

September 20, 2026

Guest Minister	The Reverend Dr. Daniel W. Massie	
Worship Leader	Garland Honeycutt	
Flowers	Scottie and Richard Bowers	
Ushers	Meredith and Kelly Graves	
Minister's Hospitality	Scottie and Richard Bowers	
Refreshments	Meredith and Kelly Graves	
Communion Servers	Mindy Hanna	Lee Hanna
	Diana Shelton	Steve Shelton
Music	Catherine Garner	
Bagpiper	Ella Markland	

Website

Please visit the Wee Kirk website (www.weekirk.org) for information about our visiting ministers, church history, and benevolence. For information about volunteering, call or text Carol Cookerly at 404-216-0319. Past sermons also can be found on the website. For more information about sermon recordings, call or text Nancy Wechsler 214-609-0654.

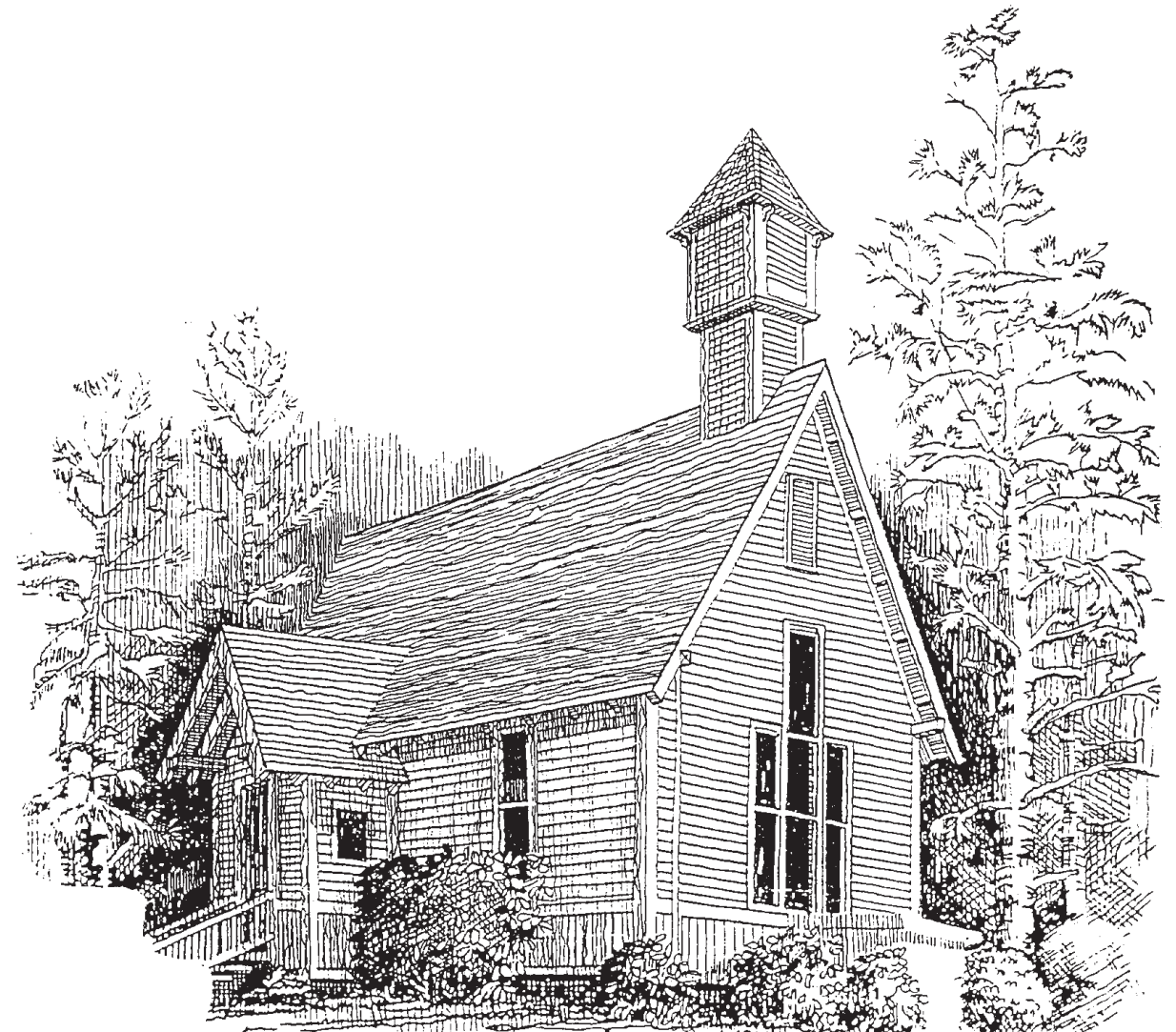
Outreach

The vast majority of our gifts and offerings go to our Outreach Program, the focus of which is to serve the children and families in Avery County. Through your generosity, we provide funding for tutors in classrooms, swimming lessons for Pre-K and 2nd graders, essential needs, medical care, and enrichment programs, along with scholarship stipends for some Mayland Community College students. Thank you for your support.

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Circa 1895

GUEST MINISTER

The Reverend Dr. Daniel W. Massie

With pleasure today we welcome The Reverend Dr. Daniel W. Massie and his wife Tita.

Danny retired in 2015 after eighteen years as the Senior Pastor of First (Scots) Presbyterian Church in Charleston, SC. Previous pastorates were in Norfolk, VA, Vicksburg, MS and Kingsport, TN. Since Retirement he has served as an Interim Pastor in Orangeburg, SC, Greensboro, NC, Mount Pleasant, SC and Barnet, VT.

A native of Mississippi, he is a graduate of Belhaven University and Union Presbyterian Seminary and did post graduate study at New College in Edinburgh, Scotland.

He and Tita have three children and six grandchildren and reside on Sullivans Island, SC.

