

## **WUMC Weekly Update: July 10, 2024**

### **1. Worship**

What does it mean to Open Your Heart in Strength and In Weakness? The Apostle Paul has a lesson for all of us. You can watch our service on [Facebook](#) or [YouTube](#), and you can also read the attached sermon. Be aware - the sound does not work at the beginning of the video but will come on at about the five minute mark.

Next week we begin a new series based on the life of King David. Each week we will look at how David lived a life of Worship with Rejoicing. Join us...bring a friend!

### **2. Bible Study**

Tonight at 5:30pm (Wednesday, July 10) is the last night of our study on the book of Revelation. If you were unable to attend but want to know more about this beautiful book of hope (Please be assured it is not a book about gloom, doom, and end of the world) then you might want to check out [Revelation for Today by James M Efirm](#).

No Bible study for the July 17 and July 24.

### **3. Viewing of *God and Country* on Wednesday, July 31, 2024 at 5:30**

God and Country is a 2024 documentary discussing the rise in Christian nationalism and the dangers of the politicization of Christianity. The film lasts 1.5 hours and we will follow with a facilitated discussion afterward.

### **4. Coffee with Karen meets at Anchor Coffee on Tuesdays at 10 a.m.**

**5. The Celebration of Life Service for Richard Ayers is available for viewing on our [Facebook](#) page or on [Youtube](#).**

### **6. UWFAITH Fun Day at Paradise Family Farms – POSTPONED**

Due to the extreme heat, it's been decided to postpone the upcoming Fun Day planned for July 23<sup>rd</sup> at Paradise Farms to later in the year. More info to come once a new date has been scheduled.

7. **Don't Get Scammed Event – July 19<sup>th</sup> from 10 – 11am at Wilkes Senior Center.**  
Free and open to the public for anyone 55+.

**DON'T GET SCAMMED!**  
**A SESSION FOR ANYONE 55+ • FREE EVENT • OPEN TO PUBLIC!**  
**July 19**  
**10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.**  
**Wilkes Senior Center**  
228 Fairplains School Road  
North Wilkesboro

You've probably heard of **HACKERS, SCAMMERS,** and **PHISHING ATTEMPTS.**

Do you ever worry about how safe your identity and financial information are when you are using the internet? If so, you should **ATTEND THIS SESSION!**

This session is designed to help you recognize the warning signs and safely navigate the internet to keep your identity and financial information safe.

Illustration: A person is being scammed, with a large smartphone showing "You got \$100,000" and a person in a white shirt holding a green check. In the background, a woman is looking at a smartphone with a warning icon, and a laptop screen shows a phishing attempt.

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8. **Make plans now to join the Friday Night Foodies this Friday at 5pm at Cagney's.**

9. **Coffee with Karen meets each Tuesday at 10am at Anchor Coffee.**

10. **Important Dates to Remember:**

Join us Sunday for worship at 10am & Sunday school in the Ecclesia Room at 11am.

11. **Prayer List** - Please let us know if you have any changes, additions or updates for the Prayer List.

**The Family and Friends of Richard Ayers, Ed Crowell & Ginger Calhoun** (Wife to Rev. David Calhoun)

Susan Conway, Jim Day, Charles Drum, **Hal Emery**, Kyson Farley, **Michelle Gossett**, Billy & Kay Hayes, Francois Hughes, Greg Luck, Kent & Brenda Lunsford, Sherry Mabry, **Lisa Miller**, Glenda Pierce, Mary Summerford, Keith Summerford, Herb Taylor, **Dylan Walker**, Seth Wilson, Gary York, Ukraine, our planet in crisis, the US, Israel, Gaza and Middle East, for God to bring Peace to all World Leaders.

**NURSING FACILITIES:** Betty Beshears (Pruitt Health – Hospice Care), Brenda Dale (Wilkes Health and Rehab), Bobbi Blake (Rose Glen Village), Wanda Garwood (Rose Glen Village), Barbara Groce (Wilkes Health & Rehab), Jenny Miller (Westwood Hills Nursing and Rehab Facility), Caroline Randolph (The Pines in Davidson), Rosie Shephard (Rose Glen Manor) and Richard Ayers (Ridge Valley).

Blessings,  
Dottie