

LAST WEEK'S CHURCH RECORD

Sunday School 171
Worship Attendance in the Sanctuary..... 335
Worship Attendance (via Facebook views) 142
Weekly Budget Requirement \$16,915.00
Budget Gifts \$17,470.90
YTD Budget Requirements \$ 202,980.00
YTD Budget Gifts \$ 176,876.00

A NEW DAY

Total Campaign Goal \$ 850,000.00
Gifts for Week 117 \$ 3,805.00
Total Gifts \$ 425,219.77

OUR KNOWN SICK

At Home:

Faith Ballard
Susan Ellington
Karen Gillilan
Linda Perry
Kathy Wagstaff
Paula Williams

Zebulon Rehab:

Curtis Strickland

OUR CHURCH CALENDAR

SUNDAY

7:00am Easter Sunrise Service
9:00am Sunday School
10:15am Morning Worship (Sanctuary or
Facebook Live feed)
11:15am Children's Library Opens

MONDAY

OFFICE CLOSED

TUESDAY

9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours
10:00am Women's Bible Study — D11
9:00pm MCG vs. Zebulon Baptist — Jake
May Field

WEDNESDAY

9:00am-7:00pm Office Hours
9:00am Chrismon Workshop — FH
5:50pm Dinner Line Opens
6:30pm Nursery Opens — B10
Mission Friends, GA's & RA's,
Junior Connections,
& Adult Handbells

WEDNESDAY (continued)

7:00pm Music Mates, Cherub Choir,
& Junior Choir
7:30pm End of all above activities
7:30pm Youth Journeys — Blue
Room
7:45pm Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY

9:00am-4:00pm Office Hours

FRIDAY

9:00am-1:00pm Office Hours
9:00am Gifting Ministry — D9

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OFFICE HOURS:

Monday –Thursday — 9:00am to 4:00pm

Friday — 9:00am to 1:00pm

THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP
THE SANCTUARY

MARCH 31, 2024
TEN-FIFTEEN A.M.

RESURRECTION SUNDAY STANDING ON THE PROMISES

CHIMES OF THE TRINITY

PROCESSIONAL — “Christ the Lord Is Risen Today” arr. Davis
Processional of Staff and Acolytes — Fields Hopkins and Harper Pridgen

WELCOME

***EASTER HYMN** No. 194
“Christ the Lord Is Risen Today” — Wesley

***EASTER LITANY** — Christ Is Risen Indeed No. 193

***CHORUS OF PROMISE** — Hymn of Promise

*There is hope in every promise that the Lord has given us.
Give all glory to our Father, He’s the one in whom we trust.*

RESURRECTION PRAYER 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.*

CHILDREN’S SERMON

***OFFERTORY HYMN** No. 207
“Low in the Grave He Lay” — Lowry

*OFFERTORY SENTENCES

God of great gifts: This morning we give you praise, we give you glory, we give you thanks! With resurrection humming in our hearts, our minds are tuned to your song of peace! We joyfully present these gifts to you, a tangible chorus of thanksgiving, a harmony of hope for your kingdom come! Amen.

OFFERTORY — “The Power of the Cross”

ZBC MEN’S SOFTBALL SPRING SEASON

The ZBC Men’s Softball Spring season has begun and will run through June. Games will be on Tuesday or Thursday each week. Email Adam Howell at alh0207@gmail.com if you are interested in playing.

SCHEDULE — ALL GAMES ARE AT JAKE MAY FIELD

Tuesday, April 2 — 9:00 p.m. — MCG vs. ZBC
Tuesday, April 9 — 8:00 p.m. — ZBC vs. Northside Community
Tuesday, April 16 — 8:00 p.m. — Neuse Baptist vs. ZBC
Tuesday, April 23 — 8:00 p.m. — ZBC vs. St. Eugene
Tuesday, April 30 — 9:00 p.m. — Wakefield Central vs. ZBC
Thursday, May 2 — 7:00 p.m. — ZBC vs. Central Baptist Green
Tuesday, May 14 — 7:00 p.m. — Central Baptist White vs. ZBC
Thursday, May 16 — 7:00 p.m. — ZBC vs. Crosspoint Community



ADULT MISSION TRIP TO KENTUCKY

An adult mission trip has been planned for September 21-28, 2024 to Mayfield, KY. Working in conjunction with the Fuller Center for Housing along with Together for Hope, ZBC will be working in a town that was hit by a devastating tornado on December 10, 2021. One-third of the housing stock was decimated along with 600 businesses. If you would like more information and/or are interested in signing up to go, please see Shannon Speller. The **deadline for signing up for this trip is TODAY, Sunday, March 31.**

OUTREACH TEAM members greeting after worship are Katie and Wil Henry.
DEACONS welcoming visitors and members this morning are Craig Carnes and Gus Gillilan.

