



Mt. Mitchell United Methodist Church

A "Safe Sanctuary" Facility

6001 Old Salisbury-Concord Road
Kannapolis, NC 28083
(704) 933-0155

Worship Hours:

- 9:25 Prayer Time
- 9:45 Sunday School
- 11:00 Worship
- 7:00–Saturday
The Bloom

Worship Staff:

Choir Director:

Jim Griffith

Organist:

Charlotte Penland

Wind Ensemble:

David Maulden

Office Staff:

Administrative Assistant:

Angela Gower

Lay Leader:

Janice Wensil

Youth Leaders

(KIA) Jr. UMYF:

*Janice Wensil
Gerhard Wolf
Sean Hunter*

UMYF:

Angela Sharpe

Young Adults:

Sunday, April 7, 2013

11:00 a.m.



Pastor: Rev. David Raiford

Pastor's Office: 704-933-2226

Information Line: 704-939-1925

Pastors Cell: 704-960-3194

Church Office & Fellowship Bldg: 704-933-0155

Church: mtmitchell@ctc.net

Pastor: draiford@me.com

Mt. Mitchell United Methodist Church
Second Sunday of Easter

April 7, 2013

11:00 a. m.

PRELUDE

Charlotte Penland

THE LIGHT OF CHRIST ENTERS OUR MIDST

CHIMING OF THE HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome visitors! At this time, please register your attendance, name, address, and phone number, as well as any prayer concerns on the pad located at the center aisle entrance to the pew.

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Happy Easter Season! Today is the first day of the week.

People: The joy of Easter still sings in our hearts.

Leader: Breathe the breath of new life in your spirits!

People: We open our hearts to all the wondrous work God has for us to do.

Leader: Welcome to worship this glorious day!

People: Let our lives be a testimony to God's redeeming love! AMEN.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

"Upon the Grave He Arose"

No. 322

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE LORD'S PRAYER

No. 895

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Charlotte Penland

Children are invited to bring their offering forward, place it in the church bank, and sit on the front pew for Children's Time.

***THE DOXOLOGY**

No. 95

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise him, all creatures here below; praise him above, ye heavenly host; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

CHILDREN'S TIME

Rev. David Raiford

SPECIAL MUSIC

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Psalm 150

***HYMN OF PREPARATION**

"In the Garden"

No. 314

GOSPEL LESSON

John 19:19-23
The word of God for the People of God.
Thanks be to God.

THE SERMON

“A Love You Can Count On”

Rev. David Raiford

HOLY COMMUNION

No. 12

***HYMN OF DEDICATION**

“He Lives”

No. 310

***DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

***TRINITY BELL**

***POSTLUDE**

Charlotte Penland

**Please stand as you are able.*

April Service Schedule

Ministries for this Week

April Greeters:

Gerhard & Sherry Wolf, Sonny Overcash

April Sound A.M. & P.M:

Billy Cook

April Acolytes:

April 7 Mina/Chloe

April 14 Mina/Chloe

April 21 Mina/Chloe

April 28 Mina/Chloe

April Ushers:

Tom & Mildred Goodman,

Ann Newsome & Joseph Hawk

Head: Sonny Overcash

Alt: Judy Thomas & Ethel Mills

April Office Volunteers:

Mildred Goodman & Linda Troutman

April Nursery Workers - Worship

April 7 Ethel Mills/ Jennifer Hunter

April 14 Ken Thomas/ Betty Goodwin

April 21 Gerhard Wolf/ Terrie Bebbler

April 28 Mickie Soto/ Myra Parnell

Communion Stewards:

Janice Wensil & Gerhard Wolf

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

9:25 AM Prayer Time

9:45 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship

MONDAY, APRIL 8

6:30 PM ZUMBA

TUESDAY, APRIL 9

6:00 PM Prayer Shawl

6:30 PM ZUMBA

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

5:30-6:15 Children’s Music Time

6:15 PM Handbells

7:00 PM Choir Practice

THURSDAY, APRIL 11

11:00 AM Visitation

7:00 PM Scouts

FRIDAY, APRIL 12

Office Closed

SATURDAY, APRIL 13

7:00 PM Bloom

(meet in the sanctuary)

SUNDAY, APRIL 14

9:25 AM Prayer Time

9:45 AM Sunday School

11:00 AM Worship Service

Recycled Cards

Please Donate your used Greeting Cards by dropping them off in the box in the mail room. It’s easy. All you have to do cut off the front of your used card and put them in the box!



takes place every

Monday 6:30pm and

Tues. 6:30pm

in the fellowship hall.

