



MARCH 2018

The CHATTER

St. Andrew's United Methodist Church 1901 Archdale Drive Charlotte, NC 28210

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**Follow Jesus.
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the World.**

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

PALM SUNDAY, MARCH 25TH

9:00a.m. Modern Worship Service

10:10 a.m. Sunday School

11:15 a.m. Traditional Worship Service

1:00 p.m. Cross-Cultural Worship Service

3:00 p.m. Easter Egg Hunt

HOLY THURSDAY, MARCH 29TH

7:00 p.m. Holy Thursday Worship Service

GOOD FRIDAY, MARCH 30TH

7:00 p.m. Good Friday Worship Service

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 1ST

9:00 a.m. Modern Worship Service

10:10 a.m. Sunday School

10:10 a.m. Celebration Butterfly Release

11:15 a.m. Traditional Worship Service

1:00 p.m. Cross-Cultural Worship Service

COMING EVENTS



WORK DAY • at the • CHURCH

Join us on Saturday, March 3rd as we continue to make St. Andrew's UMC look it's best. We will be painting on the inside of the church. Interested in volunteering, please contact Gene Henneey at 704-562-9540 for more information.

WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY CONCERT CHOIR



WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY CONCERT CHOIR will be in concert here at St. Andrew's UMC on Thursday, March 1st at 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary. This is the college choir in which Jacob Plaisted one of our members sings. Please bring your family and friends for a wonderful music experience.

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PRODUCE SHARING WITH OUR COMMUNITY. STARTING MARCH 4TH.

Provided by our Cross-Cultural Ministry of St. Andrew's UMC. To participate, simply sign up for a box of produce on the last Wednesday of each month to participate in distribution of the first Sunday of each month. Sign-up sheets are in the Narthex and in the Family Life Center #23. To know more, contact Pastor David Ortigoza at dortigoza@wnccumc.net or call 828-507-0815.



ADOPT A STREET GATHERING ON SATURDAY, MARCH 24TH AT 10:00 A.M.

Members, friends, and families are welcome to join in this group effort to pick up litter from a mile stretch of Archdale Drive. It typically takes only an hour to get the work done. Reflective vests, pickers and garbage bags will be provided. This small effort makes a huge impact on our church neighborhood. Plus the comradery makes the event fun! Hope you will join us! Any questions? Please contact Louise at 704-400-3405.

BULLETIN BOARD



HISPANIC/LATINO FAMILIES

If you know any Hispanic/Latino families please, refer them to Pastor David Ortigoza. Let's reach out to these families and make disciples for Jesus Christ together. Keep them in your prayers and invite them to be a part of our St. Andrew's family. Pastor David can be reached at dortigoza@wnccumc.net or 704-553-1327, ext. 107.

SENIOR ADULTS PROGRAM



HARVESTERS will meet on March 1st at 10:30 a.m. in the Commons Room #1 with lunch to follow in the Family Life Center #23. For fun-filled entertainment, we will be playing board games. Got a favorite board game? Please bring it with you to share with the group.

Also, please remember to bring in donations of non-parishable food/canned goods for Loaves and Fishes.

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN'S CIRCLES



SUSANNA CIRCLE Sunday, March 4th, at 12:30 p.m. in Room #18.

MARY/MARTHA CIRCLE will meet on Tuesday, March 6th at 12:00 p.m. in the Commons Room #1.

RUTH CIRCLE MEETING Tuesday, March 13th, at 10:00 a.m. in the Commons Room #1.

UNITED METHODIST MEN

PANCAKE BREAKFAST FUNDRAISER



Please join us on Sunday, March 11th, at 8:30 a.m. for a pancake breakfast in the Family Life Center #23. UMM thanks you for your continued support.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS. The next Preschool Soup Fundraiser will be on Sunday, March 18th. Please stop by the hallway in front of the Family Life Center or the Narthex after each worship to purchase delicious potato soup for \$7 per container. Thank you for your support.



OUR UNITED METHODIST WOMEN are collecting Country Time Lemonade in 5 lb. 2.5 oz. size. These are used once a month when our United Methodist Women go to Urban Ministries to share a cup of lemonade and a smile. Help support our women with this ministry area. A collection bin is located in the Narthex.

CHILDREN'S NEWS



If you would like to volunteer or need more information about any of the announcements for Children's Ministry, please contact Sherry Jackson at ChildrensMinistry@standrewsumc.com or 704-553-1327, Ext 103.



K.I.C.K (Kids Into Christ's Kingdom). Come join us at 5:45 p.m. for the Wednesday meal, 6:15 p.m. for choir and 6:45 p.m. for the K.I.C.K program! We have fun while learning through play, crafts, movie clips, and share time. Come and bring a friend!



EASTER EGG HUNT

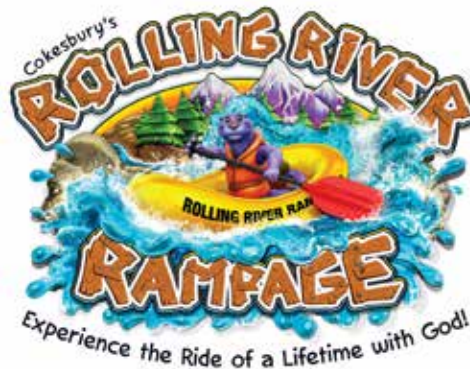
SUNDAY, MARCH 25TH AT 3:00 P.M. Join us for a time of fun and fellowship. There will be activities for kids and their families, followed by the annual Egg Hunt on the grounds.

