

Budget and Attendance Information
For the Month of March 2007

Needed Weekly	\$5,700.97
Offering for March	\$
Average Worship Attendance	SS

The Good Samaritan Food Pantry

Food for the month of **April** is soup, peanut butter & jelly, crackers, dried beans, dried milk, canned fruits, rice, and jams. Food stamp recipients cannot buy health items with food stamps so laundry detergent, shampoo and paper products (**especially toilet paper**) are always needed and appreciated.

- Our source for toothpaste that is included in the health kit is no longer available. On your next shopping trip please pick up a extra one for the Food Pantry.

The Food Pantry is open on Monday from 3:30-5:30 PM and on Friday's 1:00-3:00 PM.

- ☺ Our 8:00 Greeters for the month of April – Tim & Cathy Thick
- ☺ Our 10:30 Greeters for the month of April – J.D. & Laurie Wegner

Golden Chain

The Golden Chain will be meeting on Tuesday, April 10th @ 11:30AM for their monthly meeting and luncheon. We will have a special guest speaker Sondra Daniels from Family Caregiver Specialist Western Piedmont Council of Government. Please make plans to join us.

We hope to see you there!

If you want to be part of the Golden Chain Group please come out and join us, we would love to have you. We welcome anyone 55 or older to visit and join in on our social activities.

Contact Dick @ 495-8558



Weight Watchers @ Mt. Pisgah!

Forget the Easter Eggs and Chocolate Bunnies, if you trying to get your weight under control. Help and encouragement is available. Remember at the Weight Watcher's group meetings here at Mt. Pisgah. If you want to be a part of this special group contact Pam Queen to join the Weight Watcher's. They are meeting at Mt. Pisgah on Monday(s) @ 6:00 PM. For more information about their meeting(s) or any other questions please contact

Pam Queen @ 632-3887

**Men's Bible Study will be meeting
on Tuesday(s) @ 5:30-6:30PM**

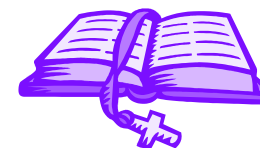
Tuesday March 27th 5:30-6:30 Finished Hebrews!
We will take a break after this until April 17th.

Join us as we begin our study on **Daniel** you don't want to miss this 5:30-6:30 on April 17th

We will meet until Tuesday, May 22nd, when we have our end of the year banquet this year with the Women's Bible study group.

“Daniel had the most incredible career imaginable; He was transported as a teenager captive to a pagan empire and became the primary confidante to the ruler of Babylon. Daniel in his exemplary life was inspired by our Lord and like Joseph was one of the few Biblical characters of which no evil was ever spoken”

We invite all men, young or old to please join us for a real blessing!



Sunday, April 1st

After each service an important information meeting for all going to Work-camp & Kure Beach this summer.
 Also we need \$125.00 for all youth attending work-camp and \$50.00 for all youth attending Kure Beach.

(adult chaperones will be covered)

Mt. Pisgah Nursery for 2007 --Your Help Is Needed

A sign-up sheet is located on the Nursery door.

Kristen Noble is on duty each Sunday, but she needs your help.
 Some Sunday(s) we have 12-15 little ones in the nursery.

Would you please help by signing up for 2 Sunday(s) at the 10:30 Service.

Thanks so much!

- April 1st Jane Kiziah
- April 8th Children Sit with parents !
- April 15th Sarah Dawson
- April 22nd Tamara & Lee Kirby
- April 29th Jimmy & Anna Schiltz

Adult Sunday School News

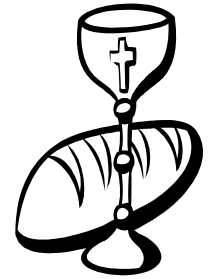
In April the Adult Sunday School class will start a brief survey of the Bible. Join us as we discuss the pivotal events in the Bible and trace God's relationship with his people. We'll talk about the Bible and ask what it means when Christians say it is the inspired Word of God. Does that mean every word in the Bible is inerrant? Why were some books included in the New Testament and other were not?

Get a cup of coffee and join us in the Celebration Hall @ 9:15 for fellowship and study.
 All are welcome!



2007 Altar Guild Volunteer 10:30 Service

- April Jean Stafford
- May Meredith Priestley
- June Laurie Wegner
- July Yvonne Osborne
- August Sandy Hefner
- September Shawn Frank
- October Ellen Perry
- November Linda Williams
- December Sylvia Bevans



Ushers for April:

	8:00 AM	10:30AM
April 1 st	Billy & Mia Johnson	Tony, Karen & Cody Whitener
April 8 th	Duane & Debbie Sipe	Dick Schmidt, Ed & Ellen Perry
April 15 th	Mike & Toni Burris	David Moser, Bill Bowman & Derek Dawson
April 22 nd	Vonteena Bowman & Melissa Clouse	Don & Sandy Hefner & Hilda Yager
April 29 th	Stephen & Meredith Priestley	Rodney & Kathryn Tesh & Eric Huffman

Thank You from

Dear Mt. Pisgah,
 Thank You for your wonderful gift of kindness. We can not express how much you touched our lives, you all are true little Christ in action. Your prayers and blessing are felt deep in our hearts. Here is another blessing we received so take this gift and help another life who needs your love and support. Thanks so much and may God bless all of you! God has truly blessed us.

