



**Burkhead
United Methodist Church
5250 Silas Creek Parkway
Winston-Salem, NC 27106**

**Rev. Julie O'Neal
Pastor**



**JOIN US
for our Sunday
School classes
9:15 & 9:30 am,
Fellowship Time
10:15 am, and
Worship Service
10:30 am in
our Sanctuary.
Virtual worship is
available through
our website and
Facebook page.**

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Winter Leadership Training January 23-26, 2023

Winter Leadership Training is designed for all local church leaders including lay leaders, council members, volunteers, and all who lead. Connect virtually with other leaders across the conference and learn about roles, best practices, and new ideas for ministry. Please contact Julie or Darlene for registration information.

Session Schedule & Descriptions

Monday, January 23rd:

- 6:00pm – Opening, Welcome, and Overview of the Week
- 6:30pm – Breakout rooms with District Superintendents
- 7:30pm – 101 Breakout Session Options
 - P/SPRC 101
 - Lay Leader 101
 - Trustees 101
 - Admin Council Leadership 101
 - Congregational Finance 101

Tuesday, January 24th:

- 11:30am-1pm Breakout Session #1
 - Communication & Promotion in a Congregational
 - From Charles Wesley to Johnny Cash: United Methodist Core Beliefs Through the Lens of Music & Storytelling
 - Connecting with Today's Children & Youth
- 6:00pm-7:00pm Breakout Session #2
 - Myth Busting: The True Standards of Wesleyan Theology Embraced by the United Methodist Church (Part 1)
 - Community Engagement & The Neighbor
 - Starting a Fresh Expression in the Outdoors
- 7:30pm-8:30pm Breakout Session #3
 - Creative Stewardship: Embracing Fresh Ideas for Funding Local Church Ministry
 - A Shift in Thinking
 - Communicating Change
 - Starting a Dinner Church after COVID-19

Wednesday, January 25th:

- 11:30am-1pm Breakout Session #4
 - Building & Strengthening Congregational Relationships
 - Single Board Governance
- 6:00pm-7:00pm Session #5
 - Myth Busting: The True Standards of Wesleyan Theology Embraced by the United Methodist Church (Part 2)
 - Next Steps for Online Worshipers
- 7:30pm-8:30pm Breakout Session #6
 - Evangelism as Hospitality: Welcoming Strangers
 - Creating Space for Critical (and sometimes tense) Conversations

Thursday, January 26th:

- 11:30am-1:00pm Breakout Session #7
 - Everything is Fine: Making Room for Mental Health Conversations Within Congregations
 - Youth Ministry Idea Lab
- 6:00pm - Keynote Speaker - Bishop Ken Carter

Lectionary Readings

These scriptures are used during our Sunday Worship Service. They are shared so everyone may read and study them throughout the week.

1st

Isaiah 60:1-6
 Psalms 72:1-7, 10-14
 Ephesians 3:1-12
 Matthew 2:1-12
 or
 Ecclesiastes 3:1-13
 Psalms 8
 Revelations 21:1-6a
 Matthew 25:31-46

8th

Isaiah 42:1-9
 Psalms 29
 Acts 10:34-43
 Matthew 3:13-17

15th

Isaiah 49:1-7
 Psalms 40:1-11
 1 Corinthians 1:1-9
 John 1:29-42

22nd

Isaiah 9:1-4
 Psalms 27:1, 4-9
 1 Corinthians 1:10-18
 Matthew 4:12-23

29th

Micah 6:1-8
 Psalms 15
 1 Corinthians 1:18-31
 Matthew 5:1-12

Prayer Concerns and Praises

December 4th Prayers: Pauline Chapman's family, Beth Dixon, Johnny Hedrick, Beverly Galyean

December 11th Prayers: China Moore, John Nelson Jr., Debbie Johnson, Bob & Elaine Opoulos, Imogene Tucker

December 18th Prayers: Sarah Blumenthal, China Moore, Carl Roberts' family, Keith Roberts, Beth Dixon, Harriet Lassing's family, Cameron Lashbrook's family, David Arnold, the country of Peru, the people of Ukraine, Betty & David Moore, Johnny Hedrick, travel for everyone during the holidays

December 25th Prayers:
 Gloria McGurk, Julie O'Neal, Bob Opoulos, Beth Dixon, Sarah Blumenthal, Sarah Howell, Johnny Hedrick, Lynne Jones

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- 1st Barry Crotty
- 2nd Cristy Crotty
- 5th Susanne Jones
- 10th Paula Totherow
- 11th Joni Howell
- 12th John Patrick
- 17th Charlotte Strom
- 18th Rod Friddle
- 18th China Moore
- 18th Kaycee Thomas

The Y.A.R.N. Ministry will resume their meetings beginning January 18, 2023. The **new meeting time** is the **third Wednesday** of each month at **1:00 pm**.



