

CHURCH INFORMATION: You can learn more about WUMC by pointing your smart phone (in camera mode) to this QR code. It will give you a link which takes you to our web site, where you can sign up to receive our weekly newsletters and view past editions. We also have printed copies of our latest newsletter available in the Narthex for you to take with you. This service will be live-streamed and video recorded. Please notify an usher if you prefer to remain off-camera.



1st and 3rd Mondays from 5-7pm
2nd, 4th and 5th Mondays 10am –12 Noon
Would you like to help local families? To volunteer: Contact Catherine Love at 828.777.1211 with your name and contact info.
Items needed: Winter Clothing– Girl 5T & 6T, long sleeve tops, boy 3T-6T long sleeve tops All-In-One Convertible car seats, any non-expired car sets in good condition. Go to our church website. Click BEAR CLOSET . Use our wish list on Amazon, Target, and Walmart for specific ideas.

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Richard Blount III, Pastor (ext. 101) rblount@weavervilleumc.org
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Food Donations needed: Canned Tuna, Chicken and Stew, Hearty Soup, Spaghetti Noodles and Sauce, Cold Cereal, Canned Fruit and Vegetables, Rice and Dry Beans, Chef Boyardee, Bags of Fresh Fruit and Vegetables.
For monetary donations write a check to the church with the notation ABCCM **North** for food ABCCM **Rent** for rent and utilities.

General Giving by Week:

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

Office Hours

Monday Wednesday, Thursday: 9am-12 Noon
Tuesday: 12 Noon –3pm



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sunday, January 25, 2026—3rd Sunday after Epiphany

Prelude	<i>“Morning Song”</i>	Bell Choir
Welcome		
Announcements		
Opening Hymn	<i>“I Sing the Almighty Power of God”</i>	UMH #152
Scripture	“	UMH#774
Special Music	<i>“Creator of the Stars at Night”</i>	Bell Choir
Affirmation of Faith	<i>“Apostles Creed”</i>	UMH#881
Offertory	<i>“He’s Got the Whole World”</i>	Bell Choir
Doxology	<i>“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”</i>	UMH#95
Children’s Message		Pastor Ann Owens
Praises and Concerns		
The Lord’s Prayer		
Sermon Scripture	<i>“1 Corinthians 1:10-17”</i>	
Sermon	<i>“Not About Me”</i>	Pastor Richard Blount
Hymn	<i>“Sent Forth by God’s Blessing”</i>	UMH #664
Blessing		Pastor Richard Blount
Postlude		Charlie Harnish

PRAISES:

Bill Hawkins 91st Birthday.

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 McDermit, 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.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS:

The flowers this morning are given in memory of Sam E Magee on his birthday by Susan Johnson.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ◆ Please pass the pew pads
- ◆ **Flower Calendar** for next year is in the narthex. **There are still many dates open.** Please write your name on a space. The beauty of a bouquet certainly enhances the appearance of the altar.
- ◆ **United Methodist Men** will have their next breakfast on Sunday, February 8, at 9am. Call Cliff Harvey with any questions at 828.231.8871.

- ◆ **Holland Silver’s Drop-in Wedding Shower** is **postponed** until February 15 at 10am in the Fellowship Hall. See the newsletter for link to the registry. Everyone is invited.
- ◆ **Lenten Theme:** What did God ask me to change? If you are interested in writing a Lenten Devotional please contact Pastor Ann. They will be published like the Advent Devotionals.
- ◆ **Hymnals.** The worn hymnals have been replaced but if anyone would like to have one of these for their home use, please let the office know. They have not yet been discarded.
- ◆ **Youth and Children’s Calendar of Events** for the first part of 2026 are available in the narthex.
- ◆ **Children’s Bulletins** for 3+ and 7+ year old children. Pick one up at the entrance to the sanctuary before the service. Crayons, pencils and fidget activities are also available in the worship bags.
- ◆ **Explorer Class** meets at 10am Sunday mornings in the Love Conference Room and studying *Make a Difference* by James A. Harnish.
- ◆ **Ignite Class** meets in the Wesley Brown Room at 9:45am Sunday mornings. After you dropped off your child in their classroom you are invited to join the Ignite study for engaging discussions.
- ◆ **Women’s Bible Study** will resume on Tuesday, February 3, 2026 with a study on the letters of Peter. *Anchored* is written by Marian Jordan Ellis. Contact Angela Moser 828.215.2642 or Lorraine Cipriano 828.707.2724 with any questions.