



## WUMC Newsletter 11/22/2026



**Snow and Ice  
Forecast  
for this  
Sunday**

### *Snow Preparation*

**IF We really do get snow**  
Do not come to church if you do not feel safe to do so. Watch online by going to Youtube.com and searching for Weaverville United Methodist Church.

**IF Sunday Worship is canceled**  
Pastor Richard will contact Weaverville PD about the safety of the roads. If the roads are not safe we will cancel worship. Cancellation will be posted to Facebook and on WLOS. Pastor Ann will email folks who get the newsletter. Charlie will contact the choir and bell ringers.

EVERYONE IS INVITED TO

## *Holland Silver's*

DROP-BY WEDDING SHOWER

**Reschedule**

February 15 | 10 am  
WUMC Fellowship Hall

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Our nursery coordinator is getting married! Join us as we shower her with love, joy, and well wishes as she begins this beautiful new chapter.

[Click here for the wedding registry](#)



The Flower Calendar still has **many open spaces**. Please write your name on a Sunday when you want to dedicate to a loved one or occasion and provide the flowers for the altar.

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**2026**



For 5<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grades

*Youth Events*

\*Families In (4<sup>th</sup> Grade & must have a

JANUARY	<div>4 - Snowtubing   2-6 pm *</div> <div>11 - Confirmation Interest Meeting   3pm - Youth Group   4:30-6 pm</div> <div>18 - NO Youth Group (MLK Weekend)</div> <div>25 - Youth Group   4:30-6 pm</div>
FEBRUARY	<div>1 - Youth Group - Board Game Blitz   4:30-6 pm</div> <div>8 - Snowtubing   2-6 pm *</div> <div>15 - MISSION MINDED - Haywood Street Respit</div> <div>17 (Tues) - Fat Tuesday Pancake fundraiser   4-8</div> <div>22 - Youth Group: Art as a Spiritual Practice   4</div>

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The next breakfast of the United Methodist Men is scheduled for Sunday, February 8, at 9am. Contact Cliff Harvey at 828.231.8871 for more information.

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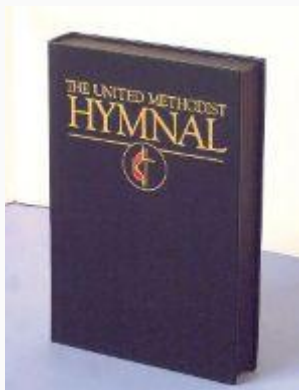


### **What has God asked me to change?**

Did you enjoy the church devotions during Advent? Did you miss out on an opportunity to write a devotion?

We would love to have all who are interested write a devotion for Lent. Pastor Ann will organize the devotions and schedule them to be posted the same way they were during Advent. Please email Pastor Ann for details.

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The new hymnals are now in the sanctuary. If you want to have a copy of the old ones to keep at your home, let the office know. They have not yet been discarded.

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# Children and

# Youth Ministry

## Important 2026 Summer Dates

- **Vacation Bible School** | June 22-26 | 3 years old - 12<sup>th</sup> grade
- **Local Mission Blitz** | July 19-25 | 6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> grade
  - 5<sup>th</sup> grade and younger may attend with a grown-up
- **4th-6th Grade retreat** | Sept. 25-27 | 4th-6th grade for 2026 school year



**ABCCM**

Not just help for a day, but for life.

**Always Needed:** Canned Tuna, Chicken and Stew, Hearty Soups, Spaghetti Noodles and Sauce, Cold Cereal, Canned Fruit and Vegetables, Rice and Dry Beans, Chef Boyardee. Drop donations into the basket in the back of the sanctuary.

For monetary donations, write a check to the church with the notation **ABCCM NORTH**

## ABCCM Volunteer Opportunities



### B.E.A.R. Closet (Baby Equipment and Resource Closet)

Would you like to help local families?

**To Volunteer:** Text **Catherine Love** at **828-777-1211** with your name and contact info.

Currently needs: Winter clothing - girl 5T & 6T long sleeve tops, boy 3T to 6T long sleeve tops, All-In-One Convertible car seats, non-expired car seats in good condition.

Use our wish lists on [Amazon](#), [Target](#), and [Walmart](#) for specific ideas. All our info and links are also on the WUMC

website <https://www.weavervilleumc.org> Click BEAR Closet for ideas.

