

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

October 20th, 2024

THE CHURCH GATHERS

Prelude *Gail Meeks*
 Chiming of the Trinity
 Welcome and Announcements *Pastor Weaver*
 *Hymn of Praise **“I Sing the Mighty Power of God”** #128
 Opening Prayer
 Prayer of Confession

O Lord, forgive us the sins of our youth and the sins of our age; the sins of our soul and the sins of our body. Forgive us our secret and our whispering sins; the sins we have done to please others, and the sins we have committed to please ourselves. Cleanse us, O Lord, in your great goodness, as we confess our shortcomings to you. Strengthen us to walk closer to the One who saves us. In the name of Christ we pray; Amen.

TO HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

First Reading **Psalm 112(Pew Bible OT Pg. 539)**
 Anthem **“The Longer I Serve Him”** *Bill Gaither*
 Chancel Choir

Children’s Message *Shannon Bullard*
 Second Reading **2nd Corinthians 8:7-15 (Pew Bible NT Pg. 172)**

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

Sermon **“Opportunity”**
 Moment of Reflection
 Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer
 Offering
 *Doxology #815

GO IN GOD’S NAME

*Hymn of Sending **“He Leadeth Me”** #690
 *Blessing and Charge
 Postlude *Gail Meeks*



The flowers are presented to the Glory of God by Circle One.

Practice for the Children’s Christmas program continues. They meet at 5:00 pm on Sunday in the choir room. All ages are invited to participate.

The Chancel Choir is practicing the Christmas Cantata on Wednesday at 6:30 pm in the choir room. Please come and join us.



1886 CULDEE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 2024

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

<u>Military</u>	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>NEW</u>
Tony Cox	Ray & Connie Barber	Jamie Bass
Heather Hess	Leon Butler	Michael Barber and Family
Andrew Roberts	Pearl Frye	Claudia Cole
Kasey Spry	Stephen Horne	Skyler Demery
Jaiden Washington	Jimmy & Carolyn Lea	Phil Fisher
Henry Weaver	Robin McKenzie	Rick Mathews
	Dot Monroe	Darrell McKenzie
	Jr. Moon	Becky Norr
	Mike & Cathy Salargo	
	Rod Ward	

Elder for month of October: Diann Fortune 910-315-8111



Get your cars ready and come participate in our Trunk or Treat! The Mini Sunday Funday group is planning and preparing games, snacks and treats at the cars. The date is October 26th from 4:30 -6:30 pm.

Sunday, October 27th, will be a special day in worship at Culdee Church. The last Sunday in October each year is Reformation Sunday, a time when we're invited to celebrate our theological heritage. At Culdee, we'll do that with special music and liturgy, and a recognition of our Scottish heritage. Bagpiper Peter McAuthur will be a guest musician. If you have a tartan, plan to wear it next Sunday!

Ingram Branch Presbyterian Church invites you to attend their 10th Annual Appreciation Service & Banquet for their pastor, Rev. Dr. Fred Goins, Jr. The event is free, but reservations are requested. The event will be 4-7 p.m. on Saturday, Nov. 9th, at the Days Inn on Service Road in Southern Pines. Call 910-992-4495 to reserve your spot.

Monroe Camp and Retreat Center has issued an invitation for a 70th Anniversary fundraising dinner on Saturday, November 16th. The event will be held at Camp Monroe in Laurel Hill. It will include both silent and live auctions, in addition to hors d'oeuvres and dinner. The cost per two people is \$125, with a table option for eight people at a slightly reduced cost. Individual seats are \$65. All proceeds from the event will go to support Camp Monroe and its ministries. For more information and to reserve your dinner spot, go to www.monroecamp.org.

Just a reminder. October is Pastor appreciation month.

The office will be closed on Tuesday, October 22nd. It will be open the two days after that.

The **Men's Club** will be meeting on Thursday, October 24th for dinner and fellowship. All men and young men are invited. Please fill the slip in and place it in the offering plate.

Hurricane Helene Relief CULDEE IS HELPING PEOPLE FROM HENDERSONVILLE TO SPRUCE PINE!!

\$2000.00 – Helicopter fuel for rescue, supply delivery and recovery.

\$2000.00 – To a diner that is providing meals for victims, and workers such as EMS, Police, Fire department and River Rafting Girls.

\$1900.00 – For plugs, cables, and electrician to connect 25 homes with generators that will provide heat.

\$2500.00 - to purchase 30 butane camp stoves for indoor cooking that will be distributed by a church to the community.

UPDATED DONATION LIST FOR “**FILL THE VAN**”

Hand warmers
Waders
Pediatric medicine
Benadryl
Hoodies
Toboggans
Laundry detergent
Shovels and tools
Gallon zip lock bags
Soy formula/bottles
Disposable kitchen plates and utensils



Sleeping bags
Hand wipes
Tylenol, Ibuprofen
Socks (Heavy duty)
Plastic totes
Coats for kids
Duct tape
Rubber gloves
Trash bags
Damp Rid

Please bring items for filling the van to the sunroom if the building is locked. We will look for the most direct routes possible to distribute the items. If you have any suggestions, please let us know.

We thank you on behalf of those who will receive these items!