

The Newsheet

Waverly Road Presbyterian Church

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP



April 2, 2023

**In-Person and
Online Worship Service
at 11:00am**

**Click on either link for
Sunday Worship Service**



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WaverlyRoadPresbyterian-
Church/](https://www.facebook.com/WaverlyRoadPresbyterian-Church/)



[https://www.youtube.com/
channel/
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SCRIPTURES

April 2, 2023
Luke 24:13-35

WRPC

Food Pantry
**SERVING EVERY FRIDAY
from 10:00am–Noon.**

*A very special thanks goes out
to all of our Food Pantry
volunteers who are helping to
FEED THE HUNGRY
in our community.*



You are loved. We are blessed!

From the desk of Trinity Gibson...

Happy Spring!

On Palm Sunday, April 2, Waverly Road will have an Easter Eggstravaganza!

During Church, our children will wave palm fronds as they walk around the church during the first hymn. Then children will return to their parents until Time with Children.

Right after church we will have a **Potluck Lunch**. The church will provide chicken and drinks. Bring any dish you like to make! There will be games and crafts for all ages!

The Easter Egg Hunt will start after lunch. The hunt is for babies and children through 5th grade. Our **Youth Group** has filled 700 eggs to hunt! Thank you to all of you who donated candy! This is sure to be a hoot! Feel free to watch the kids as they hunt.

Lastly, as we look toward this special time of the year, let's remember to thank Jesus for the work of the Cross. He paid for all of us to live with freedom from sin and the power over death!

—Trinity



PRAYER REQUESTS

People in our Prayers

Rev. Dan Clark	Laci, Nicholas &
Holston Presbytery Camp	Robin Lodall
Patients receiving Dialysis	Ann Kibler
Lee Bockman	Dr. Bob & Jeanne Jernigan
Doris Blanchard	Sarah Hale
Susan Smith	Susan Avery
Beverly Carman	Kirk and Lola Finch
(Howard's Mother)	Ken Hunter Family
Ted Germroth	Sarah Valk Family
Benjamin Salyer	Abe Lincoln
	Abigail & Ashleen Easley

Missions in our Prayers—2nd Quarter

Local Missions

Family Promise/IHN
Second Harvest Food Bank of NE Tennessee
WRPC After School Program

Regional / National Missions

Holston Habitat for Humanity

International Missions

Families Involved Serving Humanity (FISH), Nicaragua
Northumbria Community Retreat Center & Mother House, England

We will leave names on the Prayer Request List for three weeks unless you notify the Church Office to remain on the list for an extended amount of time.



This Week at WRPC

Indoor and Online Worship at 11:00am.

Sunday 4/2	9:45am	In-person Sunday School Grades Pre-K – 12
	11:00am	Sunday Worship / 5 Cents-a-Meal Offering
Tuesday 4/4	9:00am	Walking Group, Greenbelt Entrance, Netherland Inn
	6:00pm	The Has Beens, FH
Wednesday 4/5	1:00pm	ZOOM Bible Study
	6:00pm	Handbells
	7:00pm	Chancel Choir Practice
Thursday 4/6	7:00pm	Maundy Thursday Worship Service / Communion
	8:00am	Good Friday – Church Offices, CLOSED
Friday 4/7	10:00am	Food Pantry, FH
	10:30am	Lenten Window Banners Open House
	12:00pm	Good Friday Prayer Service
Saturday 4/8	8:00am	Stephen Ministry Training, MR



Save The Date!

**April 15, 2023 * 2-4 PM
at Waverly Road**

You are invited to a drop-in baby shower for
Abigail and Ashleen Easley, preemie twin
daughters of Tonya and David Easley,
proud grandparents Judi and Gary Easley



Please contact Susan Lodal at susan.lodal@gmail.com,
423-341-6533 or Anne Hill Trask at ahtrask@gmail.com,
804-347-8222



**Join us for ZOOM Bible Study
every Wednesday at 1:00pm**



For the month of APRIL...

Our wish list for April includes
gently used infant to 24 months
clothing and NEW hygiene
items.



WRPC Youth...
We will not meet on April 3 due to Spring Break.
On April 10, we will have a Blessing Box outing.
See you at Youth Group, soon!

A note to parents about Palm Sunday

Parents, please have your children get one PALM frond from the basket at the Main Sanctuary door. During our first hymn, please have your kids follow the leader around the church and wave their PALM frond. They will return to you when finished. When church is over, please return your PALM fronds.



Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord!
Peace in Heaven and glory in the highest heaven!
—Luke 19:38



Views from the

FOOD PANTRY

by Peter Lodol



April 2–8, 2023

To all:

This past Friday we delivered 38 bags.

We are headed home later today. My thanks to all of you who have kept things running smoothly over the past two weeks.

As always, thank you for your support and prayers.

