# Mount Pisgah Academy SDA Church

March 2, 2024

10:45 am

Prelude Music

Mission Spotlight

11:00 am

Welcome & Announcements Introduction & Baptism of Brenda Crenshaw Desiree Magnant Pastor Jonathan

Offering Appeal—Local Church Budget

Any Zambrano

Offertory

Songs of Praise Team

Opening Song-#86 How Great Thou Art

Sermonette

Pastor Jonathan

Finale: Just Two Options

Ordinance of Foot Washing

Children's Story in Sanctuary

Janelle, Valerie, Eileen

Lord's Supper

Pastor Jonathan and Pastor Artem Dmytrivey

The Church Farewell Gift

Warren Ruf

Special Closing Song—#108 Amazing Grace

Verses 1,2,4,5

Hominy Valley Men's Christian Acapella Choir with Congregation singing the 4th verse

Benediction

Pastor Jonathan

Postlude

Organist/Pianist: Kevin Worth

Family Aid Fund will be Collected at the Back Doors

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

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

March 2-8		
Today	After church 6:27 pm	Potluck Sunset
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Journey Through Scripture Small Group Bible Study and Prayer
Friday	6:32 pm	Sunset

## MPA Person of Prayer This Week

04 Jenna Schleenbaker

06 Inna Vlasiuk

05 Juliana Wolff

07 Spring Break Begins!

#### **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**

02 Emily Ottinger 06 Ken Cook
Marjorie Sommerville Emily Stockford
04 Ellen Cox 08 Rayven Van Kalker

# Potluck Team

Today: Desiree Magnant Next Week: Kitty Ratzlaff

# On Duty Today

Deacon: Joel Davis Sound: Bruce Bellchambers

#### 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

#### Membership Transfer 2nd Reading

Albina Klemontsa from Bedevlya SDA Church, Ukraine

Vasilii Klemontsa from Vilkhivci-Lazi SDA Church, Ukraine

#### **Announcements**

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

Thank you, dear church family, for all the precious memories and for being such a special place for our son to grow up. And thank you for your grace and generosity through the years. It has been an honor and privilege to serve with you here through the ups and downs, opportunities and challenges, of our shared lives together here at MPASDAC and on our campus. I'll meet you one day soon at the Sea of Glass before our Savior's throne to spend eternity together! To get there, always take the narrow Way in Christ, by grace through faith in the everlasting gospel, by the indwelling power of the Holy Spirit. See you there. Hallelujah! Yours in the Blessed Hope, PJ

Journey Through Scripture small group, now led by George Grow meets at 7 pm in the choir room and via Zoom each Wednesday evening, where we seek to apply what we learn to our lives, the gospel, and our relationships with the LORD. We will be studying 1 Kings 3 (2 Chronicles 1) with the story of King Solomon. To connect with video, click <a href="here">here</a>. To join by phone: dial 1-301-715-8592 and then enter the Meeting ID: 999 9090 2152 Passcode: 898741.

HIRING new Administrative Assistant: If you are interested in working 20 hours per week in the church office (Monday through Friday starting April 8), please contact the church office for the job description and send your resume & inquiries by March 12 to the church office. Our church Finance Committee will be facilitating the hiring process. Phone: 828-667-3640; email: <a href="mailto:karen.knowles@pisgah.us">karen.knowles@pisgah.us</a>.

Imagine learning about God and the Adventist Church through a message in a bottle! This is exactly what happened to a man in the Middle East . . . Don't miss this and many other incredible stories next week during Adventist World Radio's annual offering on March 9. (And to watch inspiring videos of stories like this, visit <a href="mailto:awr.org/videos.">awr.org/videos.</a>)

Carol Ratzlaff, mother of John Ratzlaff, will soon be turning 100! If interested, you could 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!

**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: <a href="Desiree5472@hotmail.com">Desiree5472@hotmail.com</a>.

Remember Pastor Jonathan's final Sabbath by keeping this bulletin with your special collections.

The upcoming mission of the church's elders is to provide for the personal and spiritual needs of the congregation during this time of transition. You are welcome to call on Warren Ruf, Abby Ackerman, Anita Grandy, George Grow, Louie Parra, Eunice Pearson, and Kitty Ratzlaff.

**Site preparation for the APCS Gym** has created large mounds of tree debris and a runoff pond. One permit hurdle to jump before the real work begins.

The church office operations will continue as usual during the pastoral interim. If you have questions about church programs and ministries, make the office your first call.

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

March 31 (new date)	SA Banquet	
Friday	Weekly Assembly (except Mar 1, 8, 15)	11:20 am
TBA	Shiloh Community Garden	All Day

### Mt. Pisgah Academy SDA Church Directory

21 Academy Drive, Candler, North Carolina 28715

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

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"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		
Jonathan Michael	Lead Pastor	
Mark Galvez	MPA Chaplain	
Karen Knowles	Secretary/Clerk	
Lynn Hughes	Treasurer	
Warren Ruf	Lead Elder	
Tammy Vaughan	Assistant Clerk	
Glen Hughes	Lead Deacon	
Denise Wilson	Lead Deaconess	
Dewald Coetzer	MPA Principal	
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
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- ♦ The blessing of the 7<sup>th</sup> 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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March 2, 2024



Following Jesus to New Heights
In Anticipation of His Glorious Return
Matthew 28:18-20; Revelation 14

Trusting • Loving • Reaching