

Lake Waccamaw United Methodist Church

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Forgiveness reflects the nature of Christ

From the Pastor

The Scandal of Forgiveness



The word scandal finds its origin in the Greek word *Scandalidzo* which means literally: *that which causes one to stumble*. Such is the effect of Jesus' commandment to his followers to forgive one another seventy times seven.

How difficult it is to forgive someone who has done you wrong. But to do so is to reflect the nature of Christ.

Without the willingness to forgive, there can be no glue that holds us together in the Body of Christ. Forgiveness halts the cycle of blame and pain. Forgiveness loosens the stranglehold of anger and guilt. The Gospel of John ends with the resurrected Jesus leading Peter through a three-fold ritual of forgiveness to remove the guilt of his denial. With such forgiven sinners Jesus would establish his church.

A Study of the End Times

On **Sunday nights in August** (7:00 pm to 8:30 pm), Pastor Sam will lead a study on *The End Times Prophecies*.

August 7th- This is what the Bible says...now what does it mean?

August 14th- Modern and not-so-modern prophecies of the End of the World

August 21st- The Bad News: Rapture, Tribulation, Second Coming, and Judgment Day

August 28th- The Good News: A Retirement Plan Out of this World

Come picnic with us!



On **Wednesday, August 17th**, we will have a **picnic** at the Lake Waccamaw Sailing Club. Come as early as 4:00 pm and let the children (and adults) swim. Official gathering time is usually 6:00 pm; with eating around 7:00 pm. Working folks will have plenty of time to get there to eat. Food will be provided. All are invited. Come out for the fun and fellowship and the good food.

50+ Group plans outing

The 50+ Group plans to go to Calabash on **Saturday, August 27th** for lunch at Capt. Nance's and shopping at Callahan's with a stop at Callahan's Creamery for ice cream before returning home. Meet at LWUMC at 11:00 a.m. RSVP by calling Sue Caffee at 646-3679 or Marie Melville, 646-4452. There will be a sign-up sheet posted outside the pastor's office later this month. Either call or sign-up if you plan to attend.

The van road trip

You are invited to join Reverend Loy on a trip to an African Methodist Church, Piney Grove Methodist Church near Maxton, NC. **On August 14th**, we will **leave the church at 9:00 and return at 4:00 pm**. Participants are asked to bring \$5.00 to help with van fuel. Lunch is provided.

Pictorial Directory Update

Olan Mills expects to ship our directories August 2nd. Hopefully directories will be available for pick up the first Sunday in August.

Welcome to Our New Members

This summer, eighteen new members have joined our church. They are: **Rocky Coffman, Martha Everette, Channing, Kim, and Joshua Glover** (baptized roll), **Grayson and Greer Inman, Wanda Loy, Catherine Pleasant,** and **Diane Wells**. Welcome to each of you.

We also had the privilege of welcoming our new confirmands: **Reagan and Chase Barnhill**, daughters of Ashley and Peggy Barnhill; **Kelsey Carroll**, daughter of Stuart and Judy Carroll; **Valerie Carter**, daughter of Stanley and Debra Carter; **Matthew Coffman**, son of Rocky and Sarah Coffman; **Cameron Floyd**, son of George and Beth Floyd; **Brianna Monroe**, daughter of Tom and Julie Monroe; and **Graceanna Sessions**, daughter of Scott and Amy Sessions. We are proud to have you in our church family.

United Methodist Women

Although they do not meet in July and August, the UMW will resume on **September 1st** at **Anna Marie Inman's home** for our annual salad supper with the Presbyterian Women as our guests. Mark your calendar now for this delightful meeting.

In the meantime, be sure to join the women of LWUMC for **Ladies Lunch Out** at **11:30 a.m.** on **Tuesday, August 9th** at Dale's Restaurant. Socializing is our only agenda. All ladies of the church and community are invited to attend this Dutch lunch and fellowship. Bring a friend to enjoy this good time

Memorials have been made to LWUMC....