—Pete Lodol

Mission Moment Update...

March 26

2023 Habitat Faith Build



**Habitat
for Humanity®**

One of Waverly Road's missions is Holston Habitat for Humanity that seeks to put God's love into action by

building homes, communities, and hope. It is part of a global, non-profit housing organization operated on Christian principles.

This spring, several Kingsport churches, including Waverly Road, will join in the 2023 Habitat Faith Build. They will partner with Marquette and her three children in building a new house on Friendship Circle (near the previous Faith Builds). Groundbreaking ceremony will be April 14.

The Faith Build schedule allows several churches, along with Habitat Regulars, to share in the overall construction effort. Waverly Road volunteers will work on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, July 27-29. Planned tasks will include installing cabinets, closets, bathroom fixtures, and trim.

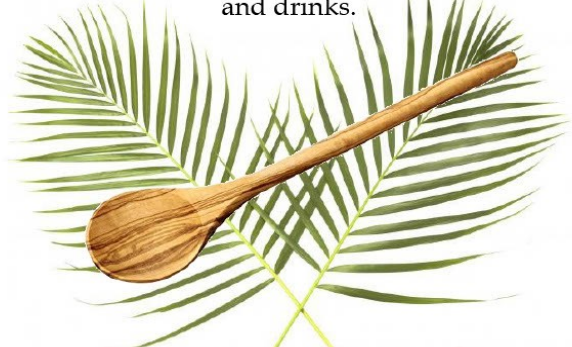
We will need six workers each day for the three days. Habitat will provide tools and guidance. Additional volunteers are needed to provide the lunch meal for workers. Sign up will be on-line. Eddie will provide instructions for sign-ups in the Newsheet when the site is activated.

Thank you for your support of this Habitat Faith Build as well as Waverly Road's other missions. —Eddie Eldredge

Palm Sunday Potluck

Sunday, April 2 after Worship
in the Fellowship Hall, 12:15pm

Bring your favorite potluck item and have some "egg"cellent fun! The church will provide chicken and drinks.



**Eggstravaganza &
Easter Egg Hunt**
(starts at 1:15pm)

The Easter Egg Hunt is for all children through 5th grade. They will have age appropriate games, prizes and egg hunting. Come join the fellowship and fun on Palm Sunday!



Maundy Thursday Worship Service

April 6, 2023 7:00pm

Communion will be served.



"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another: just as I have loved you, you also are to love one another." — John 13:34



**We could really use
some help ushering and
assisting with collecting
Sunday offerings!**

If you are interested in helping out, please contact Stephen Bus at (423) 288-5509 or send him an email at smichaelbus@gmail.com. If you need some training, he will be glad to help with that, too.

Season of Mission ~ Season of Hope

Donations for our service project (specific hygiene products needed by our Food Pantry clients, SMILE Foster Closet families, and the staff of the Child Care Center) may be dropped off in the bin in the Narthex **through next Sunday April 2**. If you are not able to shop, you may also make a monetary donation specifically for this project.

Hygiene products

Requested items:

Bar Soap	Toilet Paper	Chapstick
Toothbrushes (adult)	Toothbrushes (for 0-2 yr olds)	Toothbrushes (for kids)
Toothpaste	Training Toothpaste (for infants)	Toothpaste (kid flavored)
Diapers (any size)	Diaper Cream	Baby Wipes (any brand)
Sam's Club Members Mark Premium Fragrance Free Baby Wipes (specific brand needed due to allergies)	Shampoo and conditioner for African American Hair: need infants and kids	3-in-1 shampoo/conditioner/bodywash for kids
Infant Shampoo/Bodywash	Mens 3-in-1-Shampoo/Conditioner/Bodywash	2-in -1-Shampoo/Conditioner
Bodywash	Loofahs	

If you prefer online shopping, click the link below to see a list Rachel created for SMILE.

<https://www.walmart.com/lists/shared/WL/eac79c2f-2772-418f-b5d7-89b065112afd>

Remember to pray for our volunteers who will conduct the Work Project to help the Child Care Center with several "construction-type" improvements to their facilities. Please also pray for the dedicated staff and children of the Child Care Center. If you are willing to help with the work project, please contact Steve Hall.

If you were unable to turn your Pledge card in on Mission Pledge Sunday, have no fear. You may place it in the offering plate, in the drop box in the workroom, or send our Receiving Treasurer an email with you pledge details at noahmmcmillan@gmail.com at any time. Last year, your generosity provided more than \$59,000 in funds distributed to missions close to home, throughout our region and around the world. The Mission Committee is excited about what this new Season of Hope will enable and we are extremely grateful for the generosity of this congregation and the trust you place in us to share with others on your behalf in the name of Jesus Christ.

—The Mission Committee

5 Cents-a-Meal Offering will be collected this Sunday, April 2!



We are very grateful to Holston Presbytery, but also to the congregation of WRPC for your dedication to the 5 Cents-a-Meal offerings!





