

This Week's Schedule

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| Sun, 1/11 <i>Baptism of our Lord</i> | Contemporary Worship (FLC) Sunday School/Confirmation Traditional Worship (Nave) | 8 am 9:15 am 10:30 am |
| Mon, 1/12 | CARE Team meeting | 6 pm |
| Wed, 1/14 | Confirmation Choir 1833 Band | 6 pm 6 pm 7 pm |
| Sat, 1/17 | Men in Mission breakfast | 8 am |
| Sun, 1/18 <i>2nd Sunday after Epiphany</i> | Contemporary Worship (FLC) Sunday School Traditional Worship (Nave) | 8 am 9:15 am 10:30 am |

192 friends worshipped with us last week
Invite your friends to come next Sunday!

Friendship Preschool - Mrs. Lori Overcash, director
Hours: Monday - Friday 8am - 12noon
Phone #: (828) 632-4482 **Email:** littlemamalu3@yahoo.com

THANK YOU for continuing to share generously!
You may also put offerings in the lock box beside the Parish House door, mail them in or give online. Call if you need help with this.

| | Current Offerings | Current Expenses | Benevolence Offerings |
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| Last Week | \$6,474.28 | \$15,936.24 | \$630.00 |
| YTD | \$6,474.28 | \$15,936.24 | \$630.00 |
| 2026 Budget | | \$474,220.00 | \$24,000.00 |
| Weekly Budget | | \$9,120.00 | \$462.00 |

This Week At Friendship

January 11, 2026

5300 Church Road, Taylorsville, NC 28681 - www.friendshiptaylorsville.org

Thanks to all who gave blood or helped in any way with the January blood drive. A **total of 48 units** were collected. **Next blood drive is April 12th.**

2025 Contribution Statements are available for pickup.

CARE Team meet **Monday, January 12th at 6pm.**

Men in Mission breakfast is **Saturday, January 17th at 8am.**

Church Council meets on **Tuesday, January 20th at 6pm.**

Mission Trip - The youth are excited about going on a mission trip to Charleston, SC in **July 2026!** They will be hosting fundraisers to raise money needed to go on this mission trip. However, a general note about financially supporting children, youth and youth missions ministries at Friendship: donations given that are marked "youth" or "children/rooted" are split between rooted and youth ministries. **Donations given that are specifically marked "youth missions" are placed in the designated fund for youth mission trips.** Thank you for your financial support of these important ministries to our congregation!

Friendship Preschool is in need of some prizes for their treasure chest. As our preschoolers have a good behavior day, do something kind or are standing out in some way, Mrs. O invites them to pick out a prize from the treasure chest. Prizes can be any small toy that you think a 3-4 year old would enjoy (happy meal toys, fidgets, pencils, trinkets, etc.)! Please bring any treasure chest toys you'd like to donate to the preschool and place them in the box labeled in the hand prints area. Thank you for your support of our preschool ministry!

Stewards for This Week

Lectors: **8am** - Jenna Buff
10:30 - Danny Price
Ushers: **8am** - Brian Chapman
10:30 - Robert Farrens
Acolytes: **8am** - Noah Bebbler
10:30 - Elliot Tucker
Video: **8am** - Dennis Rhyne
10:30 - John Adair

Stewards for Next Week

Lectors: **8am** - Janet Mitchell
10:30 - Lynn Jolly
Ushers: **8am** - Terry Mitchell
10:30 - Teddy Sweet
Acolytes: **8am** - Carson Head
10:30 - Ethan Hall
Video: **8am** - Terry Hefner
10:30 - Kimberlyn Swift

Offering Counters

January: **8am:** Guy Kerley & Dana Frye
10:30: Wendelynne Pearson & Teddy & Lori Sweet



Memorials & Gifts given to The Glory of God

Current

In honor of: Ella Grace's 18th birthday by Nana & Papa.

Columbarium

In honor of: Pastor Josh & Pastor Craig and their families by Shawn & Starr Lynn.

Building & Improvement

In honor of: Ella's 18th birthday by Momma, Daddy & Chase.

Special Offerings:

Noisy Offering \$66; Lutheran Disaster Response \$50; Columbarium \$135;
Austin Scholarship \$100; Preschool \$100; Youth Missions \$195;
Benevolence \$630; Building & Improvement \$510.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS for this week

Penny is in the office Mon-Thurs,
from 9:30 am to 4:30 pm.
Office is closed on Fridays.

Contact information for Pastor Josh:

cell 828-461-4688 or email pastorjoshtucker@gmail.com

Prayers of the Church

The names in **bold** were added this week. Please let us know if someone should be added or removed. Names are removed after one month unless the office is notified of an ongoing need.

As God's people we commit to pray for one another, and for all in need.

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your request to God."
~ Philippians 4:6-7

Let us pray daily for...

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| Brenda Hartness (D. Payne-12/15) | Tony Cothren (P. Josh-12/22) |
| Brent Warren (D. Payne-12/15) | Stella Hanshew (B. Icenhour-12/22) |
| Steve Matthews (K. Loudermelk-12/15) | Darryl Adkins (C. Gant-12/22) |
| Hal & Ruelene Deal (D. Payne-12/16) | Nicole Davis McNamara (J. Gant-12/22) |
| Brenda Hartness (D. Payne-12/15) | Teresa Wallace (W. Pearson-12/22) |
| Brent Warren (D. Payne-12/15) | Evie Milstead (P. Josh-12/29) |
| Steve Matthews (K. Loudermelk-12/15) | Derrick Hefner (L. Hefner-12/29) |
| Hal & Ruelene Deal (D. Payne-12/16) | Traci Kirby (T. Christopher-12/29) |
| Jimmy Hayes (M. Stafford-12/16) | Gina Cook (B. Bowman-1/5) |
| Jay Dean Mitchell (D. Ramsey-12/16) | Dana Hollar (L. Hefner-1/8) |
| Pastor Christina Auch (D. Ramsey-12/19) | Doug Sain (W. Cline-1/8) |
| Alta Sells (L. Hefner-12/22) | Ronald Craig (W. Cline-1/8) |

Family & friends of:

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| Joe Simmons | (W. Cline-12/15) |
| Mickey Chapman | (D. Frye-12/15) |
| Greg Biffle family | (P. Josh-12/22) |
| Dumm family | (P. Josh-12/22) |
| Mitchell Pharr | (H. Pharr-1/5) |
| Bobbie Elder | (B. Bowman-1/5) |

Please be in daily prayer for our Home Bound/Extended Care members:

Fate Hefner, Steve Icenhour,
Joyce Deal, Roy & Reba Bolick,
Dallard Lail, Bob Russell,
Phil & Ruth Lackey.

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