



Weekly CHATTER

July 31, 2022

Worship Service in the Sanctuary and Online.

WORSHIP UPDATE. This Sunday, we continue our summer sermon series, *"In the Right Direction,"* based upon *Proverbs 22:6*. Using a series of children's books, we will explore the "Good News" through stories made for both young and old. This Sunday - **Dr. Seuss -- "The Butter Battle Book"**. Remember, you can join for worship 1) in-person, 2) via zoom, and 3) via YouTube. Links for ZOOM and YouTube can be found on the church's website.



STAFF UPDATE. Kevin Ward's resignation was announced this past Sunday at the end of the worship service. **His final Sunday at St. Andrew's UMC will be on August 14th. A reception for Kevin and his family will be at 11:00 a.m. following the worship service in the Fellowship Hall.** Please come to thank Kevin for his service and to wish him well. ~Ann Whichard, SPRC Chair

THE FUTURE OF THE UMC. A presentation by Dan Pezet, Metro District Superintendent and Amy Coles, Assistant to the Bishop. Join us on Sunday, August 21st, at 4:00 p.m. at South Park UMC and Sunday, September 25th at 4:00 p.m. at University City UMC. This will be a chance to hear from Conference leadership about some of the current issues facing our church. We will address and clarify some common questions and rumors that have emerged about the church's stance on same-sex marriages and the ordination of LGBTQ pastors. Join us for this important discussion.



Dot Kille

PLEASE JOIN IN CELEBRATING. Dot Kille's 100th birthday on Wednesday, August 3rd. On Dot's special day there will be a drive by at 1:30 p.m. at **Lake Wylie Assisted Living, 4877 Charlotte Hwy, Lake Wylie, SC 29710.** If you can not participate, please send a card to the address above or to Dot's

daughter: **C/O Kerry Lindler, 320 Gringley Hill Road, Fort Mill, SC 29708.**

CHURCHWIDE WORKDAY. Please join us as we spruce up St. Andrew's on Saturday, August 6th, from 8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. **To Do List:** Replace and repair rubber baseboards, step repair on playground fort, paint soffit in the Sanctuary, level FLC freezer, clear roof and gutters, concrete footing formed and poured, and clean out the Resource room.

Popsicles and Playground

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Join us for some **playground fun, activities, crafts, games, and ice pops.** On **Wednesday, August 10th, from 9:30-11:30 a.m.** here at St. Andrew's UMC. We will gather on the playground! If you have any questions, please email Sherry Jackson at: childrensministry@standrewsumc.com



SUMMER SINGING WITH THE CHOIR!

Come join the choir this summer on Sundays: August 14th and 28th. No weeknight rehearsal and no music reading required! Just show up on Sunday at 8:45 a.m. in the Sanctuary, ready to raise your voice in praise. All ages and abilities welcome! Questions? Reach out to Sara at churchmusic@standrewsumc.com.



MONTCLAIRE ELEMENTARY TEACHER BREAKFAST, MONDAY, AUGUST 22ND.

We need your support to love and care for our teachers at Montclair Elementary School.

On August 7th and 14th, we will supply baking pans and recipes for those who wish to help bake breakfast casseroles for the teachers. **Casseroles will need to be returned to the church on Sunday, August 21st.**

On Sunday, August 14th, at 11:00 a.m. we will be packaging goodie bags for the teachers.

Monday, August 22nd, we will need all hands on deck to cut fruit and warm up the breakfast casserole. Please email Sherry Jackson at childrensministry@standrewsumc.com if you need pans or are able to help on the August 22nd.



BOOK CLUB HOSTED BY SUSANNA CIRCLE.

Come be a part of our bi-monthly meetings. Join us next on Friday, August 26th, at 6:30 p.m. as we discuss *"The Woman in Cabin 10"* by Ruth Ware. Please call Nicole Campbell at 704-589-2601 for more details. Nicole will be hosting the meeting at her home. All women are welcome. Invite a friend.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS.

Pat Parker and Greg Parker
737 Shuttles Way, Fort Mill, SC 29715

THANK YOU.

To my St. Andrew's Family,

Thank you for the many cards, well wishes, and calls I received on my birthday. Each was greatly appreciated. I miss seeing all my church friends and think of you often. Thank you again for your kind remembrance of me on my birthday.

Sincerely, Bonnie White



HIGHLIGHTS

ST. ANDREW'S UMC FEATURED IN THE UNITED METHODIST FOUNDATION OF WESTERN NC'S ANNUAL REPORT FOR 2021. It's a great article about SAUMC and Kenn Bullock's work with the foundation.

Click on the following link specifically page 15 to read the article:

<https://online.fliphtml5.com/iacxz/gsci/#p=16>

AUGUST Birthdays

- 2 Kevin Alvarez
- 2 Shelby Amon
- 3 Dot Kille
- 3 Rebekah Lisk
- 4 Garren DiPasquale
- 4 Linda Preston
- 6 Pam Warren

WORSHIP SERVICE JULY 31, 2022

9:00 a.m. - Worship Through Prayer

10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary
Dr. Seuss -- "The Butter Battle Book"
Micah 4:1-5

11:00 a.m. - Spiritual Formation and Fellowship for Children, Youth, and Adults.

REGULAR CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

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

ADULT VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Pineville UMC
110 South Polk Street,
Pineville, NC 28134

August 8th - 10th
10:00 a.m. - Noon.

10:00 a.m. - Gathering/ social time
10:00 a.m. - Noon - Feature sessions followed with a fellowship meal.

Sign up and payment of \$20 per person **DUE BY AUGUST 3RD.**

For more information, email elaine@treece.net or call the church office at 704-889-2022.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

Woodlawn Community Fellowship UMC
August 17th, 2:00-6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall on Stacy St. off of Woodlawn Dr. To schedule an appointment go to the link below:

https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html?utm_source=250209
Scroll down on left to the date of the event at Woodlawn Community Fellowship. Click on red (SEE TIMES) botton.