Palm Sunday

Hymn Stories

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

This hymn was written by Jennette Threfall a century and a half ago. If you had known Jennette, you might have pitied her, because as a child she was orphaned and as an adult she suffered an accident that rendered her an invalid. But the people around her knew her, not for her handicap, but for her cheerful nature. She was a woman of deep faith who expressed that faith through her poetry. In her song, "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna," she invites us to celebrate again the coming of Jesus into Jerusalem in his Triumphal Entry. — Richard Niell Donovan, sermonwriter.com

Ride On! Ride On In Majesty!

"Ride On, Ride On in Majesty!" is a Christian hymn written by Henry Hart Milman in 1820. It is a Palm Sunday hymn and refers to Matthew 21:1-17 and Jesus' triumphal entry into Jerusalem.

While Milman wrote "Ride On, Ride On in Majesty!" in 1820, it was not published in a hymn book until 1827 when it was published in Bishop Reginald Heber's Hymns written and adapted to the Weekly Church Service of the Year. This is reported to only have happened after Milman met Heber in 1823 before Heber became Bishop of Calcutta. It was described by composer Stanley L. Osbourne as "Objective, robust, confident, and stirring. It possesses that peculiar combination of tragedy and victory which draws the singer into the very center of the drama. It is this which gives the hymn its power and its challenge". The hymn proved to be very popular in 1907. John Julian, in his Dictionary of Hymnology, stated it was the most popular Palm Sunday hymn in the English language at that time.

The hymn is viewed to be full of dramatic irony. The third line of the first verse "Thine humble beast pursues his road" has been disliked by some hymn book editors. In 1852 it was changed to "O Saviour meek, pursue Thy road" and in 1855 to "With joyous throngs pursue Thy road". Some hymn books have omitted the first verse. The unaltered original text, however appears in later collections such as the 1906 English Hymnal, and in some modern hymnals. The hymn is used as a processional hymn during Palm Sunday. — Wikipedia

Lenten Window Banners Open House

Good Friday, April 7, 2023

10:30am—2:30pm

Waverly Road Presbyterian Church Sanctuary



The 2023 Lenten Window Banners are brand new this year. Judi Easley has designed 10 unique and thought provoking works of art for all to enjoy. Everyone is welcome! Please invite your family, friends and members of the community and share the stories of Lent, the journey to Holy Week and the death and resurrection of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

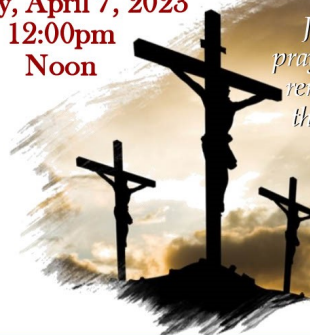
Good Friday Prayer Service

Friday, April 7, 2023

12:00pm

Noon

Join us for our prayer service as we remember the day that Jesus Christ died for us.



Early Morning Outdoor Easter Service
with
Mafair United Methodist Church

Sunday, April 9, 2023, 9:00am
WRPC's Front Lawn

Please bring a lawn chair and dress for the weather.



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A Recipe for Easter Resurrection Rolls

Looking for a fun and memorable way to tell your kids the story of Jesus' burial and resurrection? This Resurrection Roll recipe is deliciously simple, and it brings with it the ultimate meaning of Easter Sunday.



Ingredients

- 16 large marshmallows
- 1/2 cup butter, melted
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 2 tablespoons cinnamon
- 2 (8-oz.) cans crescent roll dough

Directions

1. Combine sugar and cinnamon in a small bowl.
2. Unroll crescent roll dough, and separate each roll along perforations.

3. Roll marshmallows in melted butter, and then in cinnamon-sugar mixture. Place one coated marshmallow in the middle of an unrolled crescent dough segment, and roll the marshmallow until completely covered by the dough, pushing in sides as you go. Pinch seams on either end to seal each roll.
4. Place rolls on a jellyroll pan, and bake at 350° for about 12 minutes.
5. Immediately after removing rolls from the oven, brush with remaining melted butter and then sprinkle with remaining cinnamon-sugar mixture. Serve warm.

A graphic for Easter Sunday featuring a close-up of a white lily flower. The text "easter SUNDAY" is written in a green, stylized font. Below it, "Christ Is Risen!" is written in a cursive font. At the bottom, "April 9, 2023 Worship at 11:00am" is written in a bold, black font. A teal banner at the very bottom contains the text: "He is not here; he has risen! Remember how he told you, while he was still with you in Galilee: 'The Son of Man must be delivered over to the hands of sinners, be crucified and on the third day be raised again.'—Luke 24:6-7".

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Christ Is Risen!
April 9, 2023 Worship at 11:00am

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