

Reaching Pastor Randy or Wife, Cathy
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Events / News / Announcements

May

- 08 - Choir Practice 5:30pm, Bible Study 6:30pm
- 11 - Prayer Breakfast 8:30am, MMM & MWM meeting 9:30am
- 12 - Mother's Day
- 13 - Deacon meeting 6pm
- 15 - Choir Practice 5:30pm, Bible Study 6:30pm
- 19 - Gods Table, Rowan Helping Ministries
- 21 - Session Meeting @ 6pm
- 22 - Choir Practice 5:30pm, Bible Study 6:30pm
- 27 - Mission Team meeting @ 6pm

June

- 01 - Yard Sale @ church
- 15 - VBS
- 16 - Father's Day

RHM - Please remember to help as you are able with donations to Rowan Helping Ministries and One Church One Child. Non-perishable donations should be in cans, boxes or plastic containers...no glass please

One Church One Child's list of needs are on the bulletin board downstairs. For more info please see Susan Triplett.

2024 Annual Budget \$164,065.00
General Tithes/Offerings Last week \$3,105.00 YTD \$64,910.38

Welcome to Maupin Avenue Presbyterian Church **maupin.church**

We are delighted you came to join us in worship this morning. We are happy to have you as our guest and hope you experience God's love and joy in a meaningful way as we worship together.

Please accept our sincere invitation to return. SS 9:45am, Worship 11am

You May Reach Us At

100 Maupin Avenue, Salisbury, NC 28144

Office: 704-762-1298

Organized February 21, 1926

Maupin Avenue Presbyterian Church

ASSOCIATE REFORMED
100 Maupin Avenue
Salisbury, North Carolina



Sunday Schedule

**Sunday School 9:45 am
Worship Service 11:00 am.**

ENTER TO WORSHIP

SENT FORTH TO SERVE

**The Sixth Sunday of Easter
May 05, 2024**

Welcome/Announcements/Prayer Requests Pastor Randy Foster

Call to Worship

Psalm 98:1-4

Sing to the LORD a new song, for he has done marvelous things; His right hand and his holy arm have worked salvation for him. The LORD has made his salvation known and revealed his righteousness to the nations. He has remembered his love and his faithfulness to the house of Israel; all the ends of the earth have seen the salvation of our God. Shout for joy to the LORD, all the earth, burst into jubilant song with music.

+Opening Hymn "All the Way My Savior Leads Me" No. 605

+Confessional Prayer

Father in heaven, you have brought your kingdom into the world through Jesus. Your kingdom has begun to spread its healing reign into our lives and into our world. We have begun to taste of your goodness. Yet there is much that remains broken in our lives and in our world. You have told us to live in the hope of your kingdom continuing its spread. Yet we have often lost hope. We have given up the fight in many ways. We have often settled for the mediocre kingdoms of this world: power, image, fame, money, pleasure. Forgive us and renew us. Teach us to wait in hope. Teach us to live in hope. Teach us to work in hope. Bring your kingdom. We need it and our world needs it in Jesus name we pray. Amen

***Assurance of Pardon**

Psalm 103:1-5

Praise the LORD, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the LORD, my soul, and forget not all his benefits who forgives all our sins and who redeems our lives from the pit and crowns us with love and compassion, who satisfies our desires with good things so that our youth is renewed like the eagle's. **Thanks be to God.**

Passing the Peace of Christ

Children's Presentation

Worshiping The Lord With His Tithes And Our Offerings

***Doxology** *"Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above all heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost."*

***Prayer of Dedication**

+Please Stand

**Scripture Reading
Sermon**

Galatians 5:22-23
"The Fruit of the Spirit of Christ: Love?"

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Hymn

"Faith of Our Fathers" No. 570 vv. 1,2

Words Of Institution

Responsive Reading

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Together through the timelessness of the Holy Spirit we proclaim the mystery of the faith:

People: Christ in your dying, you destroyed our death;

Minister: In your rising you restored life.

People: And one day soon you will come again in glory.

Minister: Christ, our Passover, is sacrificed for us.

People: Therefore, let us keep the feast.

Prayer of Blessing/Lord's Prayer

Merciful God, pour out your Holy Spirit on these gifts of bread and wine, that in eating and drinking we may be made one with Christ and one another. That the sharing of the bread that we break and the cup that we bless may be for us the communion of the body and blood of Christ. Grant that, being joined together in him, we may attain to the unity of the faith and grow up in all things into Christ, our Lord. And as this grain has been gathered from many fields into one loaf, and these grapes from many hills into one cup, grant, O Lord, that your whole church may soon be gathered from the ends of the earth into your kingdom fully come. Even so, come, Lord Jesus Who taught us to pray:

The Giving and Receiving of the Elements

Prayer of Dedication

Hymn

"Faith of Our Fathers" No. 570 vv. 3,4

Benediction

"This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you."

John 15:12

*Children under 6 years may go to the Children's Nursery. After Children's Moment, children K-5th grade may go downstairs for Children's Church. *this refers to the realm of the dead, not the place of punishment. ** "catholic" means "universal" church, the true church in all times and places.*

Today's Scripture

Galatians 5:22-23

But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.