

Sermon Notes



Little White Church
Sunday, October 11, 2026 at 11 AM
Mount Bethel Reformed Church
1211 Goforth Road
Blowing Rock, NC 28605

CHURCH CALENDAR

Sep	27	Sunday	9:45 AM	Sunday School	 Dr. Ray N. Howell III and Rev. Ray Nance Howell IV
Sep	27	Sunday	10:45 AM	Worship	
Sep	27-30	Sunday - Wednesday	6 PM	Revival Meal	
Sep	27-30	Sunday - Wednesday	7 PM	Revival	
Oct	1	Thursday	7 PM	Board of Christian Education Meeting	
Oct	3	Saturday	6:30 – 10 AM	Men’s Brotherhood Country Buffet Breakfast	
Oct	4	Sunday	9:45 AM	Sunday School	
Oct	4	Sunday	10:45 AM	Worship, World Communion Sunday	
Oct	4	Sunday	3 – 5 PM	Pickleball	

Altar Flowers

The flowers which grace the altar today are given to the glory of God in memory of Paul Beck and Banks & Grace Bowers by Lucy Beck.

Oct. 4, Needed



Women’s Fellowship Silent Auction on Jaccob Slavin signed Olympic hockey stick. Bidding open until Wed., Sep. 30.
hgrucc.org/slavinfundraiser



**Men’s Brotherhood
Country Buffet Breakfast**
Saturday, October 3, 2026
6:30 - 10:00 AM

A freewill donation will be gratefully accepted with proceeds going to church projects.

The Women’s Fellowship

Saturday, October 10
8 AM – 1 PM

**Fall
Bazaar**

* Country Store & Bake Shop * Craft Items & More
* Ham & Sausage Biscuits, Coffee & Juice

Drop off your craft items by Monday, October 5.
Baked goods and homemade candy can be dropped off in the Fellowship Hall
Wednesday – Friday, October 7 – 9.
Bring your friends and family on Saturday!

A memorial was received in memory of
Don Black
from Glenda & Charles Everhart.

A memorial was received in memory of
Ruanne Culler
from Randy, Tammy, Janna & Bethany Beck and Tyler Hepler.



Welcome!

September 27, 2026

Sunday School: 9:45 AM
Worship: 10:45 AM

Pastor: Foster Carney
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HEDRICK S GROVE REFORMED UNITED CHURCH of CHRIST		
Order of Worship		
Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost	Welcome!	September 27, 2026
<i>*Please stand as you are able.</i>		
WELCOME	<i>Greeting, Announcements, and Prayer List</i>	Doug Younts
PRELUDE	<i>We quiet our minds and prepare our hearts for worship</i>	
LIGHTING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES		
*TRINITY CHIMES		
*SCRIPTURE READING		Eph. 2:8-10
*CONGREGATIONAL & CHORAL INTROIT		
<i>Open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus, to reach out and touch Him, and say that we love Him. Open our ears, Lord, and help us to listen, open our eyes, Lord, we want to see Jesus.</i>		
*LITURGY OF JOHN 1:1-17		
Leader: In the beginning was the Word,		
People: And the Word was with God, and the Word was fully God.		
Leader: The Word was with God in the beginning.		
People: All things were created by Him, and apart from Him nothing was created...		
Leader: In Him was life, and the light of mankind.		
People: And the light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not mastered it.		
Leader: He came to what was His own,		
People: But His own people did not receive Him.		
Leader: But to all who believe in His name,		
People: He has given the right to become God’s children.		
Leader: From His fullness,		
People: We have all received one gracious gift after another. Amen		
*HYMN # 97	“There Shall Be Showers of Blessing”	Green Hymnal
CHILDREN’S SERMON		Pastor Foster Carney
PSALM OF CONFESSION (Ps. 25):		
O Lord, I give my life to You. I trust in You, my God! Do not let me be disgraced, or let my enemies rejoice in my defeat. No one who trusts in You will ever be disgraced, but disgrace comes to those who try to deceive others. Show me the right path, O Lord; point out the road for me to follow. Lead me by Your truth and teach me, for You are the God who saves me.		
ASSURANCE OF PARDON		2 Cor. 5:17-18
*GLORIA PATRI		Red Hymnal # 142
THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES & OFFERINGS		
OFFERTORY		
*DOXOLOGY & PRAYER		Red Hymnal # 382

ANTHEM	“Jesus Loves Me”	Chancel Choir
SERMON	“F1: Who Are We”	Pastor Foster Carney
1. Sin _____ . (Eph. 2:1-3)		
2. Christ _____ . (Eph. 2:4-10)		
3. Christ _____ . (Eph. 2:11-22)		
PRAYER (The Lord’s Prayer – Debts and Debtors)		
*HYMN # 155	“Revive Us Again”	Green Hymnal
*EXTINGUISHING OF THE ALTAR CANDLES		
*BENEDICTION		
*CONGREGATIONAL & CHORAL BENEDICTION		
<i>May the light of God shine on us today. May the light of God shine on us today. May it show us where to travel, lead us back if we should stray; May the light of God shine on us today.</i>		
POSTLUDE		

*We are glad you came to join with us in our time of worship today.
We hope you feel God’s love in a new way.*



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