

# THE WORSHIP OF GOD

*Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

June 26, 2022  
Ten O'clock in the Morning

Memorial Baptist Church  
Buies Creek, North Carolina

Love yourself last: look near, and see your duty  
To those who walk beside you down life's road;  
Make glad their days by little acts of beauty,  
And help them bear the burden of earth's load.

Love yourself last: look far, and find those strangers  
To heights where they may see the world is fair.

~ Ella Wheeler Wilcox (ad.),  
American poet (1850-1919)

## GATHERING

### MUSIC FOR GATHERING

PRELUDE *Be Thou My Vision* arr. Douglas E. Wagner  
Anne McClain, *Organ*

WELCOME and INVOCATION Meredith Lanier Craddock, *Associate Pastor*  
*Ad. fr. Richard Baxter (1615-1691)*

Almighty, eternal and most gracious God:  
Heaven is your throne and earth is your footstool.  
Holy is your name, praised by angels in heaven and by your church on earth.  
Despite our unworthiness, you have invited us to present ourselves  
and our prayers to you.  
Receive us graciously, and help us to stand in awe in your presence.  
Make us earnest in prayer and joyful in praise.  
Let your word come to us in power, and help us to receive it with attentive minds  
and teachable hearts.  
Allow us to taste the flavor of eternal life, and to serve you without distraction.  
May we find that a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere,  
and that it is good for us to come near to God.  
Through Jesus Christ our Lord and Savior we pray, **Amen.**

† HYMN OF PRAISE 32 *Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven* LAUDA ANIMA  
stanzas 1, 3 and 4

CONFESSION and ASSURANCE Edward Beddingfield, *Pastor*

And now Almighty God will have mercy on us,  
will forgive our sins through the Lord Jesus Christ,  
will strengthen us in all goodness,  
and by the power of the Holy Spirit will keep us in eternal life. **Amen.**

## PROCLAIMING

PSALTER (*responsively*) Psalm 77: 11-20 Ainsley Blasius, *Ministry Intern*  
I will call to mind the deeds of the Lord; I will remember your wonders of old.  
**I will meditate on all your work, and think on your mighty deeds.**

Your way, O God, is holy.

**What other god is as great as our God?**

You are the God who works wonders,  
displaying your might among the peoples.

**With your strong arm you redeemed your people,  
the descendants of Jacob and Joseph.**

When the waters saw you, O God – when the waters saw you –  
they were afraid; the sea itself trembled.

**The clouds poured out water, and the skies thundered.**

Your arrows flashed on every side; the crash of your thunder was in the whirlwind.

**Your lightnings lit up the world; even the earth trembled and shook.**

Your way was through the sea, your path through the mighty waters;  
yet your footprints were unseen.

**You led your people out like a flock, by the hand of Moses and Aaron.**

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† ANTIPHON *God of Wonders* Byrd/Hindalong

Lord of all creation, of water earth and sky;  
The heavens are Your tabernacle. Glory to the Lord on high!

*Chorus*

God of wonders beyond our galaxy,  
You are holy, holy.

The universe declares Your majesty,  
You are holy, holy.

*(Repeat)*

Lord of heaven and earth,  
Lord of heaven and earth.  
Lord of heaven and earth,  
Lord of heaven and earth.

CHILDREN'S TIME Mrs. Craddock

*Children may meet Mrs. Meredith at the pulpit steps  
and then return to their seats afterwards.*

GOSPEL Luke 9: 51-61 Mrs. Craddock

"Lord, do you want us to call down fire from heaven  
and consume them?" But he turned and rebuked them.

SERMON *You Go, Jesus!* Mr. Beddingfield

## RESPONDING

SONG OF RESPONSE *Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing* arr. Mark Hayes  
Joseph Conner, baritone

INVITATION and OFFERTORY *Consecrated, Lord, to Thee* Douglas E. Wagner

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and The Lord's Prayer (*unison*) Mr. Beddingfield

## SENDING

LIFE IN THE COMMUNITY Mr. Beddingfield

† HYMN OF SENDING FORTH 385 MCKEE  
*In Christ There is No East or West*  
stanzas 1, 3 and 4

† BENEDICTION *Ad. fr. John Claypool* Mr. Beddingfield

POSTLUDE *Ode to Joy* Ludwig Van Beethoven

† *The congregation is invited to stand.*

## PRAYER FOR OUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS:

**Members:** Greg McClain, Debbie Appel, Tammy Pentony, Ofelia Hoyle, David Price, Carolyn Walker, Bob and Jeanne Barker, Linda Smith, Mary Lou Ellen, Pauline Calloway

**Family and Friends:** Bonnie Jo Temple (*mother of Anne Price*), Pat Godwin (*mother of Chad Godwin*), David Meiburg (*brother of Kathy Whatley*), L.M. Dixon (*brother of Theresa Batten*), Christopher Hoyle (*son of Ofelia Hoyle*), Beth Johnson, Adriane Karlinski and family (*daughter of Randall Johnson*)

