

**Welcome to
Yadkinville United Methodist Church
November 2, 2025**



**DO TO OTHERS
AS YOU WOULD
HAVE THEM DO
TO YOU**

LUKE 6:31

Traditional Worship Service

November 2, 2025 at 10:00 am

The Prelude

Welcome REVEREND JONATHAN GAYLORD

Call to Worship

In defiance of corruption and falsehood,
**we commit to truth and integrity and we pray for honesty
and uprightness to increase in our world.**

In defiance of apathy and hatred,
**we chose to be proactive in love and we pray for understanding
and peace to increase in our world.**

In defiance of skepticism and cynicism,
**we embrace the mystery of faith and we pray for humility
and wonder to increase in our world.**

In defiance of self-interest and human arrogance,
**we celebrate God's salvation and we pray for compassion
and faith to increase in our world.**

In defiance of all that would oppose God's purpose among us,
**we choose again to follow Christ, and we continue to pray, not
just now, but all times.**

Amen.

Opening Prayer

Hymn of Praise

Rise Up, O Men of God UM HYMNAL, PAGE 576

Children's Moment JONATHAN GAYLORD

Choral Anthem CHANCEL CHOIR

Prayer for Illumination

**God, the more we know you, the more it is that joy dances in our
souls. So, as we open the pages of our family's history, show
yourself in its words. Whisper your love in our ears. Draw us into
the embrace of your arms. Let our hearts beat a little faster, as we
hear the sound of our voice so near. Amen.**

Scripture, LUKE 6:20-31 KERI SMITH GAYLORD

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

Thanks be to God!

Sermon

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* **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;
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 Response CHANCEL CHOIR

Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus UM HYMNAL, PAGE 349

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.

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Confession

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

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

Lord, I Want to be a Christian UM HYMNAL, PAGE 402

* Ways to Connect & Serve

The Peace

The Peace of the Lord be always with you

And also with you.

Offertory USHERS: VIRGIL DODSON & VALERIE PRIM

*Doxology

Communion & The Lord's Prayer

SERVERS: BOBBI REAVIS, SHANNON SHEEK, MAUREEN SILVERNALE

Our Saints Remembered. After receiving Communion if you have a Saint that you would like to remember on the blue banner, you can get a star bell from the basket and stick it to the blue banner. The "Our Saints Banners" will remain up for the month of November.

Hymn of Dedication

O Jesus, I Have Promised UM HYMNAL, PAGE 396

Closing Prayer

* Benediction

Benediction Response CHANCEL CHOIR

Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace UM HYMNAL, PAGE 668

* Those that are able are invited to stand.

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, November 2, 2025

Prayer Concerns

Church Family:

James Roseberry, Joy Prim (missionary), Dot Gish, George Reavis, Chris Riddle, Frank & Norma Noble, Donna Bowman, Ken (& Cooky) Weatherman, Helen Roseberry, Mary Reavis, Emmitte Winslow, Cooke Weatherman, Leo Gaylord

Friends and Family:

Judy Brydebell, Tim Beedings, Steve Morrisette, Mike Matthews, Chris Bullin, Waneta Freeman, Sally Moseley, Tommy Brown, Carol Carlson, Elizabeth Eller, Mike Riddle, Bonnie Liven-good Hampton Family, Jesse & Joann Taylor, Emma Griffis, Jean Reavis Family, Sharon Ponder

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 November 2, 2025).

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, November 2, 2025

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.



Monthly Mission Focus: For the month of November our Mission Focus is the Giving Tree. You can make a check payable to YUMC, with a memo "Giving Tree" or an online donation by choosing the "other" category and type "Giving Tree" in the note section. See page 9 of this bulletin for more information.

Sharing Pantry. Have you seen the lovely Sharing Pantry that has been hand crafted just for us? It is to provide food, toiletries, and other supplies for our friends and neighbors. We will consecrate the Sharing Pantry today, immediately following worship.

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, November 9, 2025 is Jim & Marcia Downey.)

NETworX Yadkin. Join us on Monday evenings beginning at 5:30 pm for NETworX programming. We would love to have you join us as we explore what it means to live a holistically well life. We will garden, can, cook, and discuss deeper issues such as healthy relationships, how trauma affects our lives, what divides us as people, and strive to connect on a meaningful level. We are still searching for meal sponsors so if your group would be willing to donate a meal, please contact Crystal.

