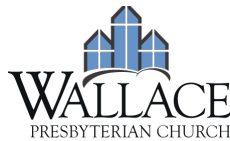


# MORNING WORSHIP

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February 19, 2012



3725 Metzerott Rd.  
College Park, MD 20740

We welcome you to Wallace Presbyterian Church!

10:30 a.m.

**Sunday Service**

Age 4 to 3rd Grade dismissed to Bible Class before sermon

9:15 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

**Sunday School -- Crib to 12th grade**

**Teaching Fellowships for Adults**

**Children:**

During the worship service we provide a caring nursery for babies and toddlers, as well as a class for two and three year olds. Four through grade 3 are dismissed prior to the sermon. Sermon guides are available in the Narthex for children who are staying in the service. All access to childcare rooms is in the Blue wing.

**First floor**

0 through 3 .....Blue Wing

**Second floor**

4 and 5.....Fruit of the Spirit Classroom, Blue Wing  
Grades 1-6 ..... Armor of God Classroom, Blue Wing  
Junior High (grades 7-8)..... Gatehouse  
High School (grades 9-12)..... Gatehouse

**First floor**

King’s Daughters (women of all ages) ..... Green Wing  
Living Faith (intergenerational) ..... Green Wing

**Second floor**

Homebuilders (married couples) ..... Brown Wing  
Young Adult Fellowship..... Green Wing

**House at the Crossroads**

College Fellowship..... Large room  
Sermon Discussion Class ..... Small room  
(See page 13 for more details.)

A Quiet Room with audio and video feed of the worship hour is available on the second floor of the Blue Wing for parents and children. A changing table is available there.

**Welcome**  
Stephen Coleman

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**Call to Worship**

*A God worthy of our worship calls us to gather and hear the good news of the gospel, and he invites us to respond in love, honor, and praise for who he is and what he has done.*

**Psalm 30: 1-5 (read responsively)**

Pastor: I will extol you, O LORD, for you have drawn me up and have not let my foes rejoice over me.

**People: O LORD, my God, I cried to you for help, and you have healed me.**

Pastor: O LORD, you have brought up my soul from Sheol: you restored me to life from among those who go down to the pit.

**People: Sing praises to the LORD, O you his saints, and give thanks to his holy name.**

Pastor: For his anger is but for a moment, and his favor is for a lifetime. Weeping may tarry for the night, but joy comes with the morning.

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**Prayer of Invocation**

*We pray celebrating God's promise to bless us with his presence as we worship him.*

## Hymn

### Praise, My Soul, the King of Heaven

1. Praise, my soul, the King of heav - en, to his feet your trib - ute bring;  
 2. Praise him for his grace and fa - vor to our fa - thers in dis - tress;  
 3. Fa - ther - like, he tends and spares us; well our fee - ble frame he knows;  
 4. Frail as sum - mer's flow'r we flour - ish, blows the wind and it is gone;  
 5. An - gels, help us to a - dore him; you be - hold him face to face;

ran - somed, healed, re - stored, for - giv - en, who, like me, his praise should sing?  
 praise him, still the same for - ev - er, slow to chide and swift to bless;  
 • in his hands he gent - ly bears us, res - cues us from all our foes;  
 but while mor - tals rise and per - ish, God en - dures un - chang - ing on.  
 sun and moon, bow down be - fore him, dwell - ers all in time and space,

Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the ev - er - last - ing King.  
 praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, glo - rious in his faith - ful - ness.  
 • praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, wide - ly as his mer - cy goes.  
 Praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise the High E - ter - nal One.  
 praise him, praise him, praise him, praise him, praise with us the God of grace.

