



Weekly CHATTER

OCTOBER 31, 2021

In-Person (Family Life Center) and Online.

WORSHIP UPDATE

This Sunday, October 31st, our 10:00 a.m. Worship service will take place in the Family Life Center. Don't forget Worship through Prayer in Room #29 at 9:30 a.m. and spiritual formation opportunities with Pathseekers, Covenant Class, Misfits and Cross Cultural Ministry at 11:00 a.m.

SPIRITUAL GIFTS. This Sunday, October 31st, we continue our conversation about spiritual gifts. As was shared last week you are invited to complete a spiritual gift assessment that will take approximately 15-20 minutes. Go to: <http://www.standrewsumc.com/many-gifts-one-spirit.html> to access an online assessment (in English) or a downloadable PDF (English and Spanish) to print. Copies will also be available this Sunday during worship. At 11:00 a.m. you're invited to stay after worship and we'll work together on the assessment. On November 7th, you'll be invited to explore where those gifts might best be put to use. Questions, see Pastor Sherri, Pastor David or Kevin Ward.

CHURCHWIDE WORKDAY, SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6TH, 8:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M. Come for part of the day, come for all. Coffee, donuts, and fellowship provided. Work will include painting, shrub and tree trimming, kitchen cleaning, ceiling tile and roof shingle repair. **Please bring appropriate tools, gloves and clothing for the areas in which you plan to serve!** See you here. Questions? Contact Kenn Bullock at 704-517-1561 or Nicole Campbell at 704-589-2601.



CROP Walk, Saturday, November 7th. Please go to: <https://events.crophungerwalk.org/2021> and type "Hemenway" in the search bar and help support Mark, Matthew, and Geoffrey. **CROP Hunger Walks** are community-based walk events held in cities and towns across the United States, raising funds to support the global mission of Church World Service, a faith-based organization transforming communities around the globe through just and sustainable responses to hunger, poverty, displacement and disaster. Twenty-five percent of the funds raised are returned to the host community to support local hunger-fighting efforts.



You're Invited to attend the Celebration of the Appointment of **Reverend Daniel L. Pezet** as Metro District Superintendent. Join us in-person or via Livestream! **Sunday, November 7, 2021, 3:00 p.m.** University City UMC 3835 West W. T. Harris Blvd., Charlotte

A reception will follow the service. Clergy and Laity from every congregation are asked to share in this celebratory worship service to affirm and bless the leadership of our new District Superintendent.

In-Person Registration

<https://wnc-reg.brtaapp.com/MetroDistrictSuperintendentInstallationService54>

REMINDER.

Church Council will meet online only on Sunday, November 7th, at 7:00 p.m. to prepare for Charge Conference.

SAUMC'S ANNUAL CHARGE CONFERENCE WILL BE HELD ONLINE ONLY ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14TH AT 6:00 P.M. The Charge Conference in the UM tradition, directs the work of the church and gives general oversight to the church council, reviews and evaluates the mission and ministry of the church, sets salaries for the pastor and staff, elects lay leadership for the coming year. This year's charge conference will be online and offer a welcome to our new Metro DS Dan Pezet. Council members please watch your email for updates. Questions or want to learn more reach out to Lisa Pool or David Lisk.

2021 OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD.

Please consider participating this year in our annual Operation Christmas Child, which is part of Samaritan's Purse, an international relief organization. Their mission is to provide local partners around the world with shoeboxes filled with small toys, hygiene items, and school supplies as a means of reaching out to children in their own communities with Good News of Jesus Christ. These simple gifts are shipped outside the United States to children affected by war, poverty, natural disaster, famine and disease. Since 1993, over 190 million shoebox gifts have been delivered to 170 countries and territories.



Boxes with attached labels to be filled out will be available for pick up at the main entrance during office hours. Please return your shoebox(es) to the church by November 12th. Thank You!



- 1 Andrew Cook
- 2 JD Hileman
- 2 Shawn Penny
- 2 Lisa Pool
- 2 Thomas Pool
- 2 Gilvan Primo
- 2 Mirtes Rocha
- 2 Liz Snyder
- 3 Robbie Council
- 3 Crystal Gibson
- 4 John Patrick
- 5 Catherine Kendall
- 5 Casey Adams

WORSHIP SERVICES

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9:30 a.m. Worship Through Prayer

10:00 a.m. Worship Through Music and Word

"The Way of Service - Spiritual Gifts, Part 1 - The Talent Store" 1 Peter 4:10-11

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

4:30 p.m. Youth, Children, and Parent Programming

REGULAR CHURCH HOURS:

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

PLEASE HELP CELEBRATE.

Hampton Ott will be celebrating his 90th birthday on November 13th. Please shower him with birthday cards. Cards may be sent to:

Hampton Ott
5724 Telfair Cove
Charlotte, NC 28210-4639

