

LAST WEEK'S CHURCH RECORD

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| Sunday School | 192 |
| Worship Attendance in the Sanctuary..... | 263 |
| Worship Attendance (via Facebook views) | 282 |
| Weekly Budget Requirement | \$ 16,093.00 |
| Budget Gifts | \$ 19,094.38 |
| YTD Budget Requirements | \$160,930.00 |
| YTD Budget Gifts | \$132,335.41 |

A NEW DAY

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| Total Campaign Goal | \$ 850,000.00 |
| Gifts for Week 62 | \$ 3,016.00 |
| Total Gifts | \$ 238,576.36 |

OUR KNOWN SICK

WakeMed:
 Frank Pulley
 Autumn Care:
 Hilda Gay
 At Home:
 Anndala Bobbitt
 Douglas Fowler
 Audrey Marsh
 Faye Wade

Zebulon Baptist Church

Zebulon, North Carolina



OUR CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

Our Christian sympathy is extended to Tim Tippet and Phillip Tippet on the death of their father and grandfather, ZBC member Jack Tippet.

OUR CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY

9:00am Sunday School
 10:15am Morning Worship (Sanctuary or Facebook Live feed)
 11:15am Children's Library Opens
 4:00pm Adult Mission Trip Interest — Blue Room
 5:15pm Youth Handbells
 5:45pm Youth Choir

MONDAY

9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours

TUESDAY

9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours
 10:00am Women's Bible Study

WEDNESDAY

9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours
 5:50pm Dinner Line Opens

WEDNESDAY (continued)

6:30pm Nursery Opens
 Mission Friends, GA's & RA's,
 Junior Connections, Adult
 Handbells, Adult Bible
 Study — FH
 7:00pm Music Mates, Cherub Choir,
 & Junior Choir
 7:30pm End of all above activities
 7:30pm Youth Journeys
 7:45pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY

9:00am-1:00pm Office Hours
 10:00am ZBC Book Club —
 Conference Room

FRIDAY

9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours
 9:00am Gifting Ministry — Parlor

Dr. Michael Cogdill, Interim Senior Pastor
 Shannon Speller, Minister of Children, Outreach and Missions
 Barbara D. Glasgow, Minister of Music and Senior Adults
 Faith Layton, Interim Minister of Spiritual Formation
 Lauren Glasgow, Minister of Youth
 Cindy Carver, Assistant Accompanist
 June Sanders, Office Administrator
 Candace Heath, Office Assistant
 Visit our website at myzbc.org

Our Welcome

In the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, we welcome you to a place in the sanctuary. May your coming and going be attended with richest blessing.

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

"Far be it from me to glory except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ."
— Galatians 6:14

FINDING JOY IN THE CROSS

PRELUDE — "Jesus Paid It All" arr. Lohr
The Adult Handbell Choir
Acolytes: Paige Robertson and Abby Vinson

WELCOME TO WORSHIPERS

***HYMN OF JOY** No. 415
"Lift High the Cross" — Kitchin-Newbolt-Nicholson

*INVOCATION AND LORD'S PRAYER

*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*

*LENTEN HYMN

*When I survey the wondrous cross, on which the Prince of Glory died;
My richest gain I count but loss and pour contempt on all my pride.*

SPECIAL MUSIC — "The Lamb of God" arr. Larson
Duet — Sheri Hester and Barbara Glasgow

FINDING MEANING IN THE CROSS

THE LIGHTING OF THE LENTEN CANDLE — "The Lesson of Trust"
Megan and Ben Possiel

RESPONSIVE CALL TO CONFESSION

Leader: Behold, I was brought forth in iniquity,

People: and in sin my mother conceived me.

Leader: Behold, You desire truth in the innermost being,

People: and in the hidden part You will make me know wisdom.

Leader: Purify me with hyssop,

People: and I shall be clean.

Leader: Wash me,

People: and I shall be whiter than snow.

A TIME OF SILENCE FOR CONFESSION AND REFLECTION

THE PASTORAL PRAYER



QUARTERLY CHURCH CONFERENCE AGENDA

Our quarterly church conference will be Sunday, March 19, 2023 at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

Call to Order
Opening Prayer
Approval of Minutes
Membership Report
2022 Fiscal Year End Financial Report
New Day Campaign Report — 2022 Year One End and 2023-24 Plans
Caring for the Campus Report
Mission Ventures Report
Frances Tucker Estate Update
Morris Estate Update
Nominating Committee Update
Security Equipment Recommendation
Mission Plans Report
Mission Trip Request
Accompanist Position Recommendation
Personnel Report — Staff Benefits
Other Business
Staff Reports
Pastor's Comments
Adjournment
Closing Prayer

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNERS

Please enter the Fellowship Hall using the side door, pay at the table, and proceed through the serving line to pick up your dinner prior to being seated.

