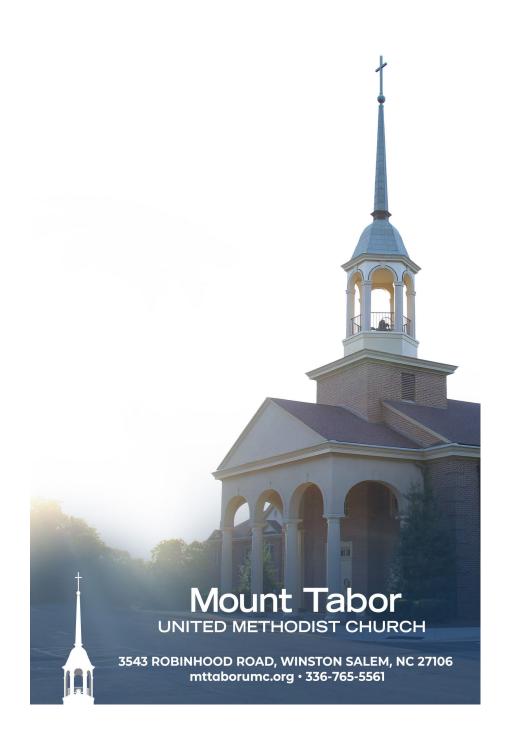
June 2, 2024 Trust and Go



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

Traditional Order of Worship

Second Sunday after Pentecost—Graduation Sunday
Sunday, June 2, 2024 • 11:00am

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

PreludeLargoG.F. HandelProcessionalPomp and CircumstanceSir Edward ElgarWelcomeChristin Barnhardt

* Call to Worship Nancy Morris

O Lord, you have searched me and known me!

You know when I sit down and when I rise up;

you discern my thoughts from afar.

You search out my path and my lying down,

and are acquainted with all my ways.

Even before a word is on my tongue, O Lord, you know it altogether.

You pursue me behind and before,

and lay your hand upon me.

Such knowledge is too wonderful for me;

it is high, I cannot attain it.

* Hymn # 62 All Creatures of Our God and King (Verses 1-5) LASST UNS ERFREUEN

Time of Greeting Will Busch

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.

Presentation of Scholarships

Goodchild Scholarship — Petree Scholarship — Wes & Andy Burton Scholarship

Introduction of GraduatesWill BuschGraduation Day LitanyThor JensonAnthemHoly, Holy, Holyarr. Jason Krug

Believers who Expect to Live and Love Selflessly

Sharing of Our Tithes and Offerings Will Busch

Offertory God So Loved the World John Stainer

* Doxology #95 Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow OLD 100th

Scripture Proverbs 3:1-6 and Matthew 28:19-20 (NIV)

Nancy Morris and Thor Jenson

Message "Trust and Go" Will Busch

Sacrament of Holy Communion Hurley Thomas

* Communion Anthem O Love Elaine Hagenberg

* Communion Hymn #632 Draw Us in the Spirit's Tether UNION SEMINARY

* Hymn #159 Lift High the Cross CRUCIFER

* Benediction Will Busch

* Benediction Response This Little Light of Mine Spiritual, adapt. Farley Smith

* Chiming of the Trinity

* **Postlude** March of the Patriots Edward Elgar

*Please stand in body or in spirit

WORSHIP LEADERS

Senior Pastor: Dr. Michael B. Brown Director of Student Ministries: Will Busch
Liturgist: Nancy Morris & Thor Jenson Communion Assistants: Beth Orrell & Hurley Thomas
Interim Traditional Worship Arts Director: Christin Barnhardt
Organist/Accompanist: Mike Hendrix

Modern Worship Sunday, June 2, 2024 9:00am

— Welcome and Call to Worship —

— **Praise Songs** — Heart Won't Stop (John Mark McMillan)

Holy Water (We The Kingdom)

- TaborKIDS Dismissal—
- Recognition of Graduates —

— Offertory — Lord Of My Life (Matt Maher)

— Scripture—
Proverbs 3:1-6 and Matthew 28:19-20

— Message —
"Trust and Go"

—Holy Communion—

—Closing Song— Good Plans (Red Rocks Worship)

— Announcements & Sending Forth —

Worship Leaders

Senior Pastor: Dr. Michael Brown Director of Youth Ministries: Will Busch Modern Worship Coordinator: Jim Annas Worship Host: Chad Marion

