



Sunday Schedule

Early Service 8:45 am

Meet & Greet 9:15 am

Sunday School 9:45 am

Worship Service 11:00 am

Youth 5:00 pm

Office Hours

Monday-Friday

8 am – 12:00 pm

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Church Staff

Pastor - Cheryl Skinner

Secretary – Angie Barnhardt

Treasurer – Jim Stowe

Financial Secretary

Harriet Hunter

Organist – Dana Jarrett

Choir Director—Jeremy Flock

Children's Choir Director

Donna Childers

Handbell Choir Director

Dana Jarrett

Parish Nurse

Willie Foster

Nursery Supervisors

Rennea Wilmot

Janet Crawford

Sunday School Superintendent

Diana Starkey



Graduate Sunday

Sunday, June 9

Graduation Brunch will be at 9:45 a.m. in the Parlor. We would like to recognize all of our high school and college graduates. We are very proud of all of your accomplishments!

The graduates will be honored during the both worship services!

Please join us and share our love with Pastor Cheryl on Sunday, June 16th from 9:30 a.m. until 10:45 a.m. in the Parlor. There will be light refreshments.

Our Kenya Team

Tuesday, June 25 6:30 p.m. We will hold a “Prayer with the Kenya Team” at Mount Olivet. Please come pray with them.

Wednesday June 26 The Kenya Team will leave for the airport at 4:30 a.m.

The Kenya Team will arrive home on July 12
(More details on Page 9)



Plans for the Future

Jeremiah 29:11 says, “For surely I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord, plans for your welfare and not for harm, to give you a future with hope.” That verse has been in my mind for weeks now, as I prepare to leave you and journey on to the next adventure God has planned. As you probably know by now, June 30 will be my last day in the pulpit at Mt. Olivet. I have decided to take a break from full-time church ministry, and have been appointed as a part-time Associate Minister at Trinity UMC here in Kannapolis, where my focus will be Spiritual Formation and Christian Education. I will also expand my role as a small group leader and teacher for Neighborhood Seminary, and begin working as a Spiritual Director for individuals as well.

As I prepare for this new chapter in my life, and as you all prepare for new leadership under Rev. Neal Jones, Jeremiah’s words ring true: God alone knows what is in store for us, but we can trust that it is a future full of hope. I will miss you, but I won’t be far away. It is my hope that we will continue to work together as our two churches join with others in the Kannapolis/Concord area to put into action God’s plans for the people of our community. I have a heart full of gratitude for the many ways you have loved and supported me over the past five years—our friendships will continue, even though I can no longer be your pastor. Please know that you and Rev. Jones will be in my prayers as you get to know one another, and that I wish you only the best as we each journey into God’s great future!

Many Blessings,
Pastor Cheryl



Thank you to all of those who sent a card, sat with my family at the hospital, or prayed for me during my recent hip surgery. My recovery has been quick. Thank you for all of your love and support. Beth McLain

A new/round table has been donated for the parlor in loving memory of Carolyn Brafford and in honor of her beloved grandchildren by the K. Lee Scott Sharing Group. Missed but never forgotten.

We were so pleased to see such a large group for Homecoming. Thanks to all of you for supporting our church and Pastor Cecil. If you weren't able to make it, you really missed a great time of fellowship. Keep up the good work at Mount Olivet. The Worship Committee

Thanks to the most loving and caring church for all the wonderful food, calls, and cards, and especially prayers. All are much appreciated! Arlin and Olivia

Dear Mount Olivet UMC, Thank you so much for your generous donation that will go directly to covering the cost of field trips for our students in need. I can’t express how much your continued support of our school, student and staff alike, means to me. Thank you for being there for us! Mrs. Cox, Principal, Winecoff Elementary School

Sunday, June 2, 2019

8:45 a.m. Early Service
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship Service
 5:00 p.m. UMYF

**Tuesday, June 18, 2019**

10:00 a.m. Prayers for Healing
 6:00 p.m. Piedmont Singing Men
 7:00 p.m. Care Team

Monday, June 3, 2019

10:30 a.m. K Lee Scott Sharing Group

Wednesday, 19, 2019

7:30 p.m. Choir

Tuesday, June 4, 2019

10:00 a.m. Prayers for Healing
 6:30 p.m. Piedmont Singing Men
 6:30 p.m. Ada Dayvault Circle