Prices are \$10 per adult and \$4 per child. Please pay for dinner with cash (PREFERRED) or checks made payable to "CASH"

Please make your reservations on time, no later than **8:00 p.m. on Monday evenings**. You may use the pew slips, call the church office by 4:00 p.m., or reply to the weekly email. If you would like to be added to the email, please email AMSBROOKS@gmail.com with Wednesday Dinner in the subject line.

This week our Wednesday night Dinner will be prepared by Cindy and Darrell Carver. The supper line opens at 5:50 p.m. and will serve until 6:25 p.m. Our menu this week will be: Beef Brisket, Cole Slaw, Baked Beans, Bread, and Chocolate Cake. The Supper serving team will be: Joe Bone, Zachary Bone, Jeremiah DuPont, Tyler Hester, Kenzie Hopkins, and Elizabeth Robertson.

For a schedule of starting time for each activity, please see the calendar on the back of this bulletin.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION MINISTRY

TUESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY — We are continuing to use the *Nurturing Faith* Bible study series. Please note that the dates listed in *Nurturing Faith* are Sundays, we will be using that lesson on the following Tuesday morning for our study. Copies of *Nurturing Faith* are available on the literature rack outside of the church office.

LENTEN DEVOTIONS — During this Lent Season, we are providing devotional leaflets for adults and families (one per family, please.) Enjoy the days of Lent as we reflect, meditate, and journey together to the cross.

For the **Adults**, "*The Sanctuary for Lent 2023*" devotions include scripture, how it relates to our lives today and questions for us to discern in living our lives as a follower of Jesus. Copies are available in the rack outside the church office.

For **Families** with children, there is an interactive booklet, "*Welcome Risen Jesus*" *Lent and Easter Reflections for Families*. In the booklet you will find a Think, Act, Fast, and Pray category. Each day includes a scripture reading and suggestions for families to involve children in learning about the Lent season, its meaning, and hands on activities. Copies are located near the nursery in the Spiritual Formation Rack.

ZBC FLOWER MINISTRY

A gift has been offered in celebration of Brooks and Amanda Pulley's 20th wedding anniversary on March 15. "*Life with you makes perfect sense. You're my best friend*" Tim McGraw

A gift has been offered in honor of our daughter, Caroline Gutshall, whose 50th birthday is on March 18. Thank you, God, for this blessing given to us. Jerry and Connie Brayboy.

OUTREACH TEAM members greeting visitors after worship will be Gus and Karen Gillilan.

DEACONS welcoming visitors and members this morning are Fran Perry and Garrett Underhill.

PRAYER TEAM member dedicated to prayer for our ZBC worship service, our Zebulon community, our world, and many shared prayer concerns is Beth Cone.

USHERS for this morning are Mikey Anerton, Matt Elliott, Luke Faulkner, Kayla Howell, Holly Lee, and Allison Pridgen.

NURSERY — Anna Elliott, Macy Pait, Michelle Pait, Elizabeth Robertson, and Susan Richert.

MEMBERS TO REMEMBER:

At Home: Dot Brown

The Lodge at Wake Forest: Evelyn Allen
Remember these persons this week with your prayers, cards, contacts or visits!



***HYMN OF REFLECTION** No. 185
"The Old Rugged Cross" — Bennard

OFFERTORY — "Near the Cross *with Alas! And Did My Savior Bleed*"
..... arr. Dobrinski
The Adult Handbell Choir

*LENTEN HYMN AND PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS

*Were the whole realm of nature mine, that were a present far too small;
Love so amazing, so divine, demands my soul, my life, my all.*

FINDING PURPOSE IN THE CROSS

THE CHILDREN'S SERMON

ANTHEM — "Restoration" arr. Sorenson
The Sanctuary Choir

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 17:1-13

SERMON — "The Transfiguration of Jesus" Dr. Michael Cogdill

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT** No. 491
"Wherever He Leads I'll Go" — McKinney

PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERS

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

BENEDICTION

***POSTLUDE** — "When I See My Savior" Maud Frazer

*Congregation Standing
CCL #1437762

SL Plus #20535958

ADULT MISSION TRIP INTEREST MEETING

Today, March 12 at 4:00 p.m. in the Blue Room, there will be a meeting for those adults who may be interested in a Mission Trip to Sunflower, MS to work with Delta Grace. The trip would be September 15-23, 2023. Come and learn more about this exciting and meaningful experience. If you have any questions prior to the meeting, please see Shannon Speller.



