August 25—MOVE UP SUNDAY ▲**

Horizon Praise Team Rehearsal, 8:15 am,  
*Fellowship Hall*

Traditional Worship, 8:30 am, *Chapel*

Contemporary Worship, 9:45 am, *Fellowship Hall*

Children, Student & Adult Sunday School, 9:45 am

Traditional Worship, 11:00 am, *Sanctuary*

### **Monday, August 26**

**AA Meeting**, 8:00 pm, *D208*

**Nar-Anon Meeting**, 8:00 pm, *D212*

### **Tuesday, August 27**

Stewardship Team, 4:00 pm, *Circle View Room*

### **Wednesday, August 28**

Caring Ministry, 1:15pm, *Circle View*

Prayer Shawl Ministry, 1:30 pm, *Arts & Crafts Room*

Vespers, 6:00 pm, *Chapel*

Chancel Choir, 6:45 pm, *Choir Room*

### **Thursday, August 29**

Nominations & Leadership Development/Strategic  
Planning Teams, 6:30 pm, *Conference Room #3*

**AA Meeting**, 8:00 pm, *D208*

**AL-Anon Meeting**, 8:00 pm, *D212*

### **Saturday, August 231**

Horizon Praise Team Rehearsal, 9:00 am,  
*Fellowship Hall*

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Susan Kelley, Associate Director

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WMUMC has established a policy designed to protect our children and students when they are attending or visiting Wesley Memorial's facilities and sponsored events.

### **Student Ministries Fall Retreat**

**Friday, September 27—Sunday, September 29**

**Amazing island get away experience**

**Positive interaction with strong Christian leaders**

**Hanging out with 1000+ students**

**Gospel centered teaching & solid worship**

**REGISTER TODAY**

**[www.wesleymemorial.org/students](http://www.wesleymemorial.org/students)**



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with a pastor.**

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