



Sunday, July 12th, 2026

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 2026:
“Speak the Truth in Love”

Theme Verse: Ephesian 4: 15 - 16

“15...Speaking the truth in love, we will grow to become in every respect the mature body of Him who is the head, that is, Christ. 16 From Him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work.”

Marlboro Friends Meeting Order of Worship for Sunday July 12th, 2026

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

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

Scripture and Opening Prayer

Isaiah 58: 11 – “The Lord will guide you always; He will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land and will strengthen your frame.”

Prelude “Fairest Lord Jesus” Kathy Walden

Call to Worship “You Are My All in All” Marlboro Choir

Welcome and Announcements Ministry & Counsel

Congregational Hymn # 21 “This is My Father’s World”

Friendly Communion

Psalms 122: 1 – “I rejoiced with those who said to me, ‘Let us go to the house of the Lord.’”

Offertory “Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus” Kathy Walden

Praises and Prayers

Hebrews 4: 16 – “Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.”

Special Music “Precious Memories” Marlboro Messengers

Open Worship

Scripture Isaiah 58: 1 – 14, Matthew 25: 37 – 40 and James 1: 27

Summer Sermon Series: “The Strength God Provides”

Message “Being a Repairer of Broken Walls” Ray Luther

Congregational Hymn # 108 “There’s Something About That Name”

Closing Prayer

Postlude “There’s Something About That Name” Kathy Walden

Enter Prepared to Worship.

Leave Prepared to Serve.

Scriptures for Today

Isaiah 58: 1 – 14

True Fasting

- ¹ "Shout it aloud, do not hold back. Raise your voice like a trumpet. Declare to my people their rebellion and to the descendants of Jacob their sins.
- ² For day after day they seek me out; they seem eager to know my ways, as if they were a nation that does what is right and has not forsaken the commands of its God. They ask me for just decisions and seem eager for God to come near them.
- ³ 'Why have we fasted,' they say, 'and you have not seen it? Why have we humbled ourselves, and you have not noticed?'
- "Yet on the day of your fasting, you do as you please and exploit all your workers. ⁴ Your fasting ends in quarreling and strife, and in striking each other with wicked fists. You cannot fast as you do today and expect your voice to be heard on high.
- ⁵ Is this the kind of fast I have chosen, only a day for people to humble themselves? Is it only for bowing one's head like a reed and for lying in sackcloth and ashes? Is that what you call a fast, a day acceptable to the Lord?
- ⁶ "Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen: to loose the chains of injustice and untie the cords of the yoke, to set the oppressed free and break every yoke?
- ⁷ Is it not to share your food with the hungry and to provide the poor wanderer with shelter—when you see the naked, to clothe them, and not to turn away from your own flesh and blood?
- ⁸ Then your light will break forth like the dawn, and your healing will quickly appear; then your righteousness will go before you, and the glory of the Lord will be your rear guard.
- ⁹ Then you will call, and the Lord will answer; you will cry for help, and he will say: Here am I. "If you do away with the yoke of oppression, with the pointing finger and malicious talk, ¹⁰ and if you spend yourselves in behalf of the hungry and satisfy the needs of the oppressed, then your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday.
- ¹¹ The Lord will guide you always; He will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land and will strengthen your frame. You will be like a well-watered garden, like a spring whose waters never fail.
- ¹² Your people will rebuild the ancient ruins and will raise up the age-old foundations; you will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings.
- ¹³ "If you keep your feet from breaking the Sabbath and from doing as you please on my holy day, if you call the Sabbath a delight and the Lord's holy day honorable, and if you honor it by not going your own way and not doing as you please or speaking idle words, ¹⁴ then you will find your joy in the Lord, and I will cause you to ride in triumph on the heights of the land and to feast on the inheritance of your father Jacob." For the mouth of the Lord has spoken.

Matthew 25: 37 – 40

- ³⁷ "Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink?' ³⁸ When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you?' ³⁹ When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?'
- ⁴⁰ "The King will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me.'

James 1: 27

- ²⁷ Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.



Belize Mission Support

Our Meeting is supporting the mission work of Friends in the Central American country of Belize. Our focus is providing support for the Belize Church Food Program. If you want to support this ministry, Please make a donation to:

Friends United Meeting
101 Quaker Hill Drive
Richmond Indiana 57374

Please keep the ministry in Belize in your thoughts and prayers

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. July 13th – Exodus 22: 1 – 6

Tues. July 14th – Isaiah 58: 3 – 7

Wed. July 15th – Luke 6: 20 – 26

Thurs. July 16th – Hebrews 13: 1 – 6

Fri. July 17th – 1st John 3: 14 – 18

Sat. July 18th – Psalm 37: 1 – 5 & 18 – 22

Sun. July 19th – Luke 19: 1 – 10

Welcome to Marlboro Friends Meeting!

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