

## This Week's Schedule

<b>Sun, 3/1</b> <i>Second Sunday in Lent</i>	Contemporary Worship (FLC) Sunday School Traditional Worship (Nave) Youth - snow tubing Roy Bolick's visitation Roy Bolick's funeral	8 am 9:15 am 10:30 am 11:30 am 2 pm 3 pm
<b>Mon, 3/2</b>	Fellowship Potluck Supper	6 pm
<b>Wed, 3/4</b>	Lent Worship @ Reformation w/lunch Lent Worship @ St. Luke w/supper Choir 1833 Band	noon 6 pm 6 pm 7 pm
<b>Sat. 3/7</b>	Secret Sisters Lexus Gant (FLC)	9 am 11am
<b>Sun, 3/8</b> <i>Third Sunday in Lent</i> <i>Spring Forward</i>	Contemporary Worship (FLC) Sunday School Traditional Worship (Nave) Rooted	8 am 9:15 am 10:30 am 4:30 pm

**194 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
<b>Last Week</b>	\$11,629.00	\$5,696.90	\$245.00
<b>YTD</b>	\$64,401.92	\$76,493.90	\$3,182.85
<b>2026 Budget</b>		\$474,220.00	\$24,000.00
<b>Weekly Budget</b>		\$9,120.00	\$462.00

## This Week At Friendship

March 1, 2026

5300 Church Road, Taylorsville, NC 28681 - [www.friendshiptaylorsville.org](http://www.friendshiptaylorsville.org)

**Mid-Week Lent Worship** - each Wednesday in Lent community Lenten services will be held at Noon and 6pm with a meal to follow worship. The theme for these services is "Holy Lament". We will be taking up an offering for Lutheran Disaster Response - Bridging Together ministry, which is serving to rebuild private bridges that were destroyed due to Hurricane Helene.

### This week's Community Lenten Worship Schedule:

**Wed, March 4** - noon at Reformation, lunch to follow  
6pm at St. Luke, supper to follow

**Fellowship Potluck Supper** is Monday, March 2nd @ 6pm. All are welcome to join us for great food & fellowship.

**Secret Sisters** meet Saturday, March 7th at 9am to start our new year. Anyone interested in joining, see Daphne Payne for information sheet.

**CARE Team** meets Monday, March 9th at 6pm.

**Rusha Austin Scholarship Packets** are available for pick up at the church office **now thru March 15th**. Packets will not be available for pick up **after March 15th**. The completed packets are due by **April 15th**.

**WELCA** meets Sunday, March 15th @ 4pm. All ladies are invited to attend.

**New Member's Class** will be held Sun, March 22nd 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!

**Easter Egg Hunt** - will be Saturday, March 28th, 1-3pm. If you are interested in helping, contact Amy Palmer @ 828 514-3477.

**Messiah in the Passover** As we come near to Holy Week we will welcome Chosen People Ministries to Friendship on **Sunday, March 22nd at 6pm** to present, Messiah in the Passover. This presentation speaks of the past (God's people wandering in the wilderness), Salvation (trust in God's promise through Christ, & the future (the eternal kingdom of God). We will begin the evening with a time of fellowship sharing covered dish style finger foods, snacks, desserts & heavy hors d'oeuvres (drinks will be provided), so please bring a dish to share & invite a friend!

**Save the DATE!** Lutheroad Summer Day Camp will be at Friendship **June 8-12, 2026. Registration is now open!** See Payton Boyles for registration information.

