

# Announcements

There will be a **Parents Meeting today**, following worship service in the CAC. We will be discussing upcoming Kids Central events and the Parents' Bible Study.

There will be an **Endowment Meeting** on Tuesday, September 16 at 6:00 pm.

Come join us for our **Annual Fall Festival** on **Saturday, October 18**, from 4:30 to 6:30 pm! There will be bounce houses, free hot dogs, Trunk or Treat, and more! We need 10 cars for Trunk or Treat. We're aiming for 10 decorated cars —want to help? Call Stephanie Wilson at 704-466-0187 to claim a spot.

We are now **collecting wrapped candy** for the Fall Festival. Please bring your donations to the collection area in the CAC Hallway behind the staircase.

We are currently organizing a **Mission Day on Sunday, October 19, 2025**. On that day, representatives from our partner organizations will be at the church to discuss their ministries.

Mark your calendars for Saturday, November 8, 2025, for our **Annual Methodist Men's Soup Sale** pickup, taking place from 11 am to 2 pm. Be sure to speak with a Methodist Men member to purchase your tickets!

Plans are underway for the **151st Church Anniversary** on Sunday, **November 16, 2025**.

Our **Nursery** is available starting at 10:00 am for aged 0-4 years old. KIDS Central meets at 10:00 am on Sundays and is our church's church for K-5th.

You can reach **Pastor Perry Hines** at 828-768-5996. If you have any questions about church events, please get in touch with the church office at 704-739-2471 or [central@cmkm.org](mailto:central@cmkm.org).



**Operation Christmas Child's National Collection Week** is November 17-24, 2025, for physical boxes. We also have the option to make a box online. The online goal is 75 boxes! Each box costs \$30. As always, remember we are sharing the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ and advancing His Kingdom. Amen! Scan the QR Code to build a box online.

Welcome Visitors!  
Scan the QR code to get connected to Central, inquire about membership and for prayer requests.



# Stewardship Report

## Attendance

9/7/25 10:00 am Service.....101

Operating Fund 2025  
Contributions 9/7/25 \$ 7,885.00  
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**Ushers:** Keith Bradley, Aubrey Livsie, Joe Patterson, Johnny Harris

**Greeters:** Carrie Bradley

## Prayer List

*Praises and Concerns Praises and concerns will stay on this list for one month unless otherwise requested.*

**Members in Nursing Homes, Assisted Living, and Homebound:** Marilyn Hamrick.

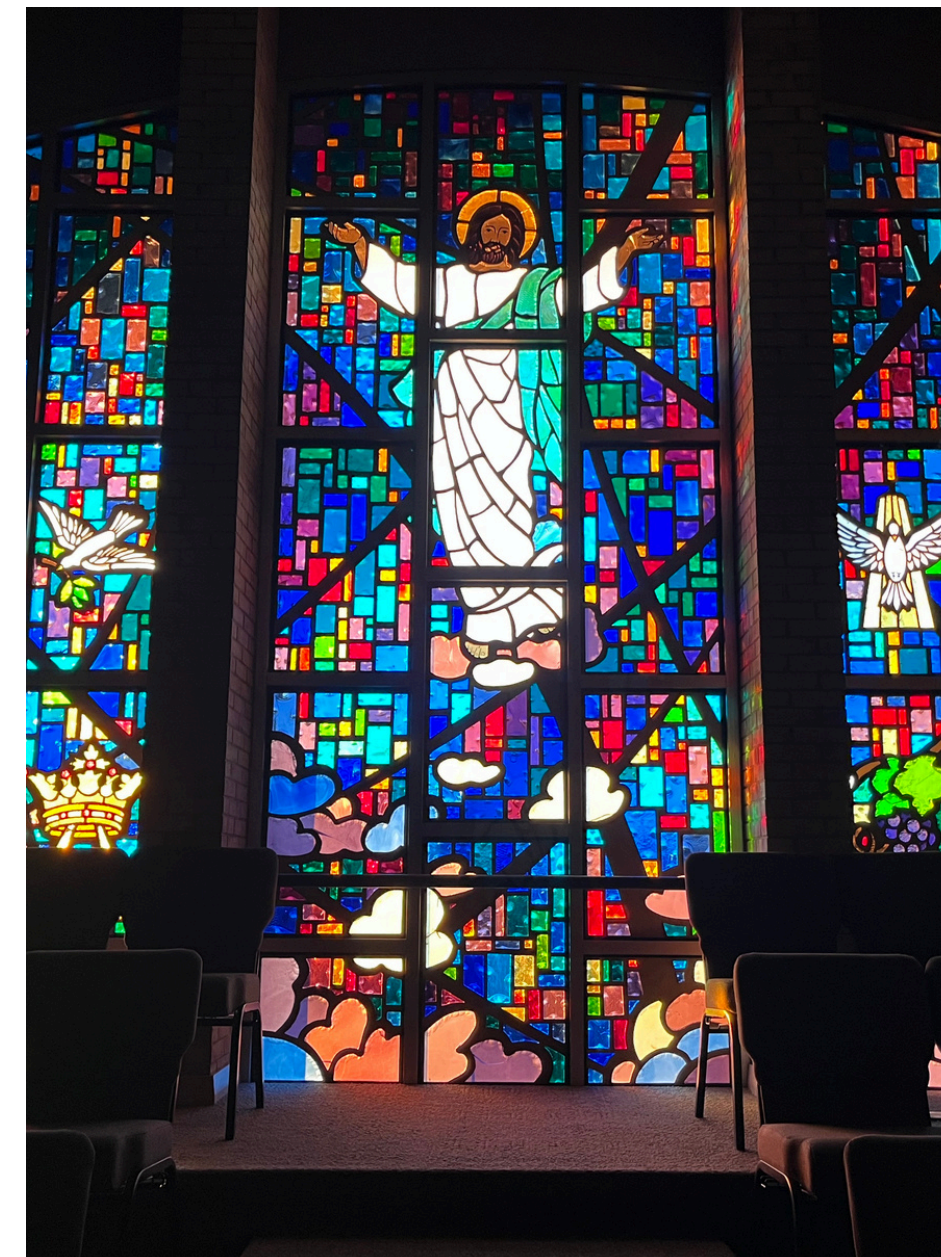
**Military Personnel:** SSGT Tyler Dixon-Marines; SFC Jonathan Brucker-Army; SSgt. Joshua Brucker; Army; CAPT Alex Plonk-Air Force; S 1 Tyler Hellstrand - Navy; MAJ Wendell Bunch, Jr.—Army; CAPT Alex Young,—Air Force.

