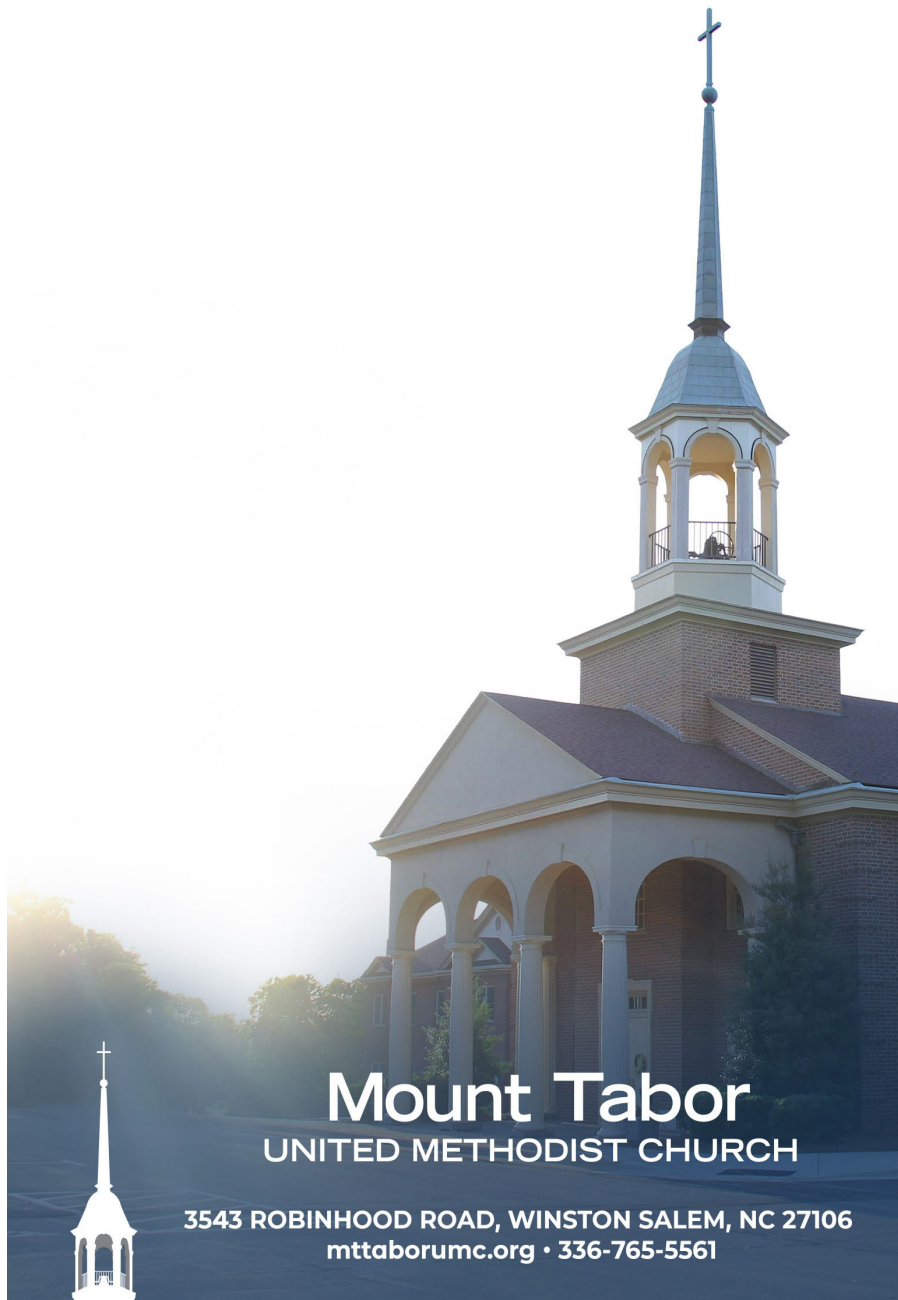


May 26, 2024

# *God's Identities*



**Mount Tabor**  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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## Traditional Order of Worship

