



“A Stones Throw”



Summer is here and what a blessing to have all the activities which summer gives us time to enjoy.

I want to share a personal note to say how grateful I am for the marvelous 30th Ordination anniversary celebration. Since you know Laura and I value relationships most of all, the video's from people from all over the country was absolutely priceless! (You can go on our web site to sermons and go to the top and click on to see these.) Thanks as well for the special get away gift. Most of all we are so grateful for the gift of each of you and to be serving along side you in the work and ministry of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Our youth and children so often share how much fun they have together; as Christian people we have Good News which is worth celebrating together. Its great to serve a Church family that gets that!

*Thanks to you as a congregation for your support of our Children and Youth. What a blessing to have so many! With 100+ little ones in VBS, Memorial Day camp, and over 140 going to work-camp, leadership and Confirmation Camp ----We are so Blessed!

*Thank you for your stewardship. We particularly need this to finish strong the end of this year fiscal year June 30th and to do well this summer. Our yearly budget has been stretched in the 4th year of our building campaign. Thanks for your faithfulness!

* Most of all I am so grateful for a church which understands the importance of outreach. Clearly over 25% of our budget still goes to help those in need.

We can only respond that way when we know that we are“Blessed to Be a Blessing!”

In His Love and Service,

Pastor Mike

Calendar of Events:

VBS Sunday June 26th-30th 5:15- 6:00 dinner – program 6-8:45
Sunday, July 3 ----- Special patriotic focus and VBS sharing
Sunday July 10 ----- mtg with camp parents after services youth
July 14-17 ----- Kure Beach -Confirmation camp
July 17-19 -----Leadership camp
Sunday July 24th----- send off to workcamp
Sunday July 31st ----- workcampers back and sharing
August 21st ----- New member class room #100 9:15
Sat August 27th----- Council Retreat 8:30 – 12:00



★Rally Sunday (Youth) is Sunday August 28th

Join us after 10:30 service for cook out lunch and to hear about plans for new Sunday school classes as well as Christmas program and Bible studies!



Rally Sunday!

*Labor Day Weekend -----TEC Weekend Pray for Pastor Mike and 12 of our TEENS!

*Sept. 25 HOMECOMING 10:00 one service guest preacher Pastor Ken Tonneson

Budget and Attendance Information
For the Month of June 2016

Needed Weekly	\$ 7,296.10
Offering for June (3 weeks)	\$19,103.73
B2B3 Building Fund (3 weeks)	\$ 2,115.36

The Good Samaritan Food Pantry



The Food Pantry is open on:
Monday 3:00-5:00 PM
Friday's 1:00-3:00 PM.

Weddings for the 2016 Year

October 8th Maggie & David
November 12th Alex & Russell

Breakfast Club Schedule 2016

July 11 out to eat
Aug 1 out to eat



Monday @ 9:00 AM

Altar Guild Volunteer 10:30

July Meredith Priestley



Lay Assistants for 2016



July **8:00**
Margo Mosley

10:30
Patti Simmons

Adult Sunday School

Upper Room Young at Heart--"Circle Prayer"
Also Celebration Hall--"If" marvelous book (\$10.00 Join us!)

Golf Tournament –Saturday, September 24th

We need players and sponsors!

Camps For Our Youth

Kure Beach Confirmands-- July 14-17th
Leadership July 17-19th Work-camp Jacksonville-
Florida July 24-30th
TEC –All rising 10th graders September 3-5th
Meeting with parents after services **July 10th**

Bookclub Schedule

Saturday, July 16th @ 9:00 AM–Join us!

2016 Ushers

July **8:00 Ushers** Steve & Penny Dagenhart
10:30 Ushers Yvonne Osborne,
Meredith Priestley
& Heather Brashears

* **Men's and Women's Bible Studies** start back in
September ---Join Us!

New Members Class ---Sunday, August 21st
9:15-10:00 AM in room #100 downstairs with
Pastor Mike

Daisy Girl Scouts --- for young Girls
Mondays 6:30-7:30 --- contact Duranda Hedrick

Boy Scout Troop 275 will be meeting here at Mt.
Pisgah 6-8:00 PM each Thursday.

V.B.S. Starts Sunday, June 26th

Invite, Pray, and get involved--Let us make our
"Cave Quest" week together extra special!
5:15-6:00 -----Light Meal
6:15-8:45 -----VBS Program Monday-Thursday
Food, Rides, Jump, Games, Inflatables & Great
Bible Adventures.
Thursday night June 30th ---- closing banquet

Join us for a great week together! If you would like
to help in set-up or during VBS -contact Crystal
Cook.



Party for Emily Mawyer

When: August 4th Thursday 5:00PM
Where: Wynnshire Ridge Club House & Pool
What: Dinner and pool party –farewell as she
heads Durham, NC
Who: All youth ---join us!

Martin and Ashley Watson's baby Clara was born weighing 1 lb 10 oz and she is precious. She is healthy and about 8-lbs. Proud Grandma Carol Jones and aunt Kristen Noble. Dad, Martin and Clara will be baptized on July 10th. God is Good!



Thank You.....

Breakfast Club ---It is wonderful to be loved. Thank you for supporting me with your generosity, prayers and kindness--- Sandy Fulton

Dear Mt. Pisgah Family,

Thank you for the prayers, get well cards during my time of healing. God Bless you! --- Anita Legg

Dear Mt. Pisgah Family,

Thank you so very much for all you have done for me during my time of illness (prayers, meals, etc)
Love Vee Williams

Dear Mt. Pisgah Family,

We want to thank you all for the prayers, cards, during mother's last months and her death. Thanks to the ladies who provided the meals. We love you all.
--Doris Wilson, Carolyn Carpenter and family.