## The Word of God

Matthew 6:19-21 ESV

<sup>19</sup> “Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy and where thieves break in and steal, <sup>20</sup> but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys and where thieves do not break in and steal. <sup>21</sup> For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

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## Confessing Our Sin

### Blessed Spirit

Blessed Spirit of the King  
Of grace and love the Author  
Work repentance deep within  
And bend me at Your altar  
Melt my heart with majesty  
Then show my ruined self to me  
Teach me to more clearly see  
Your might and will to save me

Here I place without reserve  
My soul in faith and meekness  
Trusting in Christ’s power and love  
To flourish in my weakness  
Cause my days on earth to be  
Through time and through eternity  
A trophy of His victory  
A monument to mercy

Teach me to behold my God  
And trust His power to save me  
Arms outstretched in constant love  
Whose strength will never fail me  
Help me to commune with Him  
Depend and follow after Him  
That through my life His peace will reign  
And joy be my companion

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## Assurance of Pardon

### How Great is Your Love

No eye has seen, no ear has heard,  
No mind has ever conceived  
The glorious things that You have prepared  
For everyone who has believed.  
You brought us near  
And You called us Your own  
And made us joint heirs with Your Son.

Objects of mercy who should have known wrath  
We’re filled with unspeakable joy.  
Riches of wisdom, unsearchable wealth,  
And the wonder of knowing Your voice.  
You are our treasure and our great reward,  
Our hope and our glorious King.

How high and how wide,  
How deep and how long,  
How sweet and how strong is Your love.  
How lavish Your grace  
How faithful Your ways,  
How great is Your love, oh Lord.

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## Report from the Field

Chaplain David Curlin

### How to Pray for our Troops

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### Morning Prayer

*God invites his people to be a part of his working in the world as they pray to him. We intercede on behalf of each other, and our community, presenting our requests to God, and looking forward with expectant hearts to how he will answer in his time and in his way.*

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### The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, which art in heaven  
hallowed be thy name.  
Thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done, on earth  
as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread,  
and forgive us our debts  
as we forgive our debtors.  
Lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

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### Giving Our Gifts to the Lord

*All we are and all we have comes from God. We acknowledge God's goodness in his provision for us by returning to him a portion of what he has given to us.*

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### Musical Offering

*Pas de Deux* -- Robert Oppelt

Flute and Bass duet -- Lindsay Lam, bass and Dr. Lawrence Ink, flute

## Confessing Our Faith

*For persons who desire, children 3rd grade and under may be dismissed to Bible class during the last verse of this hymn.*

### Jesus, Lover of My Soul

1. Je - sus, lov - er of my soul, let me to thy bo - som fly,  
 2. Oth - er ref - uge have I none, hangs my help - less soul on thee;  
 3. Thou, O Christ, art all I want; more than all in thee I find;  
 4. Plen - teous grace with thee is found, grace to cov - er all my sin;

while the near - er wa - ters roll, while the tem - pest still is high:  
 leave, ah! leave me not a - lone, still sup - port and com - fort me!  
 raise the fall - en, cheer the faint, heal the sick, and lead the blind.  
 let the heal - ing streams a - bound; make and keep me pure with - in:

hide me, O my Sav - ior, hide, till the storm of life is past;  
 All my trust on thee is stayed, all my help from thee I bring;  
 Just and ho - ly is thy name; I am all un - righ - teous - ness;  
 thou of life the foun - tain art, free - ly let me take of thee;

safe in - to the ha - ven guide, O re - ceive my soul at last!  
 cov - er my de - fense - less head with the shad - ow of thy wing.  
 false and full of sin I am, thou art full of truth and grace.  
 spring thou up with - in my heart, rise to all e - ter - ni - ty.

## Scripture

James 5:1-6

<sup>5:1</sup> Come now, you rich, weep and howl for the miseries that are coming upon you. <sup>2</sup> Your riches have rotted and your garments are moth-eaten. <sup>3</sup> Your gold and silver have corroded, and their corrosion will be evidence against you and will eat your flesh like fire. You have laid up treasure in the last days. <sup>4</sup> Behold, the wages of the laborers who mowed your fields, which you kept back by fraud, are crying out against you, and the cries of the harvesters have reached the ears of the Lord of hosts. <sup>5</sup> You have lived on the earth in luxury and in self-indulgence. You have fattened your hearts in a day of slaughter. <sup>6</sup> You have condemned and murdered the righteous person. He does not resist you.