**Brunswick Health and Rehab Center (Ash, NC):** Pat Stiller

**Oak Hill Assisted Living Center (Angier, NC):** Frances McQuade

*In order to keep our prayer list current, we will place names on the list for one month. After one month we will remove names from the list. If there is a need for a name to be on the list for a longer period, please notify us and we will be happy to comply.*

**Deacons for June:** Adam English and Harriet Enzor

**Deacons for July:** Gail Cogdill and Tom Spainhour

**Ushers Today:** Nancy Brady, Bob Cisneros, Barrett Kesling and Miles West

**Ushers for July 3:** Al Hardison, Randall Johnson, Susan Johnson and Linda Lunney

*NO Children's Sunday School Today*

TODAY, June 26<sup>th</sup>

Friends Class - Sunday School: 8:45 a.m. (In Person & Online)

Sarah's Open Door Class - Sunday School: 9:00 a.m. (In Person & Online)

Worship Service: 10:00 a.m. (Sanctuary)

\*No Children's Sunday School

Youth - Sunday School: 11:00 a.m. (Fellowship Hall)

WEDNESDAY, June 29<sup>th</sup>

15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Cookout for Phillip and Susan Morrow: 5:30 p.m.

\*\*Please make sure you RSVP\*\*

Summer Choir Rehearsal III: 7:00 p.m. (Sanctuary)

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4 Church Office Closed for Holiday

6 Coffee & Conversation - Coffee Break with Meredith:

3:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. (Creek Coffee)

\* No Wednesday Night Activities

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11 Deacon's Meeting: 7:00 p.m. (Zoom)

APPALACHIAN CHRISTMAS BACKPACKS

We have 24 backpacks to fill by Christmas, so we would like to collect items each month to fill the bags.

For the month of June, we are collecting Full Sized Toothpaste AND 'Fun Items' (substitution for a toy) for the oldest age group (15-17 year old's).

'Fun Item' examples are --

for boys: flashlight, small thermos, light blanket, earbuds, small tool kit, fishing gear, books, hunting/fishing/sports magazines; for girls: jewelry, books, earbuds, skin care products, small travel sized hair dryer, hair accessories, etc.

Please deliver to the church office during the week or place in the basket in the narthex on Sunday mornings.

Memorial Baptist Church presents:

**VBS 2022**  
**Guardians of the Globe: Kids 4 Creation!**  
**August 5 - 7**



Friday, August 5<sup>th</sup>: 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.  
 Saturday, August 6<sup>th</sup>: 10 a.m. - 3 p.m.  
 Sunday, August 7<sup>th</sup>: 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

**CHURCH MISSION PROJECTS**

- **Clothes Closet:** Next date TBA
- **Harnett Food Pantry:** collecting - non-perishable foods and egg cartons Needed for June -- canned fruit / fruit cocktail  
*You may also make a monetary donation to Memorial Baptist Church and put 'Food Pantry' on the memo line.*
- **Uvalde, TX Tragedy:** to contribute financially to help with medical and burial expenses in Uvalde, TX, place your gift in an offering envelope and label it **Uvalde, TX**. If you plan to write a check, make it payable to MBC and write **Uvalde, TX** on the memo line.

Our summer Sunday School series covers different women in the Bible. Below is the schedule for this series:

**CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**

TODAY - Children's sermon (NO Children's Sunday School)  
 July 3 - Rebekah & Isaac (Genesis 24)  
 July 10 - Mary & Martha (Luke 10)  
 July 17 - Shiphrah & Puah; Jochabed & Miriam (Exodus 1-2)  
 July 24 - The Widow's Mites (Luke 21)  
 July 31 - Children's sermon (NO Children's Sunday School)  
 August 7 - Deborah (Judges 4-5)  
 August 14 - Lydia (Acts 16)  
 August 21 - Hannah & Samuel (1 Samuel 1)  
 August 28 - Children's sermon (NO Children's Sunday School)  
 Sept. 4 - Priscilla & Aquila (Acts 18)  
 Sept. 11 - Jehosheba (2 Kings 11)



MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

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Memorial Baptist Church is an inviting, inclusive, Christ-centered community of faith open to all persons who want to walk with us in following the way of Jesus. If you mourn and need comfort; if you're weary and need rest; if you feel friendless and need friendship; if you need a Savior; if you need love; if you need help; whoever you are and whatever your circumstances, we open the door and in the name of Jesus bid you come.

The Rev. Edward Beddingfield, Pastor  
Meredith Lanier Craddock, Associate Pastor  
Dr. Phillip and Susan Morrow, Ministers of Music  
Anne McClain, Organist  
Mariamarta Conrad, Worship Assistant  
Ainsley Blasius, Ministry Intern  
Ashley Nelson, Administrative Assistant  
Wayne Smith, Custodian