

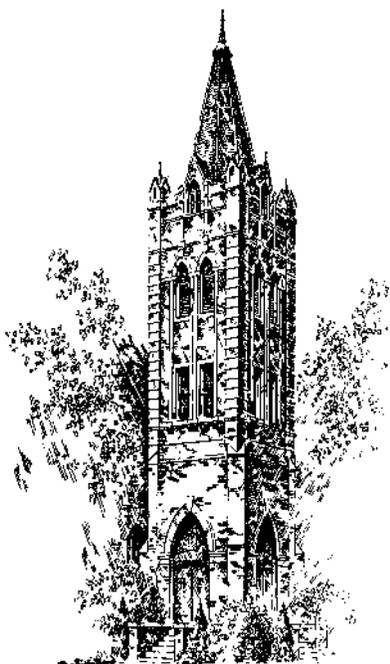
Laurinburg Presbyterian Church

21st Sunday after Pentecost

All Saints Sunday

November 2, 2025

Our Mission: To Be The Word In Action



Founded 1859

Rev. Rebekah Carpenter, Senior Pastor
Holly Albrecht, Director of Christian Education
Dr. José Rivera, Director of Music
Lee Harris, Organist

SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Eleven o' clock

Please pass the Friendship Pad found at the end of the pew and return it to its starting place. If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we invite you to leave your contact information on the pad. This will give us the opportunity to share with you the work and witness of our community of faith—and to welcome you into our midst!

Welcome and Announcements

Alex Bryant, Seminary Student

Prelude

"For All the Saints Who From Their Labors Rest "

by Wilbur Held

*Call to Worship

David Bounds

Pastor: Those who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength.

People: They shall mount up with wings as eagles;

Pastor: They shall run and not be weary;

People: They shall walk and not faint.

Pastor: In the company of all God's saints and pilgrims, come and worship.

People: We come with prayer and praise to find our strength renewed!

*Invocation

*Hymn of Praise #463

"How Firm a Foundation"

Foundation

Invitation to Confession

Corporate Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, you have been faithful to us in every generation. Yet we confess that we are not so faithful to you. We shrink from costly discipleship and we seek cheap grace. Forgive our fleeting enthusiasms and our shallow commitments. And guide us always with the love and mercy we witness in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Congregational Response #581 *"Glory Be to the Father"*

*Passing of the Peace

"May the peace of Christ be with you."

"And also with you."

Time with Children

Dr. Hillary Sessions

(sung twice: once in unison, once as a canon, beginning with the pulpit side)

TALLIS' CANON

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way Through
 this and ev - ery com - ing day, That in Your Spir - it
 strong and true Our lives may be our gift to You.

text: Mary Jackson Cathey, 1986
 music: Thomas Tallis, adapt. Parker's *Whole Psalter*, c.1561

Prayer for Illumination

Scripture

Ephesians 1:11-23

Commentary on The Word

“When the Saints Go Marchin’”

Alex Bryant

Recognition of the Saints Departed

Robert Dyer

Anthem

“For All the Saints”

Vaughn Williams
Sine Nomine

Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer

An Invitation to Give

Offertory

“Rejoice in God’s Saints”

David Cherwien

*The Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

Hymn of Parting #394 *“Christ Is Made the Sure Foundation”*

Westminster Abbey

*Charge and Benediction

(Why we sit for the Postlude- The Prelude and Postlude begin and conclude our corporate worship. The first allows us to meditate as we transfer from private worship to group worship, while the Postlude gives us the time and opportunity to translate what we have learned and experienced in the church service into our private lives and plans for the week. If you must leave before it ends, please exit reverently.)

Postlude

“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”

Michael Burkhardt

*Those who are able are requested to stand.

“For all the Saints, who from their labors rest...”

We remember LPC members:

Clinton V. Willis	Norma McKeithan
James (Sunbeam) Sutherland	Jane Somerville
Daniel McDonald, III	Douglas Hix
Claudia "Sis" Thomas	LeGette McLean
Duncan "Mackey" John McCormick III	Peggy Medlin

Prayer List (Names of those on the prayer list will remain for one month, unless a family member calls Lisa with an update, or the Pastor has visited the person. Thank you for the way you care for the Laurinburg Church family.)

- The Dean family, upon the death of Kirsten’s father, Herk Sims.
- The family of LeGette McLean.
- Goode Mobley, currently admitted at SMH.
- Carol Edwards, recovering from back surgery.
- Charles Liles, recovering from surgery.
- Hart Sessions, broken arm.
- Randy Miller, dealing with health concerns.
- Meredith Bounds, chemotherapy.
- Ashleigh Bailey & Family (Sutherlands) Deployed with the Military
- Barbara Salzlein, continuing health concerns.
- Beth Newbold, continuing health concerns.

