

## Announcements

Sun. Oct. 10 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday School	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
	"In the Beginning....." John 1:1-18	
	Choir Practice	2:00 p.m.
Mon. Oct. 11 <sup>th</sup>	Long Range Planning Meeting	11:00 a.m.
Tue. Oct. 12 <sup>th</sup>	Leadership Meeting	4:00 p.m.
Sun. Oct. 17 <sup>th</sup>	Sunday School	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
	"Just Old Water Pots" John 2:1-11	
	Choir Practice	2:00 p.m.

## Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes

Collection Week is November 15-22, 2021

There are 2 ways you can help!



1. You can pick up a box in the back of the sanctuary, pack it and enclose \$9.00 for each box for shipping.

2. You can build a box online for \$25.00 using the link below, or you can make a check out to the church and we will purchase the box for you.

<https://www.samaritanspurse.org/operation-christmas-child/buildonline/>



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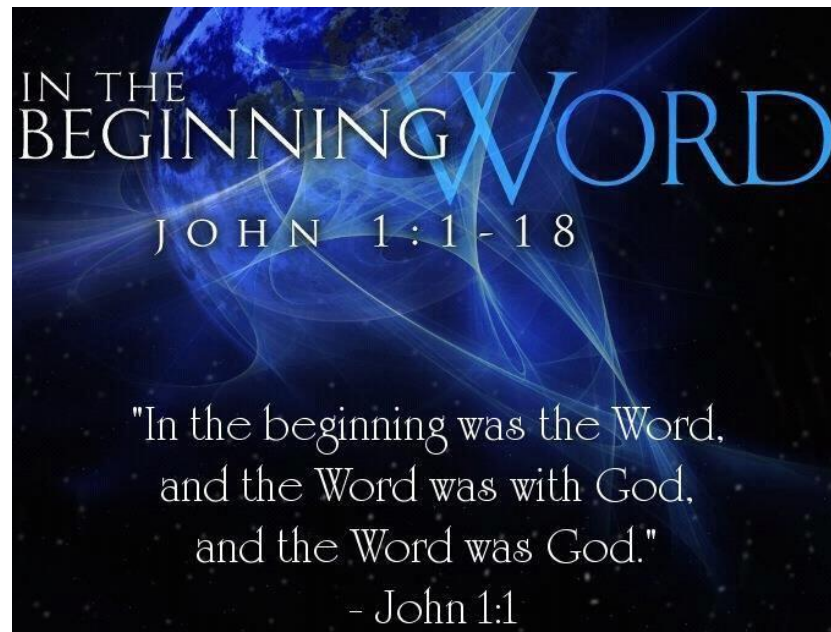
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# SPILMAN MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

601 Madison Avenue, Kinston, NC 28501

October 10, 2021

We will be broadcasting via Facebook Live  
from the Sanctuary at 10:30 a.m.



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## *The Worship of God – October 10, 2021*

Meditation and Silent Prayer

Prelude .....Michael Cowan and Michell S. Eguez  
Hymns of Faith

Welcome, Announcements, and Concerns .....Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

### **PRAISE AND ADORATION**

Call to Worship ..... Hymn 3  
*Worthy of Worship* by Terry W. York

1. Worthy of worship, worthy of praise,  
Worthy of honor and glory;  
Worthy of all the glad songs we can sing,  
Worthy of all the offerings we bring.

*Chorus:*

You are worthy, Father, Creator.  
You are worthy, Savior, Sustainer.  
You are worthy, worthy and wonderful;  
Worthy of worship and praise.

2. Worthy of rev'rence, worthy of fear,  
Worthy of love and devotion;  
Worthy of bowing and bending of knees,  
Worthy of all this and added to these.

*Chorus*

3. Almighty Father, Master and Lord,  
King of all kings and Redeemer,  
Wonderful Counselor, Comforter, Friend,  
Savior and Source of our life without end.

*Chorus*

Prayer of Adoration and Invocation .....Pat Moore

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*God the Son*

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. The same was in the beginning with God.

**All things were made by Him; and without Him  
was not anything made that was made.**

In Him was life; and the life was the light of men.

**And the light shineth in darkness;  
and the darkness comprehended it not.**

He was in the world, and the world was made by Him,  
and the world knew Him not.

**He came unto His own, and His own received Him not.**

But as many as received Him, to them gave He power  
to become the sons of God, even to them that believe on His name:

**Which were born, not of blood, nor of the will of the flesh,  
nor of the will of man, but of God.**

And the Word was made flesh, and dwelt among us,  
(and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the only begotten  
of the Father,) full of grace and truth.

