

11/03 Michelle Myers 11/04 Marie Beeson 11/04 Jonathan Farlow

11/06 Cole Gragg 11/07 Janice Zachary 11/07 Michael Bradshaw 11/08 Hallie Gaster 11/09 Chloe Ferguson



11/06 Cody & Paige Clark 11/07 Doug & Lynn Moody

Weekly Worship Attendance

 $Sunday\ October\ 26th,\ 2025$ $10:30\ Worship-Inside-98\ Children's\ Church-N/A\quad Nursery-1$ $Youth\ Worship/Refuel-N/A\qquad Drive-in/Outside-2$ $Total\ for\ Worship=101$

Stewardship

Totals for Sun. Oct 26th - \$5,467 YTD - \$226,674 (+\$15,759) 2025 Weekly Budget Required - \$4,904.64 2025 Annual Budget Required - \$255,041.00

Cemetery Endowment Donations

Total donated to date is \$ **45,500.00**. (Goal: \$50,000.00 that will be matched up to \$50,000.00)

Welcome to Marlboro Friends Meeting!
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Sunday, November 2nd, 2025

2668 Marlboro Church Rd. Sophia, NC 27350

Christ is at the center of
Marlboro Friends Meeting
Directing our members to grow in the Spirit,
To worship Him through our lives,
And to set an example
By ministering to the needs of those
We meet in our daily walk.

Worship Theme 2025:

"Acknowledging Jesus as Our Savior and Lord"

Theme Verse: Mark 8: 29

'But What About You?', Jesus asked. 'Who Do You Say That I Am?'

Marlboro Friends Meeting Order of Worship for Sunday November 2nd, 2025

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10:00 to 10:30am - Greeting Time - for all attending the Drive-in Service

Drive – In Worship - Please tune your radio to **94.3** for the worship service.

Scripture and Opening Prayer

Psalm 51: 10 – Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.

Prelude "Open the Eyes of My Heart & Amazing Grace" Kathy Walden

Call to Worship "Jesus, Son of God" Marlboro Messengers

Welcome and Announcements Ministry & Counsel

Congregational Hymn # 106 "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name"

Friendly Communion

Psalm 122: 1 – "I rejoiced with those who said to me, 'Let us go to the house of the Lord.""

Offertory "Hymn Medley" Kathy Walden

Praises and Prayers

Special Music "Hand It Over" Marlboro Messengers

Open Worship

Scripture Readings Psalm 51: 1 – 19, Hosea 6: 6 and Ephesians 4: 30

Message "Cleanse, Restore and Use My Life to Glorify You"

Congregational Hymn "Victory in Jesus"

Closing Prayer

Postlude "Change My Heart, O God" Kathy Walden

Enter Prepared to Worship. Leave Prepared to Serve.

Scriptures for Today

Psalm 51: 1 - 19

"For the director of music. A psalm of David. When the prophet Nathan came to him after David had committed adultery with Bathsheba."

1 Have mercy on me. O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions. 2 Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin. 3 For I know my transgressions, and my sin is always before me. 4 Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight; so you are right in your verdict and justified when you judge. 5 Surely I was sinful at birth, sinful from the time my mother conceived me. 6 Yet you desired faithfulness even in the womb; you taught me wisdom in that secret place. **7** Cleanse me with hyssop, and I will be clean: wash me, and I will be whiter than snow. 8 Let me hear joy and gladness; let the bones you have crushed rejoice. 9 Hide your face from my sins and blot out all my iniquity. 10 Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. 11 Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me. 12 Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me. 13 Then I will teach transgressors your ways, so that sinners will turn back to you. 14 Deliver me from the quilt of bloodshed. O God, you who are God my Savior, and my tongue will sing of your righteousness. 15 Open my lips, Lord, and my mouth will declare your praise. 16 You do not delight in sacrifice, or I would bring it; you do not take pleasure in burnt offerings. 17 My sacrifice, O God, is a broken spirit; a broken and contrite heart you, God, will not despise. 18 May it please you to prosper Zion, to build up the walls of Jerusalem. 19 Then you will delight in the sacrifices of the righteous, in burnt offerings offered whole: then bulls will be offered on your altar.

Hosea 6: 6

6 For I desire mercy, not sacrifice, and acknowledgment of God rather than burnt offerings.

Ephesians 4: 30

30 And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, with whom you were sealed for the day of redemption.

Daily Scripture Readings for The Week

To enhance our spiritual growth, we will be sharing daily passages from the International Sunday School lessons to read and study to grow your faith as you spend time with the Lord.