In memory of R.J. Jordan by:

Jeana McDuffie Sonny and Lettie Sharpe

In memory of Richard Parobeck by:

Mary Mickey

In memory of Steven Theodorakis by:

Lake Cove Sunday School Class

Ben and Faye Douglas

In memory of Terry Harrelson by:

Ashley and Peggy Barnhill

Melvin Barnhill

In memory of John Alsup by:

Mary Frances Alsup

Craig and Janet Mercer

In honor of Marie Melville by:

Lake Cove Sunday School Class

In honor of Ann Edens by:

Lake Cove Sunday School Class



KFC will resume in September

Kids for Christ will begin meeting at **6:00 p.m.** on the first Wednesday in September. **September 7th** will be the kick-off date. Watch bulletins for more details.

August Opportunities

8/6	8:30	Men's breakfast at LWUMC
8/7	7:00	End Times Bible Study begins
8/9	11:30	Ladies Lunch Out at Dale's
8/9	7:00	Worship Committee
8/11	1:00	Prayer Shawl Ministry
8/15	7:00	PPR meeting
8/17	6:00	Picnic at LW Sailing Club
8/22	7:00	Nominations Committee meets
8/25	1:00	Prayer Shawl Ministry
8/27	11:00	50+ group to Calabash
8/28	11:00	Round Up Sunday & Sunday School Promotion Sunday
8/29	7:00	Nominations Committee meets

August 28th is an important date

Roundup Sunday is set for August 28th. We will be enjoying a covered dish lunch and wonderful fellowship. Please invite friends to come fellowship with us.

Also, on August 28th we will be celebrating **Sunday School Promotion Sunday** when it may be time for some of our young ones to move up to the next class. We will have certificates for those being promoted this year. Come and start your new Sunday School journey on the 28th. More details will be forth-coming in the Sunday bulletins as the date approaches. In the meantime, mark your calendars to save this special date: August 28th.

Hear the bells!



The Trustees are pleased to announce that the bells in the steeple can now be played. We hope you will enjoy hearing them again.

Can you help us out?

We would like to have Sunday School teachers for the months of August and September for the Older Elementary class (ages 9-11) so that Julie Monroe, Judy Carroll and George Floyd can be involved with the Parenting Class for their planned 10-week study program. We would also like to have a teacher for Tom's class (ages 12-13) for the same time period. Please contact Judy or Julie if you would like to help

Looking Ahead

Sept. 1	UMW Salad Supper
Sept. 7	KFC resumes.
Sept. 11	Nominations Committee
Sept. 12	Finance Committee
Sept.	Parenting Class Camping Trip
Oct 2	Homecoming
Oct. 2	Charge Conference 3:00
Nov. 29-Dec. 2	Christmas at Lake Junaluska



Youth News

Our Youth will resume meeting in late August. Keep watch for further details.

Homecoming

LWUMC Homecoming is set for **October 2nd**. One of our former pastors, Rev. Everette France, will bring the message followed by a covered-dish dinner on the grounds. Save the date!

Charge Conference in October

Our Charge Conference this year will be held with the members of the Hallsboro UMC at their church at **3:00 p.m. on October 2nd**. Details will follow later.

Committee meetings scheduled

- ✓ **Worship** – August 9th at 7:00 p.m.
- ✓ **PPR**- August 15th
- ✓ **Nominations** – August 22nd, 29th, and September 11th
- ✓ **Finance** – September 12th
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We need your help!

One of the Sunday School Classrooms (the one next to the Parenting Classroom) has turned into a storage room for a wide variety of items. **If you have any items currently stored in that room, please remove them by the end of August.** We would like to have that room again used as a Sunday School classroom by Sunday School Promotion Day, **August 28th**. This is also Round-up Sunday and it would be nice to have all those storage items “rounded up” and put elsewhere by then. **If items are not removed by August 28th, we shall assume that they are no longer needed by anyone.**

Christmas at Lake Junaluska

You can enjoy celebrating Christ in Christmas at the beautifully decorated historic Lambuth Inn at the Methodist Conference and Retreat Center at Lake Junaluska, **November 29th through December 2nd**. Details are posted on the bulletin board outside the pastor’s office.

Do you have contact information?

As a result of the membership roll survey completed in December 2010, the inactive members listed below lack adequate contact information. If you have contact information, please e-mail it to plmedlin1@yahoo.com or send it to the church office.