**For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son,  
that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish,  
but have everlasting life.**

Hymn of Majesty and Power.....Hymn 5  
*All People That on Earth Do Dwell* by Terry W. York

1. All people that on earth do dwell,  
Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice;  
Him serve with fear, His praise forth-tell;  
Come ye before Him and rejoice.
2. The Lord, ye know, is God indeed,  
Without our aid He did us make;  
We are His folk, He doth us feed,  
And for His sheep He doth us take.

3. O enter then His gates with praise,  
Approach with joy His courts unto;  
Praise, laud, and bless His name always,  
For it is seemly so to do.

4. 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.

### WORSHIP THROUGH WORD AND PRAYER

Scripture Reading .....John 1:1-18

Prayer of Intercession .....Dr. Dew  
(Please review our prayer list and pray for those listed.)

Children's Lesson.....*Jesus Dwelling Among Us*



Theme: Jesus came from heaven to live on earth.

Object: Pictures of different types of dwellings  
(house, log cabin, apartment, igloo, teepee, house  
boat, mobile home, etc)

Scripture: *The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.* John 1:14 (NIV)

Show the kids pictures of the different kinds of housing people have lived in throughout the ages. Ask them if people still live in them today. An igloo-Who lived in igloos? Do you think Eskimos still live-in igloos? Did you know that Eskimos never really lived in igloos, they were temporary shelters? When they went hunting for food or on trips for other reasons, they would build an igloo to sleep in then, but they didn't really live in them. A teepee-Who lived in teepees? Do you think Indians still live-in teepees? No, today Indians no longer live-in teepees. Some people might use a teepee for camping, but people don't live in them today.

Next ask them where they live. In a house, a condo, an apartment, etc. Do you like your house? It's probably pretty nice, and keeps you warm and gives you a place to play.

Today we hear about Jesus coming to "*dwell among us.*" John 1 tells us "*The Word (which is Jesus) became flesh and made his dwelling among us.*" You know what it really cool about this? When Jesus came to dwell among us, he lived just like the people of his time did. He lived in the same type of housing, he went to school, he ate the same food they did, he had a job. He lived just like the people he was with. If he were to come today, he might move into the house next to yours, drive a car like your family has, cut the grass. He lived and acted just like you and I do.

Do you know what's really cool about his? Jesus really could have had whatever he wanted. He could have come and lived in a mansion, eaten all the best food, and had the best toys—But he didn't. He chose to live just like you and I, but he didn't, so that we would be able to get to know him.

Children's Sermon is from [www.sermons4kids.com](http://www.sermons4kids.com))

Hymn of Love, Mercy and Grace.....Hymn 16  
*O Worship the King* by William Kethe and Thomas Ken

1. O worship the King, all glorious above,  
And gratefully sing His wonderful love;  
Our Shield and Defender, the Ancient of Days,  
Pavilioned in splendor, and girded with praise.
2. O tell of His might, O sing of His grace,  
Whose robe is the light, whose canopy space!  
His chariots of wrath the deep thunderclouds form,  
And dark is His path on the wings of the storm.
3. Thy bountiful care what tongue can recite?  
It breathes in the air, it shines in the light,  
It streams from the hills, it descends to the plain,  
And sweetly distills in the dew and the rain.

4. Frail children of dust, and feeble as frail,  
In Thee do we trust, nor find Thee to fail:  
Thy mercies how tender, how firm to the end,  
Our Maker, Defender, Redeemer, and Friend.

### WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC AND GIVING



**An offering plate is placed in the vestibule for your tithes and offerings. You may also use the enclosed envelope in your weekly packet to mail your tithes and offerings to the church.**

Special Music .....Chancel Choir  
*Still He Came* by Johnny Coe

Instrumental Music .....Michael Cowan and Michell S. Eguez  
*Leaning on the Everlasting Arms* arr. by Anna Laura Page

### WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

	<p><b>In the Beginning...</b></p> <p>John 1:1-18</p> <p>Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.</p>
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### WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT

Hymn of Creation and Providence.....Hymn 54  
*Great Is Thy Faithfulness* by Thomas O. Chisholm

1. Great is Thy faithfulness, O God, my Father,  
There is no shadow of turning with Thee;  
Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not;  
As Thou hast been, Thou forever wilt be.

*Refrain:*  
Great is Thy faithfulness! Great is Thy faithfulness!  
Morning by morning new mercies I see;  
All I have needed, Thy hand hath provided;  
Great is Thy faithfulness, Lord unto me!

2. Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest,  
Sun, moon, and stars in their courses above  
Join with all nature in manifold witness  
To Thy great faithfulness, mercy, and love.  
*Refrain*

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth,  
Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide;  
Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow,  
Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!  
*Refrain*

Benediction .....Dr. Dew

Postlude .....Michael Cowan and Michell S. Eguez  
Hymn of Faith



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