Thursday, June 20, 2019

7:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir

Wednesday, June 5, 2019

7:30 p.m. Choir

Friday, June 21, 2019

10 a.m. -2:00 p.m. Heavenly Hot Dogs

Thursday, June 6, 2019

7:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir

Sunday, June 23, 2019

8:45 a.m. Early Service
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship Service

Friday, June 7, 2019

10 a.m. -2:00 p.m. Heavenly Hot Dogs

Tuesday, June 25, 2019

10:00 a.m. Prayers for Healing
 6:30 p.m. Piedmont Singing Men
 6:30 p.m. Prayers for Kenya Team
 7:00 p.m. Finance

Sunday, June 9, 2019

Graduation Sunday at both services

8:45 a.m. Early Service
 9:30 a.m. Graduate Brunch
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship Service
 4:00 p.m. Administrative Council
 5:00 p.m. UMYF

Wednesday, June 26, 2019

7:00 p.m. Choir

Monday, June 10, 2019

6:30 p.m. UMM

Thursday, June 27, 2019

7:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir

Tuesday, June 11, 2019

10:00 a.m. Prayers for Healing
 6:45 p.m. Piedmont Singing Men
 6:30 p.m. Zenobia Murph Circle

Friday, June 28, 2019

10 a.m. -2:00 p.m. Heavenly Hot Dogs

Wednesday, June 12, 2019

7:30 p.m. Choir

Sunday, June 30, 2019

Loose Change Sunday
 8:45 a.m. Early Service
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship Service
 5:00 p.m. UMYF

Thursday, June 13, 2019

7:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir

Friday, June 14, 2019

10 a.m. -2:00 p.m. Heavenly Hot Dogs

Sunday, June 16, 2019 Father's Day

8:45 a.m. Early Service
 9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 11:00 a.m. Worship Service
 5:00 p.m. UMYF





- 1 Lee Brant
- 2 Sandra Harwood
- 2 Scott Simmons
- 4 Sandee Smith
- 6 Marty Storie
- 8 Betty Christie
- 8 Eddie Hathaway
- 10 Roger Morris
- 10 Richard Fischbach
- 11 Ron McKenzie
- 12 Michael Chewning
- 12 Jonathan Deese
- 12 Patrick Deese
- 13 Peggy Green
- 15 Cooper Pickens
- 17 Bill Fink
- 17 Chris Welch
- 19 Sharon Jackson
- 19 Ellen Tutterow
- 19 David Hill
- 19 Ron Barnhardt
- 25 Nick DiFoggio
- 25 Leigh Hunter
- 29 Monica Triece
- 29 Vann Goodman, Jr.
- 30 Brenda Brewer



**Heavenly
Hot Dogs**

**Please come out and support our
church! Every
Friday 10 a.m.-2 p.m.**

**NO HEAVENLY HOT DOGS during
the month of July!!**

Anniversaries

June 6

Bruce & Linda Clanton

June 8

Ken & Jennifer Sparks

June 9

Ralph & Dottie Simmons

Lee & Padgett Goodman

June 14

Jim & Diana Brant

Jim & Pam Holt

June 16

Joe & Rachel Untz

Randy & Deborah Allmon

June 18

Joel & Jann Johnson

June 19

Gary & Judy Yandle

June 21

Roger & Debbie Myers

June 23

Sandie & Beth McLain

Mark & Carla Goodman

June 24

Scott & Kristin Rodgers

June 28

Glenn & Barbara Yow

June 30

Bill & Carolyn Fink

Honorariums

General Budget

In Honor of

Judy Barnhardt

Given By

Jim Stowe

Kenya Team

In Honor of

Virginia Rodgers Joel & Jann Johnson

Given By

Memorials

General Budget

In Loving Memory

Jim Riggs

Jim Riggs

James Rigg

James Riggs

James Riggs

James & Grace Riggs

Given By

Brenda Carter

Lee & Padgett Goodman

Eddie & Linda Hathaway

Clarence & Marlene Horton

Joel & Jann Johnson

Junior Whitley

Building Fund

In Loving Memory

James Riggs

Given By

Charles & Fran Triece



We express Christian Sympathy to the family of Jim Riggs, Sr., who went to be with the Lord on May 16, 2019. Please pray for the family.

We express Christian Sympathy to the family of George Hipp, who went to be with the Lord on May 25, 2019. Please pray for the family.