Trinity Sunday

Sunday, May 26, 2024 • 11:00am

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

<b>Prelude</b>	<i>Theme from Finlandia</i>	Jean Sibelius
<b>Welcome</b>		Christian Barnhardt
<b>Introit</b>	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy Lord</i>	Schubert/Proulx
<b>* Call to Worship</b>		Lyn Worf
	Sing praise to God, who reigns above, <b>the God of all creation.</b>	
	We praise you, O God. We acclaim you as Lord; <b>all creation worships you, Father everlasting.</b>	
	To you all angels, all the powers of heaven, <b>cherubim and seraphim, sing in endless praise.</b>	
	Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, <b>heaven and earth are full of your glory.</b>	
	Sing praise to God, who reigns above, <b>the God of all creation.</b>	
<b>* Hymn #61</b>	<i>Come, Thou Almighty King</i>	ITALIAN HYMN
<b>* Affirmation of Faith #881</b>	<i>The Apostles' Creed</i>	Lyn Worf
<b>* Gloria Patri #71</b>	<i>Glory Be to The Father</i>	GREATOREX
<b>Time of Greeting</b>		Lyn Worf
	<i>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.</i>	
<b>Pastoral Prayer &amp; The Lord's Prayer</b>		Michael Brown
<b>Anthem</b>	<i>The Majesty and Glory of Your Name</i>	Fettke
<b>Sharing of Our Tithes and Offerings</b>		Michael Brown
<b>Offertory</b>	<i>Take My Hand, Precious Lord</i>	Thomas Dorsey
<b>* Doxology #95</b>	<i>Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow</i>	OLD 100th
<b>Hymn #64</b>	<i>Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty</i>	NICAEA
<b>Scripture</b>	II Corinthians 13:11-13 (RSV)	Michael Brown
<b>Message</b>	<i>"God's Identities"</i>	Michael Brown
<b>* Hymn #79</b>	<i>Holy God, We Praise Thy Name (verses 1-4)</i>	GROSSER GOTT
<b>* Benediction</b>		Michael Brown
<b>* Benediction Response</b>	<i>Peace I Leave with You</i>	Mendelssohn
<b>* Chiming of the Trinity</b>		
<b>* Postlude</b>	<i>Postlude in A Major</i>	Friedrich Zachau
	<i>*Please stand in body or in spirit</i>	

### WORSHIP LEADERS

Senior Pastor: Dr. Michael B. Brown

Liturgists: Lyn Worf

Interim Traditional Worship Arts Director: Christin Barnhardt

Organist/Accompanist: Mike Hendrix

**Modern Worship**  
**Sunday, May 19, 2024**  
**9:00am**

—Opening Praise Song—  
*River Of Life*

— Welcome and Call to Worship —

— Praise Songs —  
*Forgiven*

*Trust in God*

— Tabor KIDS Dismissal—

— Congregational & Offertory Prayer —

— Offertory —  
*Make Room*  
*(Community Music)*

— Scripture —  
II Corinthians 13:11-13 (RSV)

— Message —  
**“God’s Identities”**

—Closing Song—  
*Reckless Love*

— Announcements & Sending Forth —

**Worship Leaders**

Senior Pastor: Dr. Michael Brown  
Modern Worship Coordinator: Jim Annas  
Worship Host: Billie Mason  
Prayer Leader: Will Busch

## 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](http://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](mailto: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](http://www.mttaborumc.org) for more info.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Submit announcement info at least two weeks in advance to [charity.goff@mttaborumc.org](mailto: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.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 and GO FAITHFULLY

