# Mount Tabor

UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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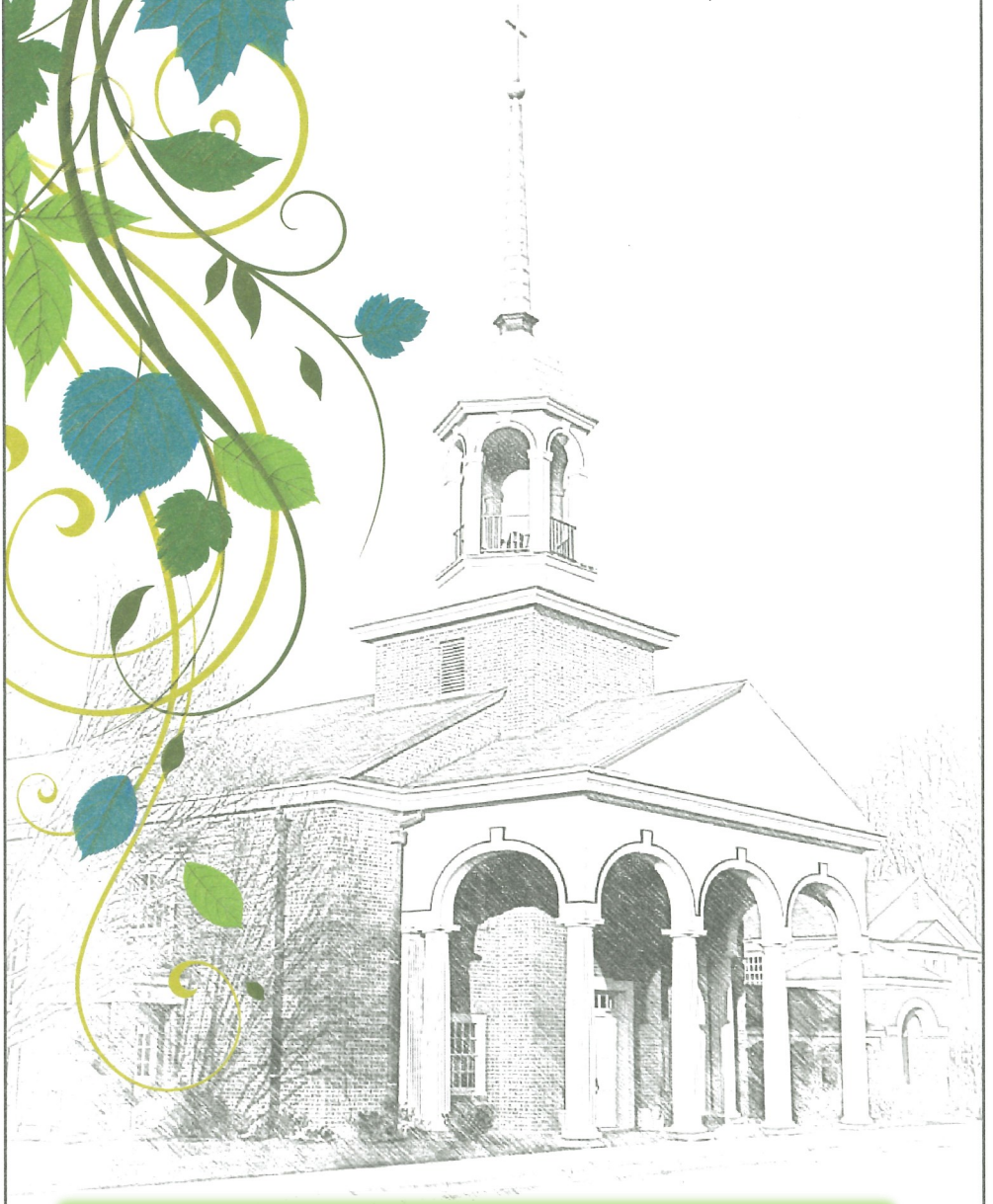

# Head of the Body

## NOVEMBER 13

**November 13, 2022**

336-765-5561 • 3543 ROBINHOOD ROAD • WINSTON-SALEM NC 27106 • www.mttaborumc.org

*located in the Yadkin Valley District of the United Methodist Western North Carolina Conference*

