

COMMUNITY NEWS

Welcome to worship at Wake Forest Baptist Church. We are a welcoming and affirming congregation, welcoming all people, no matter your race, economic status, gender expression, or sexual orientation into full membership and leadership. If you are a visitor, please take a moment to fill out a visitor card with your name and contact information and tell us how you're doing.

Today the Congregational Care Council is leading us in receiving an offering for our denominational partner, the Alliance of Baptists. We'll be hearing from some of our congregants about what the Alliance means to them, and we hope you'll consider making a gift.

Next Sunday is the first Sunday of the month. We'll celebrate the **baptism of Skye Harris together.** We will also receive our hunger offering of cash, designated checks, or food items which will go to fight hunger locally.

Our new office phone number is 336-860-0777.

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CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES

Sunday, April 29 Fifth Sunday of Easter

- 9:45 Sunday School Classes
- 11:00 Worship in Wait Chapel
- 12:00 Reception in the Narthex

Sunday, May 6 Sixth Sunday of Easter

- 9:45 Sunday School Classes
- 11:00 Worship in Wait Chapel
Baptism of Skye Harris
- 12:00 Reception in the Narthex
- 12:30 Congregational Care Council, Balcony Room



Wake Forest Baptist Church is a progressive, welcoming and affirming Christian community committed to Jesus Christ. We value prophetic worship, thoughtful religious education, social justice, and peacemaking.



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WAKE FOREST BAPTIST CHURCH

April 29, 2018

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FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER

GATHERING

Preparation for Worship

Prelude *Be Thou My Vision* Kelly Hammond
arranged by Martha Mier

* **Call to Worship** *(bold in unison)* Sam Lawrence
We gather together in the presence of God,
the Lord of heaven and earth;
the Creator of our world and everything in it;
the One, who gave us life and breath,
the One, who is never far away from any of us,
the One in whom we live and move and have our being.
Let us worship God together!

* **Hymn of Praise # 61** *All Things Bright and Beautiful* ROYAL OAK

* **Opening Prayer** Christie Dalton

SHARING

* **Passing the Peace of Christ**

* **Gathering Hymn** *Make Us One* MAKE US ONE
*Make us one, Lord, make us one.
Holy Spirit, make us one.
Let your love flow so the world will know,
we are one in you.*

Voices of Today Dick Barnett

Prayers of the People

Offering Hymn # 500 *God Made from One Blood* ST. DENIO

Offertory *Andante in G Major*
Francois Couperin

* **Giving Our Tithes and Offerings** LASST UNS ERFREUEN
*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures high and low.
Alleluia! Alleluia!*

*Praise God, in Jesus fully known:
Creator, Word, and Spirit one.
Alleluia! Alleluia!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!*

* **Offertory Prayer**

PROCLAIMING

Lesson from the Acts of the Apostles Acts 17:16-31

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord. All: **Thanks be to God.**

Anthem *Prayer* Chancel Choir
Engelbert Humperdink

Sermon *How Do You Not Know?* Lia Scholl

RESPONDING

* **Responsive Hymn # 670** *All Who Love and Serve Your City* CHARLESTOWN
*We invite you to commit your life to Christ as a disciple and to join our church
as a member. You may also wish to reaffirm your faith in Christ or make other commitments.
You are welcome to come forward at this time.*

Announcements and Welcoming New Members

* **Sung Benediction # 689** *We Are Not Our Own* BLAENWERN

* **Benediction**

Postlude *This Is the Day the Lord Hath Made* Kelly Hammond
Friedrich Hark

* *Please stand, whether in body or in spirit.*