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## Sermon

*God speaks to us through the pastor as he faithfully expounds what the Bible says and how it applies to our lives.*

**“Come Now...”**

**Scott Bridges**

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**Proposition:** Because we are prone to inappropriate affections, we must endeavor to lay up treasure in heaven.

**Main Point 1: What Is Treasured? (vv.1-3)**

**Main Point 2: What Does It Make You Do? (vv. 4-6a)**

**Main Point 3: What Is the Alternative? (v.6b)**

## Responding to God's Word

### Psalm 48 – You Holy Angels Bright

1. You ho - ly an - gels bright, who wait at God's right hand, or  
 2. You bless - ed souls at rest, who ran this earth - ly race, and  
 3. All na - tions of the earth, ex - tol the world's great King; with  
 4. Sing forth Je - ho - vah's praise, you saints, that on him call! Him

through the realms of light fly at your Lord's com - mand, as - sist our  
 now, from sin re - leased, be - hold the Sav - ior's face; God's prais - es  
 mel - o - dy and mirth his glo - rious prais - es sing; for he still  
 mag - ni - fy al - ways, his ho - ly church - es all! In him re -

song, for else the theme too high does seem for mor - tal tongue.  
 sound, as in his sight with sweet de - light you do a - bound.  
 reigns, and will bring low the proud - est foe that him dis - dains.  
 joyce, and there pro - claim his ho - ly name with sound - ing voice.

Based on Psalm 148  
 Richard Baxter, 1672; alt.; alt. 1990, mod.

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 John Darwall, 1770

### Benediction

*Just as God had the first word in our worship, he also gets the last word as he sends us out to our homes, work, family, and relationships with his blessing. God blesses us as his children, to live as sons and daughters of the great King, and as brothers and sisters of Christ, and therefore, of one another.*

## Our Life Together

### The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

We will celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper during the worship service next Sunday morning. Since it will be the beginning of the Lenten season, we will be celebrating the Lord's Supper every Sunday through Easter Sunday service. We invite all who repent of their sins, trust in Christ alone for salvation and are presently communicants in good standing in some part of the body of Christ to join us at the Lord's Table.

### Holiday Observance

Please note that the church office will be closed tomorrow, Monday, February 20, for the President's Day Holiday.

### New Address

For those in the congregation who would like to keep in touch with Bob Lukens, he now has a new address. He is residing at the Lutheran Home in Rockville. The address is 9701 Veirs Drive, PC 174, Rockville, Md. 20850.

### Meeting TODAY for ESL Teachers and Tutors

There will be a meeting in the parlor following morning worship. Lunch will be served.

### Congratulations

Praise the Lord for the new arrival, a baby girl, Cosette Capell Hathaway, born to Nick and Annie Rabenhorst Hathaway on February 14. She is bringing joy to grandparents, Marty and Judy Rabenhorst.

### Women's Bible Study, Spring 2012

We will have a ten-week women's Bible study on Thursday evenings this spring starting on March 22. We are going to be studying the book of Ezra. We will meet from 7:00 – 8:30 p.m. in the parlor each Thursday night. This group will be co-lead by Julie Bridges, Lisa McGovern and Donna Troxel. We hope this study will encourage you to dig deeply into the Bible on your own during the week and then to come together and share as a group what you have learned. Please e-mail Julie Bridges if you have questions: [bridgesjulie5@gmail.com](mailto:bridgesjulie5@gmail.com).

### Luncheon Fellowship

The Luncheon Fellowship this month will be this Thursday, February 23, at 11:00 a.m. We will meet at the House at the Crossroads, so bring some food to share and enjoy. The program will be hosted by Chris Garriott and our devotional by Andy Cavanaugh.