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

Save these dates!! Coming in Advent. Advent Worship and Lunch here at YUMC on December 3, 10, and 17, 2025. More information to come! (Yes, this is like the Lenten Worship and Lunches. It will be marvelous.)

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Leadership Team. The Leadership Team meets every third Wednesday of every 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 November 12, 2025 at 7:00 pm.** 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 2025 Leadership Team** is: Janet Culpepper (Chair), Lori McCann, Maureen Silvernale, Nick Gunnell, Oz Prim, Jim McGrath, Sandy Steele, and George Bisette.

CHARGE CONFERENCE. Immediately after the Leadership Team Meeting on November 12, 2025 we will have our Charge Conference.

Friday Night Dinners @ The Parsonage! In 2025, Jonathan and Keri (and the boys by default) are experimenting with hosting weekly dinners at the Parsonage! Each Friday night (that we're in town) we're committing to having a small group of folks over for dinner. All of you church folk are formally invited (we've also extended the invitation to our local friends and some of the community organizations that we are members of). You can find more information, and sign up to attend here (https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1r_DB5dJqvUhJ901CENfpl-6qbrAz3x7vIBJ1VJDYqeA/edit?usp=sharing) or contact Keri or Jonathan to find a date that works! We're asking folks to sign up, so we know who to expect and are able to take account of any dietary needs. Feel free to bring your friends and neighbors! Looking forward to another year of community with you all!

Share your stories of Yadkinville UMC: We want to collect stories of Yadkinville UMC and you have them! If you have a personal story or memory that you are willing to share please let Pastor Jonathan know. You don't have to write it down you just have to tell it! If you have any pictures of YUMC over the years we would love those too, we will scan them and give the original back. We are especially looking for stories of: The Hobsons & other influential members, experiences of worshiping in the Old Sanctuary, Times the church faced difficult decisions, meaningful Holidays, times the church served well, what it was like when the old sanctuary/ education building/ sanctuary was built, and times you have encountered God through Yadkinville United Methodist Church. Let Pastor Jonathan know if you would be willing to share your story.

Announcements, Sunday, November 2, 2025

Serving TODAY, November 2, 2025

YCM food delivery.....Brad Mason
Greeters:Dale Dodson & Valerie Prim
Ushers:Virgil Dodson & Valerie Prim
Online Host:Olivia Pizzuti
Nursery:Sharon McGrath & Dale Dodson
Audio/Technical/Video.....Bruce Whitley

Hanging of the Greens. Yes, we just had Halloween and now we are talking about Advent??!!! We will *Hang the Greens* throughout the church on November 23, 2025 immediately following Worship. Plan now to join us for a great opportunity to fellowship. All help will be appreciated.

Poinsettias. As we start thinking of beautifying the church for Advent, we cannot forget the poinsettias. We will have three poinsettias in the Sanctuary. If you would like to make a donation to purchase the poinsettias, please memo your check poinsettias. If you would like to make a contribution in honor or in memory of someone, fill out the form and drop it in the offering plate.

Yes, I want to contribute toward the purchase of the Poinsettias.

Name: _____

Phone number: _____

Memory of: _____ Amount: _____

Memory of: _____ Amount: _____

Honor of: _____ Amount: _____

Honor of: _____ Amount: _____

Mission Focus November 2025 Giving Tree

YUMC Giving Tree. For the last five years we have been providing Christmas wishes for our neighbors through our Giving Tree. Last year, we added to our family by including Angels that are in the care/custody of the Department of Social Services. This year, we have been notified by Yadkinville Elementary that they have children that are also in need for Christmas. At this time, we are not sure how many that will add to our growing family.



Applications for the giving tree are being accepted until November 7, 2025 for our Giving Tree. The tree will be full of angels by Sunday, November 9, 2025.

Once the tree is ready, Giving Tree gifts will be due back on Sunday, December 7, 2025. If you have questions, please feel free to call Bobbi or Mildred.

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.



There will be a work Day on Saturday, November 8, 2025 from 9:00 am until noon. We will be switching from Spring/Summer to Fall/Winter clothes.