Mon. November 3rd – Luke 12: 42 – 48
Tues. November 4th – Luke 12: 49 – 53
Wed. November 5th – Lamentations 2: 17 – 22
Thurs. November 6th – Lamentations 3: 21 – 36
Fri. November 7th – 1st Peter 1: 1 – 12
Sat. November 8th – 1st Peter 1: 13 – 25

Sun. November 9th -2^{nd} Kings 24: 18 -25: 9



As we draw near to God; God will draw near to us!

Homebound Members:

Elmer & Adis Beeson, Eloise & Carmen Farlow, Jewel Farlow, Joann Hancock, Marie Pugh

Members & Attenders of Marlboro:

Edwin & Marie Beeson, W.S Beeson, Jesse Davis, *Family of Byron Farlow, Michael Farlow, Wayne Fogleman, Tommy Hayes, Mae Hill, Bruce Hunt, Donna Jackson, Mickey Johnson, Kathy King, Paige Linthicum, Diane Pugh, Cassidy Sharpe, Elizabeth Spencer, Evelyn Warren

Family & Friends:

Carolyn Brown (Sandy Rich), Cathy Byerly (Sandy Rich), Denise Chriscoe (Mae Hill), Emma Church (Missy Walden), Sharon Clark (Sherry Hulton), Sherry Cole (Evelyn Warren), Mike Craven (JoAnne Farlow), Mike Crotts, Billy Cunningham, Angie Ellias, Kris Ferris, Randy & Vicki Floss (Bob Spencer), Jill Goode. Barbara Goodpasture (Jane Myers), Tuler Hill (Grea & Melissa Hill) Joretta Hunt (Brad Walden), Libby Hyatt (Mary Rich), David Jackson (Ray Luther), Susan Lambeth (Bob Spencer), Tonu Long (Bob Spencer). Amber Marlowe (Bob Spencer), Tommu McDonald (Mandu Hinshaw). Clayton McManus (Judy Gaster),

Andrea, Jake & baby Abel Mills, David Millikan (Ray Luther), Emily Mulane (Bob Spencer), Lavonne Oakley, Alexis Power (Sandy Rich), Susan Pugh (Craig, Jan, Debbie & Lisa), Bill Sharpe (Sandy & Brian Sharpe), Deb Stein (Jonathon Farlow), Blaine Spivey (Terry Linthicum), Blake Strickland (Kyle Roberts), Jonathan Stout (Mae Hill), Danny Summerlin (Sandy Rich), Glenda & Doug Swails, Ophie Timmons (Coach Timmons), Tanua H. Troadon (Ben & Linda Hurley). Ann Turner (Martha Lewis), Christy Welborn (JoAnne Farlow), Tammy White, Jouce Wolford. Dennis York (Sandu Rich). Russell Yow (Bob Spencer), Gerru Zacharu (Janice Zacharu). Jeritta Zachary (Janice Zachary)

(Additions will be marked with *)

Missionaries & Outreach:

Caleb & Mandy Crotts Family (Missionaries in Nigeria)

***Any changes that needs to be made to the prayer list, please send me a text to 336-953-7585 or email me at marlboroquakers@gmail.com.

Please have your name as well as the information you are requesting be changed, added or deleted, Thank you! ***

Today at Marlboro Friends

Today – Next Sunday November 2nd

9:30am Sunday School for pre-school and elementary children will be in the

Family Life Center. All youth will meet in the youth suite. The adults

will meet in the Pathfinders Classroom.

10:30am Drive-in and In Person Worship. Adults will meet in the Worship room

Refuel Youth Worship will be in the youth suite. Children's Church will be in the Family Life Center. Infant Care is available in the

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4:00pm Operation Christmas Child Shoebox Packing Party – This event will

be upstairs in the Christian Ed Building. Everyone is invited to

participate in this joyful time of service.

4:00pm Marlboro Messengers will rehearse in the Worship Room. 5:00pm Marlboro Choir will meet in the Choir Room for rehearsal.

5:00pm Marlboro Youth will travel to Cedar Square to meet with their youth.

Monday November 3rd

6:30pm Quaker Men will meet in the Blanche Farlow Classroom
7:00pm Monthly Meeting for Business and Worship will be held in the

Pathfinders Classroom. Please plan to attend this important meeting.

Wednesday November 5th

9:30am Program Staff Meeting in the Copy Room

6:00pm Fall Bible Study on the Gospel of Matthew in the Blanche Farlow

Classroom.

