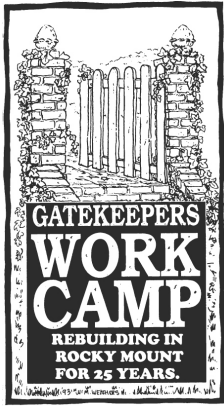




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GATEKEEPERS WORKCAMP 25th YEAR

The twenty-fifth year of Gatekeepers Workcamp is underway with youth and adults transforming the homes of our neighbors in the community. We invite you to pray for our volunteers and homeowners and consider ways you might work in our community in your own acts of ministry. If you would like to share the devotional thoughts that guide each day of Workcamp as a response to Christ's call, you will find them posted on the missions page of our website at www.lakesidechurchrmt.org. A complete list of Lakeside's volunteers, along with local business sponsors and participating churches will appear in next week's edition of *The Link*.

Nehemiah 2:18, 4:6

Be sure to join us on Sunday, July 17, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. on Lakeside's front lawn as we celebrate 25 years of ministry through Gatekeepers!

THE TARHEEL TRAVELER IS COMING TO GATEKEEPERS!

Gatekeepers Workcamp will be featured on The Tarheel Traveler on Thursday, July 14 at 5:55 p.m. on the WRAL-TV news. Tune in to see our volunteers at work and hear from some of our homeowners. Please help us spread the good news!

SUMMER WORSHIP SERVICES

Join fellow Christians from throughout the city for our 10th Annual Summer Community Worship Services! Each week we will worship in a different church and hear local pastors speak on the theme of "Being God's Peace." All worship services begin at 6:00 p.m. and will include the celebration of communion and an offering to benefit Communities in Schools. The worship schedule is as follows:



July 17: Mount Pisgah Presbyterian Church, 614 Goldleaf Street

Preacher: Rev. Dr. Barry Drum, Chaplain, North Carolina Wesleyan College

July 24: First United Methodist Church, 100 South Church Street

Preacher: Evangelist Cheryl Downing, Heart Connection Ministries

July 31: St. Mark AME Church, 1150 Tarboro Street

Preacher: Rev. Mary Harris Todd, Pastor, Morton Memorial Presbyterian Church

August 7: Church on the Rise, 3520 Bishop Road

Preacher: Rev. Richard Joyner, Conetoe Chapel Missionary Baptist Church

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS

Please remember the following persons who need our prayers and support:

Nash General Hospital, 2460 Curtis Ellis Drive (04)

Dozia Collins, CCU 109

Jerry Jolley, Heart Center CCU 1

At Home:

Ed Astin, 121 Candlewood Road (04)

Lee Broughton, 516 Pelican Drive East, Pine Knoll Shores, NC 28512

Anne Chappell, 1129 Strawbush Road (04)

Taylor Clark, 6163 Williams Court, (03)

Nelson Cooper (former member), 2309 Vicky Lane, Greenville, NC 27858

Janet Corbett, 3645 Elwell Ferry Rd, Kelly, NC 28448

Natalie Stewart Cortez, 6410 Lakewood Blvd., Dallas, Texas 75214

Hank Dunham, 1109 Meadow Drive, Townville, SC 29689

Bert Godwin, 1505 West Haven Boulevard (03)

Charles Godwin, Jr., 123 Fort Sumter Drive, Greenville, NC 27858

Connie Griffin, 301 Foxhall Drive (04)

Brenda & John Hartness, 1130 N. Jamestown Rd.. #206, Decatur, GA 30033

Harry Howell, 3416 Greenbriar Drive (04)

Anne Morgan (Jane Snow's sister), 213 Cobblestone Court (04)

Harlon Mosley, 421 Charlotte Avenue (04)

Lorene Murchison, Rocky Mount Rehabilitation, 160 South Winstead Ave (04)

Pat and Jack Newton, 111 Cole Drive, Hampstead NC 28443

Cody Richardson, 1518 Fountain Branch Road (03)

Vena Scott, 828 Short Spoon Circle (04)

June Shearin, 110 Newby Court (04)

Cornelia Singletary, 15 Weatherstone Drive (04)

Jean St. Clair, 729 Drexel Road (03)

Erin Varner, 3108 Royal Pine Drive, Sanford, North Carolina 27330

Andy Wiggs (Jim Wiggs' son), 523 Ward Street, Graham, NC 27253

Scotty Winstead (Stancil Barnes' cousin)

Our Members-at-Home

Grace Beasley (Edna Corn's mother), Brookdale of RM, 650 Goldrock Rd (04)

Nancy Henry, Fountains at the Albemarle, 200 Trade St., Tarboro, NC 27886

Don Scalf, Universal Health Care, 1022 Eastern Ave, Nashville, NC 27856, 201

We would like to thank the Lakeside family for their prayers, calls, cards, and other kind expressions over the loss of Sheila's brother, John Douglas Powell, Jr. We love you and cherish your friendship.