♥Your brother & Sister in Christ
 Don & Sandy Hefner

April 8th Easter Sunday Breakfast 8:30-10:30 AM --- Men's Club



Confirmation Dates of Importance!

Sunday, April 1st meeting after each service to discuss work-camp \$125.00 needed by then. Also please have \$50.00 for Kure Beach money in as well.

April 5th Thursday, Maundy Thursday service

April 6th Good Friday service

Confirmation class on Wednesday April 18th

Saturday, April 21st Confirmation Banquet @ 6:00PM

Sunday, April 22nd Confirmation service

Dinner for Dalton – Friday, May 11th



Parents thanks for your participation in this great ministry!

Flower Chart

If you would like to recognize a special person or a special occasion with the gift of flowers remember the flower chart is located on the Kiosk in the narthex. Sign up and let them know how much they mean to you.

A Special Thanks!

- To our Church Choir--- for all the beautiful music
- To all who purchased our new Hymnals
- To all who participated in our March clean-up
- To all who have made this Lenten Season so special

New Members Class

If you would like to join this special church family!

Sunday, May 6th (9:15-10:15AM) in the Upper Room meet with Pastor Mike to share about our Mt. Pisgah Church.

Sunday, May 20th – God and Country Sunday—All new members will be received and we will have a covered dish reception after the 10:30 Service.

In April We Celebrate with.....

Stephanie Hendren & Josh Davis in their wedding at Catawba United Methodist Church in Catawba on Saturday, April 28th @ 5:00PM. Congratulations!

The Baptism of Joseph Mogray on Sunday, April 22nd. Joseph's parents are K. Charles & Rose Mogray.

Golf Tournament ---- see insert



*As every year we are in need of sponsors for the golf course holes!

Picture Directory April 1st & April 2nd

Our success is up to you!

If you have **Not** called this number (1-800-500-6526 #110)

To set up an appointment for Sunday April 1st or Monday, April 2nd.

These are our last days ---**NO Make Ups**

Thanks for participating!

We Need You!

April is designated on the Synod's ministry calendar as Agapé † Kure Beach Ministries month. Please use the info that will be sent to you about March 20th.

UP-COMING EVENTS:

1. **Register for Summer Camp** now. Registration form is available online.
2. **Summer Camp Sampler at Agapé May 6th 1:30-4:30 PM** This is a great opportunity for the whole family to come experience some of the things that happen in our summer programs. This is last day to receive the \$25.00 discount camp fee.
3. **GO CAMP news Ground Breaking** for the Dining Hall/EE Building will be on Sunday May 6 during Open House.
4. **Mother-Daughter overnight retreat May 11-12 at Camp Agapé.** Cost for is \$65 per person age 13 and up, 6-12 years old is \$40.00 5 and under is free. This includes 2 meals, night lodging, retreat staff and program activities. Program includes worship and devotion times, interactive Bible study, a craft, music, relaxation, and lots of fun.

NEEDS for SUMMER:

1. **Summer counselors needed.** We are searching for quality Christians to serve as counselors on our 2007 summer staff. Applicants must be 19 years minimum, love kids, and want a fun and exciting challenge.
2. **A camp 4 wheel drive pick up is needed.** Our 22 year old pick up is not as reliable as it used to be.

Contact Camp Agape: 919-552-9421 E-mail: agape@agapekurebeach.org
Contact Kure Beach office: -910-458-0783 E-mail: kurebeach@agapekurebeach.org
Web site: www.agapekurebeach.org

Drop a line.....

Jeremy Hefner
Unit #40603
FOB Kalsu
APO AE 09312

(write a note and let him know you are think about him, I am sure he would love to hear from his Mt. Pisgah family)

What are some of the ministries duties?

Each month one of Mt. Pisgah's nine ministries will be highlighted in the Pisgazette. The ministries are looking for enthusiastic members with new ideas. Please read each description and listen for God nudging you toward a particular ministry. If you are already participating on a committee, thank you. If you aren't already involved we're hoping you'll take this opportunity to contribute to the church while making new friends and enjoying fellowship with your church family.

We highlight ...Fellowship this month!☺

Ministry of Music & Worship

The ministry of Music & Worship is charged with managing the worship life of the church, overseeing the music programs, seeking ways to enhance worship and providing for special worship opportunities. In addition, they plan special music and manage the chancel choir. This year, the committee organized the purchase of the Evangelical Lutheran Worship hymnal and is charged with introducing the new settings to the congregation. This is an exciting and challenging task for the congregation, however the new settings will bring new life and meaning to the worship experience.