**Pastor Cheryl's Weekly
Office Hours & Contact**

Information

Mondays: Off

Tuesdays: 9-11

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Thursdays: 9-12

Fridays: Hot Dogs 10-2

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Administrative Council Minutes
Mount Olivet United Methodist Church of Concord, Inc.
March 17, 2019

The Administrative Council met on Sunday, March 17, 2019 with fourteen members attending. Barry Lentz presided and Pastor Cheryl Skinner opened the meeting with prayer. The February 2019 minutes were reviewed, with a motion for approval made by Jim Stowe, and a second by Ute Lentz.

REPORTS

Finance - Through 2/28/19, receipts have totaled \$51,441.01. The weekly average for January was \$8,092 and the weekly average for February was \$4,768. The weekly budget needs are \$5384. Net income through 2/28/19 is \$11,841. The income is down \$1,700 from January. All expenses are in line with the budget for two months of the year.

The bank account balances as of 2/28/19 are as follows:

Checking	3,157.36
Money Market Savings	46,130.73
Designated Fund	27,022.63
Building Fund	43,293.46
Future Fund - checking	11,758.09
Future Fund - savings	232,958.08
UM Foundation - Market	473,982.43
UM Foundation - Development	40,431.09
UM Foundation - Parsonage	199,791.26

A request from the Finance Committee concerning controls on the Mt. Olivet UMC bank accounts opened utilizing the tax ID of Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church, and the following guidelines must be followed:

- 1) Requests for a bank account using the tax ID of Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church must come before the Administrative Council for approval. A copy of the minutes approving the opening of the account must be submitted to the bank as authorization to open the account. This motion was submitted by Delinda Rodgers, and seconded by Ron Barnhardt.
- 2) Any account opened using the tax ID of Mt. Olivet United Methodist Church must reside at the same bank as the general accounts of the church. Currently, the church utilizes Uwharrie Bank. Therefore, any bank account which uses the tax ID of the church must be with Uwharrie. This motion was submitted by Delinda Rodgers, and seconded by Diana Starkey.
- 3) The Mt. Olivet UMC Treasurer must be listed as a signatory on all accounts opened with the use of the church tax ID number. This motion was submitted by Delinda Rodgers, and seconded by Diana Starkey.
- 4) All original bank statements must be given to the church office for review by the church Treasurer. This motion was submitted by Delinda Rodgers, and seconded by Jim Stowe.

Youth - The Youth will be at Camp Tekoa the first weekend in April.

United Methodist Men - During the March 18th meeting of the United Methodist Men they plan to serve a spaghetti dinner to the Young Life Group (approximately 40 people).

Hot Dogs - Everything is going very well, but we always need volunteers and baked goods.

Nursery - We have three little girls every Sunday morning. We are doing well.

UMW - We are preparing for our Third Annual Springfest Saturday on April 13th from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.. More details will be forthcoming in the weekly bulletins and in the April Messenger. Please plan to come to peruse the variety of merchandise our vendors will have for sale. Baked goods, snacks and plants will also be for sale.

Worship Committee - Plans are progressing for Sunrise Service on April 21st at 6:43 a.m., with breakfast served in Memorial Hall immediately after the service. Some of the Parlor items have been sold for a total of \$814. Memorial Hall has new curtains, and we thank you Janet Crawford. Please mark your calendars for Homecoming on May 2nd. Chicken and ham will be provided! Just bring a side dish to share or dessert and plan to stay for a delicious meal and fellowship.

Superintendent of Sunday School - Sunday School numbers are dropping, and currently the Junior High group needs a teacher, or perhaps two so they can rotate every other month.

Local Missions - Mt. Olivet UMC is not on the CCM list for the Mobile Food Pantry so Ute will be checking on this.

Lay Leader - On March 31st we will have a joint worship service and afterward we will have a Kenya fundraising meal, which will be the last one by Rick Rodgers. The Kenya Team will be leaving Kannapolis on June 26th and returning on July 12th.

Trustees - Ron Barnhardt reminded everyone that there is a "To Do List" in the church office, so if there is something that needs the attention of the Trustees, please put it on this list. There has been a safety bar installed in the Parlor bathroom, and the hall between Memorial Hall and the Scout Hut will be painted.

Scouts - The Memorial Hall items that have been stored in the Scout Hut must be moved. The Girl Scouts have also been told that the kitchen in the Scout Hut must be kept clean by them, or we will consider charging for cleaning.