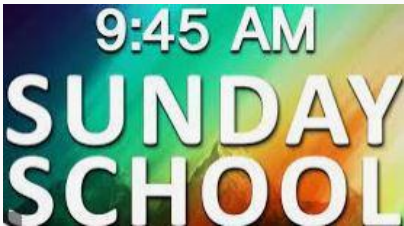




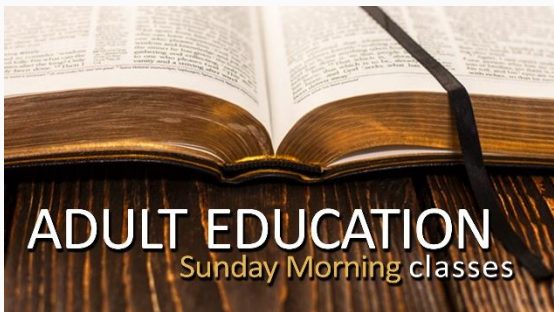
**Birthdays in January**

**May God's grace be with you on your birthday and every day!**

- January 1: Marion Ellis
- January 3: Bonnie King
- January 7: Janna Dankel
- January 8: Cliff Harvey
- January 9: Bill Graham
- January 10: Gavin Cooper
- January 14: Tyler Phelan, Ericka Witcher
- January 15: Angela Moser
- January 19: Anne Gaddy
- January 23: Marcia Buchynsky, Donna Parsons, Deanne Stowe
- January 24: Bob DeBruhl
- January 29: Beth Ramsey
- January 30: PJ Williamson
- January 31: Amy Sanders



**Children and Youth Sunday School meets at 9:45am in the Education Building.**



**Ignite Class**

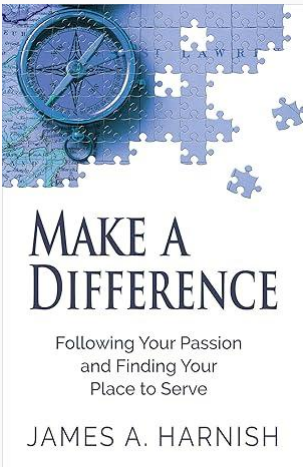
Once you have dropped your child off in their classroom you are invited to join us downstairs in the Wesley Brown Room. This class serves as a space for the parents and caregivers of the children and youth in the church during the Sunday School times. The current study is The Wired Word.



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Explorers Class

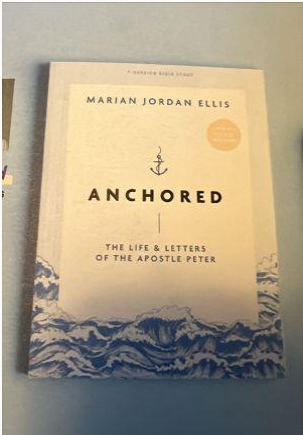
Explorer Class is currently studying Make a Difference by James A. Harnish. The meeting takes place in the Love Conference Room at 10 am every Sunday morning.



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Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study will restart **Tuesday February 3rd** with a study on the letters of Peter. Anchored is written by Marian Jordan Ellis. We will be studying 1st & 2nd Peter. The focus is on being equipped to discern, live and share the truth in a hostile world. When purchasing the book please buy the on-line video & book. This is a 7 week study. Invite your friends & neighbors to join us. Please contact Angela Moser at 828-215-2642 or Lorraine Cipriano at 828-707-2724 with any questions.



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**Please let the office know of anyone you want to be included in our prayers**

**FAMILIES OF DECEASED:**

Family of Diane Rowell, Family of Claire Williamson,

**PRAISES AND CONCERNS:**

Sicknesses in community, Hurricane Helene Recovery, Kenny Boring, Janice Garland, Sharon Rodrigue, Emily Sewell, Carol Tinkel.

**CONCERNS:**

Prayer for God’s Direction, Red Cross Bood Drive, Thermo Fisher Employees, Unrest and Violence in the country and world, Prayers for our Latino Community, Rudy and Sarah Alagood, Angeline Belada, Mike Branson, Marcia Buchynsky, Christy Cheek, Bob Cipriano, Gary Cooper, Roy Cranford, Bob DeBruhl, Dedi Dillingham, Kate Dovey, Tracy Fiaco, Lauren Fieffer, Patricia Foresman, Tonya Fotinos, Jim Greenhut, Lynn Harvey, Shawn Henderson, Gwen Kelsey, Eric Koenig, Richie Little, Kitty Malone, Don Mallicoat, Mike Marshall, Jeanne McDermitt, Miles Melzer, Pat Melzer, Craig and Tina Monaco, Angela Moser, Joy Pansiera, Jennifer Phillips, Michelle Robertson, Stephanie Rodrigue, Nancy Roop, Greg Spencer, Joan Stafford, Tom Stade, Stan and Joanie Strohm, Stephanie Stroupe, Weaver Family, Bill Yost, US Armed Forces.



**Supporting the Church**

**General Giving By Week:**

Target Giving Goal each week: **\$9,000.00**

**January 4: \$5,153.00**

**January 11: \$4,270.00**

**January 18: \$2,834.00**

**As of December 31, 2025**

Income: \$397,374.30

Expenses \$392,116.13

Net: \$5,258.17

Mortgage Balance \$117,577.28

**Attendance at worship:**

January 4: 93 total

January 11: 92 total

January 18: 82 total

**Finance Update**

Thank you very much to everyone who has continued to support WUMC with their contributions! Options to donate:

1. On our [web site](#)
2. Through your bank's online bill pay
3. Mail checks to:

Weaverville United Methodist Church | PO Box 37 | Weaverville, NC 28787



[Click here to see last week's service](#)

**Deadline for newsletter submissions:**  
12:00pm (Noon) on Tuesdays

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