

## Announcements and Activities

We have several events today:

- The Girl Scouts will have their luncheon directly following the worship service; they will have steak tips in gravy, sides, desserts and drinks for \$10.00 per plate. Come and enjoy great food and fellowship and help these hard-working young ladies. They appreciate your continued support.
- The Youth Fellowship will eat lunch here and play kickball afterward instead of meeting at 5:00 pm.
- The Stewardship Committee will meet after the 11:00 am worship service in the Seekers' classroom. Laura Watson from the Moravian Ministries Foundation in America will be here to speak to the committee and answer questions.
- Adult handbells will resume today at 3:00 pm.
- There will be a CEC meeting at 4:00 pm in the Seeker's classroom.

Rev. Wayne Byerly is leading another Bible Study on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm. The study is scheduled to wrap up by the middle of November prior to the holiday season. Everyone is welcome! Come, and bring a friend!

Events for next Sunday, September 24:

- Children's church will return during the 11:00 am worship service for children in kindergarten thru fifth grade.
- The Mission Committee will meet in the Seeker's classroom after the worship service.
- At 3:00 pm, Friedland will host a service for Angelica Regalado-Cieza as she is consecrated as a presbyter. There will be a band prelude at 2:30 pm and a reception in the fellowship hall after the service.

If anyone over 16 is interested in working in the infant or toddler nursery during the worship service, please contact Christy Alphin. She would like to have someone once a month if possible so she, Jodie and Debbie can attend the worship service. If several people are interested, they can rotate so no one has to do it every month.

Sunnyside Ministry is having their 45th anniversary lovefeast here Sunday, October 8 at 3:00 pm. They are in critical need of food, especially these items: canned fruit, peanut butter, canned soup, canned meat and crackers. We will collect food for Sunnyside thru Sunday, October 8 so they can take the food back with them after the lovefeast. You can leave food donations on or under the table across from the mailboxes. There will also be an offering taken up for Sunnyside at the lovefeast.