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

# Traditional Order of Worship

**Sunday, November 13, 2022 • 11 a.m. • Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost**

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

• **Prelude** *For Spacious Skies* arr. Roy Peery

• **Welcome** Pastor Lonnie

• **Introit** *Fanfare Flourish* Ron Mallory
**B**elievers who **E**xpect to **L**ive and **L**ove **S**elflessly

❑ **Call to Worship** James Campbell
Come and worship, people of God!
**Let us celebrate with songs of praise!**
For our God—the Most High—is seated on his holy throne.
**For our God—the Most High—is sovereign over all the earth!**
Let us worship our God.
**Let us worship our God together!**

❑ **Hymn** #64 *Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty* (all verses) NICAEA

❑ **Affirmation of Faith** #881 "The Apostles' Creed" James Campbell

❑ **Gloria Patri** #71 *Glory Be to the Father* GREATOREX

❑ **Time of Greeting** Pastor Lonnie
*Children (3 years old–5th graders) may leave to participate in TaborKIDS Worship today. Parents will pick them up in the Children's Building immediately following the service.*

• **Congregational Prayer & The Lord's Prayer** Susan Miller

• **Anthem** *Fantasy on "Immortal, Invisible"* arr. Douglas Floyd Smith
B.E.L.L.S.; Tim Papenbrock, *horn*

• **Sharing of Our Tithes and Offerings** Pastor Lonnie

• **Offertory** *Grand March* Kevin McChesney
B.E.L.L.S.; Tim Papenbrock, *horn*

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

❑ **Hymn** #189 *Fairest Lord Jesus* (all verses) ST. ELIZABETH

• **Prayer of Illumination** James Campbell
**Lord Jesus Christ, you are the light of the world.**
**Fill our minds with your peace and our hearts with your love. Amen.**

• **Scripture** Colossians 1:15-18; Ephesians 1:22-23 NIV James Campbell

*from the four-week worship series* "The Greatest of All Time (G.O.A.T.)"

• **Message** "Head of the Body" Pastor Lonnie

❑ **Hymn** #545 *The Church's One Foundation* (verses 1, 2, 4, 5) AURELIA

• **Benediction** Pastor Lonnie

• **Response** *May the Peace of God Go with You* Hopson

• **Chiming of the Trinity**

• **Postlude** Service Songs of U.S. Armed Forces

❑ *Please stand in body or in spirit*

**WORSHIP LEADERS**

*Senior Pastor & Message:* Rev. Lonnie Pittman
*Liturgists:* James Campbell and Susan Miller
*Acolytes*: Preston Pittman and Emersyn Levi
*Traditional Worship Arts Director:* Charli Mills
*Organist/Accompanist:* Mike Hendrix
*Guest Instrumentalist:* Tim Papenbrock, *horn*

# WORSHIP SCRIPTURE

**Sunday, November 13, 2022 • Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost**

*from the four-week worship series* "The Greatest of All Time (G.O.A.T.)"

## "Head of the Body"

*following*

### Colossians 1:15-18 NIV

15 The Son is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation.
16 For in him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible
and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things
have been created through him and for him. 17 He is before all things, and in
him all things hold together. 18 **And he is the head of the body, the church;
he is the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead, so that in eve-
rything he might have the supremacy.**

### Ephesians 1:22-23 NIV

22 And God placed all things under his feet and appointed him to be head
over everything for the church, 23 which is his body, the fullness of him who
fills everything in every way.

*Notes:*

*see the bulletin announcements for more details on these and other events*

LAST DAY!

## 2022 POINSETTIA ORDER FORM

**to be used during worship Dec. 18, 2022 & Christmas Eve**

Red, White or Red/White Variegated petals in 6" pots, wrapped with bow, **$15 ea.**

*Orders as well as payment must be received in the church's Financial Office by **noon, Sunday, Nov. 13, 2022***

*Please Print*

**In Memory of:** *circle 1 color choice below*

_____ **Red / White / Variegated**

_____ **Red / White / Variegated**

**In Honor of:**

_____ **Red / White / Variegated**

_____ **Red / White / Variegated**

**Given by:** _____

**Phone:** _____

**to be placed in** ❑ **Alspaugh Worship Center or** ❑ **Sanctuary**

**Number ordered** _____ **(X $15 each) = amount TOTAL $**_____

*Choose one:* ❑ **cash enclosed**

❑ **check #** _____ **enclosed**

❑ **paid online at www.mtttaborumc.org/give selecting "Special Contribution Fund" with the memo "Poinsettia" and emailed receipt copy is enclosed**

*Please make checks to Mount Tabor UMC, designated "Poinsettias."*

**Mount Tabor UMC, 3543 Robinhood Rd., Winston-Salem, NC 27106**

You may pick up your plant(s) following the Christmas Eve service.