### Junior Camp

Just a reminder to save the dates of June 19 through June 23 for Junior Camp.

## Our Life Together

### Telephone Prayer Chain

Are you someone who likes to pray and is able and willing to be interrupted during the day to pass on a prayer request?

If so, would you pray about joining our prayer chain? This long-standing ministry was resurrected in 2008. Our group is very small but dedicated. We would love to see several chains in operation, when a need arises, but busy lives make this a challenge. If you are interested or would like more details, please call or email Dee Griffith (301-277-9185; wagteam@aol.com).

### Wallace ESL

ESL Classes are all on Tuesdays and as follows:

5-7 p.m. Advanced.

7-9 p.m. Beginners.

7-9 p.m. At University Park Elementary School starting Feb. 21 for six or twelve weeks. All levels.

(Tutoring and games for children of the students at the same time at the University Park Elementary School location).

WE COULD USE MORE TEACHERS and TUTORS!

### Children's Ministries

*Parents*, we are trying to make it possible to communicate by e-mail instead of mailings. Stop by the

nursery sign-in desk to update your e-mail. Thanks! We sent the notice via email to all children who had qualified for the ice skating party. Let us know if you did not receive the message.

### *Bible Memory Challenge*

TODAY is the last day to recite Psalm 100. Those who have met the challenge will be treated to an ice skating party tomorrow, February 20, noon-2 p.m. at Wells Rink on 5211 Paint Branch Parkway, College Park. If you are not sure if you got credit, check the bulletin board in the children's module. We will sing for the congregation on Palm Sunday so keep practicing with the CD you received in the fall.

### *Hymn of the Month*

February – “What Wondrous Love Is This” was chosen by popular vote of the elementary Sunday School students to celebrate God's great love for us.

### *Stepping Stone*

Have you learned the Stepping Stone for your current grade? These steps are designed to help you participate in worship. For a copy to help you practice, see Mrs. Brockman. Students receive a certificate on Promotion Sunday for each Stepping Stone learned.

## Our Life Together

### House at The Crossroads Events

The House at the Crossroads (HATC) sponsors weekly events, and all are invited to attend or volunteer to serve. Events coming up are:

*Tuesday: Free ESL Classes* – Advanced class from 5-7 p.m. Beginner class from 7-9 p.m. Refreshments provided.

*Wednesday (Feb. 1 – May 16):* Theology Breakfast at 7:00 a.m. This semester, we will read selections from Anthony Thiselton's recent historical and philosophical introduction to hermeneutics. A hot and free pancake, sausage and coffee breakfast is served.

*Thursday (Feb. 2 – May 17):* Philosophy Reading Group at 8:00 p.m. This semester, we will be reading through the second volume of James Livingstone's "Modern Christian Thought." Free coffee and refreshments are provided.

*Film Series: The Human Predicament* – In this series, we will explore both secular and Christian interpretations of what causes human sin and suffering. Each film viewing will begin at 6:00 p.m. and include free pizza and soda. An open discussion will follow each motion picture. Please email Joe Minich (ReformedCatholic@gmail.com) if you plan to attend so that we can be sure to provide enough food.

Saturday, February 25 -- "The White Ribbon"

Saturday, March 17 -- "Network"

Saturday, April 21 – "The Anatomy of Hate"

Saturday, May 5 – "The Addiction"

Though a few moments in these films will be edited, please inquire about the content if you are concerned.

### Prayer Meetings and Bible Studies

Remember the prayer meeting during the week at 7:15 a.m. on Tuesday mornings in the church building.

### West Side Bible Study

The West Side Bible Study group will meet again Tuesday, March 6 at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Terry Hessler, 9500 Colesville Rd., Silver Spring, 20901. Alison Beatty will lead a discussion of Romans 12:14-21, "Transformed Living." For further information call 301-589-5259. All East-Siders and West-Siders are welcome.