Children's Ministry - The annual egg hunt will be held April 20th at 10 a.m. Eggs, crafts, light refreshments, a special guest, the Easter story, and more. Volunteers to help can contact Mr. Ron. Thanks

Additional Discussion Items - 1) Various churches are participating in Lenten Lunches, held at noon on Wednesday. The first one was at Bethpage and about 50 people attended. Mt. Olivet UMC will host the lunch on March 20th.

2) The room on the Lower Level at the end of the hall on the right needs to be cleaned out. We will try selling the chairs and hospital bed. 3) The Way Forward meeting with the Bishop last Sunday, March 10th, was not controlled which led to fussing and yelling.

Pastor Cheryl closed the meeting with prayer.

Our next Administrative Council Meeting is April 14, 2019

Respectfully submitted,
Barry Lentz, Chairman
Lynne Royal, Recording Secretary

In Bloom – The Tucker Garden Tour at the home of Carolyn and Robert Tucker – 621 Hermitage Drive SE Concord. To Benefit CVAN – helping to provide safety, shelter and support for battered women and their children. If you are interested in going, please contact Delinda Rodgers.

Saturday, June 1, 2019 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Tickets \$10 each

To Purchase:

online: www.cvan.org

1. at CVAN's Thrift Store - 543 Concord Parkway N Concord
2. Call CVAN office at 704.788.1108

\$15 at the door/day of event

And here is the link to the Garden Tour Page on our website: <http://www.cvan.org/GardenTour.aspx>

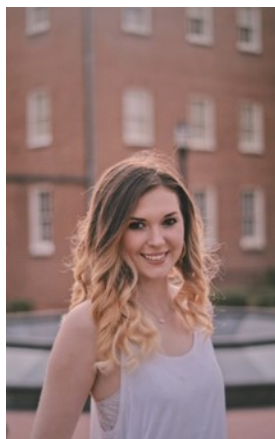
Looking for a Host Family for Victoria from Denmark

My name is Morgan Tondreault and I work with STS Foundation, we are a non-profit high school exchange program. I am currently looking for a host family in the Concord community to host Victoria, an exchange student from Denmark. Victoria is a 16 year old girl who loves soccer and gymnastics! Victoria has had seven years of English classes and four years of German!

Victoria loves adventure and experiencing something new, and always up for a challenge. She attends a boarding school that is a sports school and they practice every single day; soccer, track and field, and gymnastics. For more information contact: Kandace Wright at kandace@stsfoundation.org. STS Foundation Web: stsfoundation.org

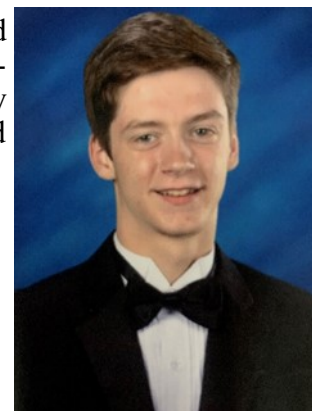
Our 2019 Graduates

Our High School Graduates



Jordan Michaela Pickens, daughter of Brad and Christi Pickens, will graduate from West Rowan High School. Jordan's accomplishments are: National Honor Society, National Technical Honor Society, President of WRHS Crosby Scholars, Future Business Leaders of American, Student Leadership Team, and Yearbook Team. She loves to shop (her senior superlative was best dressed), and loves photography, taking pictures of her friends, and loves to travel and explore new people and places. Jordan plans to attend Clemson University and major in Business in the fall.

Nicholas Cole Simmons, son of Eric and Cindy Simmons and grandson of Ralph and Dottie Simmons, graduates from Concord High School. He was on the wrestling team. Nick completed Fire Academy while at Concord High. He has completed the requirements for his Eagle Scout and will receive the award this month. This summer Nick plans to work for his Dad.



Our College Graduates



Harrison Allen graduated from North Carolina State University on May 9, 2019 with a Masters Degree in Accounting. He has accepted a position with a professional services firm, EY in Raleigh, N.C. and will begin work in August. Harrison is the son of Scott and Karen Allen.

Shannon Beam is the daughter of Wayne and Hope Beam and the granddaughter of Joel and Jann Johnson. Shannon is graduating from Wingate University with a Bachelor of Science. She majored in Psychology, and minored in Sociology and English and graduated Magna cum laude. Shannon is President of Wingate Psi Chi Chapter and is going to ECU for a graduate program to become a Marriage and Family Therapist.





