



Birthdays In June



- 1- Kathy Walker
- Elizabeth Hatch
- 2- Sandy Miller
- 3- Gina Farrior
- Cole Farrior
- 5- Don Thomas
- 7- Geneva Maready
- 8- John Lettieri
- James Sills
- 9- Deanna Parks
- 10- Cheryl Raymond
- 13- Brenda Long
- 15- Burke Saunders
- 16- Margaret Toothman
- 17- Wells Wallace
- 18- Gerri Hanson



JUNE NEWSLETTER

WALLACE PRESBYTER

Dr. Philip K. Gladden, Minister

JUNE 2021



2021

**Camp Kirkwood
Creation Camp
Sponsored by
Friends of
Kirkwood
Sunday -
Thursday
June 6 - 10
"Teach Us
To Pray"**

**Bible Study, Recreation, Swimming, and
Sunday, June 6 schedule for Wallace Presbytery**

4:30p.m. Swim Test

We ask that all children and youth arrive with a parent or guardian to take the swim test. Everyone will be required to take a swim test in the deep end of the pool during the week. If a child does not want to take a swim test they will be given a wristband to stay in the shallow side all week.

If you have a child/youth that will not be there, please get a wristband on Monday and will not be allowed to swim. Sunday is the only time we will give a swim test.

"Change for Camp"

Each camper is encouraged to collect change and challenge each child/youth to raise \$100.00. The campers will be allowed to throw a pie at Mr. Greg. We ask that each child come in on Wednesday, June 9th.



FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Friends,

Later this month, Karla, Nancy, and I will participate in an online workshop sponsored by Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, Virginia called "How to Be a Hybrid Church." We will participate by Zoom on Tuesdays, June 15, 22, and 29. The publicity on the seminary's website includes this statement: "This course is designed to help you discern what it means for your church to become a 'hybrid' church and how to build the bridge between what you're doing now and what you will do in the future."

As our church opens up more and more following the COVID-19 pandemic, it is certainly welcome to feel as if things are slowly returning to "normal." However, the reality is that "normal" as we knew it before the pandemic began in early 2020 probably doesn't and won't exist any longer, even in the church. By necessity, we have learned how to do things differently in the church during the last fourteen - fifteen months, especially during worship. The questions before us now are, what have we learned from the changes we had to make and how can we build on the changes as we move ahead?

Since Sunday afternoon, March 15, 2020, your elders, the members of the Christian Education, Worship & Music, and Building & Grounds Ministry Teams, the Safety Committee and Pandemic Transition Committee, and I have worked diligently, faithfully, and almost non-stop to meet the challenges presented to us by the COVID-19 pandemic. Decisions made along the way have always been in the service of providing safe and meaningful worship, both in-person when possible and online. Christian Education opportunities have continued uninterrupted via Zoom with Sunday School classes, Bible studies, and circle meetings. Karla, Vera, and our choirs have been innovative in providing beautiful and inspirational music, both instrumental and choral. And, through it all, Bill Butler has enabled us to reach people via technology in numerous and creative ways.

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At the Tuesday, May 18, 2021 stated session meeting, the

- * were led in an opening devotion and prayer by Elder F
- * conducted the meeting as a worship service;
- * studied God's Word in Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 and discuss Stopped During Lockdown That We Don't Need to Rest;
- * approved the minutes of the April 13, 2021 stated session meeting;
- * approved the slate of nominations for the September 2 Coordinating Team;
- * approved a request from the minister for vacation time
- * heard a report from the May 17, 2021 stated meeting of the from Elder Patsy Ludlum and Rev. Philip Gladden;
- * approved the use of Christian Education Camp Scholarships for Youth to the Montreat Youth Conference in August 2021
- * received a report from the Building & Grounds Ministry concerning worship and safety protocols. These two teams will work with the Safety Committee and the Building & Grounds Ministry Team to implement needed protocols to resume nursery, Children's Church, and safety measures during
- * affirmed the use of the Fellowship Hall on Friday, August 20, 2021 for the annual Jack Holley Memorial Blood Drive;
- * prayed for members of the congregation and the community;
- * were led in a closing prayer by Elder Patsy Ludlum.



Hospital & at home:
Cathy Wells (Pender Memorial Rehab)
Judy Robinson (home)
Dan & Eva McLaughlin (The Garden)





For the Church in the World

Karla Casteen, Nancy Gladden, and Philip Gladden will participate in an online workshop sponsored by Union Presbyterian Seminary in Richmond, VA on June 15, 22, and 29. The workshop, "How to Be a Hybrid Church," will be led by Christen Kinard, Founder, Digital Congregations. Here is a description of the workshop:

"The pandemic and resultant quarantine taught churches and their congregations that we can worship, learn, pray, and gather online. We learned how to stream, Zoom, edit, post; the learning curve was steep.

"Today, churches are faced with a new challenge as they consider how to engage a split congregation—at home and online. This moment demands thoughtfulness, intentionality, and collaboration. This course is designed to help you discern what it means for your church to become a "hybrid" church and how to build the bridge between what you're doing now and what you will do in the future."