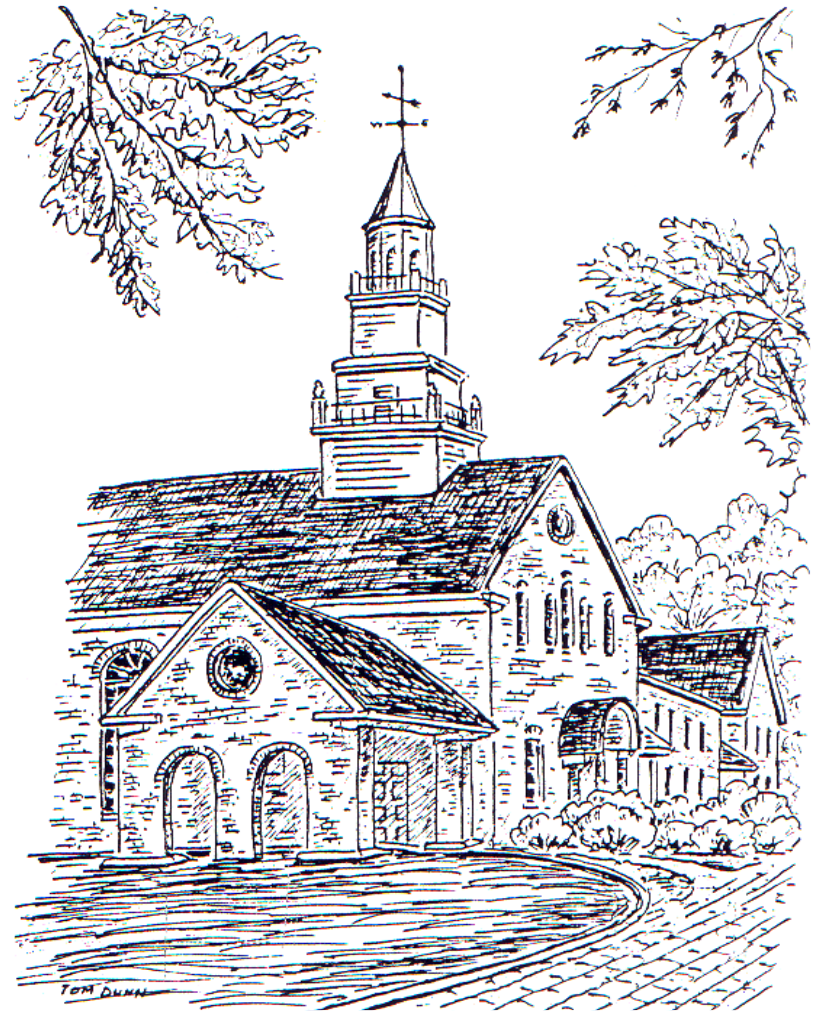
## Friedland Moravian Church

**Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost**

**September 17, 2023**

**Worship 11:00 AM**

Our purpose is to make the Lord Jesus Christ a reality in the lives of people.



The Rev. John G. Rights, Pastor  
2750 Friedland Church Road - Winston-Salem, NC 27107  
336-788-2652 - [www.friedlandmoravian.org](http://www.friedlandmoravian.org)

## Order of Service

**Prelude**                      “The King of Love”                      Kogut

### Welcome and Announcements

**Hymn**                      “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty”                      Insert

**Responsive Reading**                      Psalm 25                      Insert

**Scripture**                      Psalm 103:1-13                      Insert  
    Romans 14:1-12                      Insert

### Offertory Prayer

**Offertory Anthem**    Brass Ensemble

**Doxology**                      Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
    Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
    Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;  
    Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost! Amen.

**Hymn**                      “Where Charity and Love Prevail”                      Insert

**Scripture**                      Matthew 18:21-35                      Insert

### Message

**Hymn**                      “Blessed Be the Tie That Binds”                      Insert

### Benediction

**Postlude**                      “Lord, Whose Love in Humble Service”                      Tate

**Watchword for the Week:** Bless the Lord, O my soul, and do not forget all his benefits. Psalm 103:2

**Mission Prayer Focus:** Pray for Robert and Anne Thiessen.

The flowers for the service today are dedicated to the Glory of God and are in loving memory of Bessie and George Hedgecock and Mary Lee Boyan by their family.

**Please place your offering in one of the designated areas before or after the service.**

*At the request of the Elders, in order to preserve a reverent spirit of worship, please silence your cell phone, refrain from taking pictures, and do not bring food or drink into the sanctuary.*

<b>Sunday, September 17</b> 9:45 am Choir Practice 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship Service Outside 12:00 pm Girl Scouts' Luncheon 12:00 pm Stewardship Committee Mtg 3:00 pm Adult Handbells 4:00 pm CEC Meeting <b>Wednesday, September 20</b> 7:00 pm Bible Study	<b>Sunday, September 24</b> 9:45 am Choir Practice 10:00 am Sunday School 11:00 am Worship Service - Children's Church Resumes 12:00 pm Mission Committee Meeting 3:00 pm Angelica Regalado-Cieza Presbyterian Consecration 5:00 pm Youth Fellowship
--	---

## Flower Calendar

September 24	Friedland Daycare
October 1 (Communion)	Kim Harris

## Usher Calendar

September 24	Team 3
October 1	Team 4

## Last Week's Attendance

144

## Last Week's Offering

\$5,557.90

<b>Pastor - Rev. John G. Rights</b> <b>Administrative Assistant - Sandy Sisk</b> Phone: (336) 788-2652 - Email: office@friedlandmoravian.org	
<b>Head Sacristan - Chris Weavil</b> (336) 391-5844 <b>Assistant Sacristan - Adam Logan</b> (336) 362-5940 <b>Band Director - Robert Alphin</b> (336) 602-9982 <b>Choir Director - Nancy Sawtelle</b> (336) 414-5230	<b>Handbell Director - Karen Strausser</b> (336) 830-2558 <b>Organist - Elsa Heckman</b> (321) 536-4823 <b>Acolyte - Dwight Crotts</b> (336) 978-5604 <b>Childcare Director - Stephanie Vogler</b> (336) 788-8433