What are the needs of the Clothing Closet? We are in need of t-shirts, men's jeans, and children's clothes. We also need financial donations to purchase another clothing rack for sorting clothes.

Financial Information for Week ending 10/26/2025

GENERAL FUND FOR BUDGET TOTAL	\$ 2,573.25
In Person.....	\$ 1,463.00
Online/Venmo.....	\$ 1,110.25
NEEDED per month (budget)	\$ 20,502.52
RECEIVED for this month (October)	\$ 15,421.00

Year to 10/26/2025

GENERAL FUND RECEIPTS for budget YTD (year-to-date) ..	\$ 190,514.78
GENERAL FUND EXPENSES YTD	\$ (203,844.74)
General Fund	\$ (13,329.96)
IMPROVEMENTS FUND receipts YTD	\$ 6,985.65
BUILDING FUND receipts YTD	\$ 50,084.01

* Building Fund payment is \$5,464.86 per month. Loan balance is \$ 425,906.12.)

Missions Focuses

Month	Focus	Loose Plate	Designated	TOTAL
Jan	YES Fund	\$ 271.00	\$ 1,357.50	\$ 1,628.50
Feb	Yadkin Christian Ministries	\$ 214.00	\$ 175.00	\$ 389.00
Mar	Connect Interpreter	\$ 326.26	\$ 285.00	\$ 611.26
Apr	Missionary Support, Joy Prim	\$ 324.00	\$ 571.50	\$ 895.50
May	Community Garden	\$ 268.00	\$ 452.50	\$ 720.50
June	Apportionments	\$ 380.00	\$ 496.00	\$ 876.00
July	Back to School Extravaganza	\$ 164.32	\$ 203.00	\$ 367.32
August	Backpack Program	\$ 319.00	\$ 651.50	\$ 970.50
September	NETworX Yadkin	\$ 365.70	\$ 125.00	\$ 490.70
October	Clothing Closet	\$ 256.00	\$ 130.00	\$ 386.00

Jersey Sunday



Wear your team colors on Sunday
November 16, 2025

Any Sport.

Any Team.

Announcements, Sunday, November 2, 2025

Book Study. Eyes of the Heart: Photography as a Christian Contemplative Practice: You are invited to slow down this December and January with a contemplative study that will help us see the world in new ways through prayer. If you are interested please let Pastor Jonathan know. We are currently looking at scheduling the study for Wednesday evenings or Thursday at lunch.

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).



Open
Every 1st & 3rd Tuesday
2:30-4:30 pm
Free Women's, Men's, Children's Clothing

Serving in Worship NEXT Sunday, November 9, 2025

YCM food delivery Jim & Marcia Downey
Greeters: Jerry Ivey & Jo Dorsett
Ushers: Jerry Ivey & Sharon McGrath
Children's Moment: Valerie Prim
Online Host: Audrey Whitley
Nursery Volunteers: Lori McCann & Janet Culpepper
Scripture Reader: Mike McCann (Luke 20:27-38)



Connected Near & Far Campaign

This November & December we are closing out the year leaning into and celebrating all of the ways we are connected to God through the Church and our community! We are collecting money for **two** of the cornerstones of our shared life together: the FLC building fund and apportionments.

Our 2025 apportionments were 19,466.00 We have \$8,091.00 remaining. We owe approximately \$425,000 on the building loan. This November and December for the first \$16,100 raised we will split the donations 1:1 between apportionments and the building fund, after that all of the money will go towards the building fund.

As we close out the year we invite you to celebrate and strengthen our ministry here in Yadkinville and around the world!

Lets Dance with Eric and Trish

Line Dance Lessons

**Yadkinville United Methodist
204 W Main St Yadkinville,NC**

Tuesday's Starting July 8th



**Joy class 55+ (just older youth) 3p \$5
Newcomers 6:15p \$7
Improver 7:15p. \$7
combo newcomers and improver \$10**

**bring correct change please
debit or cash app also available**

please arrive 10 minutes before class

**improver class requires knowledge of basic
line dance steps**

**336 368 3866
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we are dancing on carpet, contact me
about footwear suggestions prior to you
first class**

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

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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