

Ways to give at Mallard Creek



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Don't forget  
**PRE-REGISTER  
PLEASE**



**February 1, 2025**

**CHURCHWIDE  
VOLUNTEER DAY**  
January 25, 2025  
9-11am  
Nourish Up Warehouse  
901 Carrier Drive, Charlotte  
*Sign Up Sheets will be in the Gathering Space SOON!*

The annual meeting of MCPC Inc. is called for 10:15 am on **Sunday, Jan. 19, 2025** in the sanctuary. The items of business will be:

- receive a 2024 annual report from the Session
- receive a 2024 financial report
- receive the budget for 2025
- elect four members for the 2025 nominating committee (nominees are Nina Brown, Joe Crapster, Perry Deaton, and Linda Wallace)
- to change the terms of call for Pastor Watkins

**PRAYER  
QUILTING  
MINISTRY**  
TUESDAY, JANUARY 14  
9:30AM  
DINING HALL  
NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY!  
CONTACT:  
SUE OEHLER @ 704-564-1555

2024-2025 Dates

- 12/05 & 12/19
- 1/02, 1/16, 1/30
- 2/13 & 2/27
- 3/13 & 3/27



We especially need help for the following roles:

- **Laundry (Thurs 5-8pm)**-gather dirty clothes from guests and wash/dry them.
- **Innkeeper (Overnight Thurs)**-stay overnight & help if needed
- **Breakfast (Fri 4:30-5:30am)**-wake up guests & serve breakfast

**93RD BBQ  
UPDATE**

**Thank YOU all!**  
We could not make this happen without you  
Total BBQ Proceeds \$102,601.60  
\$25,650.40 - NC Mountain Hurricane Relief  
\$76,951.20 - MCPC Building Fund

**Bonappeteens**  
Sunday, January 12 @ 9 am

Where: MCPC Dining Hall  
Time : 9am – 9:30 am  
What : Teens are cooking breakfast  
Why: Monthly fundraiser for Teen Fellowship program at MCPC – donations may be made with cash or check  
Mark your calendars for some good eating the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month

**Backpack Blessings 2025**

• BB is back in full swing, filling backpacks every week. Please check out our Amazon Wish List or leave your donations in the Gathering Space. We have more hungry children than ever before.

**We appreciate you!**  
Thank you for helping to feed hungry children



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The Lord's Day, January 12, 2025  
Ordination and Installation of Officers



# A Service of Worship

PRELUDE There's Something About That Name Bill Gaither

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Rob Watkins

MINUTE FOR MISSION

CALL TO WORSHIP Rev. Hunter Roddey

Leader The Spirit of the Lord is calling us into service.  
**People We follow the call of God to serve as we have been served.**  
 Leader God walks among us, giving us work to do.  
**People God chooses the servants of the Lord.**  
 Leader We praise the Lord for calling us into the work of Jesus Christ.

†HYMN # 292 God of Grace and God of Glory

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**O Lord**  
**Have mercy on us. We turn a deaf ear to your voice, afraid you are going to ask us to do something we do not want to do. We are afraid you will direct us to be with someone with whom we do not wish to be. In short, we confess how fearful we are of your call. Have mercy on us and forgive our foolishness. Break open our hard hearts and destroy our stubborn wills. We offer ourselves to you to be used as you use us. Hear our prayers made through the name of the Lord Jesus. Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING OF THE PEACE

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

OFFERING It Is Well With My Soul Spafford/Bliss

†DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE LESSON Acts 8:14-17

SERMON The Laying on of Hands Rev. Rob Watkins

†AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

**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 sitteth 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**

MUSICAL MEDITATION O Jesus I Have Promised Mann/Bode  
*Jim and Karen Koerth*

THE SERVICE OF ORDINATION AND INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Introduction  
 Constitutional Questions for the Officers  
 Constitutional Questions for the Congregation  
 The Laying on of Hands  
 Prayer  
 Welcome Into Service

†HYMN # 448 A Charge to Keep I Have

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE When We All Get to Heaven Emily Wilson

†All who are able are invited to stand

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## CHURCH STAFF

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**Ms. Amanda Booth**  
 Financial Manager

**Mr. David Barnaba**  
 Director of Music

**Mrs. Kristy Maddux**  
 Preschool Director

**Terri Smith**  
 Office Administrator

## Sunday School Classes & Locations

Age 0-2 – Nursery  
 Age 3-5 – Preschool room  
 K-4th grade – Youth Club room  
 7th-12th grade – Teen room  
 Younger Adults – Garrison Martin room  
 Older Adults – Morrison room  
 Confirmation Class– Upstairs, Education Building

## This week at Mallard Creek

### Sunday, January 12

8:30 am Worship Service in the Chapel  
 9:00am Bonappeteens  
 9:30 am Sunday School  
 10:30 am Worship Service in Sanctuary  
 3:00 pm Youth Group  
 4:00 pm Teen Fellowship  
 6:30 pm Bible Study via Zoom

### Monday, January 13

6:30 pm Cub Scouts (*Garrison-Martin*)

### Tuesday, January 14

9:30 am Prayer Quilt Ministry  
 5:30 pm Girl Scouts  
 6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 148  
 7:00 pm Deacons Meeting via Zoom

### Wednesday, January 15

8:30-2pm Preschool (Dining Hall)  
 5:30 pm Room In The Inn Setup  
 6:00 pm Bell Choir Rehearsal  
 6:00 pm Bible Study  
 7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal  
 7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 248

### Thursday, January 16

4:30 pm Room In The Inn  
 6:30 pm BSA Crew 148  
 6:30 pm Finance Committee Mtg (*Parlor*)

### Friday, January 10

Please sign the attendance book with all the names of your family that are attending church today.

**Thank you**

## OFFICERS ON DUTY

### ELDERS:

Connie Wallace, Keri Wass, James Killian

### DEACONS:

Leigh Johnson, Charlotte McConnell,  
 Phil Ashley, Rima Frika,  
 Leigh McConnell

## A Note For Parents With Small Children:

Jesus said, "Let the little children come to me." We celebrate these words as we welcome ALL ages in worship with us. Our desire is to help you make the most of this worship experience.

Here are a few reminders:

1. There are Children's Worship Bags and Bibles available in the back of the church.
2. There is a cry room in the Gathering Space, if you need to take a quick "time out" during the service.
3. There is a nursery for infants through age 4 downstairs from 9:30 am. Please let a Deacon know if you have any questions.

## PRAYER LIST



Crystal McLaughlin Abernathy	Brenda Garrison	Judy Monjeau -Sheila Leticia's mother
JW and Vivian Avant	Jane Geracimos	Donnie Oehler
Tom Baker	Ben Hatton	Lee Ann Oehler
Linda Benfield	Sara Haynes	Tommy Oehler
Sue Bishop	Jean Helms	Jenny Parker
Jackie Brand	Shirley Hunter	Judith Rankin
Ann Brown	Eric Johnson	Donna Seaford
Ken and Suggie Christenbury	Phyllis Jones	Lois Spradley
David Clemmer	Lynn Kelley	Earl Thomas
Bill Cochran	Betsy Killian	Juanita Untz
Guy Eberhart	Roy Kinnamon	Myrtle Wall
Alan Garrison	Stephen Lisi, Jr. (deployed)	Caroline Williams
	Steve Misenheimer	