

Order of Worship

October 18, 2026 – 21st Sunday After Pentecost

Color: Green

Gathering

FOCUS VERSE

“Then he said to them, ‘So give back to Caesar what is Caesar’s, and to God what is God’s.’”
Matthew 22:21 (NIV)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Bill Brothers

WORDS OF ASSURANCE

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: We are created in the image of God.

People: We belong to God, who knows us and loves us.

Leader: The world makes many demands upon our lives.

People: But our hearts and our lives belong to the Lord.

Leader: Jesus calls us to give to God what belongs to God.

People: We are God’s people, and we give ourselves to Him.

Leader: Come, let us worship the One to whom we belong!

People: With grateful hearts, we worship the Lord!

OPENING PRAYER

Lighting of the Altar Candles

Gavin Sliva

*HYMN OF PRAISE

“Guide Me, O Thy Great Jehovah” UMH 127

PASSING THE PEACE

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Pastor Cindy

Praise and Prayers

WE AFFIRM OUR FAITH

- * “The Apostles Creed” UMH 881
- * “Gloria Patri” UMH 70

SHARING OF PRAISES AND CONCERNS

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

The Lord’s Prayer

*HYMN OF RESPONSE

“Lord Be Glorified” TFWS 2150

RECEIVING OF GOD’S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS

- * Invitation to the offering
- * Doxology
- * Offertory Prayer

MUSICAL OFFERING

Cornerstone Choir

Proclamation & Response

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION

Diane Brewer

SCRIPTURE READING

Matthew 22:15-22 (NIV)

THE MESSAGE

“All In: Whose Are You?” Rev. Cindy Rumsey

Sending Forth

*HYMN OF SENDING FORTH

“God Be With You Till We Meet Again” UMH 672

*BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE

* Stand as you are able

This worship service is being recorded for posting to our Facebook page and webpage. If you do not want to be shown in the videos, please notify the church office.

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Notes

The altar flowers are given in honor of Carolyn Tippins in recognition of Bill & Carolyn’s 63rd anniversary, which would have been the 17th of October.

Scripture References for Next Week

Deuteronomy 34:1-12 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17 Matthew 22:34-46

Volunteers in Service This Week

Altar Guild: Maxine Smith Opening & Closing: Johnny Starnes
Worship Leader: Bill Brothers Acolyte: Gavin Sliva
Scripture Reader: Diane Brewer
Offering Counters: Debbie Jackson & Randy Hayes
Youth Sunday School Teacher: Randy Hayes

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Youth Sunday School Teacher: Dale Williams

Prayer requests may be submitted to Pastor Cindy via text or email prior to worship or by filling out the Prayer Request slip at the door prior to worship. You can also reach out to our Prayer Coordinator Val Lytton at 304-890-7421 or fourlyttons@gmail.com.

We Pray For:

Our Members		
Dottie Beckham	Edith Blafield	Maria Corley
Carol Painter	Johnny Starnes	David McManus
Howard McCallum	Linda McCallum	Anne Sullivan
Sharron Jones	Gayle Sullivan	Jim Smith

Family & Friends		
Allison Hurst	Rita Benette	Robert Benette
Doreen Boyer	Gladys Wilson	Paul Gibson
Suzanne Hurst-Perry	Johnny Hurst	Duane Burgess
David Grant	Ashley Kimble	Kurt Lemhouse
Steven Martin	Marilynn Slate	Eric Miller
Terry Foxx	Justin Foxx	Steve Pilecki
Penny Nguyen	Clara Horton	Danny Hawk
Hank (friend of Bill Brothers)	Rev. Michael Walker	Family of Ann Burnet

Those in the Military:

James Caminiti	Cameron Grant
Dominick Minutole	Tyler Parker

Tithes/Donation Information

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crnrstone@comporium.net



See today's insert for all of this week's announcements as well as those upcoming!

Cornerstone United Methodist Church

Welcome to All Who Worship With Us Today



The mission statement of Cornerstone United Methodist Church

“To know Christ and make Him known through faithful teaching, Spirit-filled preaching, and compassionate reaching.”

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Stewardship Report for 10/11/26

Worship Attendance: 55
Sunday School Attendance: 13
Oct. General Worship Offering: \$7,077.00
Oct. Amount Needed: \$17,642.00
Needed for Month: \$10,565.00

Apportionments are paid through September.