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., 1-4pm 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, 9:00am, in the Alspaugh Worship Center, or Traditional, 11:00am, in the Sanctuary. Both services are also available via Facebook Live and https://www.You Tube.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 and GO Faithfully

- * All the men of Mount Tabor UMC are invited to join us for breakfast on the first Sunday of each month June 2 at 7:30am in the Fellowship Hall. Everyone is welcome and reservations are not needed.
- * Our Summer Tabor Table Summer Fellowship Dinner will be served three Wednesdays during the summer—June 12, July 17 and Aug. 14—5:15-6:30pm in the Family Life Center. Reservations can be made either at www.mttabor umc.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 child under 3. Our Menu on June 12 will be Chicken Enchiladas, Green Beans, Rice, Drinks, and Desserts; Chicken Nuggets will be served as a children's meal option.
- * Weds. Women's Bible Study All women are invited to attend "The Prayers of Jesus" on the following Wednesdays: June 12, July 17, and Aug. 14 at 9:30 am, in person in the Fellowship Hall and also via zoom. We will look at the prayer life of Jesus and what it teaches us, along with the prayers Jesus prayed as recorded in the Bible. There is nothing to purchase to participate, just bring a Bible and feel free to invite a friend. For questions or the zoom link, please contact kim.harvey@mttaborumc.org.
- * Celebrating the faithful service of Pastor Michael Brown -- Pastor Michael has served as our Interim Senior Pastor for 8 months and all are invited to attend a reception for him following both worship services on June 23. If you would like to give an honorarium to the church for Pastor Michael, he has asked that gifts go toward the building fund/debt reduction. You may give online using the Honorarium fund and noting Michael

- Brown in the memo line. You may also give by cash or check with the note "in honor of Michael Brown".
- * The King's Brass, a nationally renown band of nine professional trained musicians, will present a 90-minute concert at Mount Tabor UMC on Sunday, June 23 at 7:00pm. The concert is a mixture of unique arrangement of hymns, Broadway show tunes, old favorites from the Glenn Miller Orchestra days of the 1940's, a special story told by instruments of Noah especially for children, patriotic songs recognizing branches of the armed forces, and a classical piece to round out the concert. Admission is FREE, but there will be a love offering opportunity at the conclusion of the concert. Nursery care will be available for pre-school children. This concert is suitable for the entire family. If you have any questions, please contact Mike Hendrix at 336-909-2412.
- * Art Camp registration is now open! Camp is June 24-27 from 9-12 each morning. Registration is \$125. Children aged 2 through rising Kindergarten should be registered through the Preschool. Forms may be found in the Children's Building Lobby or be downloaded from the Preschool website: mttaborumcpreschool.org. Children rising 1 st grade through completed 1st grade should register here: bit.ly/mtumcart24. Space is limited so sign up now!
- * The Caring Friends Committee is looking to refresh and for additional volunteers. The Caring Friends Committee takes care of setting up, serving, and cleaning up after funeral receptions or lunches. If you are interested please contact our Church Hostess, Sheri Nebinger at sheri.nebinger@mttaborumc.org.
- * Mount Tabor's Afterschool Program begins registration had begun. We'd love to see more of our TaborKIDS during the week! For more information, call the Afterschool (336-760-0363) or visit their website mttaborumcafterschool.org.
- * Start the Party: Celebrate the Good News at Vacation Bible School
 July 22-25! Open to children ages 4 as of 8/31 through completed 5th grade as
 Jesus gives us the most amazing reason to party. There is no cost and all are
 welcome. Snack Supper begins at 5:15PM and the main program is from 6:00
 -8:00 PM. Visit bit.ly/mtumcvbs24 for more information and to sign up!
- * Volunteers are needed to help our homebound members feel connected to their church. Contact Sue Ann Harris today (336-768-5274) and start making personal visits a couple of members once a quarter.
- * Growth Guides are available on our website for individual or group study each week. These are based on each Sunday's sermon scripture and include author information, context of scripture, and discussion questions. Go to mttaborumc.org/growthguide.

Our Response to God's Grace...