To keep the worship services running smoothly, the members of this committee gather volunteers for the various tasks needed at each service. These include:

- Altar Guild (8:00 Libby Sigmon & 10:30 Sandy Hefner)
- Lay Assistant (Yvonne Osborne)
- * Acolytes & Crucifers (Mickey Adair)
- * Ushers (8:00 Libby Sigmon & 10:30 Linda Williams)
- Nursery Assistant (Peggi Parlier)

We appreciate everyone's participation and are always looking for new faces. If you are interested in learning more about the volunteer opportunities listed above, please contact the individual beside the task that you are interested in or contact Meredith Priestley #495-7967. Also, if you would like to join our committee, please contact any of the individuals on the committee.



Confirmation Information.....
Important Information!

Wednesday April 18th
Dinner 6:00 Pizza
Confirmation 6:30-7:00
Parents – this is a **short** meeting. Please join us for dinner and meeting.
Pastor Mike needs to go over details regarding Confirmation Banquet

Saturday, April 21st – Confirmands Banquet @ 6:00 PM.
Helpers please be here by 4:30PM

Sunday, April 22nd - **Confirmation Sunday 8:00 & 10:30**

We congratulate and celebrate with our 4 confirmands:
Rex Auton, Aimee Bowen, Gage Holcomb & Nicholas Sipe

Wednesday April 25th
Dinner 6:00
Confirmation 6:30-7:00

Saturday, April 28th
Overnight 7:30
Youth Sunday (April 29th)



Mark your calendars!

June 10th Church Picnic 10:30 Glenn Hilton Park
Worship & Lunch

Reminder:

Don't forget to bring your flowers for the flowering of the Cross. (Easter Sunday, April 8th)



Church Council information.....

NO Church Council meeting in APRIL.

Stewardship & Finance meeting on May 1st 6:30 PM (work on budget)

Mark your calendars for Monday, May 7th Important Church Council Meeting ---- 6:00-7:00 PM

Teapots & Teacups Need

The Fellowship Committee would like to use teapots and teacups for the upcoming tea on April 29th. If anyone in the congregation has these items that they are willing to loan for the day, Please contact a member of the Fellowship Committee. We thank you in advance for your generosity.

Jane Kiziah Beth Madurski
Ann Ochs Jannette Rector
Evelyn Sain Patti Simmons
Cherie Stewart

Spring Fling ----- Women's Tea & Entertainment-----

Sunday, April 29th @ 2:00-4:00 PM in Celebration Hall.

Lite Luncheon Buffet

Sandwiches Fruit
Deserts Sweets
Assorted Teas Punch

Door prizes and entertainment
Phyllis Little at the piano and the Mt. Zion Church Bell Choir

Ticket will be on sale after each worship services, beginning on April 1st

Adults \$6.00
Children (6 years old and under)\$3.00

*Limited seating available



Youth!!!!
All Youth – Junior & Sr. High

April 1st we are having lunch together at Pizza Hut--- Sandy Ridge @ 12:00. Bring \$\$\$ for lunch.

Bring a bag of canned goods – as we will be going over to Josh & Stephanie for an old fashion “Pounding.”

- Don’t forget for **all** going to work-camp – July 8-15th or to Kure Beach August 9-15th. We have a special meeting on April 1st right after both services.
- Confirmation Banquet 6:00 on April 21st
- Confirmation Congrats to: Amie, Nicholas, Gage, & Rex on Sunday, April 22nd.
- Overnight on Saturday, April 28th (7:30)
 Youth Sunday on April 29th

Upcoming Events

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| Saturday, May 5 th | Golf Tournament @ River Crest |
| Friday, May 11 th | Dinner for Dalton @ 6:00 PM (Fundraiser) |
| Sunday, May 13 th | Mother’s Day Celebration (gifts for all women) |
| Tuesday, May 22 nd | Men & Women’s Bible Study Dinner |
| Sunday, June 10 th | Church Picnic 10:30 @ Glen Hilton Park |



Mark your calendars
 For these special events!

Women’s Bible Study



Women's Bible Study

10:00 A.M. and 6:30 P.M. **Living Beyond Yourself** by Beth Moore will be an in-depth study of the fruit of the Spirit-living proof that the Spirit of God dwells in us.

This 11-week, interactive study features personal, daily assignments and weekly group sessions with video(DVD). Workbooks were provided at the first session; cost was \$15.00 each. This study will be meeting every second and fourth Monday of each month. In January and April we will need to meet on the 5th Monday also. A schedule will be provided at the first study.

The fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. Against such things there is no law. Galatians 5:22-23

Prayerfully consider this study and join us in the Upper Room. God Bless, Yvonne Osborne