



Sunday, July 5th, 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 5th, 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

Deuteronomy 33: 25b – “Your strength will equal your days.”

Prelude “Liberty” Kathy Walden

Call to Worship “God Bless America” Marlboro Choir & Congregation

Welcome and Announcements Ministry & Counsel

Congregational Hymn – insert “God of Our Fathers, Whose Almighty Hand”

Friendly Communion

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

Offertory “Benedictus” Kimberly Farlow & 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 “God Bless the USA” Marlboro Messengers

Open Worship

Scripture Genesis 30: 12 – 13 & 49: 20, Deuteronomy 33: 1 & 24 – 25, & Luke 2: 36 – 38

Summer Sermon Series: “The Strength God Provides”

Message “The Strength to Live This Day for the Lord” Ray Luther

Congregational Hymn # 727 “America, the Beautiful”

Closing Prayer

Postlude “America, the Beautiful” Kathy Walden

Enter Prepared to Worship. Leave Prepared to Serve.

Scriptures for Today

Genesis 30: 12 – 13

¹² Leah's servant Zilpah bore Jacob a second son. ¹³ Then Leah said, "How happy I am! The women will call me happy." So, she named him Asher.

Genesis 49: 20

"Asher's food will be rich; he will provide delicacies fit for a king.

Deuteronomy 33: 1

Moses Blesses the Tribes

¹ This is the blessing that Moses the man of God pronounced on the Israelites before his death.

Deuteronomy 33: 24 – 25

²⁴ About Asher he said:

"Most blessed of sons is Asher;

let him be favored by his brothers and let him bathe his feet in oil.

²⁵ The bolts of your gates will be iron and bronze,
and your strength will equal your days.

Luke 2: 36 – 38

³⁶ There was also a prophet, Anna, the daughter of Penuel, of the tribe of Asher. She was very old; she had lived with her husband seven years after her marriage, ³⁷ and then was a widow until she was eighty-four. She never left the temple but worshiped night and day, fasting and praying. ³⁸ Coming up to them at that very moment, she gave thanks to God and spoke about the child to all who were looking forward to the redemption of Jerusalem.

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. June 29th – Isaiah 49: 1 – 6

Tues. June 30th – Psalm 72: 1 – 13

Wed. July 1st – Ephesians 2: 1 – 10

Thurs. July 2nd – Ephesians 2: 11 – 22

Fri. July 3rd – Isaiah 60: 1 – 7

Sat. July 4th – Isaiah 60: 8 – 14

Sun. July 5th – Matthew 8: 5 – 13



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



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