

# The Newsheet

## Waverly Road Presbyterian Church

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### WELCOME TO WORSHIP



**March 3, 2024**

**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.facebook.com/WaverlyRoadPresbyterianChurch/)



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

**March 3, 2024**

John 2:13-22 &  
1 Corinthians 1: 18-25

### 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 “almost” Spring!

On Palm Sunday, March 24, we will host our children’s activities. Of course, there will be games and an Easter egg hunt for children ages 1 year to 5th grade. Older children will hide the eggs.

Now is the  
time for our

Youth to prepare for Palm Sunday activities. Youth Group will be filling lots of eggs for the egg hunt! If you would like to help, please bring Easter candy to the church mailroom by Sunday, March 17.

Also, on Palm Sunday, we have a potluck lunch. The church will provide chicken. We ask that everyone bring a dessert or side dish. The children’s festivities will follow.

I hope all of us will draw close to Him during this Lenten season and look with faith to the joy of Easter morning.

With gratitude,

*–Trinity*

### Easter Egg Hunt and more!

**Palm Sunday, March 24, 2024,**  
after Worship in the Fellowship Hall

*There will be games and activities and an  
Egg Hunt for the children!*



## PRAYER REQUESTS

### People in our Prayers

|                               |                          |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Rev. Dan Clark                | Laci, Nicholas &         |
| Holston Presbytery Camp       | Robin Lodal              |
| Doris Blanchard               | Ann Kibler               |
| Ted Germroth                  | Jeanne Jernigan          |
| Benjamin Salyer               | Sarah Hale               |
| Howard S. Carman, Sr.         | Kirk and Lola Finch      |
| (Howard’s Father)             | Abigail & Ashleen Easley |
| Sue Hall                      | Travis & Kathy Adams     |
| (Steve Hall’s mother)         | (Collin’s parents)       |
| Mike Lewis                    | Chuck Green              |
| Dave & Sharon Petke           | Marty Qualls             |
| Steve Hall                    | Jack Lowe Family         |
| Laura Van Hoozer              |                          |
| (Brenda Lewis’ Sister-in-Law) |                          |

### Missions in our Prayers—1st Quarter

#### Local Missions

Cora Cox Academy  
The Oasis of Kingsport

#### Regional / National Missions

Appalachian Miles for Smiles

#### International Missions

Butoke Nutrition Center, Congo  
Osman Hope, Honduras

*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.

|                      |         |   |
|----------------------|---------|---|
| <b>Sunday 3/3</b>    | 9:45am  | Sunday School                                     |
|                      | 11:00am | Worship Service / 5 Cents-a-Meal Offering         |
| <b>Monday 3/4</b>    | 6:00pm  | Youth Group, YS                                   |
| <b>Tuesday 3/5</b>   | 9:00am  | Walking Group, Greenbelt Holston Valley Trailhead |
|                      | 6:00pm  | The Has Beens, FH                                 |
| <b>Wednesday 3/6</b> | 1:00pm  | ZOOM Bible Study                                  |
|                      | 7:00pm  | Chancel Choir Practice                            |
| <b>Friday 3/8</b>    | 10:00am | Food Pantry, FH                                   |
|                      | 11:00am | Congregational Care Meeting, GS                   |



## for children and youth

- Nursery available for children 0-3 years Sundays from 9:30am - 12:30pm
- 3yrs - Kindergarten Sunday School - led by Godly Play Room. 9:45-10:45am
- 1st-2nd grade Sunday School - led by Carlita Bartells and Charlie Foster
- 3-5th grade Sunday School - led by John and Karen Gilmer
- 6-12th grade Sunday School - led by Trinity Gibson
- 6-12th grade youth group Monday evenings 6-8pm led by Trinity Gibson and Suzanne Huron



### WRPC Walking Group

Every Tuesday,  
weather permitting!

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

### New Sunday School Class Starting this Sunday!

Ever wonder just who Presbyterians are? Where we came from and what we believe? Or maybe you want to know a little more about Waverly Road. This March, join Rev. Collin in the church library to discuss this and whatever else comes up. Class will occur on Sundays at 9:45am.

## ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

### Try One of Our Adult Sunday School Classes!

**Apprentice Class** - Hybrid Format via Zoom and in-person in Room 105. Class begins at 9:15 instead of 9:45 to accommodate the logistics with Zoom. Leaders: Howard Carman, Dave and Sharon Petke. The next study will be "Thinking Through Salvation", a 9-part video series by N.T. Wright.

**Women's Sunday School Class** - Room 205. Leader: Karen Carman. The class uses a variety of DVD/Workbook Small Group Studies as the basis for the lessons and subsequent discussions. A new study titled "In the Footsteps of the Savior: Following Jesus Through the Holy Land" by Max Lucado will begin on February 18.

