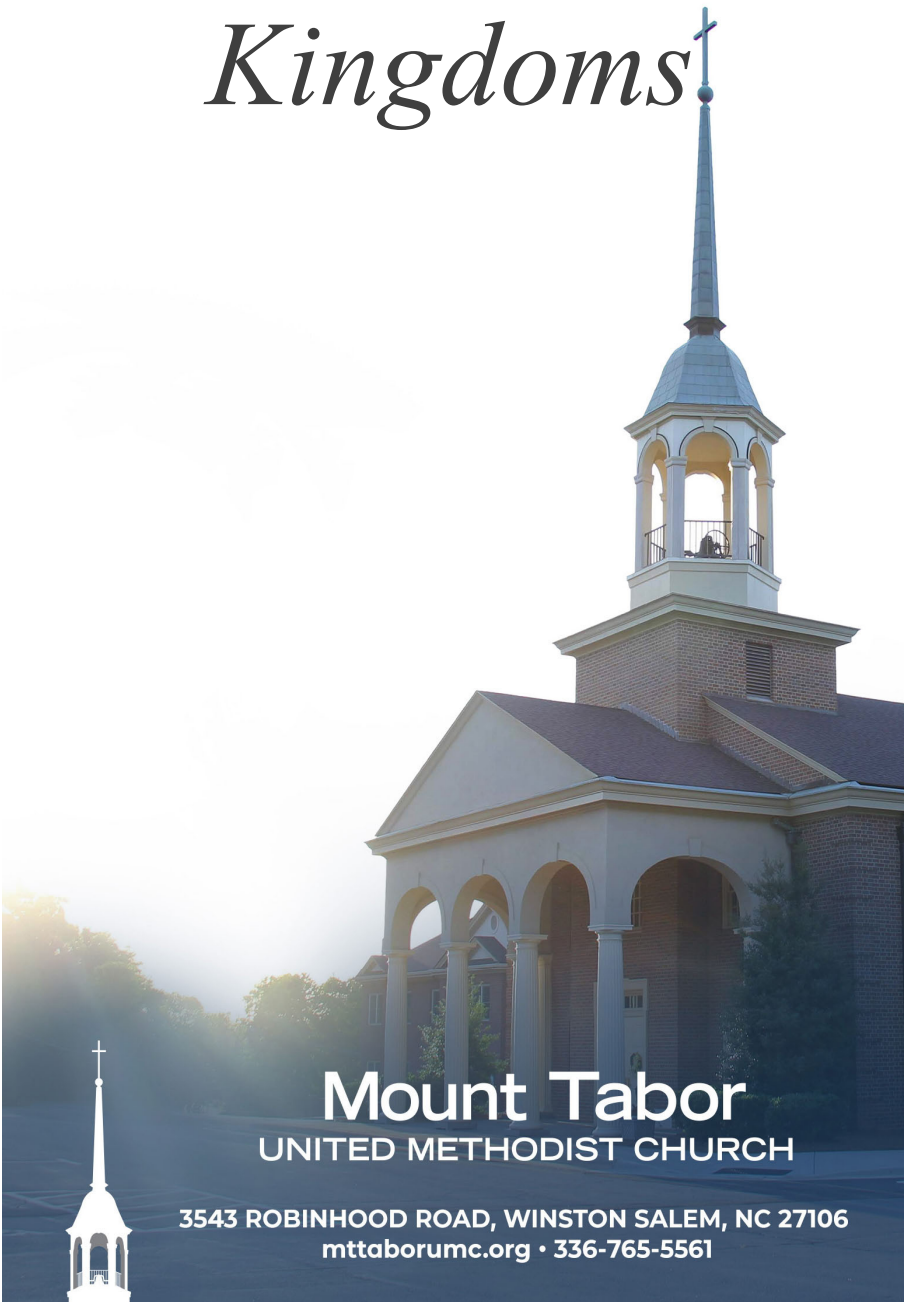


November 10, 2024

*Governments
And
Kingdoms*



Mount Tabor
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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WORSHIPING GOD AT MOUNT TABOR UMC
GATHER JOYFULLY • GROW SPIRITUALLY • GO FAITHFULLY

Traditional Order of Worship

25th Sunday After Pentecost

Sunday, November 10, 2024 • 11:00am

Hearing enhancement devices, as well as large print bulletins, are available in the Narthex.