Dear Pastor Mike,

Thank you so much for the generous donation to Safe Harbor in memory of John's Mother. Thank you for the prayers, kindness and thoughtfulness. With love and appreciation John & Paige Walker

Polished Conference for Mother/Daughter

August 20th 10:00-4:00 PM @ Mt Pisgah Lutheran Church. \$20.00 per person includes lunch & t-shirt.

Stewardship our fiscal year starts officially July 1st Thanks for your pledges and offerings and for your faithfulness to our Lord.

Mt. Pisgah Preschool Graduation

Graduation programs for Mt. Pisgah's Preschool were May 26 for three-year olds and May 27 for four-year olds. This is a high point in children's lives and will be long-remembered by sentimental parents, grandparents, and preschoolers.

As the school year came to a close, the staff had mixed emotions: pride in the learning progress of all the children but saddened that the older preschoolers will be off to kindergarten in the fall.

This has been a fantastic school year. Small classes have enabled the staff to give individual attention to children and guide their academic and social development. Graduating students were sent off to kindergarten with confidence that they are ready to begin their public school educational journey.

If you want your child to be a part of this highly regarded preschool program, either call Mt. Pisgah (495-8251) or Mrs. Bloom (256-2503), or drop by the church office to pick up an application.

Graduation For Preschoolers



A place where every child is considered to be a unique and special individual; a place for your child to laugh, love and learn.

Mt. Pisgah Preschool is a beary special place for our family! We have had both our boys attend preschool here. As well as their dad who was one of the first few classes to attend preschool here! Jacob our oldest just finished 2nd grade with straight A's and reading on a 3rd grade reading level. Jacob was very shy when he started preschool. With Mrs. Linda and Teresa's help he slowing began coming out of his shell. Jayden just finished up the 3 year old class this year and he loved it. He has made so many new friends and is looking forward to going to "school" next year for the 4 year old class. Some days he wants to act shy and not stay at school but Mrs. Linda does a wonderful job at helping with this. She tells Jayden she has a "job" for him to do or needs help with something. He will then go right with her and he is good for the rest of the day. Both boys especially loved show and tell. They looked forward to picking out something to take the night before their day for show and tell. I feel that this is a wonderful preschool we have in our community and would recommend it to anyone. ---Stephanie Davis

Food Pantry's Bag It In July

- Each month the Food Pantry distributes approximately 200 Health Kits to Food Pantry recipients.
- A Health kit consist of two rolls toilet paper, a bar of soap and shampoo or toothpaste.
- Beginning July 10th, paper bags will be available with a list of toiletry items needed for Health Kits.
- Take a bag - Choose from list the items you want to purchase. Bag the items- Return the bag to the church by August 7th.
- Health Kit needs:
 - Bar soap (full size)
 - Shampoo (full size)
 - Toothpaste (full size)
 - Toilet Paper

If you prefer not to “Bag It” any packaged food, health kit items or financial contributions are welcome.

The Food Pantry and Outreach Committee thanks you for your continued support.

Mt. Pisgah Lutheran Church

Worship Worksheet For July 2016

Date: 7/3/2016 Seventh Sunday after Pentecost -----Holy Communion-----Green

Sermon

Entrance #

Confession # 94

Hymn of the Day #

Children's Sermon

Communion #

Closing Hymn #

Altar Guild Meredith Priestley Offering Donovan Douglas

Assisting Minister Margo Mosley 10:30 Patti Simmons

Usher Steve & Penny Dagenhart 10:30 Yvonne Osborne, Meredith Priestley & Heather

Crucifer & Acolyte Connor Briggs Brashear

Date: 7/10/2016 Eighth Sunday after Pentecost -----Holy Communion-----Green

Sermon Baptism: Martin Watson & Clara Watson (8:00)

Entrance #

Confession # 94

Hymn of the Day #

Children Sing 10:30

Communion #

Closing Hymn #

Altar Guild Meredith Priestley Offering Donovan Douglas

Assisting Minister Margo Mosley 10:30 Patti Simmons

Usher Steve & Penny Dagenhart 10:30 Yvonne Osborne, Meredith Priestley & Heather

Crucifer & Acolyte Connor Briggs Brashear

Date: 7/17/2016 Ninth Sunday after Pentecost -----Holy Communion-----Green

Sermon Pastor Lingle

Entrance #

Confession # 94

Children's sermon Pastor Lingle

Hymn of the Day #

Communion #

Closing Hymn #

Altar Guild Meredith Priestley Offering Donovan Douglas

Assisting Minister Margo Mosley 10:30 Patti Simmons

Usher Steve & Penny Dagenhart 10:30 Yvonne Osborne, Meredith Priestley & Heather

Crucifer & Acolyte Connor Briggs Brashear

Date: 7/24/2016 Tenth Sunday after Pentecost -----Holy Communion-----Green

Sermon

Entrance #

Confession # 94

Children's sermon Pastor Lingle

Hymn of the Day #

Communion #

Closing Hymn #

Altar Guild Meredith Priestley Offering Donovan Douglas

Assisting Minister Margo Mosley 10:30 Patti Simmons

Usher Steve & Penny Dagenhart 10:30 Yvonne Osborne, Meredith Priestley & Heather

Crucifer & Acolyte Connor Briggs Brashear

Date: 7/31/2016 Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost -----Holy Communion-----Green

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