



# ARCHWAYS

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## WORSHIP TIMES

9:45 am

Sunday School

10:45 am

Worship Service

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## *From Pastor Mike....*

As I look at the February calendar, there are several things that pique my interest that I would like to share with you. On Sunday, February 8<sup>th</sup>, I will begin a new sermon series entitled "The Characteristics of the Christian Church". The foundation of this series is part of St. John the Divine's vision that he received from God while on the island called Patmos. This vision is recorded for us in Revelations 2:1 – 3:22. In these passages God offers an intimate look at seven churches from New Testament times. Each Sunday morning, we will be looking at an individual church and studying their strengths and weaknesses. As we move into and through Lent, it is my hope that these sermons will guide us all into a better understanding of what God has called the Christian Church to be and to do.

We will also gather as a church family on Wednesday evening, February 18<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 PM to celebrate Ash Wednesday. This is always a special time of worship as we begin the Lenten journey of confronting and dealing with our human nature and spirit as we move toward the celebration of Easter. Lent has historically been the time that Believers look once more at the profound depth and breadth of God's gift of salvation experienced through Christ's life and subsequent death upon the cross of Calvary. We look at the price Jesus paid for our sins, while celebrating the power of resurrection love that brought Him forth from death into life again, afresh and anew. Our goal is to arrive at Easter with a refreshed perspective and desire to serve God.

To further help us in this endeavor, I will be leading a Bible Study on a book entitled **One Another: The New Testament Prescription for Transformation**, written by David DeSilva. This book will explore how the family of God works together to help each individual Believer be transformed into the likeness of Christ. The basic premise is that the work of grace that transforms the Christian is not a singular event but one done in the context of the family of God which we call the church. In simple language, we all need each other to grow into the disciple God has called us to BECOME. This study will begin on Thursday morning, February 19<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall.

I invite you to participate in as many of these opportunities as you can in preparation for Easter. Worship with us. Study with us. And together, we can journey in a manner that will bring growth, transformation, and commitment. Let the adventure begin!

### **OUR SINCERE CONDOLENCES**

**- Reverend Richard Lowell Bryant (51) passed away at his home on December 29, 2025 after a short illness. He is the nephew of AMC members, Bobbie Finch and Mary Kidd, and the cousin of Rebecca Kidd. His parents are Roger and Bettie Bryant. Roger, Bettie and Richard are former members of AMC. Richard is also survived by his wife, Mary of 14 years, and their children, Amber Leigh Cruzate (Reuben), David Bryan "Chip) Novak III (Kathryn), Donald Brandon Novak, Jordan Elizabeth Yeatts (Corey), Caroline Brooke Novak and Mackenzie Paige Novak. He was a devoted grandfather to Gabriel, Lilly, Bethany, Kinsley, Harlan, Delaney, Rhett & Cecil.**

**A memorial service was held on Saturday, January 17, 2026 at 2pm at Memorial United Methodist Church in Thomasville. An additional service will be held later in the spring in Marshallberg, North Carolina. Richard pastured several churches in the eastern part of NC where he was an ordained minister with the United Methodist Church.**

**- AMC member, Carol Wallace, lost her brother-in-law, Dr. Hugh T. Wallace, on December 29, 2025 at Westchester Manor. He is survived by his former wife, Mary Ann Wallace, son, Hugh T. Wallace, Jr., brother, Dr. George M. Wallace and wife Nancy. His nephews are George M. Wallace, Jr., Dr. Larry Maxwell, Charles D. Wallace, Jr. and Stephen Wallace. His service was held January 11, 2026 at 2:30pm at Emerywood Baptist Church in High Point.**

**- On December 28, 2025 The George Elder Sunday School Class learned that \$\$ class member, Janice Foley, lost her son, Mark D. Foley (44), on October 23, 2025 at Accent Care in Milton, Mass. Mark's survivors also include his father, Stephen Foley and sister, Michelle Foley Perr. Mark's service was held November 2, 2025 at 2pm at the Alfred D. Thomas Funeral Home in Milton, Mass. Burial was private.**

**- AMC member, Susan Stewart, lost her sister-in-law Frances Dunlap, on January 1, 2026 with her loving husband, Page by her side. She left behind her four sons; Christopher, Erik, Benjamin and Andrew Dunlap. Frances loved ones also included her 7 grandchildren. She has four siblings; brothers, Danny and Michael, and her sisters, Lydia and Rachel. The family will have a private service at a later date.**

***We extend our sympathy to these families as life is different in 2026  
without their loved one.***

## **LOSS OF ARCHDALE METHODIST CHURCH MEMBER**

Angielene “Angie” Minter Glascock passed away December 27, 2025 and was received back into God’s loving arms. Angie joined the church June 4, 2000 on confession of faith. She was a long time member of the Friendship Sunday School Class and treasured the bond she had with the class members. Angie joined the Archdale Methodist Women November 11, 2013 and was currently in the Tuesday Morning Methodist Women’s unit. She had served as our mission pledge treasurer.

She is survived by her four children – Valerie Glascock, Karen Harris (Wayne), Russell Glascock (Linn) and Bo Glascock (Pam). Also surviving is her sister, Stevie Smith and six grandchildren, Jennifer Hall, Krista Picard, Brad Baity, Sarah Wilhelm, Logan Glascock and Luke Glascock as well as several great grandchildren.