# Higher Ground Order of Worship

**Sunday, November 13, 2022 • 9 a.m. • Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost**

*from the four-week worship series* "The Greatest of All Time (G.O.A.T.)"
**"Head of the Body"**

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| **Welcome & Announcements** | | Pastor Lonnie / Kim Harvey |
| **Video Clip** | "A Tribute for Veterans" | |
| **Recognition & Prayer for Veterans** | | Pastor Lonnie |
| **Sing-along** | *In Me* (Rebecca St. James) | |
| **Scripture** | Ephesians 1:22-23 NIV | Kim Harvey |
| **Prayer** | | |
| **Receiving Gifts** | *Holy Spirit* (Keith & Kristyn Getty) | |
| **Scripture & Message** | Colossians 1:15-18 NIV | Rev. Andy Lambert |
| **Sing-along** | *Build My Life* (Passion) | |
| **Sending Forth** | | Rev. Andy Lambert |
| **Closing** | *My Country 'Tis of Thee* (Samuel Francis Smith) | |

**Go in Peace**

**Worship Leaders**
*Senior Pastor:* Rev. Lonnie Pittman
*Guest Pastor & Message:* Rev. Andy Lambert
*Service Builder*: Kim Harvey
*Band Leader:* Amy Spencer
*Keyboardist:* Jo Daniels

# Ignite Worship

**Sunday, November 13, 2022 • 11 a.m. • Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost**

*from the four-week worship series* "The Greatest of All Time (G.O.A.T.)"
**"Head of the Body"**

**Scripture**
Colossians 1:15-18; Ephesians 1:22-23 NIV

**Songs**
*This I Know* by Crowder
*Open Up the Heavens* by Meredith Andrews
*Mighty to Save* by Hillsong
*Are You Washed in the Blood (I'll Fly Away)* by Alan Jackson and Johnny Cash
*How He Loves* by Crowder

**Worship Leaders**
*Guest Pastor & Message:* Rev. Andy Lambert
*Worship Coordinator:* Jim Annas

## Welcome to Mount Tabor

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 texting Alicia Bowman at **336-244-3049.**

## 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 Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-noon** and **Monday-Thursday, 1-4 p.m.** See the church website at **www.mttaborumc.org** for more info.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Submit announcement info at least two weeks in advance to* libby.craven@mttaborumc.org

### *GATHER JOYFULLY*

**WORSHIP AT MTUMC** on Sundays at:

***Higher Ground contemporary, 9 a.m.,** in the Alspaugh Worship Center.

***Ignite contemporary, 11 a.m.,** in the Alspaugh Worship Center.

***Traditional, 11 a.m.,** in the Sanctuary.

Both 11 a.m. services are also available via **Facebook Live** and **https://www.YouTube.com/MountTaborUMCVideoStreaming.**

**A SPECIAL THANKSGIVING SERVICE** will be observed on **Sunday, Nov. 20, 5:30 p.m.** in the Alspaugh Worship Center. You won't want to miss this opportunity to thank God for his abundant blessings before partaking of the annual Thanksgiving Potluck dinner with your church family.

### *GROW SPIRITUALLY*

**WEDNESDAY WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY** offers "Acts: A Study of the Early Church" on **Wednesdays through Nov. 16, 9:30 a.m.** in person in the Fellowship Hall and also via Zoom. This study looks at how believers were empowered by the Holy Spirit to spread the good news of Jesus Christ and establish the church. Contact Kim Harvey (kim.harvey@mttaborumc.org) for the link. Nothing to purchase; just bring a Bible.

