Waverly Road Presbyterian Church

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WELCOME TO WORSHIP

August 6, 2023 In-Person and Online Worship Service at 11:00am Click on either link for Sunday Worship Service



https://www.facebook.com/ WaverlyRoadPresbyterian-Church/

https://www.youtube.com/ channel/ UC1dv3U42u4jLIksq_71Foyg



August 6, 2023 Matthew 14:13-21



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.





From the desk of Pastor Collin... Greetings to you in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ,

It has been a strange couple of weeks. Going from vacation, to my parents being in a car accident, to a pulpit swap here at Waverly was quite a strange turn of events. IT has left me out of sorts as I try to navigate the next few weeks since the kids will be going back to school and I will have to head down to Georgia to be with family again.

One things that has been constant is the love and prayers that I have felt from you all. It is most often in times of crisis that I see the church at its best. It is good to know that any of us can reach out no matter what we are going through and have a family close at hand. I am overjoyed.

Let us all remember that we are here for one another. If you have a need, reach out. If you think someone might be in need, reach out. Let us love one another and take care of ourselves.

May God continue to bless,

-Rev. Collin



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People in our Prayers

Rev. Dan Clark Holston Presbytery Camp Patients receiving Dialysis Lee Bockman Doris Blanchard Susan Smith Ted Germroth Benjamin Salyer Howard S. Carman, Sr. (Howard's Father) Laci, Nicholas & Robin Lodal Ann Kibler Dr. Bob & Jeanne Jernigan Sarah Hale Susan Avery Kirk and Lola Finch Abigael & Ashleen Easley

Missions in our Prayers—3rd Quarter

Local Missions

Kingsport City Schools Homeless Education Program SMILE WRPC Food Pantry

Regional / National Missions

Holston Presbytery Camp & Retreat Center

International Missions

Love Packages Osman Hope, Honduras

You are loved. We are blessed!

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 8/6	11:00am	Sunday Worship / Communion /
		5 Cents-a-Meal Offering 6:00pm
Tuesday 8/8	9:00am	Walking Group, Greenbelt
		Holston Valley Trailhead
	6:00pm	Has Beens, FH
	6:00pm	Children & Youth Ministry, MR
Wednesday 8/9	1:00pm	ZOOM Bible Study
	7:00pm	Chancel Choir Practice
Thursday 8/10	12:00pm	Worship Committee, ZOOM
Friday 8/11	10:00am	Food Pantry, FH

WRPC Walking Group **Every Tuesday**, eather permitting!

We will gather at 9:00 am at the Greenbelt Holston Valley Drive Trailhead entrance to begin our walk.

700 Join us every Wednesday at 1:00pm for ZOOM Bible Study. We will send out a log-in and password to your email.



For the month of August...

Our wish list for August includes gently used jeans (all sizes) and new feminine supplies.

Vocal Scholarship Program



If you would like to donate to the Vocal Scholarship Fund, you can place a check in the collection plate with Vocal Scholarship Fund designated in the memo line, send your check in the mail to Amy, or place in the Receiving Treasurer's

metal lock box in the workroom. We can also receive online donations through the Presbyterian Foundation. The link is Donation (eservicepayments.com) or scan the QR code to go directly to this link.



Faith Build job well done:

Thanks to the Waverly Road Habitat Team, Marguetta's Build house looks more like a home - with new bathroom and kitchen cabinets, window screens, shrubbery, mailbox post, and very white interior doors. During the three days, lunches of Subway sandwiches, barbecue, fried chicken, sides, desserts, tea, and lemonade kept all the Waverly Roaders and Habitat Regulars on track.

There is still a sizable punch list to be done by the Habitat Regulars and other volunteers.

I will pass on when I hear when the Dedication ceremony is to be held.

-Eddie Eldredge

Communion Sunday, August 6, 2023

Join us during our online or in-person Worship Service this Sunday for Communion. For online worship, just provide your own bread and juice or wine and let's break bread together.

5 Cents-a-Meal Offering will be collected this Sunday, August 6!



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



Hey parents,

Regular Sunday school will start on August 13th. Sunday School starts at 9:45 am. Remember, there will be no children's Sunday school on August 6th. See you soon! - Trinity



August 6-12, 2023

To all:

We closed out July with 27 bags delivered – exactly half of the previous week.

For the month of July, we totaled 138 bags delivered, the lowest monthly total of 2023.

As always, thank you for your support and prayers. —*Pete Lodal*

Where to Find More Information About Stephen Ministry?



Did you know there are various ways of finding out information about Stephen Ministry? Here are a few:

STEPHEN Website – The church home page has MINISTRY been updated to make it easier to find the church's Stephen Ministry page.

It states that our congregation is a Stephen Ministry Congregation and has a link which goes to a web page which contains lots of information about the mission and ministry of Stephen Ministers.

Pew Cards – There are cards explaining the ministry in each of the pew holders. Feel free to take one with you.

Mediation Room – In the room near Amy's office, there are some brochures and 4 different stories about Stephen Ministers and Care Receivers. They are on the table near the window. There are also some stamped envelopes addressed to Sharon Petke, who is acting as Referrals Coordinator at this time.

Stephen Leaders – Feel free to contact one of the Stephen Leaders – Sharon Petke, Dave Petke, or Barbara Lane.

Encouraging Words

"The great thing to remember is that though our feelings come and go, God's love for us does not." - C.S. Lewis

Intergenerational Sunday School / VBS Celebration at Crown Colony Clubhouse

A big thank you to Rachel and Trinity for providing a fun Summer of fellowship and learning at WRPC. Here are some photos from the wrap-up celebration at Crown Colony Clubhouse!



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Servings: 10 Crackers

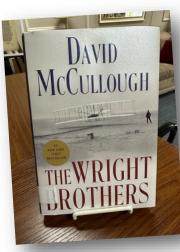
Ingredients

- 10 Ritz crackers
- 10 tsp pizza sauce
- 10 thin slices of pizza pepperoni
- 1/2 cup shredded cheese

Directions

- 1. Preheat the broiler.
- 2. Line a baking sheet with tin foil. Spray with non-stick spray. Place crackers on baking sheet.
- 3. Top each cracker with a piece of pepperoni and spread with about 1 tsp sauce. Sprinkle with cheese.
- 4. Broil for 1-2 minutes, just until the cheese is melted. Serve immediately.





Available in your WRPC Church Library!

If you attended Pastor Swap Sunday, Rev. Adam Love from Mafair United Methodist Church spoke about a particular book that he enjoyed reading. *The Wright Brothers*,

written by David McCullough; acclaimed author, American historian, two-time Pulitzer prize winner, National Book Award winner, and #1 *New York Times* bestseller, chronicles the dramatic story-behind-the -story about the courageous brothers who taught the world how to fly – Wilbur and Orville Wright.

We have a copy in the WRPC Church Library if you would like to check it out. First come, first served!