

**CALLED TO WORSHIP AND EMPOWERED TO SERVE**

**ANNUAL PICNIC ON THE LAWN** is today Sunday, August 11, after 11:00 worship. All are welcome, even if you did not make a reservation.

**IN PREPARATION FOR THE 2ND ANNUAL VISITING SCHOLAR** Rumple's own Dr. Davis Hankins will lead a special Adult Sunday School class on Sundays August 11, 18, and 25 at 9:45 in the Adult Classroom Upstairs. He will explore topics that we will hear about when Dr. Norman Wirzba is with us in September: observing sabbath, caring for creation, and the connection between our faith and food.

**BLOWING ROCK C.A.R.E.S. NEEDS FOR AUGUST** Blowing Rock C.A.R.E.S. is a food bank that helps provide basic non-perishable food to families and individuals in Watauga County. The Blowing Rock C.A.R.E.S. food pantry is open for clients on Mondays from 9 am to noon right here at Rumple. The August items of need are canned fruit (natural juices or light syrup), canned vegetables (whole kernel & creamed corn, green beans, green peas, carrots, beets, mixed - no salt added if possible), soups (tomato, chicken and rice/veggies, beef and rice/veggies, potato, vegetable), condensed milk, peanut butter (chunky & creamy), toilet paper. Please bring your items anytime during the month and place them in the shopping cart located in the office reception area.

**RUMPLE WILL SHARE IN THE ANNUAL BLESSING OF THE BACKPACKS** during 11:00 worship on Sunday, August 18. All children, preschool through high school are invited to bring their backpacks to worship and share in a special time of prayer for the students as they begin a new school year.

**NEW SMALL GROUP ADULT STUDY** "Why" by Adam Hamilton, will be - taught by Kathy Beach and Rene Cuthill beginning on Wednesday, September 4 at 11:30 a.m. The study will continue for six weeks. Student books will be available in the church office this week.

**WEDNESDAYS AT RUMPLE** for elementary children and middle school youth will begin again on September 4. For more details or to sign your child up, contact Stephanie Hankins, parishassociate@rumplechurch.org

**SAVE THE DATE!** Rumple's 2nd Annual Visiting Scholar, Dr. Norman Wirzba (Duke Divinity School) will be with us September 15th-16th.

**HANDBELL RINGERS NEEDED:** We are looking toward a new year of ringing praises to God with the sound of handbells. If you have a basic knowledge of music reading skills and would like to see if this is for you, contact Dave McCollum at directorofmusic@rumplechurch.org

**CAMPUS MINISTRY MEAL REQUEST** Traffic is crazy in Boone and that means the ASU students are moving back! So we need some Rumple chefs to provide meals (or gift cards for meals) for the Presbyterian Episcopal Campus Ministry students. The dates are: August 27th, September 3rd & 24th, November 5th & 19th, February 4th and March 17th. The meals are for around 30 students and can be delivered or left at church for pick up. Please contact Stephanie Hankins if you can help!

**Rumple Staff**

Kathy Beach .....Pastor  
 Jessica Minerva.....Office Manager  
 Dave McCollum .....Director of Music  
 Stephanie Hankins.....Parish Associate Minister  
 Eric Luke .....Accompanist  
 Cassidy Nooner .....Youth Intern  
 Julie Anderson .....Nursery Supervisor  
 Heather Sigmon .....Custodian

**Rumple's Ruling Elders:** (2019) Davis Hankins, Misty Mayfield, Kim Rogers, Cullie Tarleton (2020) Jim Crowell, Jerry Hutchens, Jane Rogers, Lynne Waugh (2021) Kathy Earley, Emily Leonard, Curt Salthouse (Clerk), Mike Steele