**TABOR TABLE (FELLOWSHIP DINNER)** is set for **Wednesday, Nov. 16, 5:15-6:30 p.m.** in the Family Life Center with reservations made either at **https://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. For those living in same home, **family max is $25**. Menu for Nov. 16 is your choice of chicken pie (with or without veggies) or roasted chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, roll, salad bar, drink and dessert. Kid's option is chicken nuggets. *(Tabor Table **will not be served Nov. 23 or 30**.)*

**PLEASE NOTE PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY** has paused meeting on **Wednesday nights**. Stay tuned for the class to resume after the first of the year.

**ADVENT KITS FOR FAMILIES** will be available beginning **Sunday, Nov. 20** in the Trinity Welcome Center and Children's Building lobby. Be sure to pick-up one for your family. For more info, contact Children's Ministries Director Marcey Davis (marcey.davis@mttaborumc.org).

**COFFEE WITH PASTOR LONNIE** meets **Sunday, Nov. 20, 10-10:45 a.m.** in the Senior Pastor Office (Room 201). For anyone considering joining Mount Tabor, Pastor Lonnie will share the church's mission to "Gather, Grow, Go" to help you discern if MTUMC might be the church for you. Contact Spiritual Growth and Community Engagement Coordinator Gray Handwerk (gray.handwerk@mttaborumc.org).

**TABORTWEENS** will gather **Sunday, Nov. 20, 3:30-5 p.m.** in the Children's Building for fun, fellowship and a mission activity. For more info, contact Children's Ministries Director Marcey Davis (marcey.davis@mttaborumc.org).

**THANKSGIVING POTLUCK DINNER** will be **Sunday, Nov. 20** following the 5:30 p.m. worship service. Last names starting with **A-R are asked to bring a salad or vegetable dish**. Last names **S-Z are asked to bring a dessert**. Please consider bringing dishes with at least 10 regular size servings. **Food drop off will be 5-5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.** Following the 5:30 p.m. worship service in the Alspaugh Worship Center, the meal will be served in the Family Life Center.

**TABOR TROUPERS** for active seniors age 55 and older will meet **Monday, Nov. 21, 11:30**

**a.m.** in the Fellowship Hall for fellowship, sharing a devotion, enjoying a $6 per person lunch of ham, potato salad, slaw and congealed salad and to play "Name That Theme Song." Register in your Sunday School class or Trinity Welcome Center.

**MOMS FELLOWSHIP** meets the **first Thursday of each month (Dec. 1), 9:15-10:45 a.m.** in the Fellowship Hall as a time for mothers of young children to gather for coffee, prayer, a short devotion with discussion, and fellowship. Childcare is provided with pre-registration at **https://mttaborumc.churchcenter.com/registrations/events/1448292**. A donation of $5 per child is appreciated and can be paid on the day of the meeting or when registering. Contact Sandy Hauser (sandylhauser@gmail.com) with questions.

**MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT GROUP** meets at Mount Tabor on **Thursday, Dec. 1, 6-8 p.m.** in classroom 306, in-person and via Zoom. As a support group rather than a therapy group, the first hour of the meeting focus is for friends of people with mental health challenges. At 7 p.m., the support focus is for people with mental health challenges. Meetings continue to be held every other Thursday, 6-8 p.m. in the same location following the same format. If you have questions or want to be added to the email list, call Lloyd Eichorn (336-409-8912).

**NEWCOMERS CONNECTION CLASS** meets **Sunday, Dec. 11, 10 a.m.** in the Trinity Welcome Center. Meet new people and learn how to get connected in becoming part of Mount Tabor's mission to "Gather, Grow, Go" with Spiritual Growth and Community Engagement Coordinator Gray Handwerk (gray.handwerk@mttaborumc.org).

## *GO FAITHFULLY*

**VOLUNTEERS AND SHOPPERS ARE NEEDED** to help with the **Angel Tree preparation and gift organization** this year to benefit the under-resourced children served by five agencies in Winston-Salem. Go to **mttaborumc.org/angel-tree** for ways to volunteer. The "Angels" on the Angel Tree are available to be chosen **beginning TODAY, Sunday, Nov. 13** in the Trinity Welcome Center. "Angels" from Little Red Schoolhouse and Hispanic Ministries are available at **mttaborumc.org/angel-tree** online.