**Praises:** Isabella Grace Chapman, daughter of Emily & Joseph Chapman, granddaughter of Michael and Penny Norwood, on September 9, 2025; Birth of Norah Rae Sellers, daughter of Alex and Hogan Sellers, granddaughter of Terry & Janet Edwards on September 10, 2025.

**Churches:** A church plant, Boone District GMC Appalachian Chapel; Iglesia Church 24/Seita (Church of Manos De Fe)

**Concerns: (members/constituents/church-related concerns):** **Guidance in developing new ministries; our college students:** Community Kitchen Ministry; Lisa & Ernie Howell (continued healing) 8.8.24; John Eagle (cancer treatment) 9.3.24; Donnie Jenkins 11.19.24; Carol Brazzell 3.24.2025; Dave & Denise Hartz 3.31.25; Jennifer Osborne 5.12.25; Marilyn Hamrick 7.30.25; Barbara Bridges (death) 8.28.25; Larry Greene (death) husband of Debbie Greene 9.1.25; Betty Masters (death) 9.4.25.

**Concerns: (friends/relatives/other concerns):** All children in need; Samuel Smith (cancer) 9.30.19; Jeff Hedden, (cancer) cousin of Clyde Kerns 12.22.23; Jamie Keever, Audrey Brooks' cousin (cancer); Rex & Susan Gibbs 1.31.25; Beth Weatherford (cancer, leukemia, seizures) niece of Dorothy McDaniel 2.13.25; Kevin Randall (heart issues) 3.24.2025; Steve Presley, 6.17.25; Jonathan Chapman (lung cancer) Emily Chapman's father-in-law 8.4.25; Ned Owens, father of Audrey Brooks (death) 8.13.25; Jey Yokeley (major health issues) 8.14.25; Reid Evans (liver transplant wait list ), son-in-law of Libby & Roger Putnam 8.25.25; Stacey Willis and children, on the passing of her husband (car accident) 8.27.25; Coach Steve Baker (cancer) 8.27.25; Lynsey Golden Barron (cancer), niece of Jim & Penny Larson 9.4.25; Tammy Towery (health and peace of mind) 9.4.25.



