

## WELCOME HOME!

We're happy you joined us today!

If you're here for the first time, please swing by the Welcome Center at the lobby to receive a special gift! Scan this QR code and fill out our visitor form online, or fill out the visitor card in your seat pocket. Here at Woodbridge Community Church, you are family!



## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### BAPTISM CLASS

If you are planning to get baptized this coming Easter Sunday, you are required to attend the baptism class today at 12:00 in the Conference Room.

### GROWTH GROUPS

If you're not part of a small group yet, please grab a flyer from your front seat pocket or from the Welcome Center at the lobby. Fill out the interest form, turn it in, and we'll set you up!

### DEVOTION GUIDE

Get your **free** copy of the devotion guide, "A Walk Through the Last Week of the Life of Christ and His Resurrection," available at the lobby.

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*Helping all people  
meet, know & follow JESUS*





**PASTOR'S CORNER**

Greetings in the name of the of Lord Jesus and good morning!

Pastor Michael is leading us through the Gospel of John. As “the disciple whom Jesus loved,” John’s life was transformed by the words and ministry of Jesus. He wrote his Gospel to share his experiences so that we could know Jesus the way he did. Do you need a change? As we journey through the Gospel, the Spirit’s desire is that our lives would be forever changed for God’s glory, like John’s was.

If this is your first visit to our church, you’ve recently started attending, or have any questions about Jesus or our church, please visit the Welcome Center immediately after the service. Friendly people will be there to greet you and answer your questions. We would love to help you meet, know, and follow Jesus and personally welcome you to our WCC family!

Key verses: John 3:16-21

Message: Get Ready for the Big Picture: God’s Love, the Purpose of Belief and the Path to Kingdom Life

Series: Jesus Changes Everything: A Journey Through The Gospel of John

Pastor Frank Winans  
*Senior Pastor*

3/15/2026	Offerings Last Week	YTD Offerings	YTD Budget	YTD Difference
Ministry	14,713	149,527	174,520	(24,993)
Missions	662	14,227	19,900	(5,673)

*“Everything comes from You, and we have given only what comes from Your hand.”- 1 Chronicles 29:14*

*Note: As per IRS regulations, all donations to Woodbridge Community Church are income tax deductible and non-refundable, and are made with the understanding that WCC has complete discretion and control over the use of all donated funds.*

**TODAY:**

- 9:30 am | Prayer Time in the Conference Room, Building A
- 10:30 am | In-Person and Online Worship Service
- 12:00 pm | Refreshments served at the Courtyard  
Thanks to Au Sanga’s Team
- 12:00 pm | Baptism Class in the Conference Room
- 4-6 pm | AWANA in the Youth Center

**COMING UP:**

- March 29, 10:30 am | Palm Sunday Service
- April 3, 5:30 pm | Good Friday Service
- April 5, 10:30 am | Easter Sunday Service

**ONGOING EVENTS:**

- Wednesdays 9-11 am | The Word Speaks Bible Study in Bldg B1-4
- Thursdays 4:00 pm | Prayer Time in the Conference Room
- Fridays 3:30 pm | College and Career Group in Bldg. C-13
- Fridays 6:30 pm | Youth Group in the Youth Center

March 22, 2026

Series: Jesus Changes Everything:

A Journey Through The Gospel of John



Speaker: Pastor Michael Cranford

Title of Message: Get Ready for the Big Picture:  
God's Love, the Purpose of Belief and the Path to Kingdom  
Life

Key Verses: John 3:16-21

Sermon Notes:

1. Don't underestimate God's \_\_\_\_\_ (John 3:16)
2. Don't misunderstand the Messiah's \_\_\_\_\_  
(John 3:17)
3. Don't misjudge the purpose of \_\_\_\_\_  
(John 3:18)
4. Don't be deluded by the cover of \_\_\_\_\_  
(John 3:19-21)

Digging Deeper:

**1. Read John 3:16; 1 John 4:9-10; Romans 5:8.** God's love reveals what love actually is. How do these verses help you understand God's love? Romans 5:10 says that we were reconciled to God while we were his "enemies." Can you share how God has shown you how to love people who are difficult to love?

**2. Read John 3:16; John 1:10-12; Luke 15:11-32.** These verses show us that God's love is often resisted. Give some reasons why some people might refuse God's love? What was your life like when you didn't know God's love? What did it take for you to open your heart to God's love? How is God's love changing you on a daily basis?

**3. Read John 3:16; James 2:19; Romans 10:9-10.** In today's world, belief is often reduced to a thought, opinion, or affiliation (for example, "I identify as Christian"). What does being a Christian mean to you? Biblical belief involves trust, surrender and transformation, and not merely mental assent. How does your trust relationship with Jesus affect your daily life, your relationships and your priorities?

**4. Read John 3:17; Luke 19:10; 2 Peter 3:9.** Christians today often feel tension between truth and compassion. How can you hold firmly to biblical truth and at the same time reflect God's love to those who don't share your Christian beliefs? (2 Peter 3:9) Have you personally observed the church following (or not following) the principle of speaking "truth in love"? (Ephesians 4:15) Please share.

**5. Read John 3:21; Matthew 5:14-16; 1 John 1:7.** We live in a world that is obsessed with image and performance, but these verses tell us to live differently. What do the terms: living "by the truth" and "coming into the light" mean to you? (John 3:21) How can you know if your good works glorify God and not yourself? (Matthew 5:14-16) In what ways can you be obedient to Jesus' command to live your life "by the truth" and "in the light?"