

Reaching Pastor Randy or Wife, Cathy
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*Please submit bulletin news or prayer requests to Ruth's email or call/text:
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Events / News / Announcements

July

No Bible Study in July.

15 - Deacons meeting @ 6pm (note date change)

16 - Session meeting @ 6pm

17 - Centennial team meeting @ 7pm.

20 - Workshop with Gideons for info on ways to share our faith with others.

All are welcome and encouraged to attend. 9am - Noon. Sign up sheets in narthex and fellowship. See newsletter for more detail and check with Mitch Lesslie if you have questions.

29 - Mission Team Meeting @ 6pm.

31 - Choir practice @ 5:30pm

Aug

07 & 14 - Bible Study @ 6:00pm.

24 - Womens' Seminar, 9am - 1pm, topic 'Rest For Our Soul'. Sign up sheets are in the narthex and in the fellowship hall.

The funeral of Betty Sunding will be at 12 Noon at Summersett Funeral Home. Visitation will be from 10:30am till 11:45am.

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 Triplet.

2024 Annual Budget \$164,065.00
General Tithes/Offerings Last week \$5,592.67 YTD \$105,195.06

*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

Our Lord's Day
July 14, 2024

Welcome/Announcements/Prayer Requests Pastor Randy Foster

Invocation

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts be open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Responsive Welcome and Call To Worship Psalm 103:1-5

Bless the Lord, O my soul, and all that is within me, bless his holy name!

All: Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases, who redeems your life from the pit, who crowns you with steadfast love and mercy, who satisfies you with good so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's.

***Hymn of Praise** "I Am So Glad " No.191

***Call to Confession**

In the power of Jesus name we come with confession to him who took our sin away. How great a kindness our God has shown, we were strangers but now his own. Let us in confession and repentance come and receive as he welcomes us with His grace.

***Prayer of Confession**

Heavenly Father, we confess we dishonor you by our words, thoughts and deeds. Depending on our own strength we stumble; proclaiming our own goodness we sin; glorying in our own righteousness we corrupt everything we touch. We turn from you, and desire lasting satisfaction from the things of this world. We pray now, forgive us our many sins, cleanse the darkness from our lives, turn our faces toward you. In the name of your most precious son, Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen

***Assurance of Pardon** Psalm 130:3-4

If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? But with you there is forgiveness, that you may be feared.
Thanks be to God.

***Professing Our Faith Together**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell*; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church**; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

***Hymn of Reflection** "Man of Sorrows" Hymn No. 246

***Passing the Peace of Christ**

Children's Presentation Jill Peterson

Scripture Reading Eph. 2:8-10; 2Gal. 5:22-23

Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer

WORSHIPPING THE LORD WITH HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory Gale Spry

***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**

Sermon "Demonstrating the Goodness of Christ"

***Hymn of Response** "Wonderful Words of Life" No. 697

***Benediction**

***Please Stand**



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

Ephesians 2:8-10

**For it is by grace you
have been
saved, through faith -
and this is not from
yourselves, it is the gift
of God - not by
works, so that no one
can boast. For we are
God's handi-
work, created in Christ
Jesus to do good
works, which God
prepared in advance for
us to do.**

Gal. 5:22-23

**But the fruit of the Spirit
is love,
joy, peace, forbearance,
kindness,
goodness, faithful-
ness, gentleness
and self-control.**

**Against such things there
is no law.**