Announcements

SCAN ME!

School Supply Giveaway Donations Needed

We are now collecting donations for our upcoming School Supply Giveaway on Saturday, August 1 from 10:00 am until all supplies are gone.

Donations may be placed in the CAC hallway. Thank you for supporting this important mission project! If you would like to volunteer, please contact Stephanie Wilson at stephanie@cmkm.org.



Save the Date! Join us on **Sunday, August 9, at 6:00 pm for a Back-to-School Prayer Rally** hosted by Central Methodist Church and sponsored by the Kings Mountain Ministerial Association. We will have an Ice Cream Social and fellowship following the service in the CAC.

To Our Visitors, Welcome!

We're glad you're with us today. Please fill out the Welcome Card located in the pews and give it to the Welcome Center host or drop it in the offering plate. Or you can scan the QR Code. We would love to meet you, so stop by the Welcome Center after the service to receive a small gift as our way of saying thank you.

Stewardship Report

Attendance

7/19/26 10:00 am Service…..……79

Operating Fund 2026

Contributions 7/19/26 $4,825.00
Contributions MTD $15,161.00

Join the Welcome Team

Assist in welcoming worshippers or serve as an usher once a month. If you're interested in contributing, please reach out to Joe Patterson, a member of the Worship Committee, or contact the church office for more information.

Prayer List

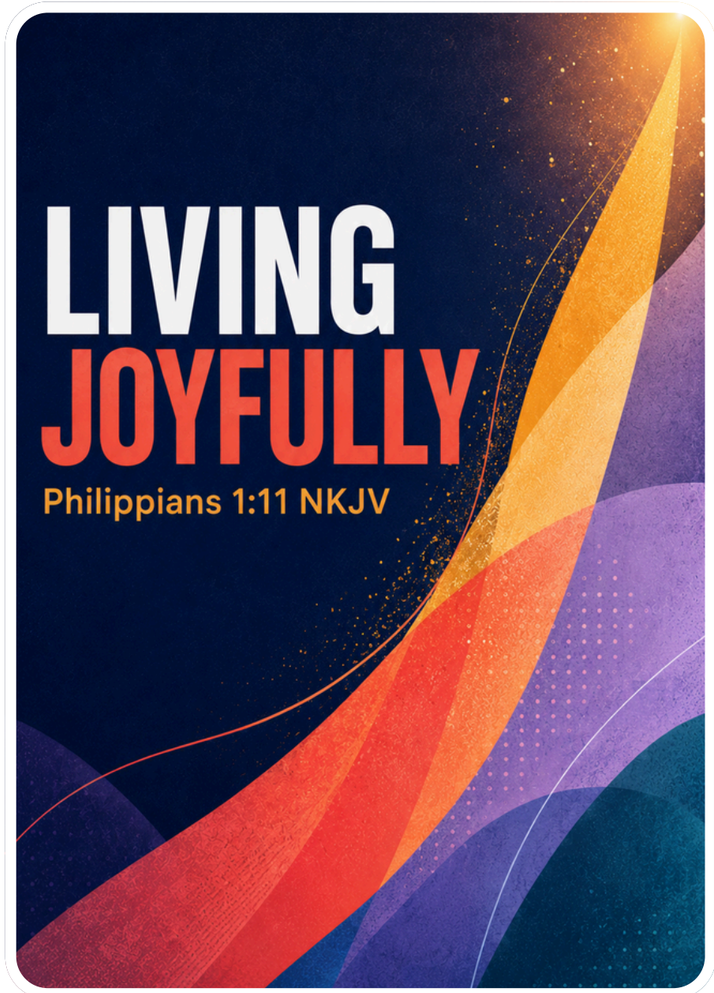
Praises and Concerns: Praises and concerns will stay on this list for one month unless otherwise requested.

Military Personnel: SSGT Tyler Dixon–Marines; SFC Jonathan Brucker–Army; SSGT Joshua Brucker–Army; CAPT Alex Plonk–Air Force; SN Tyler Hellstrand–Navy; MAJ Wendell Bunch, Jr.—Army.