Bey, Patsy; - Bey, Robert; - Black, Sammy; Black Shari; - Blood, Emily; - Bourdon, Ryan; - Brandt, Ruth; - Bullard Ronald Edward; - Bullard, Eugene; - Bullard, Betty; Clements, - Dan; Clements, Molly; - Collier, Jim; - Creech, Mark; - Creech, Cheryl; - Dawson, Todd; - Delk, Michael W.; - Dew, Jamie; - Dew, Jeannie; - Drakeford, Gemell; - duPont Sam; - duPont, Ann; - Fitter, Caroline; - Futrell, Jamie; - Green, Michelle; - Gross, Nic; - Gross, Brenda; - Guyton, Judy Williamson; - Hager, Wendy; Hatcher, Kevin; - Haythorn, Sharon; - Isenberg, Traci; - Jackson, Joe; - Johnson, Sean; - Jones, Bob; - Jones, Betty; - Lane, Gregory; - Lane, Jodi; - Lane, Douglas; Lane, John Kevin; - Laymen, Mark Harold; Lewis, Kathy Long; - Lewis, Jr., William Douglas; - Little, Bill; - Little, Darlene; - Marley, James; - Novack, Jacqueline Ann; Rabon, Billy Joe ; -Rittter, Rena; - Russell, Dolan James; - Russell, Tara; - Sellers, Angela Conoly; - Sellers, Willard; Shaw, Susan Fox; - Smart, T.J.; - Smith, Michael; - Spaulding, Iona; - Spaulding, David; - Stroud, Kathy Sue; - Swinson, Jean; - Swinson, Joe; - Harness, Wendy; - Walker, Michael; - Walton, Phil; - Webb, Tim; - Wilkinson, Michael D.; - Yow, Kathy

Men will meet at LWUMC

We will be hosting the men of the community and church here on **Saturday, August 6th at 8:30 a.m.** Plan to come to help prepare and serve the breakfast and enjoy the food and fellowship which will follow.

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Helpers for August

Flowers

8-7 Anna-Marie Inman *Communion*
8-14 Polly Inman
8-21 Lillian Jones
8-28 Ruth Long

Nursery

For Sunday School
8-7 Oncavage
8-14 Inman
8-21 McDuffie
8-28 Sessions

For 11:00 Worship Service

8-7 Sessions
8-14 S. & R. Wilson
8-21 C. & K. Rogers
8-28 K. & S. Alsup

Acolytes

8-7 Tyler Floyd
8-14 Chase Barnhill
8-21 Chase Barnhill
8-28 Jacob Inman

Sunday Morning Snack Providers

8-7 Mary Frances Alsup

Children's Church

Garlande Powell

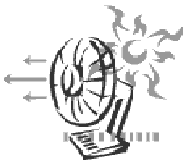
Breakfast Snack Servers

Please volunteer by signing up on the
sheet outside the Pastor's office.

Ushers

8-7 Rodney Wilson and Matt Wilson
8-14 Andy Wells and Chad Eason
8-21 Sonny Sharpe and Dickie Long
8-28 Tom Monroe and Roland Wagner

Tellers: Ruth Long & Penny Grainger



August Birthdays and Anniversaries



Our church family celebrates these birthdays:

8-1 Josh Bush
8-2 Kriste Mumm
Hyland Tyler
8-3 Keith Douglas
8-4 Caroline Goldston
8-5 Marie Melville
Morgan Queen
Sherrill Stevens
8-9 Andy Wells
8-13 Chris Jernigan
8-15 Oliver Carter
Ruth Long
8-16 Bailey Barnhill
8-19 Keith Alsup
8-22 Joshua Rogers
Forrest Steed
8-23 Wendy Hilburn
David Medlin
8-24 Judy Carroll
8-25 Ann Edens
8-26 Buddy Tate
8-27 Diane Wells
8-28 Brett Council

CONGRATULATIONS ON THE ANNIVERSARIES OF:

8-2 Randy and Garlande Powell
David and Sherrill Stevens
8-15 Dickie and Ruth Long
8-19 Rodney and Nancy Wilson
8-24 Kelly and Ann Edens
8-25 Buddy and Beverly Pope