Sheila and Jim Martin

ICE CREAM SOCIAL FOR NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Lakeside will host a National Night Out event on Tuesday evening, August 2, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. We will serve homemade ice cream with favorite sundae toppings and assorted desserts. We will enjoy music together on Lakeside's lawn and have another opportunity to meet and visit with our neighbors.

Please contact the church office to register for National Night Out so we will know how many freezers of ice cream we will need. You can also sign up to bring a dessert or sundae topping. If you can make a churn of ice cream, please contact Deborah Wright (908-5391 or deborahwright@embarqmail.com). Plan to join us for a fun Night Out in the City Lake Neighborhood.

YOUTH NEWS

I hope everyone can join us for the 25th Anniversary Celebration for Gatekeepers Workcamp on Sunday, July 17, from 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. Help us to spread the word among all our former volunteers and homeowners. All who are available are encouraged to help with Workcamp clean-up on Wednesday, July 10 at 10:00 a.m. in the Lecture Room. Pilgrimage participants who could not attend the earlier orientation session will meet on Tuesday, July 19, at 7:00 p.m. in the Conference Room. I look forward to seeing you all on Sunday. Elizabeth

MUSIC NOTES

ALL-ABOARD! to catch a ride on the Singing Express! This Peace Train is bound for glory! NOTEBUSTERS 2016 will meet August 10, 11, and 12 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. The children will learn train songs, go for train rides, and perform a FLASHMOB at our beautiful, historic Rocky Mount train station. All children in our community in grades 1- 6 are welcome. Check your mail for information and call the church office to sign up. Bring a friend. CHOO-CHOO!!

The Lakeside Chancel Choir has been invited to be part of an ecumenical choir for the summer community worship service at First United Methodist Church on Sunday, July 24, at 6:00 p.m. Rehearsal will begin at 4:45 p.m. at First Methodist (100 S. Church St.) Hope to see you all there as we join voices to celebrate our unity and explore ways we can be the peace of God in our community. Amy

LAKESIDE LADIES' BOOK CLUB

Our book club will meet on Tuesday, August 9, at 7:00 p.m. at the home of Jackie Allsbrook (113 Old Colony Way). Patty Farber-Schirman will facilitate a discussion on *A Soft Place to Land* by Susan Rebecca White. Debra Kincheloe will guide our conversation about *The Great Gatsby* when we meet in September.

SUNDAY AT LAKESIDE

Deacon Greeters - David Browder and Jim Henderson
 Ushers - Group I, Grady Pittman, Captain
 Crucifer - Jacob Watkins; Acolyte - Dalton Jordan
 Nursery - Brandy Adkins; Extended Session - Gwen Davis
 Audio Booth Volunteer - Wayne Cotton

LAKESIDE'S MISSIONS AND MINISTRY PLAN

2016 Missions and Ministry Budget: \$651,111

	Week	YTD
Anticipated Giving	\$12,521	\$350,598
Receipts July 10	\$12,401	\$291,797
Variance	-\$120	-\$58,801

*Remember to support our congregation throughout the summer!
 Our ministries never take a vacation!*

LAKESIDE AT WORSHIP

July 17, 2016

The Ninth Sunday After Pentecost

Rev. Elizabeth Edwards, preaching

Old Testament Lesson: Nehemiah 2:18, 4:6

Epistle Lesson: Philippians 1:1-11

Sermon: "Standing at the Gate"

Adult Choir Anthems:

"O Christ, The Healer We Have Come" - Gieseke

"I Will Lift Mine Eyes to the Hills" - Childs

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CHURCH STAFF

Jody Wright Senior Minister	Elizabeth Edwards Associate Minister	Amy Shortt Minister of Music
Linda Davis Administrative Assistant	Liz Broomell Secretarial Assistant	Mark Pichowicz Organist
Susan Skinner Senior Adult Director	Napoleon Taylor Custodian	Samantha Salz Preschool Director

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LAKESIDE CALENDAR

Thursday, July 14

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor
 12:00 p.m. Bites and Books, Robbins Hall

Sunday, July 17

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
 10:00 a.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal
 10:30 a.m. Coffee and Fellowship, Education Building Foyer
 11:00 a.m. Worship
 12:15 p.m. Diaconate, Conference Room
 3:00 p.m. Gatekeepers Workcamp 25th Anniversary Celebration
 6:00 p.m. Community Worship, Mount Pisgah Presbyterian, 614 Goldleaf St.

Tuesday, July 19

7:00 p.m. Pilgrimage Meeting, Conference Room

Wednesday, July 20

10:00 a.m. Workcamp Clean-up

Thursday, July 21

12:00 p.m. Meditation Group, Parlor
 12:00 p.m. Bites and Books, Robbins Hall

LAKESIDE PRESCHOOL SUMMER CAMPS

Lakeside Preschool will hold one more summer camp this year: "A Camping We will Go" is set for August 1-4. Camp is for ages 3(+) and is from 9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. and is \$125 per child. For more information, please email Samantha Salz at samanthasalz@yahoo.com or call (919) 523-4717.