Churches: 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; Donnie Jenkins 11.19.24; John Eagle 9.22.25; Brent Williams, son of Teresa Williams 5.11.26; Dot Dixon 6.1.26; Betty Potter (death) 6.18.26; Lisa Howell 7.8.26; Charles Yelton 7.9.26; Libby Putnam 7.10.26.

Concerns: (friends/relatives/other concerns):
All children in need; Samuel Smith (cancer) 9.30.19; 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) 3.24.25; Jonathan Chapman (lung cancer) Emily Chapman's father-in-law 8.4.25; Cindy, Amy Dixon's sister-in-law (cancer) 12.23.25; Jane Campbell (breast cancer) 1.20.26; Tammy Towery (peace and comfort) 1.18.26; Daniel Greene, uncle of Krista Sheriff (Peripheral Vascular Disease) 1.29.26; Wanda Conner (heart issues), friend of Barbara Jones 3.24.26; Mary Edwards, mother of Terry Edwards 5.15.26; Sadie Noel (newborn liver transplant recovery) 5.28.26; Ashley Moore, paramedic (death) 7.6.26; Mackenzie Coleman (death) 7.6.26.



Welcome to Worship

Sunday, July 26, 2026 | 10:00 am

Central Methodist

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Central Methodist Church
9th Sunday after Pentecost/Green

Announcements

Prelude Doug Parker
How Can I Keep from Singing -arr. Dixon

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
I Speak Jesus (CCLI #7136201)
I'll Fly Away (CCLI #26399)

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
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee
Performed by The Chancel Choir

Offertory Doug Parker
Rejoice, the Lord Is King - arr. Innes

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 Pastor Perry Hines

Sermon Title: Living Joyfully

Scripture Lesson Philippians 1:1-11 NKJV

1 Paul and Timothy, bondservants of Jesus Christ, To all the saints in Christ Jesus who are in Philippi, with the bishops and deacons: 2 Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. 3 I thank my God upon every remembrance of you, 4 always in every prayer of mine making request for you all with joy, 5 for your fellowship in the gospel from the first day until now, 6 being confident of this very thing, that He who has begun a good work in you will complete it until the day of Jesus Christ; 7 just as it is right for me to think this of you all, because I have you in my heart, inasmuch as both in my chains and in the defense and confirmation of the gospel, you all are partakers with me of grace. 8 For God is my witness, how greatly I long for you all with the affection of Jesus Christ. 9 And this I pray, that your love may abound still more and more in knowledge and all discernment, 10 that you may approve the things that are excellent, that you may be sincere and without offense till the day of Christ, 11 being filled with the fruits of righteousness which are by Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.

Other Selected NKJV Scriptures:
Hebrews 4:15; II Corinthians 10:5; Hebrews 11:6; Galatians 6:9; II Chronicles 16:9; Philippians 1:9-11

Closing Hymn *OGRP #217*
Shine, Jesus, Shine

Benediction

Chiming of the Holy Trinity

Postlude Doug Parker
Trumpet Voluntary on "Rejoice, the Lord Is King"
-arr. Barr

**Responses in Bold*

Betty Potter, wife of Jim Potter, passed away on June 18, 2026. A memorial service will take place on Saturday, August 8, 2026, at 3:00 pm at Central Methodist Church, followed by a reception of friends and family in the CAC. Please come as you are.

The Altar Flowers are given to the Glory of God and in honor of our Central Church Family By Paula and David McDaniel

SUNDAY MORNING GROUPS

Sunday Morning Group
Leader: Mark Dixon
Time and location: 8:30 am
Asbury Room, Sunday mornings
Age: All ages

WEEKLY GROUPS

Men's Bible Study
Leader: Tim Miller
Time and location: Weekly on Tuesdays, 7:30 pm, Asbury Room
Contact: 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 11:30am. 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.

ONGOING GROUPS

WOMEN'S EVENING BIBLE STUDY

This Bible study group meets on Tuesdays. We will be studying the book of Colossians. No materials are required—just bring a Bible and a notebook if you'd like to take notes from 6:30–8:30 pm.
Leader: Liz Pflieger
704-466-1202

CHURCH INFORMATION

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

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.

Communicate with the church office!

[ ] I am a visitor
[ ] I have a prayer request
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[ ] I have a praise
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[ ] 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 usher/greet

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Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Phone _____
Email address _____

Tear off and place in the offering plate

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