



Sunday Worship — 8:45 AM & 10:15 AM
September 20, 2026
Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost

Video Welcome and Announcements		
Prelude	<i>We’ve a Story to Tell</i>	Olivia Huggins, organ
* The Chiming of the Hour & Entering the Light of Christ		
* Call to Worship		
* Prayer of Invocation		
* Passing of the Peace		
* Hymn	<i>O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing</i>	vs 1-5 UMH #57
* Affirmation of Faith		
* Gloria Patri		#70
Pastoral Prayer/The Lord’s Prayer (In Unison)		
Celebrating Grace by The Return of Tithes and Offerings		
Offertory	<i>Rejoice Medley Pass it on (10:15)</i>	Chancel Choir Olivia Huggins, Piano
* The Doxology		
Offertory Prayer		
* Hymn of Preparation	<i>God Make of All Disciples</i>	vs 1,2,4 UMH #571
Sermon Text		
Matthew 28:16-20 (NIV)		
Prayer of Preparation		
Sermon	The Mission Continues...	Bruce Reese
Communion (10:15)		
* Hymn of Response	<i>Go to the World</i>	(on screen)
* Benediction		
Postlude	<i>Once to Every Man and Nation</i>	Olivia Huggins, organ

* please stand if able

Bible Studies

Bible Study: Join us on Wednesdays, 10:00 am in the New Room, starting September 9, as we study the book of Philippians! The Book of Philippians is written by Paul to the church of Philippi while he was imprisoned in Rome. Its primary message centers on experiencing deep, unwavering joy, maintaining unity, and cultivating the humble mindset of Jesus Christ, regardless of one’s external circumstances or suffering. This is a 10 week lesson. Please contact John Finnical - 843-360-2978 if you plan to attend.

Men’s Bible Study: Every Thursday, Wings Classroom, 8:00 a.m. For questions, please email Jim Kay at jfkbroker@gmail.com.

“The Book of Joshua—Courage for Everyday People” Join us on Thursday's beginning October 1st at 10 am in the New Room to begin a study from Louie Giglio. For questions, contact Gay Kelly or Pastor J.R.

Mary & Martha Ministry meet Wednesday, 10:00 am, Library.

Men’s Prayer Breakfast: will meet the first Saturday of each month, 8:30 am, Berly Hall,. Contact Bruce Reese for more info.

Committee Meetings

Safety & Security: The Safety & Security Committee will meet Monday, September 21, at 4:00 pm in the discovery room.

Church Council Meeting: Tuesday, September 29, 2:00 pm, New Room.

Church Calendar

Gardening Volunteer Gardeners will meet every Tuesday at 9 am. Please join us! For more info contact: Angela Bass 770-317-5525; acbass95@gmail.com

The Ministry of Music
Chancel Choir Rehearsal, (Wednesdays), 6:30 p.m.
Handbell Rehearsal, (Wednesdays) 5:00 p.m.

Blankets for Babies, 1st Wednesday of the month, 10:00 am, Admin. Building.

AA, Tues., Fri., at 7:00 p.m., Joy Classroom. **AA.** Thurs, at 7:00 p.m., New Room.

Alzheimer’s Association Caregiver Support Group—1st Wednesday of the Month, 10:00 am—12:00 pm, Wings Classroom. Contact Patty Younts 843-902-9304 for more information.

Counseling by Appointment, Tuesday & Thursday, 10 :00 am—1pm.
Contact Fran Keller at 843-833-3980. (By appointment only.)

Hobby Lobby Day, Will meet every Tuesday, 12:00 noon—2 pm, except the 2nd Tuesday of each month. For more info email Ann Mickle at acmickle@icloud.com

STIW, Meet Mon—Friday. 7:30 am—12:30 pm, Joy Classroom, Truth Seekers classroom, Discovery Classroom. Staff meet Thurs, 2:00 pm—4:00 pm, Joy classroom.

Office Hours: 8:30 a.m.—1:00 p.m. Monday—Thurs. Closed Friday. If you have an emergency, please call Rev. J. R. Virgin at 814-244-5654.

Scripture: Matthew 28:16-20

Series: The Way of Jesus

Sermon: The Mission Continues...



Notes:

How do I respond?

Consecration Sunday will be Sunday September 27 We have begun our Stewardship Campaign for 2027. Pledge cards have been mailed. Please return your cards in the offering plate any Sunday in September or return them to the church office. Pledge cards are also available in the narthex and Berly Hall. The results of the Stewardship commitments will be announced following the 11:15 am Modern service with light refreshments in the New Room on September 27th.

Bake Sale—Calling all Bakers! If you are a baker, please sign up to bake your specialty for the upcoming fall festival. Please bring your baked goods to the New Room on Friday September 25th from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm. Please label baked goods, and mark if items contains nuts. Wrap cookies in saran wrap in two's. Sign up sheets are located in the Sanctuary and Berly Hall. Please contact Barbara McCracken at 843-237-9841 or Janie Campbell at 843-655-0120 with any questions.

Silent Auction: Planning for our Fall Festival Silent Auction has begun! Join us in Berly Hall from 9:00 AM —1:00 PM to bid on wonderful items. Donations should be in new or like-new condition and may be dropped off in Berly Hall from 9:00 AM—3:00 PM on September 24th or 25th. Tax Donations forms will be available. Please contribute to make this our best auction yet! For questions, contact Ann Mickle (843-222-5706).

