

LAST WEEK'S CHURCH RECORD

Sunday School	180
Worship Attendance in the Sanctuary.....	406
Worship Attendance (via Facebook views)	260
Weekly Budget Requirement	\$ 16,093.00
Budget Gifts	\$ 14,306.00
YTD Budget Requirements	\$241,395.00
YTD Budget Gifts	\$201,648.49

A NEW DAY

Total Campaign Goal	\$ 850,000.00
Gifts for Week 67	\$ 2,225.00
Total Gifts	\$ 258,482.36

OUR KNOWN SICK

- Duke Raleigh:
- Dale Parrish
- WakeMed Rehab:
- Frank Pulley
- WakeMed:
- Edith Quinn
- Briggs Glasgow
- Autumn Care:
- Hilda Gay
- At Home:
- Betsy Buchanan
- Martha Edwards
- Lauren Glasgow
- Audrey Marsh

Zebulon Baptist Church

Zebulon, North Carolina



CHRISTIAN SYMPATHY

We extend our Christian sympathy to Tim Kemp in the death of his brother, Terry Kemp.

OUR CHURCH CALENDAR

TODAY

- 9:00am Sunday School
- 10:15am Morning Worship (Sanctuary or Facebook Live feed)
- 11:15am Children's Library Opens
- 4:00-6:30pm Sunday School Leadership Workshop
- 6:30-7:30pm Junior Choir Rehearsal

MONDAY

- 8:30am Meditation — Parlor
- 9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours
- 7:00pm Congregational Care Deacons — FH

TUESDAY

- 9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours
- 10:00am Women's Bible Study
- 6:30pm Pastor Search Team — D8

WEDNESDAY

- 9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours
- 5:50pm Dinner Line Opens
- 6:30pm Nursery Opens
- Mission Friends, GA's & RA's,
- Junior Connections, Adult
- Handbells, Adult Bible Study — FH

WEDNESDAY (continued)

- 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
- 8:00pm ZBC Men's Softball vs. Central Baptist White — Jake May Field

FRIDAY

- 9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours
- 9:00am Gifting Ministry — Parlor
- 5:30pm Juniors to Defy Gravity

SATURDAY

- 1:00-3:00pm K-3 Families to Knightdale Station Park

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
 Ted Rood, Assistant Accompanist
 Patti Rood, Choir 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.

A CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP IN EASTERTIDE

*“Born again to a living hope through the resurrection
of Jesus Christ from the dead.*

— I Peter 1:3

CELEBRATING IN OUR GREETING

PRELUDE — “Holy King” arr. Schram

Acolytes: Mallory Gray and Liam Smith

SPECIAL MUSIC BY THE MUSIC MATES

“Easter Is a Special Day” by Nan Grantham

“Jesus Loves Me” (three verses) by William B. Bradbury

WELCOME TO WORSHIPERS

***HYMN OF GATHERING** No. 197

“We Welcome Glad Easter” — Welsh Hymn

*THE EXCHANGE OF CHRIST'S PEACE

*EASTER CHORUS

He is Lord! He is Lord! He is risen from the dead and He is Lord!

Every knee shall bow, every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord!

CELEBRATING IN OUR PRAYERS AND PROCLAMATION

OFFERTORY — “Grace Alone” arr. Hayes

THE OFFERTORY MOMENT

*“The Resurrection narratives are not a picture of survival after death;
they record how a totally new mode of being has arisen in the Universe.
Something new had appeared in the Universe: as new as the first
coming of organic life. This Man, after death, does not get divided into
'ghost' and 'corpse.' A new mode of being has arisen. That is the story.
What are we going to make of it?”*

— C. S. Lewis

RESPONSIVE LITANY FOR EASTERTIDE

Leader: Like the disciples we are gathered together the week after
Easter.

**People: Pondering its truth, marveling at the possibilities, and daring
to hope.**

Leader: Also like the disciples, we are sometimes afraid, sometimes full
of doubt.

People: Yet in the moment of our doubt the Risen Christ appears.

Leader: Faith is restored. Christ's presence removes our fears and
doubts.