**Please keep in your prayers:**

Bonne Ewing upon the death of her brother; Family of Susie Reynold's who died on 8/7; Cassidy Nooner's grandfather; Mary Ann Barden (mother of Janet Stout); Don Saunders; Mike Steele (surgery scheduled on 8/22); Jim Ruff; Leslie Novilla's friend, Sara; Barbara Bernstein; Bob Young; Jean Williamson; Jonathan Asbell; Gus Newton; Vicki Cawthorne; Margaret Townsend; Debbie Brenner's mother, Betty Kern; David Bartlett; Ruth George; Byron and Charleen Logan; Jim Burgess; Roger Broeker; Jim and Barbara Scott; Recie Craig; Bill and Pat Magruder; Erin Tobin, serving in US Army; Drew Taylor, active duty with the Coast Guard; Sherry Marr, Bettye Johnson,; Gus and Miriam Newton's son in law, David; Carol Capristo's mother, Ruby Vincent; Jan McClure, Holly Bannan's mother; Grover Gore, Meg Wagner; Stanley Coffey, son of Betty Coffey; Ellen and Al Smith, missionaries in Russia, Germany, and Belarus.

**Sunday, August 11**

Grandfather Sunday  
 12:00 Church Picnic

**Monday August 12**

12:00-3:00 Circle 4 (RH)  
 5:00 Missions Committee (L)

**Wednesday August 14**

10:00 Staff Meeting (L)  
 7:00 Choir

**Sunday August 18**

8:45 Worship  
 9:45 Sunday School  
 9:45 Visiting Scholar Prep Class  
 11:00 Worship  
 12:15 Worship Committee (L)

Youth Cottage FH-Fellowship Hall  
 RH-Rumple House KMC Keys Music Center  
 PS-Pastor's Study ACU-Adult Classroom Upstairs

We have many modes of communication here at Rumple. To stay up-to-date on upcoming events, please check our website, Facebook page, and eNews. To be added to the weekly email list, email Jessica, at office@rumplechurch.org.

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# Rumple Memorial Presbyterian Church

is a missional church; called to worship, empowered to serve, inspiring disciples, creating community.

## The Order of Service for the Worship of God

August 11, 2019 11:00

## Grandfather Home for Children Sunday

**WE ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME**

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

The grace and peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. **And also with you.**

**WE GATHER TO WORSHIP**

PRELUDE

"What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

from Psalm 33

+CALL TO WORSHIP

Shout joyfully to the Lord! Give thanks to the Lord with your instruments!

**Sing praises to God with the ten-stringed harp! Sing to God a new song! Play your best with joyful shouts!**

God loves righteousness and justice; the Lord's faithful love fills the whole earth.

**We put our hope in the Lord. God is our help and our shield.**

Our heart rejoices in God because we trust God's holy name.

**Shout joyfully to the Lord and praise God's name!**

+HYMN OF PRAISE

"What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine"

No. 837

Text: Elisha a Hoffman Music: Anthony J Showalter

Tune: SHOWALTER

+CALL TO CONFESSION

+PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Sometimes, O God, we forget people, or we toss them aside – the difficult ones, the needy ones, the ones that are hard to spend time with, the ones who confront us. And sometimes when we do things like that, it's not really about the other people, but about us. We are uncomfortable, or we feel guilty, or we follow brighter, shinier people, or we worry about what will make us look good. We are in such desperate need of your forgiveness. We need to be forgiven for our sin, for our mistakes, for mistaking what the world values with what you value. Help us to be better, and to see more clearly, and to care more thoroughly. In Christ we pray. Amen.**

+SILENT PRAYERS OF CONFESSION

+KYRIE

"Lord Have Mercy" (sung responsively)

Evan Adair, cantor

**Lord Have Mercy.... Christ Have Mercy..... Lord Have Mercy**

+ASSURANCE OF GOD'S FORGIVENESS

Friends, hear this Good News: the love of God is beyond measure, and you are included in that love. Know that you are forgiven and thus freed to love and serve.