The cost is **\$3.00**

per class.

Wear comfortable clothing and bring a drink of water.



Cooperative

Christian

Ministries

Food Pantry for

March:

Canned Vegetables,

Sugar, Cereal and

Peanut Butter



RECIPES NEEDED

We are looking for “Tried and True” recipes to post in our blog on the web page.

Please drop them in the Admin.

Assist. Folder outside the office or email us at mtmitchell@ctc.net.

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Dorsia Atkinson,
 Allyson Baxter,
 Rachel Benfield & Family,
 Bonnie Christy,
 Alan Collins,
 John Collins,
 Clarence Cook,
 Irene Foutz,
 Lucy & Marion Fulk,
 Grace Graham,
 Jeff Greene,
 Neva Hollopeter,
 James Kiker,
 Gaynell Kindley,
 James Long,
 Debbie Benfield McClain,
 Colt Newsome,
 Marie Newsome Long,
 Frank Patterson,
 Claude & Dorothy Raiford,
 Jeannie Raiford,
 Patty Scott,
 Donald & Shelby Snipes,
 Andy & Angela Shumate,
 Mawsa Stirewalt,
 Angel Thompson,
 Haskel Troutman,
 Helen Troutman,
 Clarence & Dot Walter,
 Jeanette Weatherman,
 Ray Wensil,
 Bogie Wilhelm,
 Louise White

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<http://mtmitchellumc.wordpress.com/>

STEWARDSHIP TOTALS

3/31/2013

Weekly needed:
 \$3,856.00 per week.

Budget \$4646.91

Total: \$4739.31

Sunrise: 32

SS: 38

Worship:

Bloom:

Announcements

BLOOM is back in Session! Come worship with us this Saturday @ 7:00 PM, in the sanctuary!

 Monday @ 6:30 PM Zumba
 Tuesday @ 6:00 PM Prayer Shawl
 @ 6:30 PM Zumba
 Wednesday @ 5:30-6:15 PM Children's Music Time
 @ 6:15 PM Handbells
 @ 7:00 PM Choir
 Thursday @ 11:00 AM Visitation
 @ 7:00 PM Boy Scouts
 Saturday @ 7:00 PM BLOOM in the sanctuary

CAMPOUT FRIDAY May 3rd at Mt. Mitchell

Bring your tents, pop ups or campers! It is time for the Mt. Mitchell campout to be held at the Yost Shelter. We will be roasting hot dogs over the fire and enjoying each others company. The hot dogs will be provided. The fun begins at 5:00 p.m. Even if you don't want to spend the night come join us for all the fun. Hope to see you then. If you have any questions please contact Susan Carter at 704-706-0615.

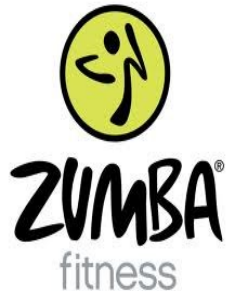


Parents need to contact Donna Goodman ASAP if they have a child graduating this spring from high school or college (or graduated in December). We will recognize graduates at a service in June. Parents need to submit information about their child to the church office by **May 5** for the Newsletter. This information may include accomplishments, awards, etc. and future plans for college and/or a job. A photo may be included.

**Upcoming Blood Drive
 Apr. 15 from 3:00-7:30 pm**



please come out and give the much needed gift of life. Eat healthy for the next 2 weeks and make yourself feel oh so good....by helping someone in need...Serving delicious snacks for donors...come one come all....we need everyone's help to make a difference! Thanks for all your participation!



Zumba Moves from Thursday Night to Tuesdays!

 You spoke and we listened! We heard you say that Thursdays just weren't good for many of you but you wanted to give Tuesdays a try. We are going to make that happen! The Thursday night class is now cancelled but we have added a Tuesday night class in the Mt. Mitchell fellowship hall at 6:30 p.m. (The Monday class will remain the same.) Help us get the word out ...and please, join the party tonight at 6:30!

Mt. Mitchell Zumba