

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

Sept.

23 - Bell Choir practice 5:30 - 6:30pm

25 - Choir practice @ 5:30pm, Bible Study @ 6:30pm.

30 - Bell Choir practice 5:30 - 6:30pm

30 - Mission Team meeting @ 6pm

Oct. - Pastor Appreciation Month (Basket for cards will be in narthex)

02 - Choir practice @ 5:30pm, Bible Study @ 6:30pm.

06 - Samaritan Purse Christmas Shoebox Kickoff.

07 - Bell Choir practice 5:30 - 6:30pm

07 - OCOC Banquet @6pm, Salisbury Seventh Day Adventist Church, 303 Rudolph Rd. Register to go w/ Susan T. by 9/30.

08 - Deacons meeting @ 6pm.

09 - Choir practice @ 5:30pm, Bible Study @ 6:30pm.

12 - Prayer breakfast @ 8:30am, MMM & MWM meeting @ 9:30am
James Dodson of Watchmen Radio Ministries as speaker.

13 - Communion

14 - Bell Choir practice 5:30 - 6:30pm

15 - Session meeting @ 6pm.

16 - Choir practice @ 5:30pm, Bible Study @ 6:30pm.

23 - Bryan & Vickie will speak at 7pm about their work in Asia and dinner will be served prior at 6pm in the fellowship hall.

27 - Pastor Appreciation Sunday

28 - Bell Choir practice 5:30 - 6:30pm.

28 - Mission Team Meeting @ 6pm.

30 - Choir practice @ 5:30pm, Bible Study @ 6:30pm.

31 - Trunk or Treat in church parking lot, 5:00pm. Candy donations would be appreciated. Please put them in the kitchen if you can help.

2024 Annual Budget

\$164,065.00

General Tithes/Offerings

Last week \$2,006.00

YTD \$135,100.98

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

**Mission Sunday
September 22, 2024**

Welcome/Announcements/Prayer Requests Pastor Randy Foster

Responsive Call to Worship from Isaiah 6

And one called to another, "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory!"

And I said: "Woe is me! For I am lost; for I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips; for my eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts!"

Then one of the seraphim flew to me, having in his hand a burning coal that he had taken with tongs from the altar. And he touched my mouth and said:

"Behold, this has touched your lips; your guilt is taken away, and your sin atoned for."

And I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send, and who will go for us?"

Then I said, "Here I am! Send me Lord."

***Hymn Of Adoration** "To God Be the Glory" No. 55

***Call to Confession**

Come and see the cross where love and mercy meet, where the Son of God is stricken for our sins. Come and bow at the mercy seat receiving forgiveness as we confess together.

***Prayer of Confession**

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Father we come here this morning in need of your grace.

All week, a war has been raging in our hearts.

We have looked to people, situations, and experiences to give us security, identity, and hope.

We have sought these things by looking around us when they only can be found by the lifting of our heads.

Forgive us and awaken us to the only glory that satisfies, the glory of our Lord who according to his great mercy has caused us to be born again to a living hope through his resurrection from the dead, in whose name we pray. Amen.

***Assurance of Pardon** Philippians 4:6-7

Be anxious for nothing, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all comprehension, shall guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

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.**

Anthem

"I Will Rise"

Choir

***Passing the Peace of Christ**

Children's' Presentation

Jill Peterson

New Testament Reading

Acts 1:6-11

Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer

WORSHIPPING THE LORD WITH HIS TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

Offertory

Jill Peterson

***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**

Scripture Text

2 Thes. 1:11-12

Sermon

"What Is Your Glory Story"

Rev. Ken Lotze

***Hymn of Response**

"Lead On O King Eternal"

No. 580

***Benediction**

It is a delight to have Ken Lotze of World Witness come and share with us the foreign mission work of our denomination.

+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

Acts 1:6-11

So when they had come together, they asked him, “Lord, will you at this time restore the kingdom to Israel?” He said to them, “It is not for you to know times or seasons that the Father has fixed by his own authority. But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you, and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the earth.” And when he had said these things, as they were looking on, he was lifted up, and a cloud took him out of their sight. And while they were gazing into heaven as he went, behold, two men stood by them in white robes, and said, “Men of Galilee, why do you stand looking into heaven? This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven.”

2 Thes. 1:11-12

“To this end we always pray for you, that our God may make you worthy of his calling and may fulfill every resolve for good and every work of faith by his power, so that the name of our Lord Jesus may be glorified in you, and you in him, according to the grace of our God and the Lord Jesus Christ.”

Mission Sunday, September 22, 2024

Matthew 28:19

*Go therefore and make disciples of all nations,
baptizing them in the name of the Father and
of the Son and of the Holy Spirit,*



'Our purpose is to plant healthy, reproducing God-glorifying churches, which are winsomely Reformed in doctrine and Presbyterian in structure, in defined communities across geographic and cultural boundaries.

World Witness realizes this purpose by sending and supporting missionaries and by mobilizing ARP churches to do so. Our missionaries proclaim Jesus Christ as the only Savior and Lord through evangelism, discipleship, church planting, Christian education and works of compassion.'

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