

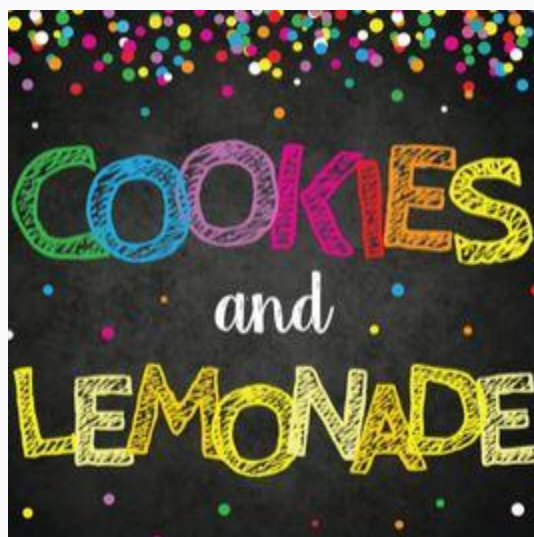


WUMC Newsletter 07/16/2026



Flowers for the Altar

There are several spaces open for the next few months, including **August 2nd** and **August 16th**. Please take a look at the calendar and add your name on a date when you might want to honor a loved one or special occasion.



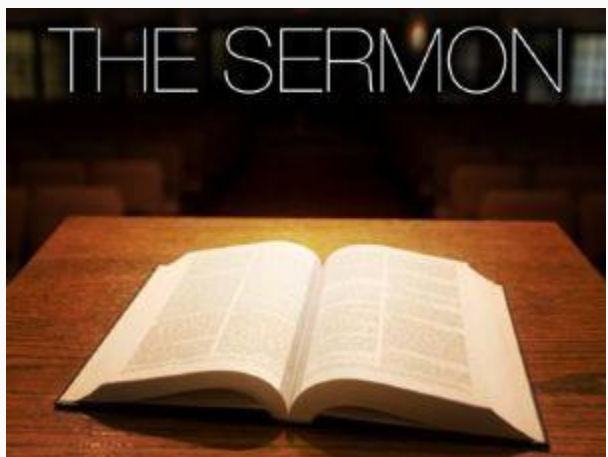
Join us for cookies and lemonade on the Lawn for fellowship and refreshments following our worship service. Everyone is welcome. Let's meet new faces and re-connect with familiar ones.



During the month of July our church food insecurity mission will focus on raising inventory for **The Little Free Pantry** sponsored by the WUMC Preschool.

Please leave your donations (proteins, cereals, peanut butter, veggies, snacks, etc.) in the church entry basket, and thank you for making God's love real to our neighbors in need!

Holly, Amy & Elaine



Here is a preview of this Sunday's sermon:

"Science v. Religion: Fact and Truth"
John 18:33-38

We will have four weeks of sermons on Science v. Religion



CAMP MEETING DAYS!

Camp Meeting Days continue. Feel free to attend worship wearing t-shirts, shorts, or jeans from now until Labor Day.



The hike planned for Sunday, July 19 is postponed until August. We will meet instead in the fellowship hall for fun activities and pizza. Bring a friend!

Youth Mission Minded Week!

MISSION WEEK

JULY 20 - 24

MON 7.20	BEAR CLOSET 2-5 P.M.
TUES 7.21	CLEAN VAN 2 - 5 PM
WED 7.22	YOUTH CLOSET CLEAN-OUT 2 - 5 PM
THURS 7.23	YOUTH CLOSET CLEAN-OUT 2 - 5 PM
FRI 7.24	WHITE WATER RAFTING! 9 AM - 6 PM

There are many projects the youth can help with over the week - join us for every day or just a few. Please let us know which days you can serve!

RSVP for Rafting by 7.20 - 20 spots available!

Please let Pastor Ann know which days and times you can serve at youth@weavervilleumc.org

See below for the rest of the summer 2026 Youth Events!



YOUTH GROUP

SUMMER

SCHEDULE

6/7 12:30p	Tourist Baseball Game
6/14 3p	Mission Minded: VBS decorating
6/21	NO YOUTH - Father's Day
6/22 - 6/25	Vacation Bible School
6/28 4:30p	Youth games & ice cream
7/5	NO YOUTH - Holiday Weekend
7/12 3p	Pool
7/16 8a	Dollywood Day Trip
7/19 3p	Hike @ Craggy Pinnacle
7/ 20 - 7/23	Mission Minded WEEK
7/24 10a	Whitewater rafting
7/26 4:30p	Youth water battle
8/2 3p	Pool
8/9 4:30p	Youth Fall Planning
8/16 10a	Youth Day Hike
8/23 11a	Back-to-School Blessing



ABCCM

Not just help for a day, but for life.

ABCCM NORTH FOOD PANTRY

Your Support is Vital!!

Churches, community members, and occasionally local establishments are the source of staples and shelf stable food that keep the pantry stocked. What comes in goes out quickly, so constant flow of food donations is needed. In the past 4 months, an average of 120 orders, per month, for both individuals and families with children have been filled, representing approximately 250 people served each month. The average number of bags filled each month was 1,305. That includes whatever is in the fresh produce,

bread and frozen/refrigerated foods room.

CURRENTLY LOW: Beef Stew, Hearty Soups, Cold Cereal, Canned Meats, always jelly. Everyone thinks of peanut butter, but what's peanut butter without jelly??

Thank you for your continued support.

Drop donations into the basket in the back of the sanctuary.

Monetary donations will be used for food, rental, and utilities assistance. Use the notation **ABCCM NORTH** on the memo line.



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

Current donation needs: High chairs, strollers, gently used, unexpired car seats.

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.