- Prelude** For Spacious Skies Mike Hendrix
Samuel Ward
- Welcome** Kim Harvey
- Introit** My Country, 'Tis of Thee AMERICA
- * Call to Worship** Bob McHone
Let us give thanks to God for the land of our birth with all its charted liberties.
For all the wonder of our country's story:
We give you thanks, O God.
For leaders in nation and state, for those in days past and in these present times
have labored for the commonwealth:
We give you thanks, O God.
For those in all times and places have been true and brave, and in the world's
common ways have lived upright lives and ministered to their fellows:
We give you thanks, O God.
For those who have served our country in its hour of need, and especially for
those who gave even their lives in that service:
We give you thanks, O God.
- * Hymn # 698** God of the Ages NATIONAL HYMN
- * Affirmation of Faith # 881** The Apostles' Creed Kim Harvey
- * Prayer of Confession**
Heavenly Father, we thank you for all those who have served us in the military,
putting their lives in danger so that we can live in freedom. We ask you to give
strength and protection to those who continue to serve. Be with them in all dan-
gers and grant their families peace in knowing that You are with all those who
trust in You. Grant to our veterans peace and healing. Be with them in their times
of stress and pain. Heal their bodies and ease their minds. Lead them to cast their
burdens on Jesus, who has forgiven the sins of all. Through Your Word, grant faith
to all who do not yet know their Savior and give to them the joy and peace in
knowing and believing that their sins are forgiven by Your grace, through faith in
Jesus Christ. In His name we pray. . .
- * Gloria Patri # 71** Glory Be to the Father GREATORIX
- * Assurance and Time of Greeting**
Children (3 years old-5th grades) may leave to participate in TaborKids Worship today.
Parents will pick them up in the Children's Building immediately following the service.
- * Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer** Dr. Mark Key
- Anthem** Let There Be Peace on Earth Arr. Mary McDonald
- Sharing of Our Tithes and Offerings** Dr. Mark Key
- Offertory** God Bless America Irving Berlin
Lauren Harris, solo
- * Doxology # 94** Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow LASST UNS ERFREUEN
- * Hymn #696** America the Beautiful MATERNA
- * Scripture** I Timothy 2:1-4 (NLT); John 18:33-37 (NAS) Bob McHone
- Message** "Governments and Kingdoms" Dr. Mark Key
- * Hymn #717** The Battle Hymn of the Republic BATTLE HYMN
- * Benediction** Dr. Mark Key
- * Benediction Response** God Bless America Irving Berlin
- * Chiming of the Trinity**
- Postlude** Songs of the United States Armed Forces Mike Hendrix

***Please stand in body or spirit**

Modern Worship
Sunday, November 10, 2024
9:00am

—**Gathering Song**—
Even in Exile
(Crowder)

— **Praise Song** —
Jesus Does
(We the Kingdom)

— **Welcome, Announcements, and Call to Worship** —

— **Praise Song** —
Yes and Amen
(Jesus Culture)

Veterans Video

— **Tabor KIDS Dismissal**—

— **Pastoral & Offertory Prayer** —

— **Offertory** —
Lord I Need You
(Matt Maher & One Church Worship)

—**Scripture**—
I Timothy 2:1-4 (NLT); John 18:33-37 (NAS)

— **Message** —
“Governments and Kingdoms”

—**Closing Song**—
Holy Forever
(Chris Tomlin)

— **Sending Forth** —

Worship Leaders

Senior Pastor: Rev. David Beam
Guest Pastor: Dr. Mark Key
Modern Worship Coordinator: Jim Annas
Worship Host: John Giles
Prayer Leaders: Dave Stith

WELCOME TO MOUNT TABOR UMC

Welcome to Mount Tabor and please feel at home! If you are a first-time guest, text the word "Hello" to 336-777-7990. Also stop by the Trinity Welcome Center Desk or a Welcome Kiosk on your way out to receive a welcome gift. The mission of Mount Tabor UMC is to "Gather Joyfully, Grow Spiritually, Go Faithfully to spread the love of Christ." If you would like to explore ways to Gather, Grow, Go, text "Connect" to 336-777-7990. Prayer requests can be submitted at www.mttaborumc.org/prayer or by contacting Director of Congregational Care & Spiritual Formation Kim Harvey (336-765-5561 ext. 1021 or kim.harvey@mttaborumc.org).

GENERAL INFORMATION

Nursery care and Mother's Room are available for all services. Children interested in participating in TaborKIDS worship may leave the service at the appropriate time. Wheelchairs are available for use while on church property and the church offices are open Mon.-Fri., 9am-NOON and Mon.-Thurs., 1-5pm. See the church website at www.mttaborumc.org for more info.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Submit announcement info at least two weeks in advance to charity.goff@mttaborumc.org.