JUNIORS TO DEFY GRAVITY

On Friday, April 21, the Juniors will go to Defy Gravity in Raleigh. We will leave the church at 5:30 p.m. and return at 8:30 p.m. We will jump for one and a half hours. **To sign up, \$22 must be given to Shannon BEFORE April 19.** The tickets will be purchased ahead of time. Parents must go to www.defy.com/defy-raleigh and fill out the waiver form. If you have any questions, please see Shannon.

K-3 AND FAMILIES TO KNIGHTDALE STATION PARK

Saturday, April 22 is Earth Day! What better way to celebrate than a day at the park! Come and bring the whole family to Knightdale Station Park from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. for a fun afternoon outside! If you have any questions, please see Shannon.

ZBC FLOWER MINISTRY

A gift has been offered in celebration of Matt and Anna Elliott's 12th wedding anniversary on April 16.

OUTREACH TEAM members greeting visitors after worship will be John and Phyllis Underhill.

DEACONS welcoming visitors and members this morning are Casey and Craig Carnes.

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

USHERS for this morning are Ann Brooks, Jim Calhoun, Kevin Deaton, Tyler Hester, Edward Hull, and Patrick Williams.

NURSERY — Kevin Deaton, Lara Deaton, Sherry Hayes, and Susan Richert.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER

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 on the subject line.

This week our Wednesday night dinner will be prepared by John Cashwell. The supper line opens at 5:50 p.m. and will serve until 6:25 p.m. Our menu this week will be: Smothered Pork Loin, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Roll, and Dessert. The Supper serving team will be: Patti Baker, Sherrie Hopkins, Denise Loucks, Jane Mitchell, Jim Woodard, and Phyllis Woodard.

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

SPIRITUAL FORMATION MINISTRY

MEDITATION — Join our Monday morning meditation — the art of listening to the Divine — April 17 at 8:30 a.m. in the Parlor.

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.

PASTOR SEARCH TEAM UPDATE

The Pastor Search Team has spent the last year with one goal: *“To discern under the leadership of the Holy Spirit the right person to recommend to Zebulon Baptist Church to become its next Senior Pastor.”*

We are excited to announce that the time has come to present the candidate to you, the congregation. Please mark your calendars for “Call Sunday” on April 30. We will have opportunities for you to meet the candidate and their family on Friday evening, Saturday morning, and Sunday morning as the candidate leads us in worship. We trust that you will see why God led us to this person as you meet and speak with the candidate and family: their love for God, and love for God’s people of all ages.

April 28 (Friday): Meet and Greet the Candidate and Family 6:30-8:00 p.m.
(light refreshments served)

April 29 (Saturday): Meet and Greet the Candidate and Family 9:00-11:00 a.m.
(doughnuts and coffee)

All meet and greets will take place in the fellowship hall.

April 30 (Sunday): Call Sunday — the candidate will lead us in worship. A called church conference will follow worship where the Pastor Search Team will make a motion to approve the candidate as the Senior Pastor of Zebulon Baptist Church.

We look forward to introducing you to the candidate and their family as we continue to pray:

God’s will, nothing more, nothing less and nothing else.

MEMBERS TO REMEMBER:

At Home: Marilyn Brown

Cadence Senior Living: Artelia Perry

Remember these persons this week with your prayers, cards, contacts or visits!



People: May the Living Christ grant to all of us renewed faith, great courage, and enduring peace.

THE MORNING PRAYER

THE CHILDREN'S SERMON

ANTHEM — “God So Loved the World” Joel Raney
The Sanctuary Choir

*DOXOLOGY AND PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

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.

SCRIPTURE READING John 20:19-29

SERMON — “A Transformed Thomas” Dr. Michael Cogdill

CELEBRATING IN OUR RESPONSE

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT** No. 472
“Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus” — Lemmel

PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERS

OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE WEEK

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENT FROM THE PASTOR SEARCH TEAM

CHORAL BENEDICTION

Beautiful Savior, Lord of all nations, Son of God and Son of Man!

Glory and honor, praise, adoration, now and forevermore be Thine!