This is our final service for 2026 and has been another summer of outstanding ministers and worship here at Wee Kirk. We have enjoyed a season of bountiful giving, furthering our mission of serving Avery County’s children and families. Thank you so much for your generosity and for all the Wee Kirk volunteers who always say “yes”. Watch your mailboxes as we will announce our 2027 ministers in the Spring. As always, we look forward to the next time we get together and we urge you to please come and bring a friend.

ORDER OF SERVICE

SEPTEMBER 20, 2026

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LET US PREPARE OUR HEARTS (Please remain seated)
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place. I can feel His mighty power and His grace. I can hear the brush of angels’ wings. I see glory on each face. Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place.

CALL TO WORSHIP
Leader: Creator God, because you make all that draws forth our praise and the forms in which to express it.

Congregation: We praise you.
Leader: Because you make artists of us all, awakening courage to look again at what is taken for granted, grace to share these insights with others, vision to reveal the future already in being.

Congregation: We praise you.
Leader: Because you form your Word among us, and in your great work embrace all human experience, even death itself, inspiring our resurrection song.

Congregation: Yours is the glory. Amen

* HYMN NO. 464 *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION AND ASSURANCE OF PARDON
Our Father, forgive us for thinking small thoughts of you and for ignoring your immensity and greatness. Lord Jesus, forgive us when we forget that you rule the nations and our small lives. Holy Spirit, we offend you in minimizing your power and squandering your gifts. We confess that our blindness to your glory, O triune God, has resulted in shallow confession, tepid conviction, and only mild repentance. Have mercy upon us. In Jesus name. Amen

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Psalm 8*

NEW TESTAMENT READING *Acts 17:22-34*

SERMON *“Delighting in the Lord”*

* **THE APOSTLE’S CREED**

OFFERING AND *DOXOLOGY

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

* **HYMN NO. 467** *How Great Thou Art*

* **BENEDICTION**

** Those who are able please stand.*