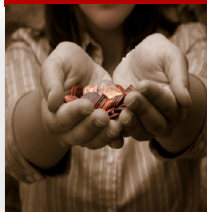
**Adult Lectionary Class** - Gathering Space. Leader: Shelley Porter. Discussions are prompted by the Weekly Lectionary Text.



**Monday, March 4,  
6:00—8:00pm**

We will be gathering in the  
Youth Suite for a fun  
evening of learning and  
fellowship!

### 5 Cents-a-Meal Offering will be collected this Sunday, March 3!



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

### SMILE for the Month of March

Our wish list includes new or gently used sneakers and infant/toddler shoes. We also need new diapers and pull-ups.



Views from the

# FOOD PANTRY

by Peter Lodal

**March 3—9, 2024**

To all:

We closed out February (is it March already?) by delivered 44 bags this past Friday.

For the month, we distributed 171 bags, nearly identical to the 172 delivered in January.

As always, thank you for your support and prayers.

—Pete Lodal



Dear friends at Waverly Road Presbyterian Church,

Thank you for your generous gift to Friends of Butoke to support the ongoing work of Butoke in DR Congo. In addition to the monthly support sent to Butoke in 2023, FOB responded to unanticipated requests for assistance for emergency food needs, specialized surgery for a sick orphan, exam fees, support to care for five orphaned children whose parents were murdered, care for a rape victim and purchase of sewing machines so women have a skill to support themselves and family. Work to build, rebuild and maintain water sources to serve families and communities continues. With each transmission of support to Butoke, we are reminded of those who have been moved to help those less fortunate than ourselves in a part of the world where conflict and strife are ongoing. Friends of Butoke is grateful for your continued compassion.



Blessings and peace,

*Joyce Kruse - Administrative Assistant*



**MONTREAT®**  
CONFERENCE CENTER

**Check Out Montreat's  
Women's Conference  
Coming Soon!  
August 9-11, 2024**

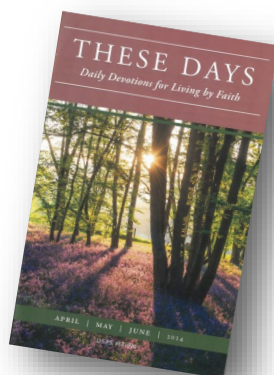
WRPC women are invited to participate along with a group from First Presbyterian. First Presbyterian is coordinating and covering the cost of Reynold's Lodge and food. Participants register on Montreat's website as a commuter, cost \$247. Montreat's Conference website: <https://montreat.org/events/wc-2024> If you have questions about what to expect, ask Rachel Lawson or Adult Ministries Elder, Eileen Butler, who can speak from personal experience.



**The NEW *Our Daily Bread*  
and *These Days*  
Publications are here!**

These publications are located in the Narthex to the right as you enter the Sanctuary.

If you are unable to come to church, just call the church office at 247-5121 and we will be glad to mail to your home address.



## Palm Sunday Pot Luck

after Worship  
Sunday, March 24, 2024  
in the Fellowship Hall

The church will provide fried chicken. Please bring a side dish or dessert to share!

There will be games, activities and an Egg Hunt for the children!




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ROALD DAHL'S  
**Matilda**  
THE MUSICAL

Friday and Saturday,  
February 9, 10, 16, and 17 at 7:00 PM  
and  
Sunday, February 11 and 18 at 2:00 PM

Adults: \$10 Senior Adults/Veterans: \$7  
Students/KCS Employees: \$5  
Tickets Sold at the Door



Theatre Arts Department  
Dobyns-Bennett High School  
Nancy Pridemore Little Theatre Stage

*Experience the Magic!*

ROALD DAHL'S MATILDA THE MUSICAL  
Is presented through special arrangement with Music Theatre International (MTI). All authorized  
performance materials are also supplied by MTI.  
www.mtishows.com

*A big shout out to  
three of our WRPC  
Youth who were  
involved in the  
production of  
Matilda. Natalie  
Guillen (LeAnna  
Hamer's daughter)  
and Beth Crow  
(aka Elizabeth  
Crow) played  
parts.*

*Kara Huron  
designed the  
poster for the  
production. Bravo!*

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## Easter Lily Order Form

If you would like to order an Easter lily to be used in the sanctuary on Easter morning, please fill out a form for EACH lily ordered. The cost is \$8.50 for each lily. Please make checks payable to the church and leave the order form and the check in Amy's mailbox in the church workroom or in the mailbox slot on her door.

**The last day to order is Sunday, March 24. You can also call the church office at 247-5121 and place your order!**

### I would like to order....

A lily in memory of:

\_\_\_\_\_

A lily in honor of:

\_\_\_\_\_

In celebration of:

\_\_\_\_\_

Given by:

\_\_\_\_\_

**\* I will pick up my lily following Easter morning worship:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\* I will not be picking up my lily:** \_\_\_\_\_