PRAYER TEAM member dedicated to prayer for our ZBC worship service, our Zebulon community, our world, and many shared prayer concerns is Lee Turner.
USHERS for this morning are Bridget Bone, Craig Carnes, Johnny Clark, Dock Jones, Paxton Lanier, and Randy Pearce.

NURSERY VOLUNTEERS are Lara Deaton, Sarah Hester, Chelsea Jones, Anna Grace Maynor, Morgan Maynor, Erin Smith, and Susan Richert.

MEMBERS TO REMEMBER:

At Home: Joyce Alford

Autumn Care: Hilda Gay

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



SANCTUARY FLOWERS

A gift has been given in honor of Waddell and Jane Mitchell by Jerry and Connie Brayboy.

A gift has been given in appreciation and thanks to all the ZBC members who provided meals by Jerry and Connie Brayboy.

COMBINED SUNDAY SCHOOL

Mark your calendars for combined adult Sunday School class in the Fellowship Hall on Sunday, April 14 at 8:45 a.m. Breakfast will be provided. Debbie Ladd will be teaching for this session.

PASSPORT KIDS NEWS

For those third through sixth graders that have signed up and paid their deposit for Passport Kids this summer, it is almost meeting and balance due time! **On Sunday afternoon, May 19 at 5:00 p.m.** all kids and at least one parent must meet in the Blue Room to discuss all things Passport Kids. A balance of \$300 is due to Shannon by this date. If you have any questions, please see Shannon.

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. Please make your reservations no later than **1:00 p.m. on Monday**. You can reserve your meals by one of the following methods:

- Contact the church office at (919) 269-7329 or email candace.heath@myzbc.org with "Wednesday Supper" in the subject line.
- Go to our website and click on Worship > Wednesdays at ZBC to fill out the online form or use the QR code below.



Pricing is \$10 per adult and \$4 per child. **Please pay for supper with Cash (PREFERRED)**. This week our Wednesday Night Supper will be prepared by Shannon Speller. The supper line opens at 5:50 p.m. and will serve until 6:20 p.m. Our menu this week will be: Baked Spaghetti, Salad, Roll, and Dessert. The supper serving team will be: Matt Bare, Joe Bone, Justin Howell, Jeff McLamb, and Bradley Morgan.

**Volunteers purchase supplies and prepare our Wednesday night meals based on the weekly reservations. The volunteers are reimbursed after individuals pay for their meal(s). We realize that sometimes schedules may unexpectedly change. Please call the church office as soon as possible if you need to cancel or change your reservation. If at all possible, if you are unable to attend in person, we ask that you pick up your meals to-go so the meals can be paid for.

*DOXOLOGY — This is the Threefold Truth

*This is the threefold truth on which our faith depends,
And with this joyful cry worship begins and ends:
Christ has died! Christ is risen! Christ will come again!*

ANTHEM — “Joy Comes in the Morning” arr. McDonald
The Sanctuary Choir

SERMON — *Don't Let Go* Rev. Ward Page
John 20:1-18
(Page 92 in New Testament Bibles)

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

***HYMN OF COMMITMENT** No. 620
“Because He Lives” — Gloria and William Gaither

PRESENTATION OF NEW MEMBERS

OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK

*BENEDICTION

***DISMISSING WITH OUR CHORUS OF HOPE** — “Standing on the Promises”
*Standing, standing, standing on the promises of God, my Savior;
Standing, standing, I'm standing on the promises of God.*

***POSTLUDE** — “Truro” Williams

*The Congregation is invited to stand as they are able.

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EASTER LILIES



The beautiful Easter lilies may be picked up after morning worship today. The lilies will be in the sanctuary **until Wednesday, April 3 for pickup after Bible study**. If you purchased a lily, please pick up your lily by that date. Copies of the Easter Lily and Courtyard gifts are in the church office.