## Our Life Together

### Adult Teaching Fellowships

**Homebuilders – 2nd Floor** – This class is built around fellowship and the study of Scripture, exploring how it applies to our lives, especially in relation to family, marriage, and children. Visitors are always welcome.

This quarter, we are doing a study of the Church. We are following the outline of the book “Total Church – A Radical Reshaping around Gospel and Community,” by Tim Chester and Steve Timmis. The authors challenge many ideas about how we “do church” in the postmodern world. We expect that we will have a lively time discussing the notions that the authors advance. Taught by Elder Rock Brockman.

**King’s Daughters – Green Wing – 1st Floor** – All ladies are invited to attend the class on any Sunday for study, prayer, fellowship and coffee.

This quarter the King’s Daughters will read “The Peacemaker,” by Ken Sande. This book is included in Pastor Scott Bridge’s church leadership course and will build a strong foundation for when he returns to teach the King’s Daughters in the spring. Copies of the book are available for purchase.

**Living Faith – Green Wing – 1st Floor** -- In this intergenerational class, we seek to deepen our walk with Christ and each other through the study of God’s Word and topics that build our faith. Visitors are welcome at any time.

We receive salvation as a gift of God’s grace. But what does it mean to live by grace daily? What is Christian freedom? Does obedience matter? What are the roles of freedom and obedience in our lives as followers of Christ? In the winter quarter we will be studying answers to these and other questions on the Christian life in Paul’s letter to the Galatians. Join us for a practical study that can help you grow in your walk with Christ. Taught by Dr. Dorry Kenyon.

**College/Early Career Fellowship – House at the Crossroads** – All college-age folks are invited to attend as we study the Scriptures together and seek

to understand what it means to live as followers of Jesus Christ today. This semester, during the Sunday School hour (9:15 – 10:15), the C/EC Fellowship will study and discuss the “Nature, Attributes and Purpose of the Holy Scriptures.” The Scriptures are God’s wonderful gift to us, and we will seek to understand how God’s Word relates to His world, His Church and to the individual Christian. Along the way, we will briefly look at helpful tools for interpreting Scripture and applying it to daily living. Coffee and bagels provided. Taught by Joe Minich and Dr. Marty Rabenhorst.

**Young Adult Fellowship – Green Wing – 2nd Floor** – The Young Adult Fellowship is a diverse group made up of singles and married couples, young and not quite so young, grad students and professionals. This is a close and loving community whose fellowship extends beyond the classroom with regular picnics, outings, movies, games, and retreats.

The Christian faith has always been rooted firmly in the conviction that the Bible is the word of God, and as such it has unique authority for the Christian’s life. However, today more than ever, Christians face numerous challenges and objections to their historic confession. This quarter the Young Adult Fellowship will be studying the Doctrine of Scripture in which we will consider important issues related to our confession that the Bible is the word of God. These issues include the Bible’s inspiration, authority, sufficiency, canonicity, and others. Taught by Rev. Stephen Coleman.

**Sermon Discussion Fellowship – House at the Crossroads** – This group meets for fellowship and to dig further into both the Bible text and the sermon from the worship service of the previous week. All are welcome at any time! Terry Carman and Elder Jim Hemphill share the teaching responsibilities.

## Prayer for the Kingdom of God in the World

*“May your kingdom come and your will be done.”* Matthew 6:10

### Our Church Family

Judy Dhanraj has requested prayer for a new job.

Please continue to keep Stan Dowd in your prayers following his mild stroke last Sunday.

Remember to continually pray for our newly ordained and installed elders and deacons.

Continue to pray for our former Elders Dick Larson and Bob Lukens who struggle with the infirmities that come with age. Bob is now living in the Lutheran Home

### Construction

Please continue to pray that the Lord will grant us favor in the court system, so that we might regain some of our substantial financial loss incurred as a result of the fraudulent bond company. Although we received a positive ruling in the Bankruptcy Court of Alabama, we have been advised that now it may be mid-year before any settlement is completed. We have also been informed that the bond company has substantial tax obligations to the IRS, and thus our expectations should be low. Nevertheless, please pray that this process will advance and conclude both soon and favorably.

