

Coming Soon....

For our Visitors

Did you know that we have Godly Play / Children's Church available for children age 3 through 3rd 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.

Youth Group

Mondays, 3:00–5:15pm

You never know what Trinity will have in store for WRPC kids after school on Mondays! You know, it's going to be something fun!

WRPC Blessing Box

1401 Prospect Drive

Drive by and check out our Blessing Box! Is it empty? Is it full? Either way, bring an item or two to put in our blessing box! Non-perishable food items or hygiene items. Feminine products, particularly, are always needed. The cold weather is here so gloves and hats are great ideas too! This box is always open for receiving and giving!

SMILE for February

February is the month for donating shirts of all sizes!



Meals on Wheels needs you!

Meals on Wheels is celebrating its 50th birthday this year.

We are blessed with over 500 volunteers who make this ministry possible, including cooks, drivers, kitchen coordinators, people who order and stock food and supplies and one part time paid employee who works 3 hours a day to make this possible.

In celebration of our 50th birthday, we want to add 50 new recipients, 50 new volunteers and 50 new donors. If you or someone you know needs to receive Meals on Wheels, please visit the Meals on Wheels website.

You can download and print an application form, have a doctor complete it and return it to the Meals on Wheels office. There are immediate openings for drivers for cooks at both kitchens. If you're interested in volunteering, you can visit our website more information or call the Meals on Wheels office at 423-247-4511.

Visit us at

www.mealsonwheelskingsport.org for more information on becoming a recipient, volunteer or donor. Thank you for supporting Meals on Wheels of Kingsport!

WRPC Weekly Calendar

Sunday 2/13	9:45am In-Person Sunday School, Preschool through Grade 12 11:00am Sunday Worship Service (Godly Play Children's Church in Room 102)
Monday 2/14	3:00pm Youth Group
Tuesday 2/15	6:00pm Has Beens Practice, FH
Wednesday 2/16	1:00pm ZOOM Bible Study
Friday 2/18	10:00am Food Pantry, FH

Acolyte

Christopher Ketchie

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Waverly Road Presbyterian Church

Love God Love Others Make Disciples

Service of Worship

February 13, 2022, 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.

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 "I Trust, O Christ, in You Alone"
Johann Pachelbel

GATHERING PRAYER Karen Carman

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

When we turn our hearts away from God and toward ourselves, putting trust in our own strength,

We become like a shrub in the desert, living in a parched, salty place.

When we trust in God, when our trust is God, we are like a tree planted by water.

Our roots go deep, we are ever-green; even in a drought we are not anxious, but bear fruit, full and beautiful, gifts of the God who made us.

***HYMN 35** "Praise Ye the Lord the Almighty"

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God, your call to discipleship is demanding. You call us to reorder our lives by the kingdom you are bringing in Jesus Christ. Yet we still pass by the ones you especially notice: people who are poor and hungry; people who weep. We have not stood with those who are hated, bullied, and excluded. Comfortable with the way things are, we are too complacent, even complicit with injustice and prejudice. Forgive us, O God, and turn us back toward your gospel. We pray this now, for our sake, and for the sake of your world. Through Jesus Christ our Lord.

SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Because Christ has been raised from the dead, sin and death do not have the last word!

Our faith is not in vain! Baptized into Christ's death and resurrection, we are forgiven and free to live for God and neighbor. Thanks be to God. Alleluia, AMEN!

TIME WITH CHILDREN

 Trinity Gibson

Children ages 3 years - 3rd grade may now be dismissed to attend Godly Play (Children's Church) in Room 102.

ANTHEM "Saviour, Like A Shepherd Lead Us"
arr. Hal H. Hopson

*Saviour, like a shepherd lead us, much we need your tender care;
In your pleasant pastures feed us; For our use your folds prepare.
Blessed Jesus, Blessed Jesus, You have brought us, we are yours.*

*Early let us seek your favor, early let us do your will.
Blessed Lord and only Saviour, with your love our lives now fill.
Blessed Jesus, Blessed Jesus, You have loved us, love us still.*

SCRIPTURES Jeremiah 17:5-10 & Luke 6: 17-26

SERMON "Where's the Trust?" Rev. Collin Adams

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

From The Presbyterian Church (USA) Brief Statement of Faith

In sovereign love God created the world good and makes everyone equally in God's image male and female, of every race and people, to live as one community. But we rebel against God; we hide from our Creator. Ignoring God's commandments, we violate the image of God in others and ourselves, accept lies as truth, exploit neighbor and nature, and threaten death to the planet entrusted to our care.

We deserve God's condemnation. Yet God acts with justice and mercy to redeem creation. In everlasting love, the God of Abraham and Sarah chose a covenant people to bless all families of the earth. Hearing their cry, God delivered the children of Israel from the house of bondage.

With believers in every time and place, we rejoice that nothing in life or in death can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

*Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Spirit.
AMEN*

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 Martha Triplett

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

*Holy One, we give you thanks for your generosity to us. Bless the gifts that we give this week, and multiply them, for the sake of those in need around us; in Jesus' name.
AMEN*

***HYMN 172** "Blest Are They"

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

***POSTLUDE** "Trumpet Joy" Francisco de Peraza

35 Praise Ye the Lord, the Almighty

1 Praise ye the Lord, the Al - might - y, the King of cre -
 2 Praise ye the Lord, who o'er all things so won-drous - ly
 3 Praise ye the Lord! O let all that is in me a -

a - tion! O my soul, praise him, for he is thy
 reign - eth, shel - ters thee un - der his wings, yea, so
 dore him! All that hath life and breath, come now with

health and sal - va - tion! All ye who hear, now to his
 gen - tly sus - tain - eth! Hast thou not seen how thy de -
 prais - es be - fore him! Let the a - men sound from his

tem - ple draw near; join me in glad ad - o - ra - tion!
 sires e'er have been grant - ed in what he or - dain - eth?
 peo - ple a - gain; glad - ly for aye we a - dore him.

This very strong 17th-century German hymn employs many phrases from the psalms, especially Psalms 150 and 103:1-6. It did not receive an effective English translation until the mid-19th century, but has remained popular ever since, thanks in part to its stirring tune.

Blest Are They

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Gsus Leader or All G D C

1 Blest are they, the poor in spir - it; theirs is the
 2 Blest are they, the low - ly ones; they shall in -
 3 Blest are they who show mer - cy; mer - cy
 4 Blest are they who seek peace; they are the
 5 Blest are you who suf - fer hate, all be -

Dsus D7 Gsus G Gsus G

king - dom of God. Blest are they,
 her - it the earth. Blest are they who
 shall be theirs. Blest are they, the
 chil - dren of God. Blest are they who
 cause of me. Re - joice, be glad;

D C Dsus D Gsus G

full of sor - row; they shall be con - soled.
 hun - ger and thirst; they shall have their fill.
 pure of heart; they shall see God.
 suf - fer in faith; the glo - ry of God is theirs.
 yours is the king - dom; shine for all to see.

Refrain All C D7 G D Em G C G

Re - joice and be glad! Bless - ed are you;

Am A D C D7 Em Em7

ho - ly are you! Re - joice and be glad!

C Dsus D C G

Yours is the king - dom of God!

This hymn paraphrases the Beatitudes (Matthew 5:1–12), the opening portion of Christ's Sermon on the Mount. Similar words of blessing also occur in the Sermon on the Plain (Luke 6:20–23). Both sets of sayings reverse worldly values and offer a new understanding of God's ways.