**THE CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS EVE NATIVITY** is in **need of seamstresses and fabric** for child-size shepherd costumes. Preferred fabric is in earth tones of browns and greens with small or simple patterns and suitable for light weight costumes. If you can sew a simple tunic and are willing to help or willing to donate fabric, contact Children's Ministries Director Marcey Davis (marcey.davis@mttaborumc.org).

**DEWEY'S BAKERY SALE FUNDRAISER** by the **Mount Tabor UMC Weekday Preschool** allows you to buy all your Dewey's Bakery items for the holidays while supporting the preschool ministry. Avoid the long lines in the store by placing your order at **https://bit.ly/mtpsdeweys2022** online, **Nov. 21-Dec. 6** and pay for the items. Pick up will begin Thursday, Dec. 15 from the Preschool Office in the Children's Building.

**CRISIS CONTROL HOLIDAY HONOR CARDS** will be available for purchase at the church beginning **Sunday, Nov. 27**. See the *November Tabor Talk* newsletter for more info.

**MTUMC QUARTERLY CHURCH COUNCIL** will meet *(NEW DATE)* **Wednesday, Nov. 30, 6:30 p.m.** in the Fellowship Hall.

**Submit updates** for your church record at **https://tinyurl.com/ycsom229**
— Shop at **AMAZON SMILE** @ **https://smile.amazon.com/ch/20-4072222** —

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## 2022 DONATION DEADLINES AT MTUMC

| DONATION TYPE | DEADLINE |
|---|---|
| Cash *or* Check | deliver to church office* no later than 2 p.m., Friday, Dec. 30, 2022;<br>*or* deliver to small, black lock box (outside, left side of Offices Entrance) no later than 11:59 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 31, 2022;<br>*or* by USPS mail, post-mark cancelled no later than Dec.31, 2022 |
| Electronic Giving *(debit, credit or bank transfer)* | Complete online no later than 11:59 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 31, 2022 |
| 2022 IRA Contribution | Complete online no later than 11:59 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 31, 2022 |
| Stock Gift | Shares must be deposited in the Mount Tabor UMC brokerage account and you must send an email to Charissa.Loftin@MtTaborUMC.org no later than 5 p.m., Tuesday, December 27, 2022 |

**The last week of December, the MTUMC office will be open Dec. 27-30, 2022 each day, 10 a.m.– 2 p.m. only.*

## — Mount Tabor at a Glance —

*Real-time calendar is available at* **TinyUrl.com/MTUMC-calendar**

**Sunday, November 13**

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| GROW | 8:45A | TaborTOTS Nursery & Mother's Room - Children's Building |
| GATHER | 9:00A | Higher Ground Worship - Alspaugh Worship Center |
| GROW | 10:00A | Newcomers Connection - Alspaugh Worship Center |
| GROW | 10:00A | TaborKIDS & TaborTWEENS Sunday School - Children's Bldg |
| GROW | 10:00A | Youth Sunday School - Youth Area Room 118 |
| GROW | 10:00A | Adult Sunday School - *see* **www.mttaborumc.org/sunday-morning-classes** |
| GATHER | 11:00A | Ignite Worship - Alspaugh Worship Center |
| GATHER | 11:00A | Traditional Worship - Sanctuary |
| GO | 12:15P | Annual Charge Conference - Fellowship Hall |
| GROW | 3:00P | Youth Fall Retreat Return - Upper Parking Lot |

**Monday, November 14**

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| GROW | 8:00A | Devotion w/Pastor Lonnie - Facebook: *Mount Tabor United Methodist Church* |
| GROW | 6:00P | BSA Male Troop 934 - Alspaugh Worship Center, Youth Area Rooms 113-122 |
| GROW | 7:00P | Men's Basketball - Family Life Center (contact *jsarfert@gmail.com* to play) |
| GROW | 7:00P | Women's Alcoholics Anonymous - Room 102 |

**Tuesday, November 15**

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| GROW | 12:00P | Band of Brothers - Foothills on 4th Street (*brad.wood@wbd-us.com*) |
| GROW | 6:00P | A Church for All People Ministry Meeting - via Zoom |
| GROW | 6:30P | Bohlmann Small Group - Bohlmann Home |
| GROW | 6:30P | DivorceCare Support Group - Parlor |
| GROW | 7:00P | Cub Scout Co-ed Pack 934 Den Meetings - Youth Area Rooms 113-122 |
| GROW | 7:00P | Stewardship Committee Meeting - Main Level Conference Room 207 |
| GROW | 7:00P | Tabor Women Circle 5 - Fellowship Hall |
| GROW | 8:00P | Alcoholics Anonymous - Room 102 |