Friends of Congregation

- Dan Woerner, former member and administrator of the McKay Sisters Foundation, recovering from spine surgery.
- Jerrod Lowry, General Presbyter, (Colon Cancer, Stage 3, Chemotherapy, waiting on 2nd Surgery)
- Janet McQueen, Mother of Alex Bryant, Cancer treatment
- Sara Tezzi, granddaughter of Sammy and Linda Simmons
- Fletcher Kendall, Atlanta. 7-year-old grandson of Paul & Judy Rush, Leukemia
- Sammy Townsend, Liberty Commons Nursing, Sanford.

Scotia Village Skilled Nursing

Anne Ramsay Melton, Elizabeth McIntosh
Goode Mobley (Memory)

Scotia Village Assisted Living (Heather Glen)

Daphne Gaw, John and Henrietta Carmichael, Jean Clansky, Sibyle Dulin, Bob Gordon

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The flowers this Sunday are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of LeGette McLean by the family.

Congregational Meeting Today- A congregational meeting for the purpose of electing Elders and Deacons will be held immediately following the worship service. LPC members, please plan to stay for just a few minutes to vote.

The following individuals have agreed to be placed in nomination for the position of:

Elder to serve a three-year term:

Hew Fulton
Jane McLaurin
Jim McQueen
Leslie Sellers

Deacon to serve a three-year term:

Chris Carmichael
Carol Coughenour
Tom Draper
Rachel Nalewaja

Continuing to serve as congregational members of the Nominating Committee:

Brian Bounds
Beverly Bowling
Katie Clark

Weird Request from the CN&E Committee- please save your plastic lids of all sizes, shapes, and colors. We have a project that requires thousands of lids! Place them in the buckets in the office and outside of the sanctuary.

Presbyterian Women Missionary Project

As cooler weather approaches, the middle school nurses have identified the following items as specific needs for their students: Sweatpants and coats without hoods for male and female middle school students, and camisoles (tank tops) for the girls. Please bring your donations to the church office or your circle meeting.

The FUN adults Sunday School Class meets Sundays at 9:45 am. To participate remotely, visit Zoom.com. The Meeting ID is 864 8139 8937 and the passcode is 945025

Support Cub Scout Pack 420 and Boy Scout Troop 420 of Laurinburg Presbyterian Church by purchasing car wash gift cards! Valued at \$30 but available for just \$10, these gift cards are a great way to contribute to the scouts' activities and adventures. They make perfect stocking stuffers for the holidays. You can pick up your gift cards from the church office – don't miss out on this great deal while helping a worthy cause!

Join us for Peacemakers, November 2nd 5:00-6:30pm. Games, music, dinner, Bible Stories, and more. With the help of a young boy, Jesus fed the five thousand. How can we share our resources to feed our neighbors? Be a part of Peacemakers and help change the world. Peacemakers is for children through 5th grade. A gift has been given to Church Community Service from your generous votes for your favorite Jack-O-

Lantern. Thank you for supporting SPY (Scotland Presbyterian Youth). SPY meets Sunday, November 9th at Trinity Presbyterian. Details coming soon.

Calling all angels and shepherds! The Christmas Pageant is Sunday, December 7th at 5:30pm. Parents please contact Holly Albrecht if your child would like to participate in the retelling of the Christmas Story. Rehearsals will be the evenings of Tuesday, December 2nd and Thursday, December 4th.

Mark your calendar for the Advent Workshop on Saturday, November 22nd 10:00-12:00pm. Crafts, cookie decorating, Nativity Photos, Minute To Win It games, lunch, and more. Bring the family as we prepare for the season of Advent.

2026 Pledge Detail

Proposed budgeted pledges for 2026	\$467,022
Currently 46 pledges received	\$308,955
Difference	\$158,067
% received	66%

2025 Pledge Detail As Of 10/27/25

	Pledged	Actual	Difference	%
Annual	\$266,300	\$250,830	(\$15,470)	94
Monthly	\$122,085	\$100,462	(\$21,623)	82
Quarterly	\$17,420	\$12,815	(\$4,605)	74
Weekly	\$23,935	\$18,465	(\$5,470)	77
Total	\$429,740	\$382,572	(\$47,168)	89

NOVEMBER VOLUNTEERS

Deacon Greeters/Visitors

Oct 26- Nov 1	Fred Albrecht
November 2- 8	Heather Bounds
November 9- 15	Miriam Bounds
November 16- 22	Katherine Campbell
November 23- 29	Katie Clark
Nov 30- Dec 6	Carol Edwards

Sanctuary Committee:

*Maggie Wells	Meredith Bounds
Carol Coughenour	Susan Williams

Bus Drivers:

Sunday, November 2	Gus Purcell
Sunday, November 9	Boyd McLaurin
Sunday, November 16	Eddie Carmichael
Sunday, November 23	Bradley Williams
Sunday, November 30	Tom Draper

Usher Team:

*Richard Mabry	Earl Bowling
Danny Caddell	David Carmichael
David Harling	Bill Hill
Richard Massey	John McRae
Scott Sellers	Monroe Williams
Andy Womble	