

This Week's Schedule

Sun, 10/12 <i>18th Sunday after Pentecost</i>	Contemporary Worship (FLC) Sunday School Traditional Worship (Nave) Red Cross Blood Drive	8 am 9:15 am 10:30 am 12:30-5 pm
Mon, 10/13	CARE Team meeting	6 pm
Wed, 10/15	Choir 1833 Band	6 pm 7 pm
Sat, 10/18	Men in Mission breakfast	4 pm
Sun, 10/19 <i>19th Sunday after Pentecost</i>	Contemporary Worship (FLC) Sunday School New Members Class Traditional Worship (Nave) Diane Hollar (FLC) Rooted Youth	8 am 9:15 am 9:15 am 10:30 am 12 pm 4:30 pm 4:30 pm

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

Friendship Preschool - call church office for information
Hours: Monday - Friday 8am - 12noon
Phone #: (828) 632-4482 **Email:** friendshipsecretary4@gmail.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
Last Week	\$11,453.65	\$8,367.06	\$275.00
YTD	\$326,273.40	\$341,083.44	\$12,779.97
2025 Budget		\$450,143.00	\$22,000.00
Weekly Budget		\$8,657.00	\$423.00

This Week At Friendship

October 12, 2025

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Pregnancy Care Center is in need of diapers & wipes, and new or gently used clothes. Their basement flooded & everything had to be thrown away. For details or questions, see Hannah Bostian.

Red Cross Blood Drive - today, 12:30-5 pm. Please visit Red-CrossBlood.org and enter Friendship Lutheran Taylorsville or contact Sue Bumgarner @ 828 381-7058 or Donna Icard @ 828 310-4890 to schedule an appointment. Call Jewell Elder for serving food or desk work @ 632-3544.

New Member's Class will be held **Sun, October 19th** at **9:15am** in the sanctuary. All who are considering church membership at Friendship or who have questions about the life and ministry here are welcome to attend!

Friendship's First Fall Festival is **Sunday, October 26th, 3-5 pm.** **Fun for all ages!** There will be games, a hay ride, cotton candy, popcorn, a balloon artist, mechanical bull & a cake walk. Anyone interested in making a game or just helping volunteer, please contact Amy Palmer (514-3477) or Kittie Black (803-630-2276). We are taking donations for candy & prizes for the rest of the month.

Nominees for Church Council: With the annual Congregational Meeting coming up on **November 16 at 9:15am** in the Family Life Center, it is time to start praying about who God may be calling to serve on church council at Friendship. The nominations team recommends these 6 members who have agreed to serve to be on the ballot: **Brian Chapman, Tyler Hall, Katelyn Hammer, Kasi Sigmon, Todd Smith, Garry Thomas.** Additionally, any confirmed, active member of Friendship may nominate another confirmed, active member for inclusion on the ballot. Any member making such nomination must contact the member to be nominated and confirm that the nominee is willing to serve, if elected. All nominees should be submitted in writing to Doug Ramsey by **October 20th.**

Stewards for This Week

Lectors: **8am** - Diane Hollar
10:30 - Sam Birchfield
Ushers: **8am** - Tony Elder
10:30 - Teddy Sweet
Acolytes: **8am** - Briggen Boyles
10:30 - Gracyn Tucker
Video: **8am** - Dennis Rhyne
10:30 - John Adair

Stewards for Next Week

Lectors: **8am** - Monica Stafford
10:30 - Tamara Stafford
Ushers: **8am** - Guy Kerley
10:30 - Chris Bowman
Acolytes: **8am** - Ethan Bebbler
10:30 - Sam Bedzinski
Video: **8am** - Terry Hefner
10:30 - Kasi Sigmon

Offering Counters

October: **8am:** Andrea Robinette & Jane Gant
10:30: Tamara Stafford & Barry & Dara Swift



Memorials & Gifts given to The Glory of God

Current

In memory of: Preston Ritchie by Harvey & Wanda Bentley.
 Jenny Eckard by Shelia Rogers.

In honor of: Cooper Deal's 17th birthday. We love you! Nana & Papa
 Tammy M. Bowman & Douglas Bowman's birthdays (Oct. 12) given by Guy
 & Penny Chapman.

Christian Crisis Center of Alex. Cty.

In memory of: Eddie Bowman's birthday (Oct. 14) by Brenda H. Bowman.

World Hunger

In memory of: My Daddy, Eddie Bowman's birthday (Oct. 14) by Tammy.

In honor of: Tammy Bowman's birthday (Oct. 12) by Brenda H. Bowman.

Special Offerings:

Noisy Offering \$110; Cruise In '25 Cathy Fox \$26,698; Columbarium \$65;
 Lutheridge Campaign \$25; Austin Scholarship \$150; Preschool \$25;
 Backpack-Wittenburg Elem. \$150; Benevolence \$275;
 Building & Improvement 645.

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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...

Mario Morin (C. Jolly-9/15)	Kelvin Elder (J. Elder-9/29)
Brooklyn Parsons (L. Hayes-9/15)	Neal Nichols (J. Nichols-9/29)
Ricky Rector (P. Josh-9/15)	Bill Wilson (C. Jolly-9/29)
Matthew Hamby (W. Cline-9/22)	Darryl Adkins (C. Gant-9/29)
Mary Ann Icenhour (P. Josh-9/23)	Nicole Davis McNamara (J. Gant-9/29)
Ginny Elder (J. Elder-9/23)	Martha Johnson (G. Kerley-9/29)
Jimmy Hayes (M. Stafford-9/23)	Linda Myers (S. Icenhour-9/29)
Cathy Fox (M. Sweat-9/23)	Cheryl Pennell (M. Sweat-10/1)
Jay Dean Mitchell (K. Ramsey-9/23)	Tammy Marlowe (B. Cline-10/6)
Catherine Starnes (D. Teague-9/24)	Tim Houser (B. Cline-10/6)
David Pearson (P. Josh-9/24)	Carmen Cline (B. Cline-10/6)
Donald Lee Bowman (S. Bumgarner-9/29)	Adalyne Bebbler (P. Josh-10/6)
Emily Smith Hall (P. Shealy-9/29)	Scott & Lori Seagle (P. Setzer-10/7)
Candace Miller (C. Bowman-9/29)	Bobby & Sheng Brown (P. Setzer-10/7)
Aaron Watts (J. Watts-9/29)	Tammy Johnson (L. Gant-10/8)
Stephen Elder (J. Watts-9/29)	Earlene Fulbright (D. Deal-10/9)
Ralph Robinette (J. Watts-9/29)	Penny Stafford (D. Deal-10/9)
Community of Southport, NC	

Family & friends of:

Charlie Kirk	(T. Smith-9/15)
Jenny Eckard	(A. Smith-9/29)
Leo Mayberry	(J. Watts-10/8)
Brenda Johnson	(L. Hefner-10/8)

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.