All Saints' Sunday



We affectionately remember these members and give thanks for all the contributions they made to our lives, to the church and to the world. There will be an arrangement of eight white roses representing each of our deceased members.

Becky Smith
Betty Reeves
Chuck Hamilton
Margaret Ellis
Bob Conlon
Prentice Johnson
Bob Yelton
John Reid

The Sanctuary Flowers *are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Mae M. Blair by her daughter, Marilyn Jack, and in memory of all the other loved ones who have joined the Church Triumphant since last All Saints' Day.*

Rev. David Lee, Pastor
Caroline Scism, Director of Children Ministries
Danny Buckner, Director of Music Ministries
Katie Bowers, Youth Director

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Please scan the QR code to the left and fill out the connect card to let us know you are worshipping with us and how we can connect you to our ministries.

The Worship of God
All Saints' Sunday

November 1, 2026 10:00am

Welcome and Announcements

Passing the Peace

Prelude *Celtic Blessing* arr. Perks
Libby Alexander, organ

*Opening Song *The Open Table* – PE accompanies
(sheet music on following page)

Prayers of the People

Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
forever. Amen

Offertory *Oh, What Their Joy* arr. Cherwien
Hymn 727
Libby Alexander, organ

*Doxology #95

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

Recognition of Saints

Lighting the Remembrance Candle

Special Music *Stepping Into Paradise* Voltz
Lelia Lattimore, harp

Prayer for the Saints

Anthem *Be Still* arr. Marolli

Chancel Choir

Be still and know that I am God; let peace embrace your heart.
Be still and know that I am God; let fear and anguish now depart
Though the earthquakes rage, though the tempests roll,
Though the storms conspire to destroy,
Be still and know that I am God; the earth shall rise again in joy.

Be still and know that I am God; let tranquil hope fill your mind.
Be still and know that I am God; let grief and trouble be left behind.
Though the shadows fall, though the darkness cries,
Though the night seems endless and dire,
Be still and know that I am God: the morn shall rise in holy fire.

Though the earthquakes rage, though the tempests roll,
Though the storms conspire to destroy,
Be still and know that I am God; the earth shall rise again in joy,
The earth shall rise again in joy, the earth shall rise again in joy.

Sermon All Saints Sunday Rev. David Lee

Hebrews 12:1-3, Philippians 2, 1 John 3:1-3

Holy Communion

*Congregational Hymn #702 *Sing With All the Saints in Glory*

PE accompanies

*Benediction

*Chiming the Trinity

*Postlude *Look, Ye Saints; the Sight Is Glorious* arr. Landin

Libby Alexander, organ

*Please stand if able

Welcome! Welcome! Welcome!

We are glad you are here!

Remembrance Cards

If you have lost a loved one and would like them to be remembered today, please write their name(s) on the enclosed card. As you go up to receive the communion elements, we invite you to bring your remembrance card and place it in the basket on the table at the altar rail.

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The Open Table



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****Charge Conference will be immediately after service today****

Estimate of Giving Cards Update!

Thank you to all the families that turned in Estimate of Giving cards on Stewardship Sunday, October 25. We have received **28** cards totaling **$291,700** of estimated giving for 2027. If you have not turned in your Estimate of Giving, please pick up a card and drop in the boxes at the three entrances to the sanctuary. Links to the Stewardship letter and Estimate of Giving cards are here!
You also have the option to mail it in to the office, email a picture to finance@cumcshelby.org, or drop by the office during the week.
Thanks to each of you we will be able to continue worshiping, growing, and serving in 2027.

Prayer Concerns

For this week, please pray for the following:
*All of those recovering or suffering from medical issues, physical and emotional.

CUMC Family

1/16 Ollie Anthony
4/25 Becky and Steve Hill
8/16 John Juba, healing - cancer diagnosis
9/30 Anne Wray – recovering from shattered shoulder and surgery
10/13 Marilyn Henshaw - recovery from a fall

Family and Friends

3/30 Heidi Bishop Reuschling, sister of West Bishop - Complications from Long Covid
4/1 Parker Campbell deployment, Pilot on Aircraft Carrier to Middle East
6/9 Matt Arey - Cancer
6/14 Turner Morris - rodeo accident, is currently doing outpatient therapy at Shepards House in Georgia
7/19 Joyce Jackson, long-time Open Table guest - recovering from a stroke
8/10 Tyler Wray - Open Table volunteer - joining marines. Left for Parris Island in Aug.
8/22 Rick Mann, brother of Elaine Mann recovery from fall
8/30 Asher Sherfinski's Aunt, who is very sick and her husband who is also her caretaker
9/3 Connie Daman, eyesight recovery
9/14 Monica Noble's cousin's husband Joshua (started an 82-day chemo journey on 9/14) and her cousin Samantha and their three children Joshua Jr., Maddie and Sophie, all affected by this journey
9/27 Mrs. Louise Frazier, Bradley Ellis grandmother, who is widowed and struggling with loneliness and cognitive decline.
10/5 Shirley Eaker's newborn great-grandchild (in Wake Forest hospital with severe health issues)
10/5 Sympathy to the Family of Lynn Luce (Cassie Plaster's mother)
10/5 Sandy Carlton, beginning cancer treatment
10/23 Melinda Tessener, aneurysm, airlifted to Charlotte hospital
10/23 Kathy Tessener, hospice (mother of Melinda)

Youth Group Calendar

- **Sunday, November 1st** - Youth 5-7pm Messy
  - People Study - 4
- **Sunday, November 8th -** Youth 5-7pm Messy
  - People Study - 5
- **Sunday, November 15th -** Youth 5-7pm Messy
  - People Study - 6

Please see the link and QR code to sign up to feed our youth this fall. Thank you for your support going into this fall season!! https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0B49A4AB23A1FFC70-65411038-youth

Ministry Needs

Below is a list of volunteer and donation needs for some of our ministries:
Backpack Ministry: For November: **oatmeal/grits packets**
Open Table: **Water Bottles**

Early Advent Study

Join our women's Bible study group for an early Advent study by Dr. AJ Levine entitled "Light of the World". We'll be meeting on Thursdays at 9:30 am on 11/12, 11/19,12/3 and 12/10. Please contact Jessica Talbert (704) 692-3441 for more information.

Shelby Pride Fest
Saturday, November 7, 3-7pm

Bobby Bell Pavillion

Central UMC will have a table at the Shelby Pride Fest! We will be giving out free stickers and pens. If you would like to greet people our table for any amount of time, please let Caroline Scism know.





🗓️ **Friday, November 20 | 5:30–8:00 p.m.**
📍 **Central UMC Fellowship Hall**
👶 **Ages 3–11 | $12 per child**
We'll serve chicken nuggets, carrots, chips, and cookies, then enjoy a **VeggieTales movie on "vintage" DVD!** Bring a pillow and blanket for extra movie-night comfort.
Please register online in advance. Payment can be made online or in cash.
👉 **Register for Parents' Night Out**



Partnering Together for a Stronger Community!

Open Table and the SALI Project are partnering to sell T-shirts to support Chosen Generation House of Hope's Winter Family Emergency Shelter in Shelby. **Order Deadline:** November 15, 2026. **Expected Arrival:** December 2026 **Sign up:** After worship services on Sundays through November 15. Sign-up sheets will be available at the back of the church.