GATHER JOYFULLY

- * **You can worship at MTUMC** on Sundays at: Modern Worship at 9:00am in the Alspaugh Worship Center or Traditional Worship at 11:00am in the Sanctuary. Both services are also available via Facebook Live and <https://www.YouTube.com/MountTaborUMCVideoStreaming>.
- * ***Please remember that this is a meaningful and important moment of worship. In the spirit of this special time with our Lord, we ask that you silence and put away all electronic devices during our worship services.***

GROW SPIRITUALLY & GO FAITHFULLY

- * **Wednesday Tabor Table Fellowship Dinner will meet Wednesday, November 13, 5:15-6:30pm in the Family Life Center** with reservations made either at <https://www.mttaborumc.org/tabor-table> or in the Trinity Welcome Center. Suggested donation is \$8 for adult (age 13 and up), \$5 for child (age 3-12), free for children under 3. For those living in same home, family max is \$25. The menu is: Stuffed Shells, Pasta and Sauce, Salad Bar, Rolls, Desserts, and Drinks. **ids** Option: Pancakes.
- * **In Appreciation of your Service** - All veterans are invited to attend a reception in their honor **today, Sunday, Nov. 10**, from 10:00 - 11:00 am in the Fellowship Hall. There will be light refreshments served, a prayer of thanksgiving, recognition, and a time of fellowship to connect with other veterans. Thank you for your service to our country! You are greatly appreciated! For questions see Kim Harvey, Director of Congregational Care and Spiritual Formation.
- * **The November/December issue of The Upper Rooms are here.** You can find copies in the Narthex, Welcome Center, and in the Church Office.
- * **Our Lost and Found is OVERFLOWING.** Please come by the workroom in the church office to claim any of your lost items by November 11. All unclaimed items will be donated to Goodwill on November 12.

- * **All women are invited to Women's Night of Worship** on Nov. 15 at 7:00 pm in the Alspaugh Worship Center. Join us as we come together as a community of faith to worship, sing, and support and encourage one another through a special time of prayer, the reading of scripture, a skit, and devotions. A dessert bar reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall. Due to the time of this event, you are encouraged to invite those who may prefer not to drive at night, and give them a ride. For questions, contact Kim Harvey at kim.harvey@mttaborumc.org or 336-765-5561.
- * **Next Steps – Everyone Has One!** Would you like to learn more about the ministries of Mount Tabor or learn about joining our church family? If so, you are invited to join us on Sunday, November 17 from 10:15-10:45am in the fellowship hall.
- * **We will hold our annual Charge Conference on November 25** in the Fellowship Hall at 7:30 pm. The purpose of Charge Conference is to elect Lay Leadership for the 2025 class of candidates, to approve clergy compensation, receive reports required by the Western North Carolina Conference and any other normal business. Charge Conference will follow the 4th quarter Church Council meeting beginning at 6:30. No RSVP is required, and the meetings are open to all members.
- * **TaborTWEENS will meet on November 24** from 3:00-5 PM. We will travel to the Community Coat Closet where we will help sort, organize and pack deliveries of coats, gloves, scarves and hats with the Community Coat Closet. Please register by November 20. bit.ly/tweens1124
- * **All the men of Mount Tabor UMC** are invited to join us for breakfast on the first Sunday of each month (December 1) at 7:30am in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome and reservations are not needed.
- * **Moms Fellowship meets the first Thursday of each month (Dec. 5)** 9:15 - 10:30am in Fellowship Hall. This is a time for mothers of young children to meet for a heartfelt prayer, a short devotion with discussion, and fellowship. Childcare will be provided with registration done by 5 PM the night before the meeting. Register here: bit.ly/mtmomfellowship Questions? Contact Sandy Hauser SandyLHauser@gmail.com
- * **Save the Date! Breakfast in Bethlehem** is December 7 at 10 AM. This annual advent experience for young families is open for registration now! bit.ly/mtbfast2024
- * **All women are invited to attend "The Weary World Rejoices,"** an Advent Study based on the study by Kate Bowler, on the following Wednesdays: Nov. 13, Nov. 20, Dec. 4 and Dec. 11, at 9:30 am in the Fellowship Hall and also via zoom. There is nothing to purchase, just bring a Bible and feel free to invite friends. For questions or the Zoom link, please contact Kim Harvey at kim.harvey@mttaborumc.org or 336-765-5561.

Please be aware that unknown persons are trying to scam Mount Tabor UMC staff and congregants. These attempts are impersonating Pastor David (via text and email) asking for gift cards, money, and some of the emails even request that you speak with him. These requests are not coming from our Senior Minister or members of our church staff. Please know the church clergy or staff would never send cryptic messages or ask for any kind of money or gift card donations through email. Please do not respond to their messages, and please reach out to the church office (336-765-5561) if you ever have concerns of a message's authenticity.