### Our Nation

Pray for our leaders to have wisdom and grace to fulfill their callings well, for the benefit of our community and nation and in a way that would favor the work and advancement of the Kingdom of God.

Pray for those serving in our Armed Forces as they are named here: Agur Adams, Jonathan Beckmann (Matt’s brother) Vanessa Bessa (Fabiane’s sister), Andrew Cook, Ben Horlacher, Paul Pierson, David Rosenfelder, Irfan Timothy and Paul Troxel.

### Outreach Ministry

Pray for Tom Hilgeman, ACSI, Director of Accreditation Services for Latin America, and for the newly formed first Regional Accreditation Commission that will make the decisions on accreditation. Tom will need to do a lot of travel to talk with the Ministers of Education in various countries to gain their approval for the accreditation program. Colombia and Dominican Republic have already given their official approval. Pray for Mariellyn as she continues to advise on Early Education and will also serve on the accreditation team. Pray for their safety in the very dangerous country of Guatemala and for Tom’s health.

Give thanks with Breezy Lusted that the translation team has finished checking and correcting the proof for the whole Anuak Bible. It will soon go to the typesetters in Kenya and then be returned to the team for a final check of the corrections before going to the printer in Korea. Pray also that a bone-growth stimulation device will promote healing of Breezy’s back. She continues to suffer from severe sciatica in spite of back surgery a year ago.

### Children

Pray for Marci Martin and Dan Maksim and their Sunday School class for 2 and 3 year olds.

Pray for all who serve our youngest members of the Wallace family – birth to 2 ½ in The Garden and The Pond. “Let the little children come to me and do not hinder them.” It is wonderful to welcome parents with a caring staff of dedicated volunteers every Sunday.

## Our Staff

**Senior Pastor:** Rev. Scott Bridges  
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**Assistant Pastor:** Rev. Stephen M. Coleman  
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**Church Musicians:** Erik Apland and Dr. Lawrence Ink

**Children's Ministries:** Melanie Brockman

**Church Secretary:** Mary Sharp

**Assistant Secretary:** Karen Frank

**Treasurer:** Chipper Miller

**Assistant Treasurer:** Mary Ann Conley

### *Ruling Elders*

Joseph Alder  
William Brockman  
Andy Cavanaugh  
John Daly  
Paul DiPiazza  
Dorry Kenyon  
Bashir Khan  
Rachi Ngaine  
Martin Rabenhorst  
Charles Robinson  
Allen Timothy

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Jared Lamb  
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Alex Martinez  
Jon Mease  
John Troxel  
Alec Waterhouse  
Kelsey Welty  
Bob Werth

## Comments and Prayer Needs

Please use this space to share your comments and prayer requests with us:

I would like to speak to someone about this prayer request or other spiritual concern. Please have someone contact me at:

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Phone

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E-Mail

## Prayer of Belief

Lord Jesus Christ, I admit that I am weaker and more sinful than I ever before believed but, through you, I am more loved and accepted than I ever dared hope. I thank you for paying my debt, bearing my punishment and offering forgiveness. I turn from my sins and receive you as Savior. Amen.

If you are saying this prayer for the first time today, please let one of the pastors know.

# Please Sign In

Please use this card to indicate your presence with us today and to make us aware of any ideas, concerns or suggestions you have. Fill out the appropriate sections and deposit the card in the offering plate.

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Name

\_\_\_\_\_ Street

\_\_\_\_\_ City

\_\_\_\_\_ State, Zip

\_\_\_\_\_ Phone

\_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail



I am not now a member of any church.

I heard about Wallace through:

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I'm interested in becoming a Wallace member.

My age is:

Grade 1-3

High School

41-56

Grade 4-6

18-24

57-75

Junior High

25-40

Over 75



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