BUDGET PLEDGES FOR 2024as of April 30, 2024

Pledges: 204 for Pledge Total of \$986,294 **May 26, 2024 ATTENDANCE** Online Worship 149 In-person Worship 404

May 26, 2024 GIVING
Budget Needs Each Week \$31,382.00
Budget Gifts \$13,160.00

 Memorials/Honorarium
 \$395.00

 Burton Memorial Golf
 \$25.00

 Music Fund
 \$100.00

 Building Fund
 \$50.00

 Other
 \$9,219.91

 Total
 \$22,949.91

CAPITAL CAMPAIGN LOAN PRINCIPAL

January 1, 2018 Balance \$2,440,522.29

Year-To-Date Loan Balance \$77,255.04

as of May 8, 2024

Graduating Class of 2024

- Maggie Brown Reagan High School with plans to attend UNCG
- Hope Burton Calvary Day School with plans to attend UNC Charlotte
- Addison Carpien —
 Reagan High School with plans to attend Auburn University
- Jacob Carpien Reagan High School with plans to attend Bridgewater College
- Hayden Craven Mount Tabor High School with plans to attend NC State
- Eric Duggins Davie
 High School with plans to
 attend Forsyth Tech
- Samantha Elliott —
 Mount Tabor High School with plans to attend
 University of Tennessee
 Martin
- Christopher Guilbault Reagan High School
- Joseph Hadley Mount Tabor High School with plans to attend Duke University
- Molly Johnson Reagan High School with plans to attend UNC Chapel Hill

- Billie Mason Mount Tabor High School with plans to attend Howard University
- Jonah Mussomeli from Mount Tabor High School with plans to attend NC State
- Kaitlyn Russ— from Acellus Academy
- Molly Stauffer Forsyth Country Day School with plans to attend Worford
- Zachary Stevens —
 Mount Tabor High School with plans to attend

 Forsyth Tech
- Amee Surrell Mount Tabor High School with plans to attend Campbell University
- Bradley Williams —
 Reagan High School with plans to attend Wake

 Forest University
- Sam Wood Mount Tabor High School with plans to attend NC State

Our College Graduates

* Hannah Boone — Oregon State
Katie Nicholls — UNC Chapel Hill
Austin Williams — UNC Charlotte

* Caitlin Carr — Wake Forest University
Austin Cook — UNC Chapel Hill
Aidan Baker — NC State
Kyle Baker — NC State

*Sydney Rodts — NC State
Reagan Wooten—Lenoir-Rhyne Nursing

GRADUATION PRAYER LITANY

Today is special day. A day of celebration and accomplishment. Today, O God, we ask for your blessings upon each individual who is graduating. Most importantly, we ask for the greatest blessing they can find in life, and this can be found in the wisdom of Jesus' statement to...

Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

Today we remember. We look back and reflect on the moments of laughter and joy. We look at pictures and rewatch videos. We retell stories and think about all the wonderful events that shaped us over the years. In particular, we are reminded of the greatest joys life can provide when we...

Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

Today we also remember the moments that were difficult. The days when family and friends were a great help in times of trouble. The days when we desperately held on to hope in the midst of tears. We remember these moments as well, knowing and trusting in the great truth that we must...

Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

Yes Lord, today is a day full of so many other days. So many thoughts and so much emotion packed into a single moment. For our graduates and their loved ones, may this moment, and the moments to come in the days that follow, be full of your love, joy, peace, comfort, and grace. And in these moments may these graduates continue to...

Seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you.

Oh Lord, what shall we ask be added onto those who are moving from one season to another? We ask that in seeking your kingdom and righteousness, these individuals find that you will always be there. For the graduating class of 2024, we ask that you remind each of them how you have not only been with them through the process to get to this monumental point in their lives, but that you are with them today, and will be with them for all their days to come. When we ask them to seek out your kingdom above all else, we ask that as they take their next steps, they see the path you have paved before them. We ask that they trust in you in all their decisions. When they have done this, all of the gifts from heaven will be showered upon them along the journey. Oh Lord, send your Holy Spirit on all our graduates at Mount Tabor United Methodist Church. We thank you for their accomplishments to this point, and we look forward to their many more accomplishments to come. It is in Jesus Christ name we pray...

Amen.







Mount Tabor at a Glance — Church CalendarReal-time calendar is available at **TinyUrl.com/MTUMC-calendar**