Her funeral service was held on Friday, January 2, 2026, at 2pm at Archdale Methodist Church with Pastor Mike Lee and Pastor Rich Tuttle officiating. Committal followed at Holly Hill Cemetery in Thomasville.

**We share in the loss of Angie with this family.**



### **STEPHEN MINISTRY**

Stephen Ministers provide ongoing Christian care to people experiencing a wide range of life needs or crises, including: the hospitalized, the terminally ill, those bereaved, the divorced or separated, the elderly, the disabled or handicapped, those in a job crisis, the lonely and discouraged, first-time parents, empty nesters, the sandwich generation, new member of our congregation or community, and those in spiritual crisis. These are obvious needs. But there are also less obvious needs for which a person could benefit from the care of a Stephen Minister. There is the quiet sufferer, the unnoticed one. This may be someone who encounters a series of smaller losses, stresses, or problems - any one of which he or she could normally take in stride - but when added together pose a bigger challenge. It could also be someone simply affected by the timing of a certain loss. The loss itself may not normally be significant, but when taken in the context of the person's life situation at that point in time, it may be much more difficult to handle. Another need is that of family members of a person in crisis, such as a spouse, sibling, child or parent of someone who has been unexpectedly incapacitated by an accident, illness, or some other happening. Life changing events affect every member of a family. There are many people whose lives have been overlooked or are not obvious. If you or someone you know would benefit by talking with a Stephen Minister, please call Peggy Johnson (336-259-9841).

Memorials

*In Memory of Richard Bryant  
Given by Hoyt & Kay Nichols*

*In Memory of Mark Foley  
Given by the George Elder Sunday  
School Class*

*In Memory of Angie Glascock  
Given by:  
Hoyt & Kay Nichols  
AMC Methodist Women*

Honorariums

*In Honor of the George Elder  
Sunday School Class Teachers:  
Blain Alurian  
Norman Askew  
Gary Hunt  
Larry Lawson  
Given by the George Elder Sunday  
School Class*

# Happy Birthday

02/01 Gene Hiatt  
02/01 Kathryn O'Connor  
02/02 Christy Allen  
02/02 Nita Coltrane  
02/02 Sandy Foster  
02/02 Linda Haithcock  
02/02 Melinda Peele  
02/02 Stephanie Tickle  
02/04 Donna Mollenkopf  
02/04 Amy Sellers  
02/04 John Stewart  
02/06 Dorothy Creech  
02/07 Liz Dorman  
02/07 Zach Krpejs  
02/07 Trey Moser  
02/08 Carole Boyd  
02/08 Connor Gardner  
02/08 Tina McKinney  
02/09 Greg Allen  
02/09 Devin Du  
02/09 Latisha Kish  
02/09 Tammy Pittman  
02/09 Madeline Work  
02/10 Gail Lawson  
02/11 Rachel Jackson  
02/11 Beth Todd  
02/12 Hugh Presswood  
02/13 Leah Du  
02/13 Kameryn Walden  
02/15 Michael Fedler  
02/15 Alex Sheeley

02/16 Spencer Mann  
02/16 Nicholas Owens  
02/16 Kathryn Romano  
02/17 Chuck Liebscher  
02/17 Melissa Smith  
02/17 Shirley Snow  
02/17 Spencer White  
02/18 Shiloh Hollifield  
02/18 Sherry Sechrest  
02/18 Jennipher Swanner  
02/19 Sharon Carpenter  
02/20 Kenzie Mann  
02/20 David Warren  
02/21 Tim Kennedy  
02/21 Jessica Stevens  
02/25 Angelica Conroy  
02/26 Michelle Felder  
02/27 Justin Rose



**COAT Sunday**

**Feb. 22**

**COAT needs big boxes of cereal and  
spaghetti sauce**



Hello February Archdale families. I would LOVE to tell you what our kids have been doing and what is happening in February. Our kids have been studying the Full Armor of God and a big congratulations to MacKenzie Barefoot, Jackson and Noah Hunt, and Judah Hollifield for memorizing Eph. 6:11 their first scripture challenge. We also enjoyed a spaghetti 🍝 dinner with our families and Game night. In February we are looking forward to kids meeting on February 1st from 4 to 5 in the children's wing for more fun fellowship, challenges and craft. On February 14th is the Winter Jam concert at the Greensboro coliseum. This is an amazing time of worship with the various christian artists. Anyone interested in going please let me know Joanna Hollifield 336-542-6146 if you would in carpooling if possible as parking costs \$20 per car. Ticket cost for concert is \$15. What better way to spend Valentine's than the ones you love in worship 💕. FEBRUARY 15TH the kids are inviting all who would love to attend a Valentine's tea in true southern charm tradition. Serving Tea and hors d'oeuvres. Come just as you are with your best Valentine and or Galentine for a lovely afternoon of fellow and fun. Tea time is 3pm to 5pm in the fellowship hall.

### Where We Were Last Month

Date	Offering Received	Budget Amount Received to Date	Budget Amount Needed to Date	Week #	Sunday School	Worship Attendance	Facebook
01/04/2026	\$3,433.00	\$3,433.00	\$5,706.06	1	75	100	14
01/11/2026	\$2,901.00	\$6,334.00	\$11,412.12	2	77	84	12
01/18/2026	\$2,626.00	\$8,960.00	\$17,118.18	3	63	94	6
01/25/2026	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$22,824.24	4	No	Services -	Ice Storm

### Capital Improvements Fund

Given in Jan:       \$390.00  
 Received to date: \$390.00