

Jefferson United Methodist Church

Sunday School 9:00 AM Worship 10:00 AM

May 11, 2025

Pastor: Rev. Kristy Burnette Music Director: Anthony Benson

Musician: Michael Bell Hand Bell Director: Clay Camp

Ministers: All the Children of God

Prelude

Bringing in the Light of Christ

Welcome Donna Weaver
Please take a moment to sign the attendance pads. The person on the end of each row is asked to remove the page and place it in the offering plate as it is passed.

Announcements Donna Weaver

Call to Worship (responsive) Donna Weaver

Opening Prayer (responsive) Donna Weaver

Hymn* “My Hope is Built” UMH 368 vs. 1, 2, 4

Canticle of Love UMH 646

Gloria Patri UMH 71

Passing the Peace

Children’s Time Jeanne Miller

Scripture Lesson I Corinthians 13 Donna Weaver

Pastoral Prayer Kristy

Offertory Michael Bell

Doxology UMH 95

Special Music “Beyond the Cross” Choir

Gospel Lesson John 13:34-35, Matthew 22:36-40 Kristy

Sermon “Signposts of Hope: Love” Kristy

Reception of Members

Hymn* “Freely, Freely” UMH 389

Benediction Kristy

Carrying the Light of Christ into the World

Postlude Michael Bell

**Please stand you are able*

The offering servers for May are: Mike & Jeanne Miller and Mike & Kathy Collier. Please contact Beverly Clayton, grassyck525@skybest.com if you are interested in serving.

Gifts, Presence & Service Week of April 28- May 4

Gifts Weekly Giving	\$8,618.00	Weekly Budget	\$5,740
April Giving	\$22,531.88	Monthly Budget	\$24,871
Presence Worship	97	Online Worship	45
Sunday School	30		
Service Food Pantry Households	30	Families/individuals	73

Tithing

- By Mail : PO Box 236 Jefferson, NC 28640
- Online: jumc.church

In Our Prayers:

MEMBERS: Liz Poulos, Sarah Johnson, JoAnn Crawley, Alice Graves, Gay Freeman, Carol Seaman, Martha Scott, Mary Gordan Tugman

MILITARY: Anatoly Ray, Riley Watson, John Wooten, Nicole Seaman, Anna Wooten, Jake Duvernois, Delsin Baker

FRIENDS: {Jim Gambill, Walter Pugh, Anthony’s Aunt Gale, Buddy Mash , Kathy Ward, Kathy Phillips, Sharon Tucker, Annika Lynn, Melanie Pollard, Chris - cancer}, Rebecca Poplin (Aletha Eller's mom), Mike Horan, Daniel Heavlin, Jen Roseman, William Yelton, Dawn Cliborne, Virginia Carpenter, Brian Scott (surgery), Allan Burnette, Students taking exams, Families of special needs children, Families of Duke Power employees, Bob Blue Family, David (Pat’s friend)

Weekly Events

- **Sunday School** – Sundays, 9:00 AM
- **Food Pantry** – Tuesdays, 9-11
- **Wednesday Prayer & Devotion** - 12-12:30 pm – sanctuary
- **Women's Daytime Bible Study** – Wednesday, 2:00 pm
- **Community Meal** – Wednesday, 5:30 pm
- **Women's Small Group Study** – Wednesday, 6:00 pm
- **Men's Small Group Study** – Wednesday, 6:30 pm
- **Choir** – Wednesday, 6:30 pm
- **Unity Bell Choir** – Wednesdays, 7:30 pm,
- **Harmony Bell Choir** – Thursdays, 7:00 pm

Upcoming Events

- **Community Meal** - 5:30 – 6:30 PM *Menu: Cottage pie, vegetables, cornbread, salad, dessert and drinks*
- **Worship Design Team** - Tuesday, May 13, 12 noon
- **Outreach Team Meeting** – Tuesday, May 13, 6:00 PM, Library. Anyone interested in being part of this new team is encouraged to attend or contact Pastor Kristy for more information.
- **Stewardship Team Meeting** - Wednesday, May 14th, 10 AM, Library. Anyone interested in being part of this team is encouraged to attend or contact Pastor Kristy for more information.
- **Red Cross Blood Drive** – Thursday, May 15, 11 AM – 3:15 PM
- **Church Clean-up Day** – Saturday, May 17, 9 AM until...
- **Potluck Palooza & Board Game Bash** – Sunday, May 18 following worship
- **Graduation Sunday** - We will celebrate our graduates in May. If you know of folks in the church who are graduating from high school, college, graduate school, etc. please contact the church office with their name, school, and degree if applicable.

Ministry Opportunities

As our church grows, we are actively searching for a nursery volunteer coordinator and an outreach leader. For more information about these opportunities, please contact Pastor Kristy.

