

Welcome to
Yadkinville United Methodist Church
February 15, 2026

YOU DID *Not* CHOOSE ME

but I CHOSE YOU
& APPOINTED *you*

so that you might go and

BEAR FRUIT

fruit that will last

and so that MY NAME
Whatever you ask in

the FATHER
will give you

JOHN 15:16

Traditional Worship Service

February 15, 2026 at 10:00 am

The Prelude

Welcome REVEREND JONATHAN GAYLORD

Call to Worship

Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men.

And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross.

Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name, so that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, and every tongue confess that

Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

Opening Prayer

Hymn of Praise

Only Trust Him UM HYMNAL, PAGE 337

Children's Moment PASTOR JONATHAN

Special Music SALMONS SISTERS

Prayer for Illumination

**Eternal God, in the reading of the Scripture, may your Word be heard;
in the meditation of our hearts, may your Word be known;
and in the faithfulness of our lives, may your Word be shown. Amen.**

Scripture, JOHN 15:1-17 RICH PIZZUTI

The Word of God for us, the People of God.

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

*** Affirmation of Faith** APOSTLE'S CREED

**I believe in God, the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
and in Jesus Christ his only Son, our Lord;**

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* **Affirmation of Faith** (continued...) APOSTLE'S CREED

**who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic church,
the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting.**

Amen.

Prayers of the People

Prayer ResponsePIANIST

Invitation

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him,
who earnestly repent of their sin
and seek to live in peace with one another.
Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and one another.

**Merciful God,
we confess that we have not loved you with our whole heart.
We have failed to be an obedient church.
We have not done your will,
we have broken your law,
we have rebelled against your love,
we have not loved our neighbors,
and we have not heard the cry of the needy.
Forgive us, we pray.
Free us for joyful obedience,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

Confession

Hear the good news:
Christ died for us while we were yet sinners;
That proves God's love toward us.

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Confession (continued...)

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

In the name of Jesus Christ, you are forgiven!

Glory to God. Amen.

Hymn of Invitation

My Faith Looks Up to Thee UM HYMNAL, PAGE 452

* Ways to Connect & Serve

The Peace

The Peace of the Lord be always with you

And also with you.

Offertory USHERS: RICH PIZZUTI & BOBBI REAVIS

*Doxology

Communion & The Lord's Prayer

SERVERS: SHANNON SHEEK, PAMALA SHUGART, MAUREEN SILVERNALE

Special Music SALMONS SISTERS

Hymn of Dedication

'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus UM HYMNAL, PAGE 462

Closing Prayer

* Benediction

Benediction Response PIANIST

* Those that are able are invited to stand.

Serving TODAY, February 15, 2026

YCM food delivery Jim & Marcia Downey

Greeters: Rich & Karen Pizzuti

Ushers: Rich Pizzuti & Bobbi Reavis

Online Host: Chris Riddle

Nursery: Karen Pizzuti & Wanda Doss

Audio/Technical/Video Bruce Whitley

Yadkinville United Methodist Church
January 18-February 15, 2026



Going to the Mat

Worship Series

Combating loneliness

through Friendship, Family, and Community

ReNew with Connect Clothing Closet.

The clothing is open every 1st and 3rd Tuesday from **2:30pm to 4:30pm**. If you would like to sign up to volunteer, you can call the office or use the QR code.



What are the needs of the Clothing Closet? We are in need of t-shirts, men's jeans, and children's clothes all sizes.

In an emergency: Did you know that YUMC has an AED (Automated External Defibrillator)? It is just outside the main sanctuary doors to the left on the wall.