This Week's Announcements

Sunday, Oct. 18:	9:30 am Good Eats Fellowship
	9:45 am Sunday School
	11:00 am Worship Service
	4:00 pm Youth Group Meeting
Monday, Oct. 19:	10:30 am Bible Study
Wednesday, Oct. 21:	6:00 pm Choir Practice
Thursday, Oct. 22:	6:30 pm YAM (Young Adult Ministries)
	7:00 pm UMYM at Winthrop Wesley
Saturday, Oct. 24:	8:00 am Leaving Cornerstone for GPS Jeter Mountain Farm Trip

Birthdays This Week

18th Jakob McClain 22nd Genie Innella

23rd Duncan Hurst

Coming Soon – Save the Dates!

- Fundraiser Meeting—Sunday, October 25th at 12:15 pm (immediately following the worship service)
- Charge Conference—All are invited to attend Charge Conference Tuesday, October 27th at 6:30 pm.
- Nifty Knitters—Thursday, October 29th at 2:00 pm
- YAM (Young Adult Ministries)—Thursday, October 29th at 6:30 pm
- Now Collecting Trunk or Treat treats—We are now collecting candy and other goodies for our Trunk or Treat event on October 31st from 5:00 to 6:30 pm.
- Cookie Walk—November 14th from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. See back for more details!

Other Announcements

- There are two collection boxes in the Wesley room for donations. The red one is for toiletries to be donated to the Children's Cancer Center & Cancer Hospital in Charlotte. The other is for K-cups/individual wrapped snacks for Community Care Hospice House in Rock Hill. There are also food collection baskets in the back of the church for Pilgrim's Inn. Thank you!
- Cookie Walk—We are now collecting baked goods for the 2nd Annual Cookie Walk on November 14th from 10:00 am to 12:00 pm. We primarily want cookies, but other individually wrapped homemade candies, brownies, or other sweets work too. We will also take pies, breads, and cakes. Start baking now and freeze them so we have plenty of goodies. We will also be offering frozen casseroles again. This was a popular option at the BBQ. We have some casseroles leftover from the BBQ but we could use more. Think about Thanksgiving side dishes or meals for family gatherings.
- Children's Message Volunteers—We are looking for a few people willing to be on the rotation to give a children's message. Contact Lynn Hayes or Pastor Cindy if you are willing.
- Thank you!—A big thank you to those who helped prepare and share a meal with our Winthrop Wesley students: Teri & Bill Brothers, Peggy Frese, Kathy Hurley, Rachel Hughes, Beth Ferguson, Pastor Cindy, Angela Stroud, Valerie Lytton, & Jim & Maxine Smith.
- Stockings for Haiti—We have 100 stockings ready to send to Haiti but could use some funds for shipping the stockings. If you can give to this ministry, place your donation in an envelope and write "Stockings for Haiti" on it. Thank you to all who helped with donations, especially our VBS families.
- We are collecting small gift baskets for our local Epworth Foster Families: we need travel-size hand lotion, lip balm, mini body wash, and a small pack of tissues for each basket. Please choose light or fragrance-free products. You may think of other things. We need 30 baskets by mid-December.



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TRUNK OR TREAT

Saturday, October 31
5:00 – 6:30 PM

Cornerstone UMC
2697 Heckle Blvd.

CANDY
COSTUMES
COMMUNITY
FUN!



ALL ARE
WELCOME!



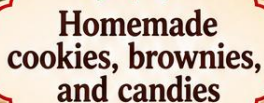
*Come in costume and enjoy
a safe and fun evening for
kids and families!*



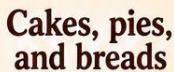
A festive graphic for a 'Cookie Walk' event. The word 'Cookie' is written in large, stylized letters made of various cookies: a red 'C' with white dots, a heart-shaped cookie with a red heart, a chocolate chip cookie, a green 'k' with white dots, a heart-shaped cookie with a red heart, and a red 'e' with white dots. The word 'Walk' is written in a green, cursive font. The entire graphic is framed by a green border with white dots and a red ribbon bow at the top. The background is a blurred image of Christmas trees and lights.

Cookie Walk

Saturday, November 14
10:00 am – 12:00 pm

A white scalloped-edge label with a red border and a holly leaf and berry decoration at the top. It contains the text 'Homemade cookies, brownies, and candies'. Below the label is a white pedestal dish filled with various decorated cookies, including snowflakes and stars, and a small plate with brownies and chocolate candies.

**Homemade
cookies, brownies,
and candies**

A white scalloped-edge label with a red border and a holly leaf and berry decoration at the top. It contains the text 'Cakes, pies, and breads'. Below the label is a chocolate cake with white frosting swirls, a cherry pie, and a loaf of bread on a wooden cutting board.

**Cakes, pies,
and breads**

A white scalloped-edge label with a red border and a holly leaf and berry decoration at the top. It contains the text 'Frozen Casseroles'. Below the label is a stack of three aluminum trays of frozen casseroles, tied with a red ribbon.

**Frozen
Casseroles**



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