



Weekly CHATTER

JANUARY 31, 2021
**SUNDAY, JANUARY 31ST
WORSHIP ONLINE ONLY.**

CHURCH NEWS



Stephanie Moore
Hand

A NOTE FROM PASTOR SHERRI.

This Sunday, we will welcome the Rev. Stephanie Moore Hand as our guest preacher. An ordained Deacon, Stephanie serves as one of the four Church Vitality Strategists for the Western NC Conference of the United Methodist Church. She serves primarily the Metro and Uwharrie districts, with special projects throughout the other six districts. We continue our sermon series "Journey to the Center of the Faith" with this week's focus, THE B-I-B-L-E! Join our Tuesday 7:00 p.m. Bible Study to dig deeper.

WORSHIP UPDATE - The Re-Launch Team has made the decision to continue meeting for worship online throughout February. It is our hope in March to return to in-person worship outdoors if indoor options remain limited as the weather begins to warm. So, for now, continue to join together via ZOOM or Facebook Live @ 10:00 a.m. on Sunday or worship on YouTube when it's convenient for you! Watch Parties are highly encouraged!

ASH WEDNESDAY AND LENT - On Ash Wednesday, February 17th, we will have drive-through imposition of ashes from 11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and again from 5:30 - 6:30 p.m. There will also be a special online service of worship at 7:00 p.m. Lenten Kits (that include ashes) for use at home will be available for pick-up from the church office beginning February 7th. And if you need a kit delivered, arrangements will be made. Also, look for opportunities to gather on Wednesday evenings throughout Lent for Mid-Week Manna. More info to come.

2020 DONATION STATEMENTS. Please watch your e-mail for your 2020 Donation Statements. For those of you who we do not have an email address, we will mail your statements through the USPS. If, for some reason, you do not receive your statement through email or would rather have it mailed, please call the church office at 704-553-1327 and we will be happy to send your statement via USPS.

PRESCHOOL. It's time to register for September! Starting Wednesday, February 3rd, we will be registering for the start of the new school year in September. Drop by any Tuesday, Wednesday, or Thursday between 9:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. to register your child! ~Amanda Newhouse, Director

HARRIS TEETER VIC CARD! Please remember to link or relink your Harris Teeter VIC card to support local schools! **Montclair Elementary School is 1729** and **St. Andrew's UMC Preschool is 3232.** More than one school may be linked! Cashiers should be able to link your card on the spot. This is done once per school year! Thank you for your support.

CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

WINTER VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL! Join us online this Sunday at 3:00 p.m. for our final ZOOM session. See connection information at www.standrewsumc.com.



CALLING ALL SINGERS! Do you miss singing together? So do we! Though we can't sing together in the same room, we can still sing together in our own homes and bring glory to God with our voices. Join the Chancel Choir for fellowship and singing and the adventure of being in a virtual choir. It's fun, and we'll help with all the technological stuff. Just bring your voice and a smile! Rehearsal is February 3rd at 7:00 pm. Click the link to join:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82967151680?pwd=OGdYTVFZYTlFvbldoNTI5dUZOZUxoUT09>

THURSDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY. If you're bored and a fan of Max Lucado's books, I'd like to invite you to a new Bible Study, offered online via ZOOM on Thursdays at 11:00 a.m. The book is "GOD IS ALWAYS WITH YOU" and it explores the way to not only give yourself a lift, but also how to use the knowledge in the book to be a better worker in our spiritual garden. For the connection link, email Martha Murray at bigmomma1937@gmail.com.



Pat and Alan
Davis

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

A memorial service will be held on Saturday, February 13th, at 11:00 a.m. at St. Andrew's UMC for Alan and Pat Davis.



John Parker

PLEASE HELP CELEBRATE.

Amanda Newhouse's dad, John Parker, is turning 100 on Saturday, February 13th! Please help him celebrate by sending cards to: **John Parker, 612 Brickdust Ct., Fort Mill, SC 29708**

We hope to have 100 cards for 100 years!

CONDOLENCES to the families of former St. Andrew's UMC pastors: Reverend Pat Heafner (1976-1981) and Reverend Ken Johnson (1971-1974). Their service to St. Andrew's was greatly appreciated. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.



PHOTO HIGHLIGHT.

Beautiful prayer shawls crocheted by Joseph DiPasquale. Pictured L-R: Jetta, Joseph, and Gunner DiPasquale.



- 1 Courtney Sanford
- 2 Jessica Carte
- 3 Camryn Tita
- 3 Sam Weeks
- 3 Stella Wolf
- 4 Natalie New
- 5 Robin Furr
- 5 Karen Patrick
- 5 Jacob Adams
- 6 Shanika Brown



WORSHIP SERVICES

JANUARY 31ST
10:00 a.m. Online Only.

FEBRUARY 7TH
10:00 a.m. Online Only.

FEBRUARY 14TH
10:00 a.m. Online Only.

ASH WEDNESDAY
FEBRUARY 17TH
Drive-through imposition
11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
and 5:30 - 6:30 p.m.
Online Service of Worship
7:00 p.m.

FEBRUARY 21ST
10:00 a.m. Online Only.

FEBRUARY 28TH
10:00 a.m. Online Only.

SAVE THE DATE!
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28TH
S'MORES AND FELLOWSHIP
CHURCH GROUNDS.
TIME TO BE DETERMINED.

REGULAR CHURCH HOURS:
Monday-Thursday
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Closed on Fridays.

SCRIPTURE LESSON
2 Timothy 3:16 (CEB)

¹⁶ Every scripture is inspired by God and is useful for teaching, for showing mistakes, for correcting, and for training character...