

Coming Soon....

For our Visitors

Did you know that we have Godly Play / Children’s Church available for children 3 years through 5th Grade, during Worship Service? Children are welcome to attend after the “Time with Children” in the Worship Service. We also have a Nursery available for children under age 3.

WRPC Walking Group

Every Tuesday, weather permitting! We will gather at 9:00 am at the Greenbelt Holston Valley Drive Trailhead entrance. If there is a change in plans, Collin will send out an email to let you know where we will be walking.

SMILE for August



Our wish list for August includes new or gently used leggings / athletic sweatpants, new school supplies and lunch boxes.

WRPC Weekly Calendar

Sunday 7/28	11:00am Worship Service
Monday 7/29	12:00pm WRCCC Staff Appreciation Luncheon, FH
Tuesday 7/30	9:00am Walking Group, meet at Holston Valley Trailhead
Wednesday 7/31	1:00pm ZOOM Bible Study
Friday 8/2	10:00am Food Pantry, FH



If you would like to support the mission and ministry of WRPC, we invite you to give online.

Acolyte

Michael Lawson

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Pastor | Collin Blair Adams

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Waverly Road  
Presbyterian Church

Love God Love Others Make Disciples

Service of Worship

July 28, 2024, 11:00 am

1415 Waverly Road Kingsport, TN 37664 423.247.5121 www.waverlyroadpc.org

Welcome to our Visitors

This church welcomes all who come within its walls or within its influence. Whatever the reason for you being here today, we hope that you find light, peace, direction and friendship.

If you would like more information about Waverly Road Presbyterian or if you are interested in becoming a member, you can fill out one of the yellow cards placed behind the pews, contact our minister at 423.247.5121, or visit our website at [www.waverlyroadpc.org](http://www.waverlyroadpc.org).

Please note the following details concerning the bulletin format:  
When you see **bold italics**, we all read aloud together.  
An \* invites those who are able to stand.

TIME OF WELCOME and ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE “His Eye Is on the Sparrow” Charles Callahan

GATHERING PRAYER Nancy Knight

CHORAL INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

God created  
*All things visible and invisible; none other.*  
God provides  
*Food for our stomach and spirit; none other.*  
God is able  
*To accomplish far more than all we can ask or imagine.*  
Let us worship the Trinity,  
*And none other.*

\*HYMN 1 “Holy, Holy, Holy”

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

*God of wonder, Lord of King David and of the Son, the Messiah, David's greater son, we confess our sins and pray for your help so that we can truly repent and turn from evil. Deliver us from the time of temptation to hide from you, to lie to you, or to excuse ourselves because of the harm we have done to others. Forgive us for the curse we have brought upon the earth. Restore your creation to full health and feed the multitudes from the abundance of your merciful power. Grow in us a deeper desire to love Christ with the fullness of your love, and to glorify him, along with you and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. AMEN*

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The river of God’s mercy runs deeper and wider than our sin. God removes our sins as far as the heavens are above the earth. Beloved in the risen Christ,  
*We are forgiven!*

\*GLORIA PATRI

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, Amen.*

TIME WITH CHILDREN Rev. Collin Adams

ANTHEM “Give Me Jesus” Moses Hogan

*Addison Meyers, solo*

*In the morning when I rise, give me Jesus.  
You may have all this world, give me Jesus.*

*Dark midnight was my cry, give me Jesus.  
You have may have all this world, give me Jesus.*

*Oh, when I comes to die, give me Jesus.  
You may have all this world. Give me Jesus.  
Nobody but Jesus, oh, you may have all this world, give me Jesus.*

SCRIPTURES 2 Samuel 11:1-5 & Ephesians 3:14-21

SERMON “Do Your Duty” Rev. Collin Adams

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

*I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. AMEN*

WELCOMING JOSHUA and NICOLE FILOTEO to MEMBERSHIP (See insert)

BAPTISM OF LUCA CALVIN FILOTEO (See insert)

PASTORAL PRAYER and THE LORD’S PRAYER

*Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. AMEN*

MISSION MOMENT Barbara Lane

OFFERTORY “A Song of Hope” Michael Ryan

\*DOXOLOGY

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him all creatures here below; praise him above ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*O God, may these gifts be used as a witness to your love, peace and justice at work in the world, renewing the face of the earth. AMEN*

\*HYMN 488 “I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry”

\*BENEDICTION

\*POSTLUDE “With Praises All Unite!” Sweelinck/Edwards

# 1 Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!

*Descant*

4 Ho - ly, - - ly,

1 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!  
 2 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore thee,  
 3 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark-ness hide thee,  
 4 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

ho - ly,

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to thee.  
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;  
 though the eye of sin - ful - ness thy glo - ry may not see,  
 All thy works shall praise thy name, in earth and sky and sea.

Much of the imagery of this hymn comes from Revelation 4:2–11, which its author, an Anglican bishop, knew as a reading appointed for Trinity Sunday. The tune, written specifically for this text, reinforces the Trinitarian theme by strong dependence on the D-major triad.

ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!  
 cher - u - bim and ser - a - phim fall - ing down be - fore thee,  
 on - ly thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side thee,  
 Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty.  
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!  
 who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.  
 per - fect in power, in love and pu - ri - ty.  
 God in three per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

## SPANISH

- 1 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Señor omnipotente,  
siempre el labio mío loores te dará.  
¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Te adoro reverente,  
Dios en tres personas, bendita Trinidad.
- 2 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La inmensa muchedumbre  
de ángeles que cumplen tu santa voluntad,  
ante ti se postra, bañada de tu lumbre,  
ante ti que has sido, que eres y serás.
- 3 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! Por más que estés velado  
e imposible sea tu gloria contemplar,  
santo tū eres sólo y nada hay a tu lado,  
en poder perfecto, pureza y caridad.
- 4 ¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La gloria de tu nombre  
vemos en tus obras, en cielo, tierra y mar.  
¡Santo! ¡Santo! ¡Santo! La humanidad te adore,  
Dios en tres personas, bendita Trinidad.

## KOREAN

- 1 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여  
이른아침우리주를 찬송합니다  
거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여  
성삼위일체 우리주로다
- 2 거룩거룩거룩 주의보좌 앞에  
모든성도 금면류관 벗어드리네  
천군천사 모두주께 굴복하니  
영원히 위에 계신 주로다
- 3 거룩거룩거룩 주의 빛난 영광  
모든죄인 눈어두워 보지못하네  
거룩하신 이가 주님밖에 뉘뇨  
권능과사랑 온전하셔라
- 4 거룩거룩거룩 전능하신 주여  
천지만물 주의이름 찬송합니다  
거룩거룩거룩 자비하신 주여  
성삼위일체 우리주로다

## 488 I Was There to Hear Your Boring Cry



1 "I was there to hear your born - ing cry; I'll be there when

2 "When you heard the won - der of the Word, I was there to

3 "In the mid - dle a - ges of your life, not too old, no



you are old. I re - joiced the day you were bap - tized to

cheer you on. You were raised to praise the liv - ing Lord to

lon - ger young, I'll be there to guide you through the night, com -



see your life un - fold. I was there when you were but a

whom you now be - long. If you find some - one to share your

plete what I've be - gun. When the eve - ning gent - ly clos - es



child with a faith to suit you well; in a blaze of

time and you join your hearts as one, I'll be there to

in and you shut your wea - ry eyes, I'll be there as



light you wan - dered off to find where de - mons dwell."

make your vers - es rhyme from dusk till ris - ing sun."

I have al - ways been with just one more sur - prise."



4 "I was there to hear your born-ing cry; I'll be there when you are old.



I re-joiced the day you were bap-tized to see your life un - fold."

Originally created to accompany a video series on baptism, this hymn speaks in the imagined conversational voice of God, assuring the person being baptized of God's presence throughout the changing stages of life. It offers a reminder that baptism is a once-in-a-lifetime event.

# WELCOMING JOSHUA and NICOLE FILOTEO TO MEMBERSHIP

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## BAPTISM OF LUCA CALVIN FILOTEO

*As we celebrate the baptism of these beloved children of God you are invited to reaffirm your baptism.*

### Baptismal Vows

#### To the Family

Will you, by your prayers and witness help Luca grow into the full stature of Christ? **We will.**

#### To the Children of the Church

Today we celebrate that Luca is a part of God's family. We are all God's children. These questions are for you, the children of Waverly Road.

Will you help Luca remember that God loves him and we love him?  
**We will.**

Will we share the stories of Jesus with Luca? **We will.**

#### To the Congregation

Do you, as members of the church of Jesus Christ, promise to guide and nurture Luca by word and deed, with love and prayer? **We do.**

Will you encourage him to know and follow Christ and to be a faithful member of his church? **We will.**

*(continued on back)*

## Profession of Faith

Trusting in the gracious mercy of God, do you turn from the ways of sin and renounce evil and its power in the world? **I renounce them.**

Who is your Lord and Savior? **Jesus Christ is my Lord and Savior.**

Will you be Christ's faithful disciple, obeying his word and showing his love? **I will, with God's help.**

With the whole church, let us confess our faith.

**I believe in God, the father almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe in Jesus Christ, God's only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, he is seated at the right hand of the Father, and he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of the saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. AMEN**

## Baptismal Response      "May The Road Rise to Meet You"

*May the road rise to meet you,*

*May the wind blow at your back,*

*May the sun shine warmly on your face,*

*May the rain fall softly on your field;*

*And until we meet again, until we meet again,*

*May God hold you in the palm of His hand. Amen.*



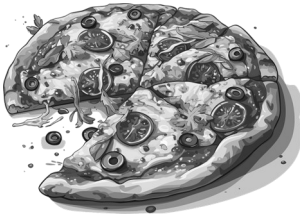
# **LEO Lunch Sunday, August 4 after worship! Reservation Form**

## **Topic of Discussion:**

### **Focus on WRPC's Future Health & Financial Picture**

As you may have heard in recent announcements, WRPC is facing challenges. Like many mainstream churches, our membership numbers have declined due to a variety of reasons and we have to reassess how we want to handle the challenges that come with that shift. Bill Butler, our Receiving Treasurer, recently presented the Session with a comprehensive picture of the direction of WRPC's finances over the last ten years or so, and the projection for our finances over the next five to six years. It is important that the rest of the church also sees this presentation and has the opportunity to ask questions. We need our whole church family to be part of facing the changes ahead.

**Menu... "Monster Pizzas" from Italiano's and tossed salad.**



**PLEASE RSVP by**



- 1. Scanning the QR code and responding.**
- 2. Filling out this form and place it in the offering plate.**
- 3. Calling the church office at 247-5121.**

**Number attending** \_\_\_\_\_



**If you would like to contribute to the cost of the meal, we will have a box available for donations.**

*Thank you from the Adult Ministries Committee: Eileen Butler (chair), Howard Carman, Anne Garber, Rachel Lawson and Lynda Snook.*