

## The Coming Weeks at a Glance

February 23 <sup>rd</sup>	TUES	Stewardship and Finance
February 23 <sup>rd</sup>	TUES	Nominations (CANCELLED)
March 2 <sup>nd</sup>	TUES	Ministry Services & Membership Care

## Worship Helpers

Acolyte	Landon
Acolyte next week	Mackenzie
Greeters today	No Greeters
Greeters next week	No Greeters
Nursery today	No Nursery
Nursery next week	No Nursery
Scripture Reader	Hannah
Scripture Reader next week	Nancy
February Card Person	Kelly
Counters	Connie & Jane
Counters next week	Ken & Jynelle
Ushers for February	Dale, Dennis, Mark
Ushers for March	Chris, Carol, Vickie
Head Usher	Ron
Assistant Head Usher	Craig
Sound Technician	Steve
Organist	Nancy

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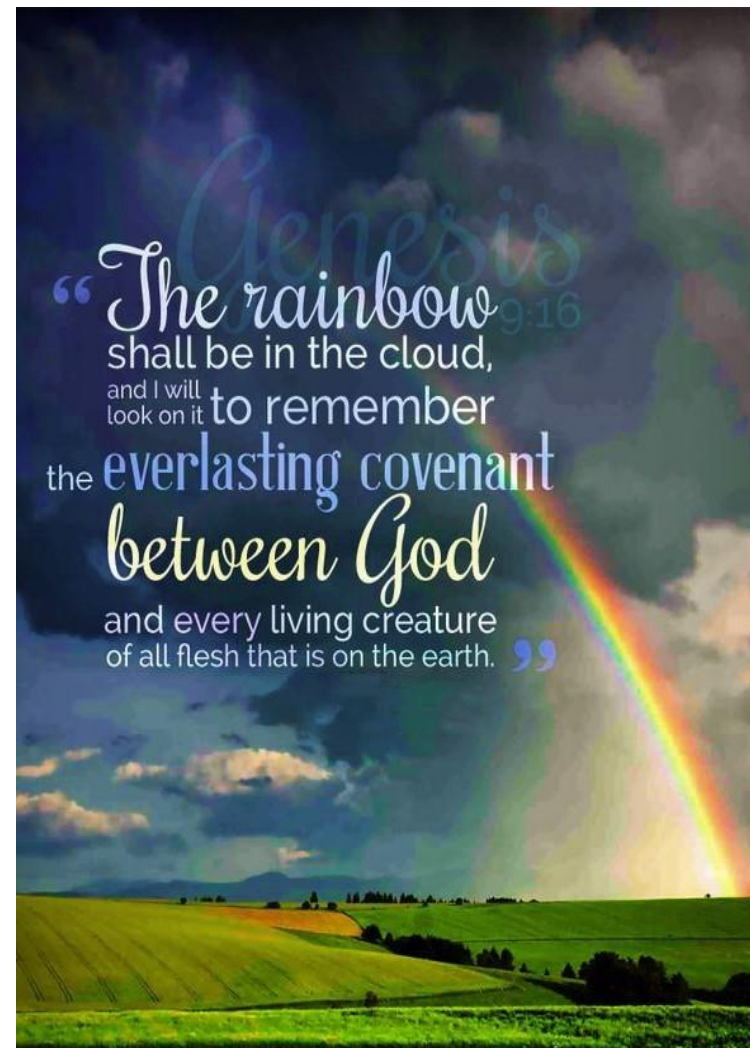
### Attendance and Financial Information as of February 14, 2021

Worship: 24                      Sunday school:  
Envelopes and Plate: \$1,008.00      Sunday school: \$0.00

Amounts include electronic giving through February 14, 2021  
Total Budgeted Amount: \$25,457 Received to Date: \$18,392  
(Total budgeted amount: 13.46% Received amount: 10.56%)  
Shares of Ministry are paid through December 2020

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**Welcome!**  
**Balls Mills United Methodist Church**  
**February 21, 2021**



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**PRE-SERVICE PRAYER AT 8:30 AM** (Pastor's Office)

**THE PRELUDE** "Ever Faithful, Ever Near" By: Franklin Ritter

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**SERVICE OF THE ACOLYTE:** Let the light of Christ come in.

**HYMN:** "This is My Father's World"<sup>1</sup> #144 (on screen)

**SCRIPTURE READING:** Genesis 9:8-17 Hannah

**JOYS AND CONCERNS:** For these things, we hold in our hearts.

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**CHILDREN'S TIME**

**OFFERING AND OFFERTORY** "Jesus is My Life" By: Todd Kendal

**DOXOLOGY**

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"<sup>2</sup> #95(on screen)

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**SCRIPTURE READING:** Act 3:1-10 Hannah

**SERMON:** "What We Want vs. What God Has Given"  
Pastor Weems

**INVITATION OF DISCIPLESHIP**

**HYMN:** "Trust in You"<sup>3</sup> (on screen)

By: Lauren Daigle, Michael Farren, Paul Mabury

Performed By: Lauren Daigle

**PASTORAL BENEDICTION**

**CHORAL BENEDICTION:** "Shalom to You"<sup>4</sup> #666

**SERVICE OF THE ACOLYTE:** Take the light of Christ into the world.



**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The church will be providing a meal for Sojourner Truth's Saturday Dinner Church. The dinner will be provided on Saturday, March 13, 2021 and donations will need to be dropped off at the church by 10AM on Saturday, March 13<sup>th</sup>. The items needed are listed below. A spreadsheet was created that can be accessed and edited by anyone who has the link. Please feel free to use the spreadsheet to sign up for what you would like to bring. You can just add your name next to the item and the spreadsheet will update, no need to save anything. If you are not able to update the spreadsheet please feel free to call or email the church or Jynelle Gaines. Thank you for your support of this worthy cause!

**Lasagna:** 10 pans/ fully cooked and ready to eat

**Salad:** 2 large plastic containers of spring greens, tomatoes, carrots, cucumbers, celery

**Salad Dressing:** 1 large ranch and 1 large Italian

**Butter:** 2 pounds

**Tea:** 1 large mix canister

**Coffee:** 2 5 lb. cans

**Cookies:** 10 dozen any kind

The link to open and edit the spreadsheet is [https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1eOGaN1BOsaGymMdAWeKta8gX7y\\_0QiV62jTVMRQnBQM/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1eOGaN1BOsaGymMdAWeKta8gX7y_0QiV62jTVMRQnBQM/edit?usp=sharing)

<sup>1</sup> CCLI Song #3163379 CCLI License #1894594

<sup>2</sup> CCLI Song #56204 CCLI License #1894594

<sup>3</sup> CCLI Song #7025522 CCLI License #1894594

<sup>4</sup> CCLI Song #114122 CCLI License #1894594



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