**Alleluia! Amen.**



+RESPONSE OF PRAISE

“Gloria Patri” No. 581

**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.**

**WE HEAR THE WORD OF GOD**

TIME WITH CHILDREN (11:00)

Kathy Beach

*The children are invited to bring their own offerings forward with them and place them in the offering basket.*

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Psalm 33  
P.480

NEW TESTAMENT LESSON

The Word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.**

Hebrews 11: 1-3  
P. 211

THE WORD IN MUSIC

*Amazing Grace  
I Saw the Light  
Angel Band  
Will the Circle Be Unbroken  
Over in the Glory Land  
Where the Soul of Man Never Dies  
Down to the River to Pray  
Keep on the Sunny Side*

**WE RESPOND TO THE GOOD NEWS**

MINUTE FOR MISSION

Grandfather Home for Children

OFFERING OF OUR LIFE AND LABORS

OFFERTORY

“As The Deer “

Arr Douglas Wagner

+DOXOLOGY

No. 606

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below; praise God above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen**

+PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING AND DEDICATION

**WE DEPART TO SHARE THE GOOD NEWS**

+SENDING HYMN

“Standing on the Promises”

No. 838

Text and Music: R. Kelso Carter

TUNE: PROMISES

+CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

+POSTLUDE

“I’ll Fly Away”

Bold font indicates all say or sing in unison. +Indicates those who are able may stand. \* Used by Permission CCLI# 3145863

**WORSHIP NOTES**

**Leading worship:** Kathy Beach, Pastor; Stephanie Hankins, Dave McCollum, Liturgists; Dave McCollum, Music Director; Eric Luke, Accompanist; Marlene Crosby, Bruce Hill, Jimma Hodges, Lance Perry, Tommy Smith, and Diana Wilcox, Guest Musicians; Rita White, Vickie Hamilton, Pat Coley, Kathey Earley; Ushers and Greeters

**We welcome our guest musicians** to Rumble this morning and thank them for sharing their musical gifts with us on this Grandfather Sunday. Decades ago, the Rumble family began celebrating Grandfather Sunday with special guest musicians and that tradition continues still today.

**Today Rumble celebrates Grandfather Home Sunday.** The first time Rumble received a special offering for the home was in 1918. For 101 years Rumble and Grandfather Home have been in partnership helping to care for some of the most vulnerable children and youth in our state. Today, Grandfather Home is a part of Children’s Hope Alliance which also includes the ministry of Barium Springs Home for Children in Troutman. We welcome staff from the ministry to our worship service this morning.

**Today, in addition to our regular morning offering, we will receive a special offering** for Grandfather Home for Children. Envelopes are in the pews or you can indicate Grandfather Home on the memo line of your check.

**Welcome to all** who have come to worship God at the Rumble Memorial Presbyterian Church this morning. If you are a guest or a visitor, this church family welcomes you. We invite you to fill out a visitor card or leave your contact information on the fellowship pad. The Rumble family would love to get to know you and share information about the ministries and missions of Rumble. If you would like to receive weekly news from Rumble, please leave us your email address with that noted. If you have questions, please speak to Kathy or one of the ushers, elders or staff.

**Large Print Hymnals and Assisted Listening devices** for worship are available in the narthex. If you would like to use a “Sound Mate” while in worship, please see Kent Leonard (at the soundboard) or an usher for assistance. Please recycle your bulletin; place it on the table in the back entrance or the recycle bin in the office workroom.

**A Nursery is provided** each Sunday morning (8:30-12:15) for infants through five years old in the Keys Church Nursery area on the downstairs level of the education building. Please ask an usher to direct you to the nursery.

**Restrooms and a water fountain** can be found off of the office reception area. Once worship has begun, you can enter the office area by the door to the left of the chancel steps or the outside door closest to the front of the sanctuary. All other doors are locked while we are worshipping.

There is **Children's Church for children in Kindergarten and 1st grade.** Children's Church is now located downstairs in the Nursery area. You may pick up children at the conclusion of the service. Our children in 2nd grade and older will remain in the sanctuary. There are updated worship clipboards at the entrance of the sanctuary for any child to use during worship.

**Summer Worship hours**, at both 8:45 and 11:00 a.m., continue through Sunday, September 1.

**Grateful Rumble is Making an Impact in the Name of Jesus Christ** In addition to supporting Grandfather Home for Children for 101 years, Rumble Missions is committed to ministry with children and youth in our community. Rumble Mission funds support: Blowing Rock CARES, Food 4 Families, the Back2School Festival, Western Youth Network, the Children’s Council summer camp through WAMY and with children in Bradford Park, Rise Against Hunger, vacation bible school for Roma children in Russia, the Family Support Network, and more.