Gift Card Drop Off: Many gift cards are needed for the Silent Auction. Team members and anyone else who would like to contribute to the Silent Auction, may drop off gift cards in the New Room, 9 am—1pm, September 14th. Thanks for supporting our Silent Auction.

Fall Festival Volunteers Needed! If you are interested in volunteering in the kidzone for the fall festival, there are sign up sheets located in the Sanctuary and Berly Hall. You can also contact Sarah Welch at 843-492-1478. Thank you for your consideration!

We are in need of people to help with parking for the fall festival. We are also looking for additional golf carts to be used to transport people to and from the festival. Please contact Mike Collins at mcollins5@sc.rr.com.

We need volunteers to help with tear down following the Fall Festival. If you are able and willing to help, please sign up on the sign-up sheets located in the Sanctuary and Berly Hall. Thank you for helping make our Fall Festival a success!

"WINGS" Women's Group is collecting drink donations for the fall festival including bottled water, canned coke, diet coke, and sprite. These donations can be brought to the New Room on Friday, September 25th. For questions contact Lisa Collins at 803-446-9176 Thank you for helping support our Fall Festival!

Our Faithfulness

OUR PRESENCE: September 13, 2026

8:45	Sunday Service	161
8:45	Online Service Views	135
10:00	Sunday School	83
10:15	Sunday Service	44
11:15	Sunday Service	134
11:15	Online Service Views	100

OUR SERVICE: Sunday, September 20, 2026

Altar Flowers: Our Flowers today are given to the Glory of God.

Adult Sunday School Classes at 10:00 a.m. -

Joy Sunday School—CLC Building, Joy Classroom
Truth Seekers Sunday School—CLC Building, Truth Seekers Classroom
Friendship Sunday School—New Room

Weekly Bible Reading

September 20: Philemon

September 21: Numbers 21-24

September 22: 2 Chronicles 1-5

September 23: Psalm 111-113

September 24: Proverbs 27

September 25: Jonah

September 26: Acts 1-2

Congregational Care—If you know of anyone in need of pastoral care, to include home visitation, have an upcoming surgery, or hospital stay, are homebound or in nursing care, or would like to receive communion, please contact Pastor J.R. at 814-244-5654 or email pastorjr@spwmethodist.org.

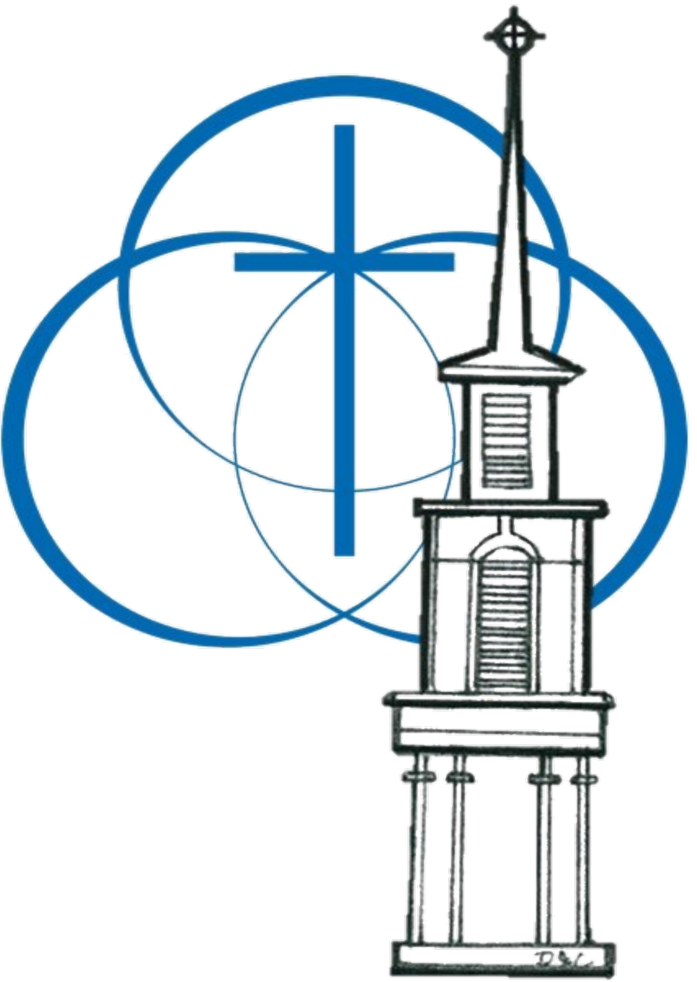
If you're willing to provide meals, serve as a visitor, or provide occasional transportation, please email Dee Horton at dbhorton119@gmail.com.

If you are unable to attend church regularly and would like to receive communion at home, please notify Dee Horton.

The Prayer Room—will be unlocked and available for anyone to use Mondays-Thursdays between the hours of 9 am—1 pm. You can enter directly through the outside door connected to the Prayer Room.

Liturgists Needed—We are in need of liturgists for the 10:15 service. If interested, please contact the church office, Pastor J.R., or Cindy Yuoconis.

Operation Christmas Child: Our September shoebox emphasis is Personal Care Items. Suggested donations include washcloths, brushes, combs, toothbrushes with covers, nail clippers, wet wipes, tissues, scarves, hats, gloves, underwear, socks, and slippers. We gladly accept all allowable items throughout the year. Thank you for supporting this special mission!



St. Paul's Waccamaw Methodist Church

Lead Pastor: Rev. J. R. Virgin

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Worship Services

8:45 am: Traditional Service

10:00 am: Sunday School

10:15 am: Traditional Service

11:15 am: Modern Service

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