## 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!

#### **Mission Mini-Grant Update**

A quick update on the Mission Mini-Grant Program: our first mini-grant went to the Ross N. Robinson girls' basketball team to help with their fundraising efforts. They hope to fund uniforms and equipment for the team this year. The Mission Committee is excited to see where the congregation will direct us with the next Mini-Grant Request!

Many thanks to the WRPC congregation!

The Mission Committee of WRPC

#### **SMILE for March**

March is the month for donating gently used sneakers of ALL sizes and NEW packs of diaper wipes!

Thanks so much for your support!



#### **NEW Prayer Room** available

In the former parish nurse's office (off of the gathering space), you will find a "new" room. Come in and rest when you are struggling to find peace. A flowing rock fountain with a soft glow, an oil diffuser, a cushy chair, a Bible, and even a scripture reflection app or quiet music option will be there to help you. Whether you are grieving, anxious, or just feeling a bit lost, the room is there to give you a space to commune with our God on an individual and private basis. "Cast all your anxiety on Him, because He cares for you." 1 Peter 5:7



#### **PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE**

OUT OF CHAOS, HOPE

As the violence continues in Ukraine, the number of people being displaced internally and fleeing to neighboring countries increases by the day. In the midst of the chaos, there are sibling churches and ecumenical partners who are already providing assistance with basic items for survival.

We don't know how long it will take, but we know that they will need help with the rebuilding of their country so that those who are fleeing now may one day return home safely.

To support our response, designate gifts to DR000156 or text PDAUKR to 41444.

## WRPC Weekly Calendar

Sunday 3/6 9:45am In-Person Sunday School, Preschool through Grade 12 11:00am Sunday Worship Service / 5 Cents-a-Meal Offering (Godly Play Children's Church in Room 102) Monday 3/7 3:00pm Youth Group Tuesday 3/8 6:00pm Has Beens Practice, FH Wednesday 3/9 1:00pm ZOOM Bible Study 6:00pm Handbells 7:00pm Chancel Choir Practice Friday 3/11 10:00am Food Pantry, FH

### Acolyte

Kara Huron

#### **WRPC Staff**

Pastor | Collin Blair Adams

Pastor Emeritus | Daniel Clark

Director of Music | Dr. Kate Stubbs

Organist | Susan Whipple

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Director of Intergenerational Discipleship Rachel Lawson

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# Waverly Road Presbyterian Church

Love God Love Others Make Disciples

## Service of Worship

March 6, 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 "Ch

"Chant Solemnus"

Craig A. Penfield

**GATHERING PRAYER** 

Sharon Nolen

#### **INTROIT**

#### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

The season of Lent sets us on a journey.

The journey begins in the wilderness. We follow the way of Jesus, who faced trials, trouble, temptation, and testing.

Like Jesus, we are not alone. The Holy Spirit is with us. God's Word is on our lips.

Our call is to trust in God alone, to do God's will in all things.

For God leads us not only into the wilderness, but also through the wilderness.

#### **CALL TO CONFESSION**

#### PRAYER OF CONFESSION

O God, our refuge and fortress, forgive us when we fail to trust in you. We fall into temptation; we are swayed by false words; we speak false words of our own. We choose our ease and comfort over your demanding claims upon us and upon the world. In turning from you, we settle for less than the abundant generosity you intend. Forgive us, we pray. Do not let us be put to shame, O God. Hear us as we call you and show us your salvation. In Christ's name we pray.

#### SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

#### **ASSURANCE OF PARDON**

Scripture declares, "The Lord is generous to all who call on God's name." Friends, believe the good news: God does not turn away from us, but desires to bring us into the glorious freedom offered in Jesus Christ.

Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved. 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**

"A Lenten Prayer"
Antonio Salieri, arr. Hal H. Hopson

O only hope of all below, You did the full reward bestow.

If you will not, who shall condone? You can cleanse us, You alone.

Lord, have mercy. Christ, Christ, have mercy.

Grant that we may pray aright. Purify us in your sight.

Lord, have mercy. Christ, Christ, have mercy. Amen, amen.

#### **SCRIPTURES**

Deuteronomy 26:1-11 & Luke 4: 1-13

#### **SERMON**

"Remember"

#### 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

#### 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**

Eddie Eldredge

#### PRAYER OF DEDICATION

Gracious and generous God, we are amazed by the good gifts you bestow in abundance. Thank you for the food that sustains our journey. Thank you for the company of the saints to whom we are joined. Thank you for giving us your work to do on earth. We offer back to you a portion of all that we have received, setting down our baskets in celebration of your greatest gift, Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. AMEN

\*HYMN 36

"For the Fruit of All Creation"

\*BENEDICTION

\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

\*POSTLUDE

"Forty Days and Forty Nights"

Henry Marcellus Higgs

\*HYMN 166 "Lord, Who throughout These Forty Days"

## Lord, Who throughout These 166 Forty Days



- 1 Lord, who through-out these for ty days for us did fast and
- 2 As you with Sa tan did con-tend and did the vic-tory
- 3 And through these days of pen i tence, and through this Pas-sion-
- 4 A bide with us, till when this life of suf fering shall be





pray, teach us with you to mourn our sins and close by you to stay. win, O give us strength to per - se - vere, in you to con-quer sin. tide, yes, ev - er - more, in life and death, O Lord, with us a - bide past, an Eas - ter of un - end - ing joy we may at - tain at last.



Like many of this author's hymns, this text was written primarily for children but works equally well in reminding adults how Lent connects us with Christ's temptation in the wilderness and prepares us for Easter. The 16th-century English psalm tune provides sturdy support.

#### For the Fruit of All Creation



Originally called "Harvest Hymn," this text is much more comprehensive than that title implies. It also deals with stewardship, thanksgiving, and God's endless gifts that continue to astound us. It is set to a familiar Welsh tune whose name means "throughout the night."