

Order of Worship

Prelude
Lighting of Candles
(We welcome you to light a candle and say a prayer for a loved one.)

Welcome & Opening Prayer

*Hymn: Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)
- Chris Tomlin

Affirmation of Faith

Leader: We believe in God, creator of the world and of all people; and in Jesus Christ, incarnate among us, who died and rose again; and in the Holy Spirit, present with us to guide, strengthen, and comfort.

People: We believe; God, help our unbelief.

Leader: We rejoice in every sign of God's kingdom: in the upholding of human dignity and community; in every expression of love, justice, and reconciliation; in each act of self-giving on behalf of others; in the abundance of God's gifts entrusted to us that all may have enough; in all responsible use of the earth's resources.

People: Glory be to God on high; and on earth, peace.

Leader: We confess our sin, individual and collective, by silence or action: through the violation of human dignity based on race, class, age, sex, nation, or faith; through the exploitation of people because of greed and indifference; through the misuse of power in personal, communal, national, and international life; through the search for security by those military and economic forces that threaten human existence; through the abuse of technology which endangers the earth and all life upon it.

People: Lord, have mercy; Christ, have mercy; Lord, have mercy.

Leader: We commit ourselves individually and as a community to the way of Christ: to take up the cross; to seek abundant life for all humanity; to struggle for peace with justice and freedom; to risk ourselves in faith, hope, and love, praying that God's kingdom may come.

People: Thy kingdom come on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

Order of Worship (continued)

*Meet & Greet

Children's Time

Announcements

Testament Readings

New Testament: John 21:1-12 NRSVUE

Offertory

*Doxology

Anthem: City of God

Scripture: John 21:15-17 NRSVUE

Message: What do we do next? A Day at the Beach

Prayer

*Closing Hymn: He Leadeth Me: O Blessed Thought #128

*Benediction

As you go on your way, may Jesus go with you. Before you to show the way, above you to watch over you, behind you to encourage you, within you to give you peace, and next to you, to be your friend. Amen.

Postlude



Nikki Halley is our reader for today! Thank you Nikki!

Prayer Requests

Kim Farlik	Grace Lindquist
Family of Joan Eargle	Kayley Moscuza
Katlin-Director of Museum of Waxhaw	
Richard Cross	David Hiza
Cathy Marrow	Charles Rogers
Christie Plyler and Mary Edwards (Christie's mom)	
Kirk Pfister (Sally Pfister's son)	Russell Carnes
Migdalia (cousin of Hilda Morales)	Enza Carr

On April 19th

Tithes & Givings

Attendance: 68

Weekly Budget: \$3,200

Giving from last week: \$2,562.30



Coming Events and Announcements

(Easy tear off)

Waxhaw UMC



Chair Yoga

Tuesday & Thursday 2pm in the Fellowship Hall



Mens Bible Study

Wednesdays 6:30AM at Vera's Kitchen



Membership Class

April 26 Will be after church service.
12:30 in Sanctuary



Lunch Bunch

May 5 Join us for a delicious lunch and great conversations! Bring a friend and make a new one! Fellowship Hall. \$7



Youth Group

May 3 & 27 Youth will meet at 12:30PM after 11AM service in the Fellowship Hall.



Church office will be closed May 25th for Memorial Day



Conference

June 18 -20 Safe travels for Pastor Rick as he heads to Lake Junaluska for the annual conference.



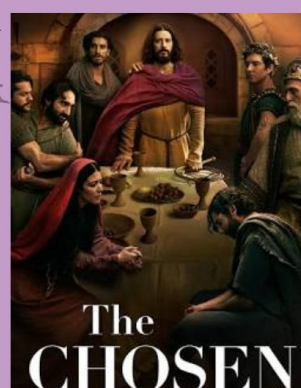
Faith Game Day

June 28 Join us for a fun faith fill video game day. More information to come and date is subject to change!

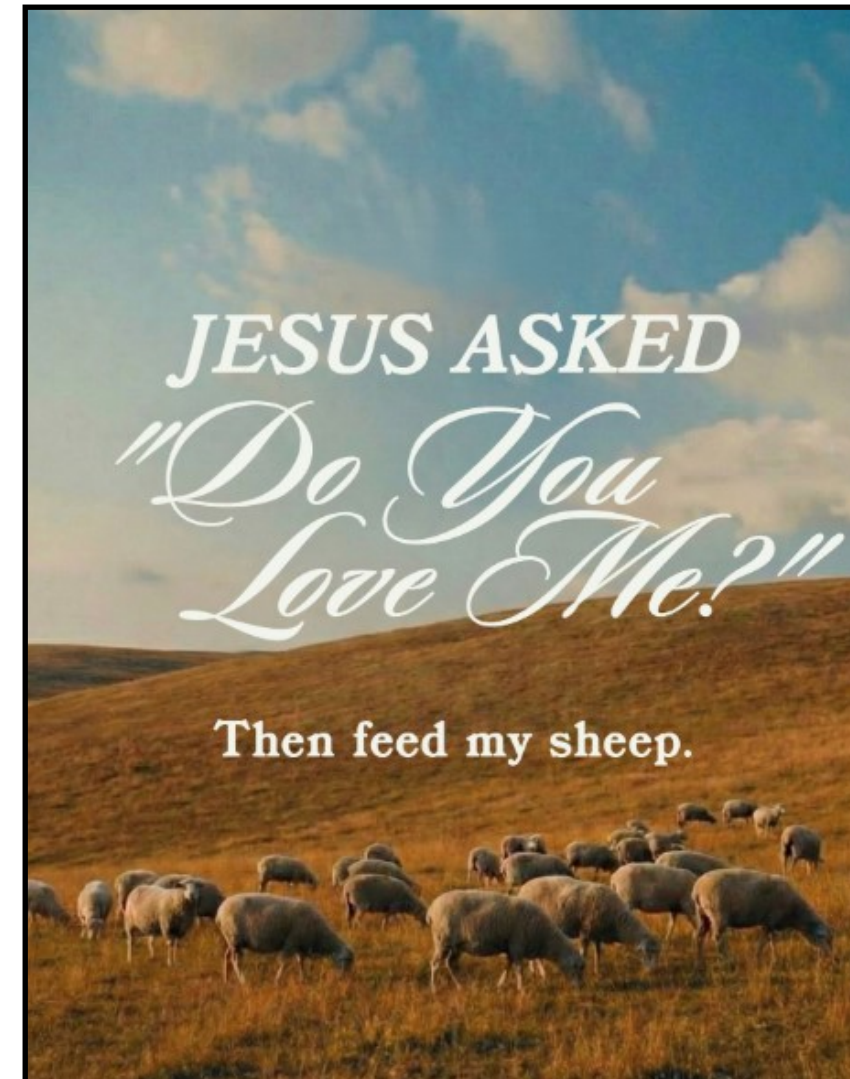


Movie Night Dinner & A Movie is back!

Join us in the Fellowship Hall!
Time: 6-8PM
Movie: The Chosen
May 6th - June 10th
Wednesdays



Please Note: This is will be a free event



April 26th 2026



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