### Stewards for This Week

Lectors: **8am** - Starr Lynn Smith

**10:30** - Diane Hollar

Ushers: **8am** - Doug Ramsey

**10:30** - Robert Farrrens

Acolytes: **8am** - Ethan Bebbler

**10:30** - David Bedzinski

Video: **8am** - Terry Hefner

**10:30** - Kasi Sigmon

### Stewards for Next Week

Lectors: **8am** - Margo Elder

**10:30** - Danny Price

Ushers: **8am** - Guy Kerley

**10:30** - Teddy Sweet

Acolytes: **8am** - Emma Icard

**10:30** - Ethan Hall

Video: **8am** - Doug Ramsey

**10:30** - Kimberlyn Swift

### Offering Counters

**March: 8am:** Sandra Icenhour & Michelle Miller

**10:30:** Diane Hollar & Mary Ann Icenhour

### Memorials & Gifts given to The Glory of God

#### Current

In memory of: Harold Buff given by the Catawba Middle Retirees.

#### Rusha Scholarship

In memory of: Fate Hefner given by Lee Icenhour.

#### Youth Mission Trip

In memory of: Harold Buff & Fate Hefner given by Tony & Margo Elder.

Harold Buff given by John, Hannah, Chase & Ella Bostian.

Fate Hefner given by Allen & Donna Bowman.

Harold Buff & Fate Hefner given by Jerry & Paulette Hefner.

Fate Hefner given by the Young Ventures Sunday School Class.

In honor of: Our first grandson, Banks Elliott Mooney by Mimi & Papa Phil.

#### Building & Improvement

In memory of: Fate Hefner given by Jeff & Lisa James.

#### Columbarium

In memory of: My grandfather, Raymond Price given by Starr Lynn Smith.

#### Backpack-Wittenburg Elem.

In memory of: Harold Buff given by Jeff & Lisa James.

#### Special Offerings:

Noisy Offering \$89; FLC-Rental Deposits \$200; Austin Scholarship \$1,934;

Columbarium \$70; Lutheridge Disaster Response \$25; Benevolence \$245;

Youth Missions \$4,112; Backpack-Wittenburg Elem. \$150;

Building & Improvement \$260.

## 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...

Guy Chapman (A. Palmer-2/9)

Noah Manning (S. Icenhour-2/9)

Theresa Setzer (R. Bowman-2/9)

Maynard Annas III (P. Shealy-2/9)

Jimmy Hayes (M. Stafford-2/9)

Jay Dean Mitchell (D. Ramsey-2/9)

Ricky Rector (J. Smith-2/9)

Tony Cothren (P. Josh-2/9)

Jansen Hefner (L. Hefner-2/10)

Debbie Cline (P. Josh-2/12)

David Pearson (W. Pearson-2/16)

Teressa Wallace (W. Pearson-2/16)

John & Glenda Hammett (W. Pearson)

Traci Kirby (W. Pearson-2/16)

Sam Bowman (P. Josh-2/16)

Darryl Adkins (C. Gant-2/16)

Nicole Davis McNamara (J. Gant-2/16)

Terri Cook (D. Cook-2/18)

Raylie Stafford (M. Stafford-2/19)

**Brenda Little** (W. Pearson-2/19)

**Tammy Little** (W. Pearson-2/19)

**Dennis Johnson** (D. Payne-2/22)

**Linda Triplett** (Mitchell-2/22)

**Finlee Norton** (A. Palmer-2/22)

**Steve Sharpe** (P. Stikeleather-2/22)

**Danny Parks** (P. Josh-2/25)

**Rick Rector** (M. Sipe-2/25)

**Mercedes Teague** (D. Hefner-2/26)

#### Family & friends of:

Harold Buff (P. Josh-2/2)

Fate Hefner (P. Josh-2/3)

Carolyn Cline Hines (W. Cline-2/10)

Evelyn Elizabeth Hollo (D. Ramsey)

Dabney Ruth Gant (P. Josh-2/16)

**David Miller** (P. Josh-2/22)

**Betty Rector** (M. Sipe-2/22)

**Roy Bolick** (P. Josh-2/24)

#### Home Bound/Extended Care members:

Steve Icenhour

Joyce Deal

Reba Bolick

Dallard Lail

Bob Russell

Phil & Ruth Lackey

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