**THE CHURCH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY,
APRIL 1, IN OBSERVANCE OF THE EASTER HOLIDAY.**

SPIRITUAL FORMATION MINISTRY

TUESDAY MORNING WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY — We welcome all ladies to join us for Bible Study on Tuesday mornings at 10:00 a.m. in room D11. We will be using Bible studies in the *Nurturing Faith* magazine (available outside the Church Office on the literature rack). All weekly Bible studies are dated using the Sunday date, and each week we will be discussing the study dated the Sunday prior to our Tuesday meeting date. In April, we are studying passages from Acts as we read the following:

“Acts to Remember”

April 2 – Acts 10:34-43 — **Good News for Everyone**

April 9 — Acts 4:32-35 — **True Community**

April 16 — Acts 3 — **Why the Surprise?**

April 23 — Acts 4:1-12 — **This Is the Way**

April 30 — Acts 8:26-40 — **What Hinders Me?**

We hope you will join us as your schedule allows for a time of Bible study, discussion, and fellowship.

SUMMER 2024 YOUTH AND JUNIORS MISSION CAMPS FUNDRAISER

The Men's 1 (Fishers of Men Sunday School Class) is hosting a Fundraiser on April 27 from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. to support the Summer 2024 Youth & Juniors Mission Camps. We will be selling Chopped BBQ Pints. Each pint is \$15, and pick-up will be in the front church parking lot. Please use the order form below to place your order or contact Justin Howell at jmhowell88@gmail.com.

Order Form Link:



ASSOCIATE PASTOR POSITION

We are now seeking an Associate Pastor gifted in project management, planning, and communication. The Associate Pastor will have a leadership role in key church ministries, such as outreach and spiritual formation, supported by teams of lay leaders. As a member of the ministry staff, the Associate Pastor will supervise our office administrators, provide Pastoral Care to our congregation, and lead worship services in collaboration with the ministry staff. You can direct interested persons to find out more about the Associate Pastor position and Zebulon Baptist Church by visiting myzbc.org. The deadline for receiving resumes is **TODAY, March 31**. Questions can be directed to personnel@myzbc.org, Trisha Jones (Administrative Deacons Personnel Chair) or Joy Davis (Administrative Deacons, Lead Deacon for Associate Pastor position).



YOUTH NEWS

YOUTH JOURNEYS — Journeys is back this week from 7:30-8:30 p.m. in the Blue Room. Come for fun, fellowship, and a Spring Games Night.

LFW SPRING RETREAT — The ZBCY will be enjoying a spring retreat (Living Faith Weekend) to Banner Elk, NC to the Old Greer House. We will leave Friday, April 19 (after school) and return Sunday, April 21. The cost of the trip will be \$170. **Please turn in money to Lauren or the church office.**

PASSPORT 2024 — Passport is slowly getting closer, and we are getting excited! For those that signed up for Passport (July 7-12, 2024), final **payment of \$350 is due on Sunday, May 19**. We will also have a parents meeting in the Blue Room on Sunday, May 19, at 5:45 p.m. for all parents and youth attending Passport. We will go over important information, packing lists, and all the fun Passport activities to go along with this summer's theme. See Lauren with any questions.

CHRISMON WORKSHOP

There will be another Chrismon Workshop for those interested in learning or continuing to make Chrismons for our Advent season. The workshop will be held on Wednesday, April 3 from 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon in the Fellowship Hall.



VBS 2024

June 24-28, 2024



Come join us this summer June 24-28, 2024 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon for VBS. Classes will be available for rising Kindergarteners to rising Eighth graders. Each day, campers will see Counselor Sam, a new camp counselor, face new challenges. With the help of Lu the Lightning Bug and the Camp Counselor Guidebook, Counselor Sam and our campers explore timeless Bible stories from both the Old and New Testament. These Bible stories will show how to put trust in God in the face of one's own fears and how to do great things in God's name. Volunteers are needed to help make VBS successful. Please email Shannon Speller, Shannon.speller@myzbc.org, or Elizabeth Robertson, erobertson6207@aol.com, if you would like to volunteer.

If you have volunteered for VBS, please plan to meet on Wednesday, May 15, 2024 in the Fellowship Hall at 6:30 p.m. to receive your VBS binder. Please mark your calendars for June 2, 2024 in the Blue Room for craft day. Craft day will commence right after worship with pizza for all volunteers and will last for as long as needed. Please bring all ideas!

“Whenever I'm afraid, I put my trust in you.” (Psalm 56:3)