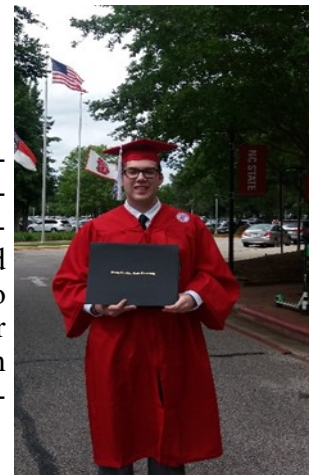
Christian M. Burleson is the son of Natalie Burleson and grandson of Jim Stowe. Christian graduated from the University of North Carolina School of the Arts with a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Music.

Anna Grace Hathcock is the daughter of Larry and Susan Hathcock. She graduated from Wake Forest University in Winston Salem, N.C. in December, 2018 with a B.A in Religion, cum laude. Anna attended the Summer Management Program in Wake Forest. During her junior year, Anna completed a semester abroad through the Swedish Program, Stockholm School of Independent Research, during the Summer of 2018. While at Wake Forest, Anna worked as a Resident Advisor for 3 years. For the past two years, she also worked as an assistant in Special Collections & Archives, Z. Smith Reynolds Library. Since graduation, Anna has spent 3 months as an Intern for Grow Internationals, based in Stockholm, Sweden. She is currently working in the Accounting Department at the Boys and Girls Club of Cabarrus County, while she pursues a permanent position in Sweden.



Mackenzie Lenora Rodgers graduated from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. While at Carolina, she played on the Indoor Handball Team, and earned a BS in History. Future plans are to teach history at the high school level. Her parents are Scott and Kristin Rodgers and her grandparents are Rick and Delinda Rodgers.

Charles Seth Shearon graduated from North Carolina State University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering. He had summer internships at ECS Limited (2017) and Lane Construction (2018) in Charlotte. He is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers. As a member, he attended conferences at Duke and N.C. State. He was also a member of the American Concrete Institute where he went to a global ACI convention in Salt Lake City, Utah. Seth is a certified concrete inspector and worked for N.C. State to certify other concrete inspectors in the Carolinas. Seth started his engineering career in May with KCI Technologies in Raleigh, North Carolina. He appreciates all the support from Mt. Olivet U.M.C.



Our Kenya Team

On Tuesday, June 25, our Kenya Team comprised of many church members and several from other churches will be packing their bags in a van at church at 6:00 p.m. We are inviting our church family and friends and family members from the community to join us at 6:30 p.m. for prayer time. If the weather does not permit us to gather in the church yard, we will meet in the sanctuary. The team will leave the following morning June 26 at 4:30 a.m. to drive to the airport to fly to New York and then to Nairobi, Kenya. We will return on July 12. Devotion books will be available in the narthex areas so you can share in devotional thoughts prepared by team members and the pastor. We will be having devotional time each night about 8:00 p.m. while we are in Kenya. This will be 1:00 p.m. here in North Carolina, so we hope you will be reading and praying with us. We ask that you pray for each member of our team. Listed below are those who will be going:

Carolina David	Catherine Difoggio	Caroline Difoggio
Jennifer Difoggio	Nick Difoggio	Connie Phillips
Ute Lentz	Bailey Rodgers	Debbie Rodgers
Scott Rodgers	Kristin Rodgers	Mackenzie Rodgers
Cameron Rodgers	Justin Rodgers	Jackson Rodgers
Delinda Rodgers	Rick Rodgers	Lynne Royal
Meredith Spry	Pat Woods	

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To –.

Mount Olivet Purpose Statement

Your Spiritual Connection to Jesus Christ

Work-Go into the World as Disciples

Witness-Share the Love of Jesus

Worship-Gather in Praise of God

Check out these websites:

www.mtochurch.com

www.wnccumc.org

www.umc.org

Facebook "MTOchurch"

Father's Day is a celebration honoring fathers and celebrating fatherhood, paternal bonds, and the influence of fathers in society. In Catholic Europe, it has been celebrated on March 19 (Saint Joseph's Day) since the Middle Ages. This celebration was brought by the Spanish and Portuguese to Latin America, where March 19 is often still used for it, though many countries in Europe and the Americas have adopted the U.S. date, which is the third Sunday of June. It is celebrated on various days in many parts of the world, most commonly in the months of March, April and June. It complements similar celebrations honoring family members, such as Mother's Day, Siblings Day, and Grandparents' Day.