# Welcome to Worship

Sunday, August 14, 2025 | 10:00 am



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**Central Methodist Church**  
**14th Sunday after Pentecost-Green**

**Announcements**

**Prelude**

*O, How I Love Jesus - arr. Ingram*  
*Performed by the Bells of Praise*

**Global Church Mission Statement**

*The Global Methodist Church exists to make disciples of Jesus Christ and spread scriptural holiness across the globe. Our vision is to worship passionately, love extravagantly, and witness boldly.*

**Pass the Peace**

**Opening Worship**

*Glorious Day (CCLI# 7081388)*  
*Come Jesus Come (CCLI#7154136)*

**Apostles Creed OGRP# 691**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; and in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he arose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

**Morning Prayer**

The Lord's Prayer OGRP #700

**Special Music**

*And Can it Be /Love Divine - arr. Dobrinski*  
*Performed by the Bells of Praise*

**Offering**

*The Heart of Worship-Redman/arr. Hayes*

**Doxology OGRP #682**

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow, Praise God, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

**Offertory Prayer**

**Sermon**

Carolyn Hindel Hines

**Sermon Title**

*Are You Ready?*

**Scripture Lesson**

**Revelation 3:14–22 (ESV)**

*14 "And to the angel of the church in Laodicea write: 'The words of the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the beginning of God's creation. 15 "I know your works: you are neither cold nor hot. Would that you were either cold or hot! 16 So, because you are lukewarm, and neither hot nor cold, I will spit you out of my mouth. 17 For you say, I am rich, I have prospered, and I need nothing, not realizing that you are wretched, pitiable, poor, blind, and naked. 18 I counsel you to buy from me gold refined by fire, so that you may be rich, and white garments so that you may clothe yourself and the shame of your nakedness may not be seen, and salve to anoint your eyes, so that you may see.*

*19 Those whom I love, I reprove and discipline, so be zealous and repent. 20 Behold, I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in to him and eat with him, and he with me. 21 The one who conquers, I will grant him to sit with me on my throne, as I also conquered and sat down with my Father on his throne. 22 He who has an ear, let him hear what the Spirit says to the churches."*

**For Further Reference:** John 1:1(ESV), John 15:1-2 (ESV), Psalm 1:6 (ESV), Luke 23:39-43 (ESV)

**Closing Hymn**

*Blessed Assurance Jesus is Mine* OGRP # 570

**Benediction**

**Chiming of the Holy Trinity**

**Postlude**

*Recessional on "Ein feste Burg" -Luther /arr. Ryan*  
*\*Responses in Bold*

*The rosebud on the altar is in honor of the birth of their granddaughter, Isabella Grace Chapman*  
*By Penny & Michael Norwood*

*The altar flowers are given to the Glory of God and in memory of John O. Harris, Jr.*  
*By The Harris Family*

**SUNDAY MORNING GROUPS**

**Sunday Morning Group**

Leader: Mark Dixon  
Time and location: 8:30 am  
CAC, Sunday mornings  
Age: All ages

**Sunday Small Group**

Leaders: Clyde Kerns  
Time & Location: Will meet with the Sunday Morning Group at 8:30 am in CAC to watch *The Chosen*  
Leaders' contact info:  
clydekerns@att.net

**WEEKLY GROUPS**

**Men's Bible Study**

Leader: Tim Miller  
Time and location: Weekly on Tuesdays, 7:30 pm, Asbury room  
Leader: contact info:  
tmnkm@bellsouth.net  
or 704-473-9148  
Description: We are an ongoing small group for men of all ages. Dedicated to studying God's word as it is shared to us in the Bible. We meet for fellowship and worship in a safe and non-judgmental environment. We recognize and appreciate that not everyone is at the same level in their Biblical study, and we work together to make God's word understood and relevant for each of us in our lives.

**Dwell Walkers Prayer Group**

Meetings will be on Tuesdays, at 11:30 am. You are invited to join us as we learn about the practice of prayer, pray for each other and take prayer requests. We meet in the small conference room across from the church office.

**ON GOING GROUPS**

**Mary's Breakfast Bunch**

\*\*\*Next Meeting is 9/24/25\*\*\*

Time and location: Meets on the 4th Wednesday of every month at 9:00 am. Location is Linwood Restaurant: 805 Cleveland Ave, Kings Mountain. Leader contact info: 704-739-2653

**WOMEN'S DAYTIME BIBLE STUDY**

*A Study of the Book of Titus*  
8/20/25-9/17/25, 1:00 pm  
Asbury Room  
Leaders: Debbie Greene & Stephanie Wilson

**WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY**

Leader: Liz Pflieger 704-466-1202

**FIFTH SUNDAY BREAKFAST**

November 30, 2025

**Communicate with the church office!**

I am a visitor  
 I have a prayer request

I have a praise

I have a new address

I would like a call/visit from the pastor.

I would like information about becoming a member.

I would like to attend the next Family Fellowship Night on 10/8/25

\_\_\_ Number attending

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

email address

***Tear off and place in the offering plate***

see reverse side for more announcements