DONATIONS NEEDED: We are in need of individually, wrapped candies, stickers, tattoos, and small toys for our Egg Hunt. Please bring all donated items to the box in the Narthex or the Family Life Center by March 11th. **Volunteer time is needed for:** candy stuffers for the egg hunt, as well as Vacation Bible School Helpers. If you can help support any of these ministries, please let Sherry Jackson know.



BUTTERFLY RELEASE SUNDAY, APRIL 1ST.

We will have a program at 10:30 a.m. on Sunday, April 1st, to release our butterflies in the world as we rejoice in our risen Savior. You can bring any butterflies you have ordered and release them with us if you would like to do it as a group. Order Forms to order butterflies are now available in the Narthex and Family Life Center. **All forms need to be turned in by March 4th!**



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL ON JUNE 26-28.

VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED FOR ALL AREAS OF OUR SUMMER CONNECTION TIME WITH THE CHILDREN.

Contact Sherry Jackson with any questions or to volunteer to help. If you would like to attend a preview day for the Bible School curriculum, please let me know so I can add you to the registration list. The preview will be on Saturday, March 10th, at 9:00 a.m. at University City UMC. Let's get excited about sharing God's love with the children and community!

BIBLE SCHOOL CONNECTION TIME PLANNING MEETING

SUNDAY, MARCH 11TH, AT 11:15 A.M. We will have a VBS planning and sharing time. We would love to have all persons interesting in helping with VBS attend this time!

BIRTHDAYS

"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."

- Jeremiah 29:11



March

BIRTHDAYS

1 Jennifer Moore	14 Lindsey Starnes	23 Randy Stokes
3 David Kingry	14 Mary Kelton Adams	24 Kay Johnson-Smith
3 Trevor Maxson	15 Justin Wolfe	25 Kathryn Maher
4 Logan Slade	15 Charissa Irizarry	25 Mark Lassiter
4 Abram Wallace	16 Donald Owens	25 William Newhouse
5 Derrick Carlyle	17 Don Woodruff	26 Phyllis Cole
5 Hazel Huss	17 Dawn Lisk	26 Evelynne Saunders
8 Pam Hatley	18 Kelly Slade	26 Tom Patton
9 Lindsay Faulkner	18 Michael Lewyn	26 Bess Darr
9 Kathryn Allison	19 Cyndi Honaker	27 John Amons III
10 Jada Morgan	19 Brody Cook	29 Lura Stokes
11 Davy Lisk	21 Barbara Kaylor	29 Rebecca Horoschak
12 Tripp Lisk	21 Alex Gillis	31 Alice Forbis
13 Bill Niven	22 Christopher Brown. Sr	31 Ben Wallace
13 Anne Lisk	22 Dana Sanford	
14 Barbara Brank	22 Lauren Bradley	
14 Carla Corless	22 Joshua Hughes	





STAYING IN TOUCH

PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING PEOPLE THIS WEEK:

For our members: Scott Poteat, Pat Smathers; Steve Gibson, Jackie Auville, Trula Booth, Del Smith, Peter Gamwell, Ginny Grisdale, Jimmy McLauren, Tom Aucoin, Bee Jones, Carol Hudgins, Phyllis Cole, Jonathan Bickett, Bill Scroggs, Jay Kizer, Mary Morris, Sam Brown, Caroline Crabtree, and Bob Neely.

Pray for our homebound members and members who are able to attend occasionally: Anne Friese, Bonnie White, Edna Senger, Bill and GERALYN Ferrell (cell phone: 704-307-6833), Ruth Drum, Mabel Chapman, Frank and Shirley Clontz, and Nell Slade.

Pray for our friends and relatives: The Mauldin's granddaughter, Emma Peterson; Rob Molazo, St. Andrew's neighbor; Patrick Smith, brother of Rosemary Gloege; Bee Jones' daughter, Peggy Netherton; Milly Ash's cousins, Jean and Alan Rose; Sue Bullock's son, Phil Edwards; Leslie Southerland; and Betty Reynolds' son-in-law Babak Emadi.



**DAYLIGHT SAVINGS
TIME BEGINS
SUNDAY, MARCH
11TH. PLEASE SET
YOUR CLOCKS AHEAD
ONE HOUR.**

2018 Schedule

Family Life Center Service Coffee

March 4th Liz Snyder
March 11th Penny Bryant
March 18th Penny Bryant
March 25th Penny Bryant

Recycle Pickup

March Carl and Jean Wissinger

Trustee Church Sunday Lock-up

March Terry Knotts

Usher Schedule

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Linda Collins
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NEXT CHATTER DEADLINE - MARCH 15TH AT NOON

SUNDAY BULLETIN AND THURSDAY EMAIL DEADLINE EVERY TUESDAY AT NOON

Please send your Chatter/Bulletin information, inserts, etc. to: churchchatter@standrewsumc.com