Announcements, Sunday, February 15, 2026

Prayer Concerns

Church Family:

James Roseberry, Joy Prim (missionary), Dot Gish, George Reavis, Chris Riddle, Norma (& Frank) Noble, Helen Roseberry, Mary Reavis, Emmitte Winslow, Frances Mabe, Donna Gish Bowman Family

Friends and Family:

Judy Brydebelle, Tim Beedings, Steve Morrisette, Mike Matthews, Chris Bullin, Waneta Freeman, Sally Moseley, Tommy Brown, Carol Carlson, Elizabeth Eller, Mike Riddle, Emma Griffis, Anna Bolick, Doris Handy, Vernon Gunnell, Holly Forester-Miller

To have a name added to or removed from our prayer list, please complete the form in this bulletin, tear off, and place in the offering plate. Prayer connections under Friends and Family will be posted for four weeks, unless requested for a specific length of time.

Prayer Request(s)

Names _____

From _____

Leave on prayer list for _____ weeks (Today is February 15, 2026).

Prayer Requests under Friends and Family will be posted for four (4) weeks, unless requested for a specific length of time. Please tear off this prayer request and place it in one of the locked contribution boxes outside of worship.

- ☐ Check this box if this is a confidential prayer request. If it is, you can place it in the church office door in an envelope labeled "Pastor".
- ☐ Check this box if you **DO NOT** want your prayer request sent out on email.
- ☐ Check this box if you **DO NOT** want your prayer request listed on our FaceBook page. (It would only be posted on the private section.)

Announcements, Sunday, February 15, 2026

Attendance. Please remember to register your attendance online at: www.yadkinvilleumc.org/ here OR Scan the QR code to the right to be taken directly to the attendance registration page.



We welcome the Salmons Sisters today to our worship. They are bringing joyful sounds for our Lord and us!

Monthly Mission Focus: For the month of February our Mission Focus is Yadkin Christian Ministries. You can make a check payable to YUMC, with a memo "YCM" or an online donation by choosing the "other" category and type "YCM" in the note section.

Yadkin Christian Ministries. YCM is in need of shelf staple items. Rice, pasta, oats, beans (dry and canned), can vegetables, soups, tuna, oil, honey, sugar, peanut butter, crackers, flour, etc. Baskets are in the Commons for your contributions. (YCM Food pick up for Sunday, February 22, 2026 is Dale & Virgil Dodson.)

Nursery. If you would like to serve in the nursery, contact Sidney Matthews (336) 416-9160.

Sharing Pantry. Have you checked the Sharing Pantry today? It provides food, toiletries, and other supplies for our friends and neighbors. If you'd like to contribute food and/or supplies feel free to do it anytime!

The Leadership Team meets every third TUESDAY of each month at 7:00 pm in the John Classroom. Our regular monthly meetings are open to all members of the church. Because your voice matters, there is a designated time for YOU, our church membership, to ask questions, to communicate with the Leadership Team, or to just see what is happening with the church management. **Our next meeting is February 17, 2026 at 7:00pm.** If you would like to read the minutes of our meetings, see the budget, or YUMC's Guiding Principles, visit www.yadkinvilleumc.org/members (password: YadkinvilleMember). **Your 2026 Leadership Team** is: George Bisette, Virgil Dodson, Tom Dorsett, Joy Kinley, Lori McCann, James McGrath, Karen Pizzuti, Oz Prim, and Myron Williams.

Announcements, Sunday, February 15, 2026

Work day! You are invited to a parsonage shrubbery work day (weather permitting) on Saturday, February 21, 2026 at 9:00am. Contact Virgil Dodson (336-416-1691) if you would like more information.

Message from Bishop about 2026 Leadership Gathering. The Council of Bishops have put together a couple of pieces of work that you and your congregations can participate in in helpful ways. First, in anticipation of a 2026 Leadership Gathering of representatives appointed by the bishops from across every single Annual Conference they are conducting a survey in order to get input about the future of The United Methodist Church. To participate in that survey go to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/UMCLG2026> which is open only until February 15th, 2026. (I did the survey – clergy and laity can participate and it only takes about 10 minutes.)