**Wednesday, November 16**

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| GROW | 6:50A | High School Prayer Breakfast - Chick-fil-A Haven Road |
| GROW | 9:30A | Wednesday Women's Bible Study - Fellowship Hall and via Zoom |
| GROW | 12:00P | Growing Spiritual with Gray - Facebook: *Mount Tabor United Methodist Church* |
| GROW | 3:30P | GriefShare Support Group - Room 101 |
| GROW | 5:15P | Tabor Table - Family Life Center |
| GROW | 5:15P | Youth Hang Out with Will - Family Life Center |
| GROW | 6:00P | TaborKIDS Activities - Children's Building |
| GROW | 6:30P | Higher Ground Band Rehearsal - Alspaugh Worship Center |
| GO | 7:00P | MTUMC Feeds the Homeless - Bethesda Center |

**Thursday, November 17**

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| GROW | 7:30A | Band of Brothers - Room 306 and via Zoom (contact *jimgraham11@hotmail.com*) |
| GO | 8:00A | BSA Popcorn Delivery/Sort/Pickup - Fellowship Hall |
| GROW | 6:00P | B.E.L.L.S. Rehearsal - Music/Choir Room |
| GROW | 7:00P | BSA Female Troop 964 Meeting - Youth Commons, Rooms 121-122 |
| GROW | 7:00P | Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary |

**Friday, November 18**

**Saturday, November 19**

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| GROW | 9:00A | Pickleball - Family Life Center (contact *gowens406@gmail.com* to play) |
| GROW | 10:00A | Ignite Band Practice - Alspaugh Worship Center |
| GO | 11:00A | Eagle Scout Project Fundraiser Car Wash - Upper Parking Lot |
| GROW | 8:00P | Alcoholics Anonymous - Rooms 100 |

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

**BUDGET PLEDGES FOR 2023**
*as of Nov. 7, 2022*

**# Pledges:** 175
**for Pledge Total of**
$855,160

**toward 2023 budget of**
*TBA*

**November 6, 2022 ATTENDANCE**

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| Sunday School | 161 |
| Online Worship | 112 |
| In-person Worship | 406 |

**November 6, 2022 GIVING**

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| ***Budget Needs Each Week*** | **$33,800.19** |
| **Budget Gifts** | **$35,858.00** |
| Music Ministry | 500.00 |
| Building | 300.00 |
| Other | 3,604.83 |
| Total | $40,262.83 |

**CAPITAL CAMPAIGN LOAN PRINCIPAL**

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

**Year-To-Date Loan Balance**
$436,060.06
*as of Oct. 14, 2022*

**General Budget Year-to-Date through October 2022**

**Church Clergy & some of the Sunday Support Staff**

**Rev. Lonnie Pittman,** *Senior Pastor*, lonnie.pittman@mttaborumc.org
**Rev. Marc Werner**, *Pastor Emeritus for Visitation*, mwerner@wnccumc.net
**Charli Mills,** *Traditional Worship Arts Director*, charli.mills@mttaborumc.org
**Kim Harvey**, *Higher Ground Worship Coordinator*, kim.harvey@mttaborumc.org
**Deborah Daniels**, *Higher Ground Band Co-Leader*, deborah.daniels@mttaborumc.org
**Amy Spencer**, *Higher Ground Band Co-Leader*, amy.spencer@mttaborumc.org
**Jim Annas,** *Ignite Worship Coordinator*, jim.annas@mttaborumc.org
**Marcey Davis**, *Children's Ministries Director*, marcey.davis@mttaborumc.org
**Will Busch,** *Student Ministries Director*, will.busch@mttaborumc.org
**Gray Handwerk**, *Spiritual Growth & Community Engagement Coordinator*, gray.handwerk@mttaborumc.org

***FULL STAFF DIRECTORY IS AVAILABLE AT*** **WWW.MTTABORUMC.ORG/STAFF** ***ONLINE***