COLE MILL ROAD CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Sunday, October 11, 2026

9:00am PRE-SERVICE MUSIC: *Ancient of Days; Great Are You Lord; He's Got the Whole World In His Hands; Great Is the Lord Almighty*

9:30am WORSHIP

GATHERING

Welcome & Invitation to Worship – Ben Fike
Prayer – Steven Angel Lungu *
Behold Our God
Great Is the Lord Almighty! #102
How Great Is Our God

WORD

Psalm 93 & Matthew 24:15-28 – Pat Daggett
Sermon – Ben Fike
"One Like a Human Being" (Daniel 7:1-14)
Ancient of Days
Family Prayer – Neil Clay

TABLE

Just As I Am (I Come Broken)
Communion Meditation – Wayne Massey

SENDING

Neighbor Prayer – Jane Campbell
He's Got the Whole World In His Hands
Benediction – Ben Fike

Song Selector/Leader – Carmen Wood

After worship, coffee and tea will be available in the Fellowship Hall.
* Steven Angel Lungu is a second-year student at African Christian College in Zambia, one of CMR's global mission partners.

SUNDAY

9:30 Nursery Care for children under age 3 is available in the Nursery/Tot Room in the Worship Center

11:00 Classes

Children

Ages 0-2 – Fell. Hall Room 10 (Nursery)
Ages 3-5th Grade – Fell. Hall Rooms 4 & 5

Youth

6th-12th Grade – Teen Room

Adults

Fellowship Hall

COMING UP / SAVE THE DATE

October 11 MCC
October 17 North Durham Book Club
October 24 Senior Saints
October 27 Families Moving Forward
November 5 Blood Drive

EVENTS AND GATHERINGS

Sermon Series Our sermons will journey through the book of **Daniel** in a series called **What's Going On? Faithfulness in a World We Do Not Control.** Daniel was written for people trying to remain faithful to God while living through political upheaval, cultural change, pressure, uncertainty, and questions they could not fully answer. It reminds us that earthly powers are real but not ultimate, that God remains present and faithful, and that we do not have to understand or control everything to live faithfully. Over these weeks, we will listen for the wisdom Daniel offers us as we seek to follow God in a changing world.

Adult Class Our class series is on Ezra/Nehemiah, which will run through mid-November. The class is co-taught by Mark Matson and Paul Watson, and we look forward to learning from them both!

Refresh Wednesdays Join us for taco salad on Wednesday at 5:30pm—a low-pressure space to reconnect, eat together, and be present with our church family and neighbors. If you plan to attend, scan the **QR code below** or **click this link.** There are no additional expectations, and you're welcome to come for just the meal and head home if that's what you need. At

6:30pm, we will resume watching *The Chosen* season 5, in anticipation of the release of the new *The Chosen* season 6 on November 15. Questions? Contact Tim Wood.

Families Moving Forward™ Our last opportunity this year to prepare food and help serve an evening meal for the residents at Families Moving Forward will be on October 27. FMF provides temporary housing and other assistance for families who are transitioning from homelessness. **Click here to volunteer**. Your feedback is solicited as we consider whether to continue with the program for another year. Questions? Contact Phil Sweigart.

FAMILY NEWS

Prayer Concerns Branson Brown, Judy Cuffee, Joel Keel, Reverdy Ransom, Tim Russell, and those who provide care for them.

Welcome to Miriam Gallagher who placed membership with us last Sunday. She is from Florence, AL, and received her undergraduate degree at Freed-Hardeman University, now a Duke Divinity student. Her favorite things to do are to go on walks, drink coffee, and talk about the Bible. She has two wonderful parents and five delightful younger siblings.

Volunteer Scheduler If you know of Sunday mornings in November that you will not be available, please enter those dates **before 10/21/26** in the online scheduler here, or email Sharon and/or Pam.

Neighbor Prayer This Sunday we're praying for Montessori School of Durham, St. Joseph's Episcopal Church, and Hog Heaven Bar-B-Q. Do you have a school, church, nonprofit, local business, or neighborhood concern for neighbor prayer? **Email your suggestions to Pam by Monday of each week**. Please include whether it's a school, church, nonprofit, local business, and a sentence or two about what's happening or why this would be good for us to pray about.

All Saints Day On November 1, Cole Mill Road will join Christians around the world in observing **All Saints Day**—remembering those who have gone before us, giving thanks for those who shaped our faith, and reflecting this year on the story of our own congregation. **There are two ways to participate:**

- **Litany of Remembrance + Slideshow** — We will remember those who have died **since last year's All Saints service**. To include someone, send Pam their name, your

relationship to them, date of passing, and a high-quality **digital photo**, if possible. **Deadline: October 19.**

- **Photo Board of Saints** — Bring a **physical photo** of a family member, mentor, friend, or other "saint" whose life has shaped you. These do not need to be people who died in the past year. Please label the photo clearly with their name and relationship to you. **Volunteers are needed to help with the photo board – contact Evelyn Cameron.**

Contacting an Elder Elders are committed to walk with you in prayer, support, and care. Please contact your Life Group elder if a need arises.

Birthdays and Anniversaries (through next Saturday)
Sunday 10/11: Corey Carlson
Monday 10/12: Gracie Carlson, Henry Carlson, Ann Taska
Tuesday 10/13: Brent Palmer
Friday 10/16: John Broadus, Joe & Kim Stone
Saturday 10/17: Elodie Mitchell

COMMUNITY EVENTS

North Durham Book Club will meet on October 17 from 9:30-11am in the CMR Library. We'll be discussing *The Queens of Crime* by Marie Benedict, over coffee and guided conversation. Bring a friend and join our growing circle!





MISSION: LIVING AND SHARING THE GOSPEL