Mount Pisgah Academy SDA Church

April 26, 2025

10:45 am

Prelude Music Kevin Worth

Mission Spotlight

11:00 am

Welcome & Announcements Kitty Ratzlaff

Invocation Kitty Ratzlaff

Call for Offering: Carolina Youth John Ratzlaff

Offertory

Children's Story Shari Bellchambers

Praise Singing Bob Vaughan

Morning Prayer Desi Suarez

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 25:9 & 26:3, 4 NIV Carol Swallow

Sermon

Trust: Certainty in Uncertain Times

Warren Ruf

Closing Hymn #513

In Heavenly Love Abiding

Benediction Warren Ruf

> Chorister: Bob Vaughan Piano/Organ: Kevin Worth Worship Coordinator: Kitty Ratzlaff

To give online go to: https://adventistgiving.org To watch online go to: https://www.mpasda.org/live-stream

April 26-May 2		
Today	8:13 pm	Sunset
Sunday	10:00 am 1:00 pm	Deacon/Deaconess Meeting Ackerman Baby Shower
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Prayer Service
Friday	8:17 pm	Sunset

Prayer Requests

Shaun Freese—cancer treatment Karen Zarendona—Hospice Care Esther Harris—surgery Rod Hartle—surgery

Max Longley—Pisgah Villa Claudia Logan—Silver Bluff

Community Center Building Project APCS Building Project Disaster recovery, both for Tropical Storm Helene & recent fires in NC & SC as well as LA

MPA Person of Prayer

Monday: Jenny Reves Venture Tuesday: Samuel Chawnglut Wednesday: Ryan Ashlock Thursday: Justin Chilel Friday: Havseas Reves

This Week's Birthdays

April

May 02 Zebulon Bailey 27 Caroline Markoff **Rov Owens** 03 Victoria Horton

29 Tyler Hedges

On Duty Today

Sound: John Thomas Deacon: Joel Davis

Sabbath School Classes

9:30 am

Children Cradle Roll Kindergarten Primary Junior/Earliteen

Adults Choir Room—both sides Community Center Sanctuary—HOPE SS

Announcements

Membership Transfer 1st Reading

Kevin & Haiyoung Robertson to Collegedale SDA Church, TN

Down at the Community Center, renovations are all but complete. Mirrors are the only item still pending; we expect them in late May. Meanwhile, plans are being made for the next phase!

Summer will be here before you know it. Are your plans already made? If not, consider including the APCS Kids Camp experience. There will be two sessions, one running from June 9—July 3 and the other from July 7—August 1. The hours will be 8:00 am-3:00 pm Monday through Thursday and 8:00-noon on Friday. For more information see the flyer in the April 8 newsletter, contact APCS at 828-667-3255, or email office@ashevillepisgah.org.

The **Nosoca Pines Ranch** summer season also begins in June. First up is Adventure Camp, followed by Junior, Teen, Lifeguarding, and more. Check out the newsletter or today's insert—or go to www.nosoca.org!

The **Religious Liberty Campaign** ended March 31 with \$1,137 raised for Liberty Magazine and funds to litigate on behalf of Adventists who have Sabbath work conflicts. The amount raised represented a 28% increase over 2024. Thank you for helping this worthy cause.

Potluck Schedule

Date Hosts May 3 Pastor's Class May 10 Kitty Ratzlaff

Announcements

Potluck Lunch today is being hosted by Eunice Pearson's Sabbath School class. Join us in the community center for good food and great fellowship!

Our prayer service meets Wednesday at 7 pm in the sanctuary. "Time spent in prayer is never lost." (Steven Lindberg) Everyone is welcome. Please join us!

You are invited to a **baby shower** for Abby and Kade Ackerman at 1:00 pm **tomorrow**. We will meet in the community center to celebrate the expected arrival of their baby girl. Abby and Kade are registered at Target.

SDA Community Singles will be hosting a potluck on Sabbath May 3 at 12:30 PM in the Fletcher Church fellowship hall. Please bring a dish to share and a single friend. For more information contact Kathy at 828-693-9936 or singles@fletchersda.org

Substitute Teachers-Children's Divisions: We need substitute teachers for primary and junior/earliteen, and are beginning to recruit teachers for our youth division this summer. Please let Desiree know your willingness to support with the gift of your time at 386-481-8215 or desiree5472@hotmail.com.

Hope Beyond Tomorrow: Camp meeting is coming! The dates are May 25-31, 2025. Information about room rates, meal plans, menus, and more is available in the office or at www.carolinasda.org.

Camp Meeting 4 Kids: We're so excited for another awesome year in the Children's Department! If your child is in Kindergarten (ages 5 –6) or Primary (ages 7–9), you can save yourself some time at check -in by filling out our quick online pre-registration form. Just head to www.carolinasda.org, look on the left side of the homepage under "Upcoming Events," and click on Lake Junaluska Camp Meeting 4 Kids Registration. Fill it out and hit submit—it's that easy! The dead-line to pre-register is Monday, May 19!

Our littlest ones, in **Beginners** (Birth to age 2) and **Pre-K** (ages 3–4), don't need to register ahead of time. However, we do ask that a parent or guardian stay with them during all their meetings. To keep everyone safe, **all attending adults will need to wear an ID badge**, which you can pick up at the Children's Building when you arrive.

Mt. Pisgah Academy SDA Church Directory

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If you would like to receive our weekly newsletter
"What's Happening @ MPASDAC", please send an email to
Lynn Miles (lynn.miles@pisgah.us) or join us on Facebook at
"Mount Pisgah Academy Seventh-day Adventist Church (MPASDAC)".

Church Information

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Serhiy Litvinchuk Slavic Group Representative

Looking for Excellent Christian Education?

Asheville-Pisgah Christian School, located on our campus, offers grades PreK-8, with one grade per teacher. For more information, visit www.ashevillepisgah.org or call 828-667-3255. Erin Miller, Principal

Mount Pisgah Academy offers a collegiate preparatory curriculum for grades 9-12. The school serves community and boarding students in a family atmosphere. For more information, visit www.pisgah.us or call 828-667-2535. Dewald Coetzer, Principal

Please be aware that our services are <u>live-streamed</u>. While attending, your image may be included in the broadcast. Should you prefer not to be in any of our media, **the balcony is a media-free zone**.

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

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