Also available are webinars based around the three phrases of the new vision statement. One happened last Saturday for “Love Boldly”. [<https://www.resourceumc.org/en/content/love-boldly-webinar-on-theology>] February 21 will be Serve Joyfully and March 21 will be Lead Courageously. We’ll make those links available when they are shared with us. Check out the Bishop’s letter [<https://www.wnccumc.org/newsdetail/bishop-cob-leadership-gathering-19590343>] for more details.

Book Study. *Eyes of the Heart: Photography as a Christian Contemplative Practice.* You are invited to slow down this December and January (and February, too!) with a contemplative study that will help us see the world in new ways through prayer. We started the book study on Thursday, December 11th. **We will continue to meet on Thursdays at noon.** There is still time to join us. If you would like to purchase a book through church (\$17), please let Bobbi or Pastor Jonathan know.

This study considers how a camera can help us open “the eyes of the heart.” More than a book on photographic technique, *Eyes of the Heart* is about cultivating photography as a spiritual practice through visio divina (sacred seeing). Each week we will enter into a photographic journey in which the reader does not simply take images, but receives images and learns to see with “the eyes of the heart” (Eph 1:18).



YUMC Mission Focus **February 2026** ***Yadkin Christian Ministries***

Every month the Missions Committee is focusing on a Mission Outreach project. It may be a local non-profit or a UMC Ministry. This month, we are focusing on Yadkin Christian Ministries.

Yadkin Christian Ministries, formed in 1985, is a cooperative effort of churches, individuals, and non-profit agencies unified for the purpose of sharing Christ's love by providing food and other necessities for people in need within Yadkin County.

Each week, trained volunteers gather at the Yadkinville and East Bend locations to minister to people in need. Some of those volunteers are from our church. Food is provided, and assistance with medicine, and many other necessities of life are made available. All assistance is paid directly to the provider. No cash is distributed to clients.

YCM is supported entirely by private contributions, fundraisers, and grants. If you would like to contribute to the YCM fund, make your check payable to YUMC and memo it "YCM."

Residents of Boonville, East Bend, Hamptonville, and Yadkinville are served by YCM. Jonesville residents are served by Tri-County Christian Crisis Ministry (336-526-1089).

Locations:

117 Woodlyn Drive, Yadkinville, NC 27055 (336-677-3080)

220 Legion Drive, East Bend, NC 27018 (336-699-4544)

If anyone is interested in volunteering to pick up food one Sunday morning a month, please contact the church office. This is a great way to volunteer!



Ash Wednesday

INTO DUST YOU SHALL RETURN

18 FEBRUARY, 2026
6PM



YADKINVILLE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Serving in Worship NEXT Sunday, February 22, 2026

YCM food delivery Virgil & Dale Dodson
Greeters & Ushers: Gene & Marnie Matthews
Children's Moment: Valerie Prim
Online Host: Olivia Pizzuti
Nursery Volunteers: Sharon McGrath & Marnie Matthews
Scripture Reader: Marcia Downey (ROMANS 5:12-19)



Yadkin County
United Methodist Churches
Invite you to

Hope in a Time of Crisis

Lent Mid-Week Worship

Wednesdays at 12:00 pm

February 25th- March 25th

Worship followed by a light lunch.

Yadkinville United Methodist Church
204 W. Main Street Yadkinville





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Offering care and hope through living,
learning, and loving God and each other.

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YUMC Church Office is open Monday through Thursday
from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm.

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Regular Worship at YUMC

In-person 10:00 am

Virtual Worship via YouTube 10:00 am (live)

There are multiple ways to contribute to YUMC

Donate online at yadkinvilleumc.org and click on "MORE", then click on "CONTRIBUTE". Follow the online prompts.

Donate by text - send a text to 336-485-4309, with the amount you want to contribute and you will receive a text with further directions.

Donate by Venmo in the Venmo app or online, choose "Pay or Request", in the search bar type "Yadkinville UMC", follow the prompts.

Donate by check/mail a check, make checks payable to YUMC, drop in the offering plate, or mail to PO Box 25, Yadkinville, NC 27055