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

Weaverville Music Study Club Presents:

Summer Breeze

Kirk McKay and Jim McCoy

with Michael Galovic, Jane McCoy & Terry Styles

*Popular Standards and
mellow summer tunes by
Jim Croce, James Taylor,
John Denver and more...*



Friday July 17th 7:00
First Baptist Church Weaverville
63 N. Main St.



Community Sponsors:

*West Family Funeral Services
Motoriffic Sales and Services LLC
Edward Jones-Bill Boughton
HomeTrust Bank
Peterson Insurance Group, Inc.*

***Offering for 2027 North Buncombe
Music Scholarship***
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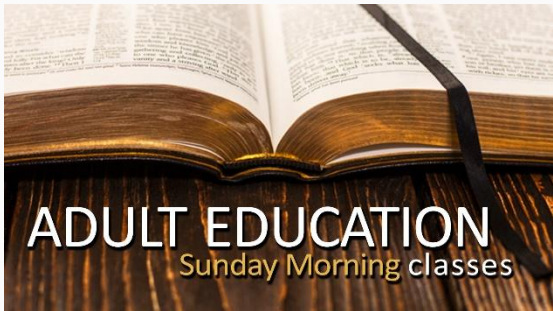


Birthdays in July

May God bless you with His grace on your birthday and every day!

- July 1: Rick King, Rick Spoering
- July 2: Rodney McDaris
- July 3: Rod Gaddy, Paul Cipriano
- July 9: Thea Blevins
- July 12: Meredith Cauble, Tanja Lance, Stephanie Rodrigue
- July 15: Shelby Clark, Joy Pansiera, Matthew Weaver
- July 16: Dorian Owenby
- July 17: Kathy Kelly, Susie Wallace, CeCe Wilson
- July 18: David Penland

July 19: Debbie Wallen, Lydia Bradshaw
July 20: Lorraine Cipriano, Nate Penland, Virginia Royall,
July 24: Neta Currie
July 26: Gabe Ferguson, Jennifer Hilliard, Marcia Whiting
July 28: Libby Wilfong
July 29: Katharina O'Hara



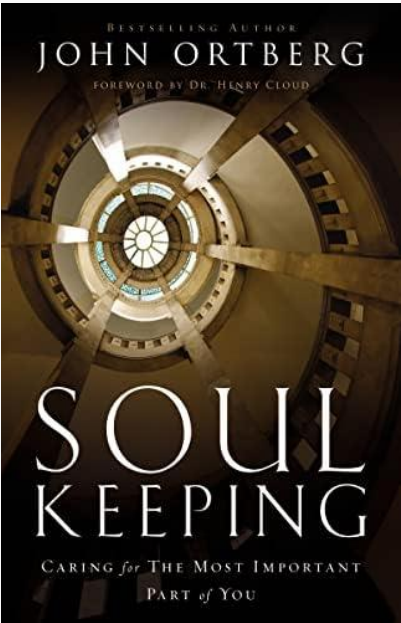
Ignite Class

We are taking a break for the summer and will resume in August.

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Explorer Class

Explorers meets Sundays at 10am in the Love Conference Room and is studying *Soul Keeping: Caring for the Most Important Part of You* by John Ortberg



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Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study is on summer recess but will resume in September. Angela and Lorraine will give information about our fall study in August. Enjoy the summer!

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With great sadness we extend our deepest condolences to the family of

Thelma (Kip) Duff

She was a longtime home-bound member of WUMC and passed into God's kingdom on July 5, 2026.

A funeral service is planned for September 18, 2026 at 2:30pm in the chapel at West Funeral Home with Pastor Richard officiating. The family will receive friends prior to the service between 1:15pm and 2:15pm.

[View Obituary here](#)



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

PRAISES:

Our new members: Lydia and Clay Bradshaw, Rusty Woomer.
Successful VBS -72 kids and 40 volunteers! Gabby and Zeb getting married.

FAMILIES OF DECEASED:

Family of Linda Anderson, Family of Thelma (Kip) Duff

PRAISES AND CONCERNS:

Travel Mercies, Allergies and sicknesses in community, Hurricane Helene Recovery.

CONCERNS:

Prayer for God’s Direction, American Truckers, Thermo Fisher Employees, Unrest and Violence in the country and world, Prayers for our Latino Community, Rudy and Heather Abadilla, Angeline Belada, Marcia Buchynsky, Deanna Camizzi, Greg Cheek, Will Denman, Dedi Dillingham, Kip Duff, Clara Ester, Tracy Fiaco, Lauren Fieffer, Tonya Fotino, Mary Groh, Jack Harris, Lynn Harvey, Shawn Henderson, Lou Ann Heninger, Kathy Hipps, Janet Jamison, Richard Litz, Kitty Malone, Jim McManomy, Miles Melzer, Craig and Tina Monaco, Susan Onofry, Jennifer Phillips, Minister Bobby Roberts and wife Annie, Mary Ann Ryan, Jo Ann Sanderson, Emily Sewell, Craig Smith, Greg Spencer, Cynthia Sorrells, Joan Stafford, Tom Stackhouse, Tom Stade, Joe Strich, Stan and Joanie Strohm, Nita Taylor, Bill Yost, US Armed Forces.



Supporting the Church

General Giving By Week:

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

June 21: \$42,855.85
June 28: \$4,522.00
July 5: \$5,877.20

As of June 30, 2026

Income: \$192,750.57
Expenses \$223,484.98
Net: **-\$30,734.41**

Mortgage Balance \$ 102,199.27

Attendance at worship:

June 28: 99 total
July 5: 86 total
July 12: 93 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:

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Click on the arrow to watch last Sunday's worship.

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

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