



LAURINBURG
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
CASUAL SERVICE

Sunday, June 14, 2026

GATHERING IN GOD'S NAME

GATHERING MUSIC

“Morning Has Broken”
Amber Rock, guest pianist

arr. Stan Pethel

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rev. Rebekah Carpenter

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Praise the Lord!

People: Happy are those who fear the Lord,

Leader: who greatly delight in his commandments.

People: Their descendants will be mighty in the land;

Leader: The generation of the upright will be blessed.

People: They rise in the darkness as a light for the upright;

Leader: They are gracious, merciful, and righteous.

People: Praise the Lord!

OPENING HYMNS #701 “Sanctuary” (2 times)
#692 “Spirit, Open My Heart”

GREET YOUR NEIGHBOR-----PASSING OF THE PEACE

Please take a few minutes and greet your neighbors.

TIME WITH YOUNG DISCIPLES

Children of all ages are invited

(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

SCRIPTURE

SERMON

Rev. Rebekah Carpenter

WORSHIP HYMN # 458 "Thy Word is a Lamp Unto My Feet"

PRAYER CONCERNS

OFFERTORY

"Be Thou My Vision"

arr. Stan Pethel

CLOSING HYMN #634 "To God Be the Glory"

CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

TO MAKE A DONATION TO SUPPORT
 THE WORK AND MISSION OF
LAURINBURG PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,
 SCAN THE CODE BELOW WITH
 YOUR CAMERA APP.

Help us be *"The Word In Action"*

2026 Pledge Detail As Of 5/31/26

| | Pledged | Actual | Difference | % |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|------------|----|
| Annual | \$272,775 | \$155,049 | \$117,726 | 57 |
| Monthly | \$118,620 | \$45,160 | \$73,460 | 38 |
| Quarterly | \$18,100 | \$7,475 | \$10,625 | 42 |
| Weekly | \$22,360 | \$9,405 | \$12,955 | 42 |
| Total | \$431,855 | \$217,089 | \$214,766 | 51 |

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The flowers today are given to the glory of God in honor and appreciation of John and Mary McLean for their faithful service as our LPC custodial team.

Join us for Lemonade on the Lawn (at the elevator exit) following 10:00 worship. Take a few minutes to catch up with your church family.

Worship begins at 10:00 am for the summer months. Why the change? We do not have an opportunity to visit with one another on Sunday mornings. Everyone is rushing into worship and then rushing to get to Sunday lunch. There is really not a chance to catch up and get to know each other or to properly welcome visitors and answer their questions. The earlier worship time provides a few moments for us to pause and get to know each other better.

We plan to have lemonade on the lawn at the elevator entrance most Sundays after worship. If you would like to host **Lemonade on the Lawn** please contact Holly Albrecht. Plan to stay a few extra minutes and get to know your church family.

The Men's (and friends) Bible class will meet Sunday mornings at 9:15 am during the summer. The book of Judges will be the focal point of study for June. Everyone is welcome!

Prayer List

- Connie Harris, recovering from a bout of AFib.
- Doug Harris, recovering from a broken hip.
- Randy Miller, recovering from a car accident.
- Carol Sellers, at home recovering from fractures in her pelvis and back.
- Jim Bumgardner, recovering from back surgery.
- Mary Sutton, dealing with health concerns.
- Meredith Bounds, being treated with chemotherapy.
- Barbara Salzlein, continuing health concerns.
- Goode Mobley, ongoing health concerns.

Friends of Congregation

- Elizabeth Forester, recovering from a partial hip replacement.
- David Dyer, brother of Bob Dyer, ongoing health concerns.
- Candace Carter-Johnson, daughter of Neal and Debbie Carter, diagnosed with breast cancer.
- Jerrod Lowry, General Presbyter, (Colon Cancer, Stage 3, Chemotherapy)
- Janet McQueen, Mother of Alex Bryant, cancer treatment
- Sara Tezzi, granddaughter of Sammy and Linda Simmons
- Fletcher Kendall, Atlanta. grandson of Paul & Judy Rush, Leukemia
- Sammy Townsend, Liberty Commons Nursing, Sanford.

Scotia Village Skilled Nursing

Elizabeth McIntosh, Goode Mobley (Memory), Bob Gordon

Scotia Village Assisted Living (Heather Glen) Daphne Gaw, John and Henrietta Carmichael, Jean Clansky, Pat Hix

SPY and Friends will not meet Sunday but mark your calendar for a pool party July 12th 5:30-7:00 at Erin & Emily Sellers'. Details coming soon.

Step 1 Collect Lids ✓

- Step 2 Sort Lids by Color ✓
- Step 3 Prep Lids (6/29)
- Step 4 Sketch Mural
- Step 5 Glue Lids

We are ready for Step 3. Join us in the Youth Room, Monday, June 29th at 9:30 am to prep the lids. Bring a hair dryer. Questions contact Susan Williams.

Looking for adult volunteers for our Word in Action Mission Camp July 13-17th. Sign-up

sheets will be available soon. Volunteer opportunities are in one to two hour increments. Bus drivers are also needed.

The Christian Ed Committee is collecting flower vases of all kinds to use for a fun project during Mission Camp in July. Please bring your vases to donate to the church office and look forward to seeing pictures this summer!

Flowers for the Sanctuary- There are Sundays available on the flower calendar for the rest of this year. Placing flowers in the sanctuary is a meaningful way to honor or remember someone. Fresh arrangements can be ordered or a donation to the pastor's discretionary fund can also be made for one of our beautiful silk arrangements to be placed. Please contact Martha Fulton to schedule your Sunday.

VOLUNTEERS

Deacon Greeters/Visitors

- May 31- June 6 Katherine Campbell
- June 7- June 13 Carol Coughenour
- June 14-20 Carol Edwards
- June 21- 27 Tom Draper
- June 28- July 4 Hillary Sessions

Bus Drivers:

- Sunday, June 7 Michael Sellers
- Sunday, June 14 Gus Purcell
- Sunday, June 21 Boyd McLaurin
- Sunday, June 28 Eddie Carmichael

June Calendar

- 3- Worship Committee Meeting 5 pm
- 7- Caring and Sharing Sunday 10 am
Scotia Ice Cream Social 3-4 pm (MMEC Room)
Deacon's Meeting 5:30 pm
- 8- BEG Committee Meeting 5:45 pm
- 10- CN&E Committee Meeting 5:30 pm
- 14- SPY Meeting at Faith Presbyterian at 5:30-7 pm
- 20- Time with Pastors @ Scotia 10:30 am
- 22- Mission Committee Meeting 5:45 pm
- 24- Session Meeting 5:30 pm
- 25- Membership Committee Meeting 5:30 pm
Hughes GRACE Group at the Sutherland's

Sanctuary Committee:

- *Betsy Massey Chris Carmichael
- Ellen Harling Anne Miller

Usher Team:

- *Bradley Williams Fred Albrecht
- Barbara Bateman John Campbell
- Mike Coughenour Will Clark
- Tom Draper Sam Fulton
- David Herr Wayne Hobbs
- Paul Rush Jamie Sutherland
- Michael Sellers Drew Williamson