JUNIOR CHOIR SPECIAL REHEARSAL, SUNDAY, MARCH 19

Our Junior Choir will have a special rehearsal on Sunday afternoon, March 19 from 2:30 until 4:30 p.m. We will be working on our parts and the music for our upcoming musical, *In The Image*. Parents, please mark your calendars! Juniors, please remember to bring your musical book for this rehearsal!

BIBLE STUDY FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

Join us for Bible Study this Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. The title of this Bible study will be **“Walking with Jesus to the Cross.”** Luke 9:51 states that *“Jesus set His face steadfastly toward Jerusalem.”* We will examine some of the parables, teachings, and events of Jesus reported by the Gospels on this journey. Mike Cogdill will be leading this Bible study.

YOUTH NEWS

JOURNEYS — This week we will continue our study on the “Seven Words: Listening to Jesus from the Cross” with a focus on the words “My God, My God.” Come from 7:30-8:30 p.m. for fun, fellowship, Bible study, and refreshments.

LUNCH IN MARCH — Sunday, March 26, the youth will go out to lunch to Craften Neighborhood Food in Knightdale after worship. Sign up by Wednesday, March 22 if you plan to attend.

FINAL PASSPORT PAYMENT — The summer is quickly approaching and that means it is time to prepare for Passport 2023! The ZBCY will be attending Passport at Converse College in Spartanburg, SC from June 26-July 1. The final payment of \$425 is **due Sunday, April 16.** See Lauren with any questions.

IT'S TIME TO ORDER EASTER LILIES!

Regular Single Lily in Foil — Price \$13.50

Deadline is TODAY, March 12, 2023.

Makes checks payable to ZBC and designate for Easter lilies.

GIVEN BY: _____

IN MEMORY OF: _____

IN HONOR OF: _____



HELP BEAUTIFY OUR COURTYARD

Women’s 4 Sunday School class (formerly Faithful Workers) would like to give you the opportunity to contribute to our courtyard by making a gift in honor or memory of a family member, loved one, or person(s) who have made a difference in your life. The members of the class are responsible for planting flowers and maintaining our courtyard. Your gift of \$8/person (minimum) will help with the costs of this project. If you would like to participate, please make checks payable to Zebulon Baptist Church and designate “Courtyard Fund.” Please turn your contributions into the church office or mail it to ZBC, P. O. Box 366, Zebulon, NC 27597-0366 **by TODAY Sunday, March 12.** A list of donations will be in the bulletin on Easter Sunday.

IN HONOR OF: _____

GIVEN BY: _____

IN MEMORY OF: _____

GIVEN BY: _____

ZBC BOOK CLUB



The ZBC Book Club will meet on Thursday, March 16 at 10:00 a.m. in the conference room near the Fellowship Hall. The discussion will be on *Once Upon a Wardrobe* by Patti Callahan. Hilda Debnam will be leading the discussion. Any ZBC member or visitor is welcome to join this book club.

PASSPORT KIDS AND PASSPORT 6th and 7th GRADE

Balances for both Passports are **due no later than April 16.** If your child has signed up to go to Passport Kids, your balance due is \$250. If your child signed up to go to Passport 6th and 7th grade, the balance due is \$350. Please see Shannon if you have any questions.

2022-2023 OFFERING FOR GLOBAL MISSIONS

A PLACE AT THE TABLE FOR EVERYONE

LUKE 14:12-14

Jesus calls us all to the table. Because presence matters, all are invited. There is a place at the table for everyone. CBF field personnel are cultivating beloved community, bearing witness to Jesus Christ, and seeking transformational development among those forgotten or forsaken by the world. Our Global Mission Offering helps support these field personnel. This week of March 12-17 is the week of prayer for Global Missions. You will find an insert to help you with this week of prayer. You can find special Global Missions envelopes in the pew racks. We ask that you prayerfully consider how you can support our CBF Field Personnel and the work they do. During worship on Sunday, March 19, we will have a special time to bring your offerings forward.