Sunday, November 10, 2024

- 9:00 AM Modern Worship Service — Alspaugh Worship Center
- 10:00 AM Child, Tween, Youth, & Adult Sunday School Classes
- 10:00 AM Veterans Recognition Brunch — Fellowship Hall
- 11:00 AM Traditional Worship Service — Sanctuary
- 4:00 PM Liturgical Dance Practice — Alspaugh Worship Center

Monday, November 11, 2024—Church office closed for Veterans Day

- 8:00 AM Bulletin & *In The Know* Email Submission Deadline
- 9:00 AM TABOR TALK Newsletter Submission Deadline
- 12:00 PM Nar-Anon Family Support Group — Rm 108-Church Parlor
- 6:00 PM Voices of God’s Children Choir Practice —Sanctuary
- 7:00 PM Boy Scouts Troop 934 Meeting — Rm 113-Youth Commons
- 7:00 PM Men’s Basketball — Family Life Center
- 7:00 PM Women’s Alcoholics Anonymous — Rm 102

Tuesday, November 12, 2024

- 9:00 AM Church Business Admin Mtg — Rm 207
- 10:00 AM Worship Planning Meeting — Fellowship Hall
- 12:00 PM Band of Brothers — Foothills @ 4th Street
- 3:00 PM TaborWomen Circle 8 — Fellowship Hall
- 6:30 PM Cub Scout Pack 934 Den Meetings — Room 122
- 6:30 PM Finance Committee Meeting — Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, November 13, 2024

- 6:50 AM High School Prayer Breakfast — Bagel Station
- 9:30 AM Wednesday Women’s Bible Study — Fellowship Hall
- 3:30 PM GriefShare Support Group — Rm 101
- 5:15 PM Tabor Table Fellowship Meal — Family Life Center
- 6:00 PM TaborKids — 263/265 The Loft in Children’s Bldg
- 6:00 PM TaborKids Junior Pray'n and Play'n — 166 Children’s Bldg
- 6:30 PM DivorceCare Support Group— Rm 108
- 6:45 PM Adult Volleyball Game — Family Life Center
- 7:00 PM MTUMC Delivers to Bethesda Center

Thursday, November 14, 2024

- 7:30 AM Band of Brothers In-person and via Zoom — Rm 306
- 6:00 PM B.E.L.L.S. Rehearsal — Music/Choir Room
- 6:30 PM Modern Worship Band Rehearsal — Alspaugh Worship Center
- 7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal — Music/Choir Room

Friday, November 15 2024

- 7:00 PM Women’s Night of Worship — Alspaugh Worship Center

Saturday, November 16, 2024

- 9:00 AM Pickle Ball — Family Life Center

Our Response to God’s Grace...

**BUDGET PLEDGES
FOR 2025
as of Nov., 2024**

**# Pledges: 207
for Pledge Total of
\$1,152,483**

November 3, 2024 ATTENDANCE

Online Worship	147
In-person Worship	388

October 20, 2024 GIVING

Budget Needs Each Week	\$31,382.00
Budget Gifts	\$26,707.46
Disaster Response	\$5,110.00
Cemetery	\$5,000.00
Poinsettias	\$445.00
Honorariums	\$60.00
Other	\$6,840.18
Total	\$44,152.64

The 25th Sunday after Pentecost November 10, 2024

I Timothy 2:1-4 NLT

I urge you, first of all, to pray for all people. Ask God to help them; intercede on their behalf, and give thanks for them. ² Pray this way for kings and all who are in authority so that we can live peaceful and quiet lives marked by godliness and dignity. ³ This is good and pleases God our Savior, ⁴ who wants everyone to be saved and to understand the truth.

John 18:33-37 NAS

³³ Therefore Pilate entered the Praetorium again, and summoned Jesus and said to Him, "You are the King of the Jews?" ³⁴ Jesus answered, "Are you saying this on your own, or did others tell you about Me?" ³⁵ Pilate answered, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests handed You over to me; what have You done?" ³⁶ Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not of this world. If My kingdom were of this world, My servants would be fighting so that I would not be handed over to the Jews; but as it is, My kingdom is not of this realm." ³⁷ Therefore Pilate said to Him, "So You are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say *correctly* that I am a king. For this *purpose* I have been born, and for this I have come into the world: to testify to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth listens to My voice."

11:00am Traditional Worship Leaders

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Guest Pastor: Dr. Mark Key

Liturgists: Bob McHone & Kim Harvey

Director of Traditional Worship Arts: Lauren Harris

Organist/Accompanist: Mike Hendrix

Women's Night of *Worship*

NOVEMBER 15 AT 7:00 PM
ALSPAUGH WORSHIP CENTER

A night of community and support with music,
prayer, scripture, skit and devotions.

Dessert bar and fellowship to follow.



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Thanksgiving Service & Potluck Dinner

Sunday, November 24

4:30 PM Drop Off Food

Please bring a side or dessert. Turkey, ham,
drinks and paper products will also be provided.

5:30 PM Worship Service

Potluck line will open following the service

Sign up for an angel beginning Sunday, November 17



ANGEL TREE

*Share the love of Christ with
the children in our community!*

The final drop off date for all angels
is **Sunday, December 15.**

learn more at mttaborumc.org/angel-tree