***POSTLUDE** — “The Cleansing Wave” Knapp

*Congregation Standing

CCL #1437762

SL Plus #20535958

SUNDAY SCHOOL LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

Sunday School Leadership Workshops will be held this Sunday afternoon, April 16. All Sunday School leaders are asked to attend our quarterly workshops. Our guest speaker will be Karen Metcalf-Eickhoff who is the Minister of Education and Discipleship at Trinity Baptist Church in Raleigh. Karen brings lots of experience and leadership in all areas of the church. She will encourage, inspire, and give ideas of how we can be the best leaders for Sunday School at ZBC. Please mark your calendars and plan to attend a time of fellowship and learning.

Schedule for Workshops:

4:00-5:00 p.m.	Adult Sunday School	Fellowship Hall
5:00-5:30 p.m.	Fellowship — Snack Time	
5:30-6:30 p.m.	Preschool, Children Juniors	Room D8




BIBLE STUDY FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

Join us for Bible Study this Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. We will be discussing Stories from the Resurrection. Mike Cogdill will lead this Bible study.

JUNIOR CHOIR SPECIAL REHEARSAL

Our Junior Choir will have a special rehearsal **TODAY, Sunday, April 16** from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. We will be practicing in the sanctuary so we will know where to stand and when to move to new places. Parents, please mark your calendars! Juniors, remember to bring your musical book for this rehearsal.



CHILDREN'S CHOIRS SINGING IN APRIL
April 30 A.M. — The Junior Choir
April 30 P.M. — The Junior Choir Musical, *In the Image*

The logo for Children's Choirs Singing in April features a group of children singing and playing instruments, with the text "CHILDREN'S CHOIR" and "CHOIR" integrated into the design.

ORGANIST POSITION

As many of you may know, Cindy Carver has announced her resignation as our Assistant Accompanist effective May 14, 2023. We will certainly miss having her lead us in worship! This means we are now accepting resumes for a part-time Organist who will participate in our worship ministry which includes playing the organ for Sunday morning worship services, occasional special worship services, and possibly some funerals and weddings. Sick/personal leave and vacation time is available. If you or someone you know is interested, please visit <https://tinyurl.com/myZBC-Organist> to review a complete job description and send a message to the personnel team. You can direct interested persons to find out more about Zebulon Baptist Church by visiting myzbc.org or find us on Facebook. You can direct any questions to personnel@myzbc.org, Melissa Morgan (Administrative Deacon Personnel Chair) or Joy Davis (Administrative Deacon, Music Ministry Personnel).

YOUTH NEWS

JOURNEYS — Come to the Blue Room from 7:30-8:30 p.m. for fun, fellowship, Bible Study, and refreshments. We will begin our Prayer Vespers.


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**. Contact Lauren with any questions.

LUNCH IN APRIL — This month the youth will go out to lunch at Everest Kitchen in Wendell on Sunday, April 23 after worship. Sign up by going to bit.ly/zbcysignup by **Wednesday, April 19** if you would like to attend.

EASTER LILIES

The beautiful Easter lilies have been moved to the Fellowship Hall (Building D) by the cross in the hallway outside the church office. The lilies will be there for pickup until Monday, April 17. If you purchased a lily, please pick your lily up by that date. Copies of the Easter Lily and Courtyard gifts are in the church office.

Thank you, Purple Worship Team




ZBC BOOK CLUB
The ZBC Book Club will be meeting on Thursday, April 21 from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. in the Conference Room. The book being discussed this month is *The Book Thief* by Markus Zusak and will be discussed by Jo Ann Horton. Anyone is welcome to join this book club.

The logo for the ZBC Book Club features a stack of colorful books, a white mug, and a red cup on a saucer, with the word "BOOK CLUB" written below.

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.



ADULT MISSION TRIP
Zebulon Baptist Church will be going on an adult mission trip to Sunflower, MS to work with Delta Grace September 15-23, 2023. There was great interest shown at the interest meeting a few weeks ago. If you were unable to attend that meeting or would like more information about the trip, please see Shannon Speller. We will begin having team meetings soon!

The logo for the Mission Trip features a white bus with "MISSION TRIP" written on its side, set against a background of a world map.