ONLINE WORKSHOP: HOW TO BE A HYBRID CHURCH



JUNE AND JULY MATTHEW 5 - 7

The logo for 'The Sermon on the Mount' features a stylized illustration of a mountain range at the top. Below the mountains, the text 'THE SERMON' is written in a large, bold, serif font, with 'ON THE MOUNT' in a slightly smaller font below it. At the bottom, the word 'THE SERMON' is written again in a smaller, bold, serif font.

The sermons in June and July will be based on Jesus' Sermon on the Mount in Matthew 5 - 7. The schedule below is provided to help you prepare for Sunday worship by reading and praying about God's Word.

SUNDAY	TEXT	TOPIC
June 6	Matthew 5:1-12	The Beatitudes
June 13	Matthew 5:13-16	You are the light of the world.
June 20	Matthew 5:17-20	Fulfilling the Law
June 27	Matthew 5:21-48	"You have heard it said . . ."
July 4	Matthew 6:1-18	True Piety
July 11	Matthew 6:19-34	Orientation to God
July 18	To Be Announced	Guest Preacher
July 25	Matthew 7:13-29	A Firm Foundation

Know that your church leaders continue to envision, plan, and work forward in the second half of 2021 and beyond to resume during morning worship. Planning is underway for ages 3 - 5 during worship. In person services will be made available. Safety plans for the church have already been approved before the pandemic began and implemented.

You may notice some changes in the ways we do things to be the church post-COVID. Some changes were by necessity and may be phased out as permanent as we have realized how they enhance ministry.

I encourage you to be supportive of our church, faithful congregation and to be patient as we explore changes in our worship, Christian Education, and outreach as we may experience.

May God bless us all as we seek to be faithful.

Blessings, and be safe,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Paul'.



We extend our Christian sympathy to the family of Rev. Dr. Paul D. Kinard, May 16. Louis and Sandee Kinard, Sandee's niece, and



Congratulations to Rev. Dr. Paul D. Kinard and Sherry Rollins. They will be married on Saturday, May 15, 2021, at Sutherland in Virginia.



Please Join Us
for the dedication of the
Mendenhall Family Disc Golf Course
In memory of Nathan Mendenhall
and in honor of the
Ray & Ann Mendenhall Family
Sunday, June 6th at 5pm
Camp Kirkwood
2015 Camp Kirkwood Rd,
Watha, NC 28478

Please contact Sandy Miller 910-602-0241 for questions



JUNE

06/06: Geneva Maready
06/13: Christy & Payton Johnson
06/20: Jennifer & Royal Johnson
06/27: Harriet Farrior

OPENING CHURC

June 1-15: Hayes Luc
June 16-30: Dave Long

CHURCH NEWS . . . For Your Information

- * **We will receive** our quarterly P.A.T.H. (Presbyterian Aid to Haiti) offering during worship on Sunday, June 6. This money supports the work of the Presbytery of Coastal Carolina which provides feed and water to people in Haiti and grants to congregational hunger ministry and the Food Pantry.
- * **The session** will meet on Tuesday, June 15 at 7pm. There are several concerns for the session to consider, please speak with the moderator.
- * **We will receive** our annual Father's Day offering for the Presbyterian Homes of North Carolina on Sunday, June 20.

*Happy
Father's Day*



Nursery and Children's Church Workers Needed

As we reopen our Nursery and Children's Church ministries, we need folks who are willing to serve the children and families of our church.

The Nursery is provided for newborns — 3 year olds during the summer months during the worship hour.

Children's Church is provided for ages 3 - 5 years old during morning worship, following the children's sermon.

If you are willing and able to be part of either the Nursery Ministry or the Children's Church Team, please contact Cheryl in the church office at 285-2808 or Geneva Maready at 910-284-2162.

*Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me;
do not stop them;
for it is to such as these that the kingdom of God belongs."
Mark 10:14*



ANNUAL FATHER'S DAY CELEBRATION THE PRESBYTERIAN HOMES OF NORTH CAROLINA Sunday, June 18

The mission of The Presbyterian Homes of North Carolina touches lives and touching the hearts of those we serve. We offer independent living, assisted living, Memory Care and skilled nursing facilities in Cary, River Landing in Colfax, and Scotia Village in Pittsboro. The Presbyterian Homes of North Carolina is a ministry of The Presbyterian Foundation.



P.A.T.H. OFFERING Presbyterian Answer to Hunger Sunday, June 18

We will receive our quarterly (March, June, September, December) offering during worship. This offering supports the Hunger Program of the Presbyterian Foundation, funds feeding programs for children in Haiti and the Dominican Republic, and provides funds for congregational food ministries such as the Food Pantry.

June 2021



Home
 WPC Calendar
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May 2021					
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
30 Trinity Sunday 9:00 AM Handbell Ensemble Practice 9:30 AM Adult Zoom Sunday School Classes 10:00 AM Living Stones Children's Zoom Sunday School Class 11:00 AM Worship (in-person and live-stream)	31 Memorial Day Church Office Closed 7:00 PM No Zoom Bible Study		1 10:00 AM Zoom Bible Study		
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