

Mount Pisgah Academy SDA Church

March 9, 2024

10:45 am

Prelude Music

Mission Spotlight

11:00 am

Welcome & Announcements
Invocation

Kitty Ratzlaff

A Time to Share our Resources

Adventist World Radio

Remy Guenin

Offertory

Kevin Worth

A Time for Our Children

Tammy Vaughan

A Time of Singing

A Time to Pray

Desmond Suarez

A Time for Music

Victoria Pasechnik

A Time for Scripture

Hebrews 6:9-12

David & Renae Matteson

A Time to Listen

Well Served

Elder Warren Ruf

A Time to Sing—#577 *In the Heart of Jesus*

A Time for Benediction

Elder Warren Ruf

Postlude

Choristers: Kitty Ratzlaff & Friends Organist/Pianist: Kevin Worth

To give online go to: <https://adventistgiving.org>

To watch online go to: <https://www.mpasda.org/live-stream>

March 9-15

Today	After church 6:33 pm	Potluck Sunset
Sunday	1-3 pm	Birthday Reception for Carol Ratzlaff
Wednesday	7:00 pm	<i>Journey Through Scripture</i> Small Group Bible Study and Prayer
Friday	7:38 pm	Sunset

MPA Person of Prayer This Week

07-17 March Break

Prayer Requests

Baby Charlie Garland—NICU
Newly Baptized Members & Baptismal Candidates
Community Center Building Project
APCS Building Project
Ukraine
Rose Cullen, Irene Canosa, Gladys Fowler, Rose Lewis—church
members and friends at Pisgah Manor

Birthdays

12 Mildred Love	14 Sara Bedwell
13 Samantha Burgos	15 Lynette Hyatt

Potluck Team

Today: Kitty Ratzlaff

Next Week: Classy Friends

On Duty Today

Deacon: Kevin Cray Sr Sound: Keith Magnant

Sabbath School Classes

9:30 am

Children
Cradle Roll
Kindergarten
Primary
Junior/Earliteen

Adults
Choir Rm—both sides
Back hallway next to library
Sanctuary—HOPE SS

Announcements

There will be a potluck dinner immediately after the worship service at the community center. Everyone is welcome!

From Europe, to Ukraine, to the West Bank of Israel, don't miss these updates during the Adventist World Radio Annual Offering. God is using AWR's many broadcasts and platforms to reach people previously deemed "impossible to reach." Today we invite you to partner with AWR in this vital ministry. (Just mark your offering envelope "AWR", or donate directly at awr.org/give.)

MPA students are currently on Spring Break. They will return next Sunday.

Carol Ratzlaff, mother of John Ratzlaff, will turn 100 tomorrow! Help her celebrate by coming to a drop-in, casual reception on her birthday, Sunday, March 10, from 1 to 3 p.m., at the home of Penny and Mickey Wortman, 91 Morgan Branch Estates Rd, Candler NC. Light snacks will be served. Please no gifts. Also, you are invited to bring or send a birthday card (to the same address), to help us reach our goal of 100 cards for her birthday. Thank you!

Journey Through Scripture: The scripture study will be 1 Kings 3-4.

March Worship Speakers: Rod Hartle on March 16; Peru Mission Trip Report for Academy Days on March 23.

Congratulations to Remy Guenin who has joined the Carolina Conference Planned Giving and Trust Services Department as a field representative. He is fully certified to provide you with helpful guidance in planning your estate.

The **APCS Board** is studying fundraising ideas to pay down the loan for the gym. The board would like to expand their March meeting to include interested members of the constituent churches having experience with grant writing or more creative events, maybe not Bingo. The meeting will be held in the MPASDAC choir room on March 18 at 7 pm.

Substitute SS teachers are needed for the lower divisions. Please consider giving of your time for this important ministry. Please let Desiree know if you can help: Desiree5472@hotmail.com.

Our Hominy Valley Men's Choir will be singing "A Musical Celebration of Yeshua" for an Easter concert at the Weaverville Baptist Church on Friday evening, March 15 at 7 pm. All are Welcome.

An original play, "The Safe House," will be presented at the March 30 worship service. Actors representing men and women disciples, including children, will relive the upper room experience on the Sabbath and first day of Easter. If you have interest in joining the cast which will include MPA students, please contact Warren Ruf for a copy of the script and rehearsal times.

The community center will soon receive long-awaited renovations. Date of closure is pending, but expect announcement soon. Construction is expected to impact church and community use until around MPA graduation.

Welcome to the Family is a weekend event for our newest members in the Carolina Conference. If you have joined the SDA Community in the last four years by baptism, this event is designed for YOU and YOUR FAMILY and we would love for you to be a part of it. Please register as early as you can because space is limited. We look forward to seeing you soon. For more info and to register, go to: carolinasda.org and choose 'Welcome to the Family' below on the left side.

Opportunities with MPA
For more information, and to sign up contact Tammy Vaughan: 803-682-5967.

Join Arden Adventist Church for a Prayer Conference with Dr Ron Clouzet: *In the Name of Jesus-- Friday, April 12 @ 7p* in the Arden Community Life Center; *When God Hears--April 13 @ 9:30 am* in the sanctuary; *The Science of Prayer--@ 10:45; Prayer & Outreach @ 2 pm* in the CLC, followed by dinner, corporate prayer and testimonies @ 6 pm. Dr Ron Clouzet pastors the East Ridge SDA Church in Tennessee and is the former Director of the NAD Evangelism Institute and Professor of Christian Ministry and Pastoral Theology at AU.

Mt. Pisgah Academy SDA Church Directory

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Church Office Hrs: Mon-Thurs 1-5; Friday 8-Noon

If you would like to receive our weekly newsletter

"What's Happening @ MPASDAC", please send an email to Karen Knowles (karen.knowles@pisgah.us) or join us on Facebook at "Mount Pisgah Academy Seventh-day Adventist Church (MPASDAC)".

Church Information

	Lead Pastor
	Associate Pastor
Karen Knowles	Secretary/Clerk
Warren Ruf	Lead Elder
Lynn Hughes	Treasurer
Tammy Vaughan	Assistant Clerk
Glen Hughes	Lead Deacon
Denise Wilson	Lead Deaconess
Dewald Coetzer	MPA Principal
Mark Galvez	MPA Chaplain
Erin Miller	APCS Principal

Looking for Excellent Christian Education?

Mount Pisgah Academy is an Adventist high school campus, sponsored by the Carolina Conference of SDA. For more information, please call the academy office at 667-2535.

Asheville-Pisgah Christian School is an Adventist elementary school sponsored by our church and Foster SDA Church. For more information, please call the school office at 667-3255.

We Believe in . . .

- ◆ The entire Bible as the inspired Word of God
- ◆ The Trinity: Father, Son & Holy Spirit
- ◆ Salvation only through Jesus Christ
- ◆ An imminent literal, visible return of Christ
- ◆ A last day message of mercy and judgment
- ◆ The 10 Commandments as an infallible rule of living
- ◆ The blessing of the 7th day Sabbath keeping
- ◆ Immortality only through Christ given at His return
- ◆ All the Christian gifts, including prophecy
- ◆ Baptism by immersion
- ◆ The Lord's Supper and Foot washing
- ◆ Healthful living and gospel finance

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Following Jesus to New Heights

In Anticipation of His Glorious Return

Matthew 28:18-20; Revelation 14

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