- \* **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 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](mailto: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](http://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](http://bit.ly/mtumcvbs24) for more information and to sign up!
- \* **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](http://mttaborumcpreschool.org). Children rising 1<sup>st</sup> grade through completed 1<sup>st</sup> grade should register here: [bit.ly/mtumcart24](http://bit.ly/mtumcart24) Space is limited so sign up now!
- \* **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](http://mttaborumc.org/growthguide)
- \* **Mount Tabor UMC is continuing to seek a Director of Traditional Worship Arts.** The role of the Director is designed to implement the mission of Mount Tabor United Methodist Church, by crossing musical boundaries, engaging with the entire church and reaching out to the community with comprehensive worship arts, consistent with helping all persons grow in their faith. This is achieved by the oversight, direction and coordination of the Traditional service worship arts ministries and activities. This is a full time 35 hour per week salaried position and reports to the Senior Pastor. **APPLICATION PROCESS AND PROCEDURES** -- Full job description, details for posting and a Mount Tabor Job Application are located at: [www.mttaborumc.org/employment-opportunities](http://www.mttaborumc.org/employment-opportunities). The job application can be downloaded, completed, and saved as an attachment for email. A copy of your resume is also required. Email attachments should include first and last name in any file name you create. Email Application Package (completed application and resume) to: [jobs@mttaborumc.org](mailto:jobs@mttaborumc.org). Application Packages are now being accepted and the posting will remain open until the job is filled.

**Please be aware that unknown persons are trying to scam Mount Tabor UMC staff and congregants.** These attempts are impersonating Pastor Michael 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, May 26, 2024**

- 9:00 AM Modern Worship Service — Alspaugh Worship Center
- 10:00 AM Adult, Children, Tween, and Youth Sunday School
- 11:00 AM Traditional Worship Service — Sanctuary
- 4:00 PM Liturgical Dance Practice — Alspaugh Worship Center

**Monday, May 27, 2024**

- Church Office Closed - Memorial Day
- 8:00 AM Bulletin & In The Know Submission Deadline
- 12:00 PM Nar-Anon Family Support Group — Rm 108
- 7:00 PM Women's Alcoholics Anonymous — Rm 102

**Tuesday, May 28, 2024**

- 9:00 AM Worship Planning Meeting — Rm 207
- 11:00 AM TaborWOMEN Circle 7 Meeting — Fellowship Hall
- 12:00 PM Band of Brothers Foothills @ 4th Street

**Wednesday, May 29, 2024**

- 6:50 AM Fusion Youth Prayer Breakfast — Bagel Station
- 6:45 PM Adult Volleyball Game — Family Life Center
- 7:00 PM MTUMC Delivers to Bethesda Center

**Thursday, May 30, 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
- 7:00 PM Choir Rehearsal — Music/Choir Room

**Friday, May 31, 2024**

- 9:00 AM Koinonia Class Meeting — Fellowship Hall

**Saturday, June 1, 2024**

- 9:00 AM Pickle Ball — Family Life Center
- 6:30 PM Dinner for Graduates — Fellowship Hall

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**Our Response to God's Grace...**

BUDGET PLEDGES  
 FOR 2024  
 as of April 30, 2024

# Pledges: 204  
 for Pledge Total of  
 \$986,294

**May 19, 2024 ATTENDANCE**

Online Worship 170  
 In-person Worship 443

**May 12, 2024 GIVING**

Budget Needs Each Week **\$31,382.00**

**Budget Gifts \$20,650.00**

Memorials/Honorarium \$150.00

Burton Memorial Golf \$5,990.00

Building Fund \$150.00

Mother's Day Offering \$100.00

**Other \$5,023.82**

**Total \$32,163.82**

**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





**ART CAMP**  
 JUNE 24-27 9 AM - NOON  
 \$125/CHILD  
 OPEN TO CHILDREN WHO HAVE COMPLETED KINDERGARTEN - COMPLETED 5TH GRADE  
 FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER, VISIT [BIT.LY/MTUMCART24](https://bit.ly/mtumcart24)

START THE PARTY THIS  
**SUMMER**  
 AT MOUNT TABOR!

**ART CAMP**  
 JUNE 27 9 AM - NOON

**VBS**  
 JULY 22-25 6-8PM

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