6:30pm Youth Bible Study for the fall will be held in the youth suite. Bring

your friends.

Thursday November 6th

9:00am Fall Bible Study on the Gospel of Matthew in the Blanche Farlow

Classroom.

Saturday November 8th

Marlboro Friends will be hosting the North Carolina Friends Historical

Society Annual Meeting in the Family Life Center.

Next Sunday November 9th

9:30am Sunday School for pre-school and elementary children will be held in

the Family Life Center on the stage. All youth will meet in the youth suite for Sunday School. The adults will meet in the Pathfinders

Classroom.

10:30am Drive-in and In Person Worship. All adults will meet in the Worship

room for the service. Refuel Youth Worship will be held in the youth suite. Children's Church will be held in the Family Life Center. Infant

Care is available in the nursery.

4:00pm Marlboro Messengers will meet and rehearse in the Worship Room.

5:00pm Marlboro Choir will meet in the Choir Room for rehearsal.

6:00pm Sunday Evening Sing! – Worship Service featuring various musicians

from Marlboro and the surrounding churches and Meetings. A time of

fellowship will follow the service in the Family Life Center.

Note: Marlboro Youth will not meet this evening.

Schedule for Upcoming Services and Announcements

Bible Study – Ray is leading a weekly Bible Study on the book of Matthew on Wednesday evenings at 6pm and Thursday mornings at 9am in the Blanche Farlow Classroom. They will resume for their final two weeks of the fall sessions on Wed. Nov. 5th and Thurs. Nov. 6th. Everyone interested is invited to join us for this time of growth and study.

Sunday Evening Sing! – Marlboro Friends will be hosting a music service on Sunday November 9th at 6pm in the Worship Room. This time of worship and praise will feature various musicians from our congregation as well as those from other churches and Friends Meetings in our area sharing their talents. We will also have a time of fellowship following in the Family Life Center. Please plan to attend this special service.

Missions and Outreach Announcements

Friends In Motion are collecting bedding for kids and teenagers for **Sleep in Heavenly Peace**, this is a mission for Randolph County children, who do not have a bed of their own. All bedding should be for a twin size bed. If you prefer to make a monetary donation, we will do the shopping for you. Last Sunday for collection is November 16th. Please place bedding donations in the box provided in the foyer.

Belize Mission Support – Our Meeting is supporting the mission work of Friends in the Central American country of Belize. Our initial focus will be providing support for the Belize Church Food Program. If you want to support this ministry, please make a donation to: Friends United Meeting through Marlboro Friends by earmarking your check/donation to Belize Grocery Bag Project or send your gift directly to Friends United Meeting 101 Quaker Hill Drive Richmond Indiana 57374. Please keep the ministry in Belize in your thoughts and prayers.

Friends In Motion Mission Projects – The Mission Circle continues to collect used postage stamps to benefit other mission work. If you have any stamps from letters or cards, please tear them off and give them to a member of the Friends in Motion Circle.

Friends in Motion – We now have *Natural Vanilla Flavoring* for \$7.00 a bottle. Other flavorings are *Almond, Lemon and Vanilla* for \$4.00 a bottle. Please see Teresa Hayes to get your bottles.

November Elders and Ushers

Presiding Elder – Megan Hallett

Greeting Elder – Tyler Pugh

Ushers:

Kevin Farlow and Brian Sharpe Roberts

Byron Farlow's Celebration of Life is today. Visitation will be at 1:15pm to 2:15pm in the Family Life Center. Funeral will begin at 2:30pm in the worship room. Graveside service to follow.

Operation Christmas Child

Operation Christmas Child packing party is today Sunday, November 2nd at 4:30 pm.

Meet in the upstairs Christian Ed. building

Everyone is invited to help us pack 275 boxes and see how God can use a shoebox to change a child's life.

Thanks for those who planned, participated and attended Our annual

Trunk or Treat Fall Festival

last Sunday October 26th!

Friends in Motion is collecting kid's & teen's bedding for *Sleep in Heavenly Peace*, (This is a mission for kids & teens in Randloph County, who do not have their own bed). All items should be **twin size**. If you prefer to make a monetary donation, we will do the shopping for you! Last Sunday for collection will be **November 16th**. Please place bedding in the box provided in the foyer.

Nursery Attendants

November 2nd Maggie Bull Paul Bull November 9th Mandy Hinshaw Chris Hinshaw

November Children's Sunday School

Amanda Sweat & Kelsey Sweat

November Children's Church

Sherry Hylton