Please notify the church office if your birthday or anniversary has been omitted or is listed incorrectly. Thank you!

Our next Wednesday Night Community Meal will be Wednesday, January 11, 2023 at 6 pm. The menu will include pizza, salad, and of course, dessert. A signup sheet is on



the information table near the kitchen. Please sign up & pray for good weather so we can meet & fellowship. See you then!

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Our church office is open Tuesday through Thursday from 10 am to 2 pm.

From the Financial Secretary's Desk:

Financial Report:

	November	Year-to-Date
Total Received	\$23,597	\$156,335
Total Spent	\$16,710	\$210,477

In November, we received:

- a) a gift in honor of Beth Dixon and her dedication to Burkhead from Cathie Alexander;
- b) a gift in memory of Marty Butner-Covington from Carol B Pettit.

In December, we received:

- a) gifts in memory of Marty Butner-Covington from Makayla Carmichael, Terry & Lynn Blumenthal, Blain & Peg Butner, Thomas Seaver, and Barry & Joan Crotty;
- b) a gift in memory of Dorothy Fulk from Barry & Joan Crotty;
- c) gifts in memory of Harriet Lassing from Barry & Joan Crotty, Bill & Peg Bishop, Taylor Crane, Larry Parks, Murray & Gale Sink, Rick & Connie Mende, Marilyn Baird, Terry & Lynn Blumenthal, Daryl & Beth Dixon, Becky Dubois, and Greg & Kathy Lisle;
- d) \$2,000 for our Capital Campaign;
- e) \$3,800 for Fundraising from the BBQ dinner; and
- f) \$1,403 for our Fellowship meals supplies.

An anonymous donor contributed the monies needed for 3 big ticket repairs that have been completed in December – a backflow preventer that is required by the city, the parsonage furnace that chose to quit working during our coldest days, and a hot water booster for our dishwasher.

Flower Calendar

We are bringing back an old standby – the Flower Calendar which you will find on the door in the hall outside the kitchen beginning for 2023. For those who aren't familiar with it, each Sunday for the year is listed with a place for you to sign your name as the person who will provide the altar flowers for that Sunday. You may choose to place them in memory of a loved one, in honor of a loved one or for an event.

"In the old days" we dealt with a florist, but that is not necessary. You may provide flowers from your yard, from your neighbor's yard, from the grocery store or even an artificial arrangement. You will need to let Darlene know who the flowers are honoring so she can list it in the bulletin. It's your responsibility to let her know.

I hope that you will enjoy being able to recognize your loved ones with flowers. Betty Bewley

Notes of Appreciation

from Crisis Control Ministry:

Thanks Burkhead! We are grateful for the support of Burkhead United Methodist Church! May God continue to bless your ministry!

George C. Banks and Margaret Elliott

From Board of Global Ministries:

*Dear Friends in Mission,
The dear people you just helped with your gift to UMCOR may never have the opportunity to meet you, but if they did, I am certain their response would be — Thank you!*

Grace and Peace,

Roland Fernandes

January 2023

Join us each Sunday at 10:30 am for Worship Service in our Sanctuary.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 Epiphany Sunday 9:15 & 9:30 am - Sunday School 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service	2	3 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911	4 10:00 am - Knitting Group	5	6 	7
8 Baptism of the Lord 9:15 & 9:30 am - Sunday School 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service	9 6:30 pm - Finance Committee meeting	10 6:30 pm - Trustees Committee meeting 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911	11 10:00 am - Knitting Group 6:00 pm - Community Fellowship meal	12	13	14
15 9:15 & 9:30 am - Sunday School 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service 5:00 pm - Book Club	16	17 10:30 am - Outreach Committee 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911	18 10:00 am - Knitting Group 1:00 pm - Y.A.R.N. Ministry	19	20	21
22 9:15 & 9:30 am - Sunday School 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service 4:00 pm - Church Council meeting	23	24 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911	25 10:00 am - Knitting Group	26 	27	28
29 9:15 & 9:30 am - Sunday School 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service	30	31 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911				