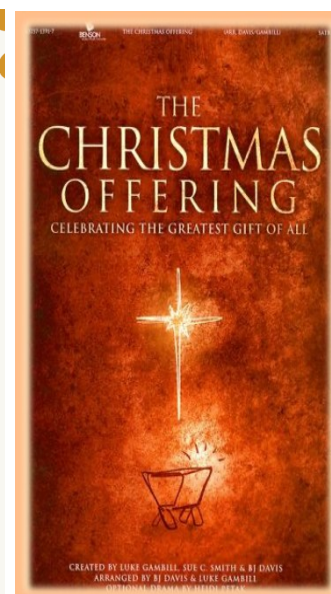




Thanksgiving
POTLUCK LUNCHEON
TODAY!!! • 11:30 AM • DINING HALL

PLEASE JOIN US AFTER
THE SERVICE FOR OUR
ANNUAL THANKSGIVING
CHURCH POTLUCK!

EVERYONE IS WELCOME!!!



Join the choir and orchestra of
Mallard Creek Presbyterian Church
as we celebrate

“The Christmas Offering”

Sunday December 14th
during the 10:30 Worship Service




FOOD DRIVE

As food security is at risk for so many local families, we are collecting non-perishable food items to help feed our neighbors, and assist them with additional items like pet food, paper towels, toilet paper, diapers, and baby formula. There are bins in the Gathering Space, or you can drop off your donations in the office any time. We are partnering with Cooperative Christian Ministry in Concord. Please reach out to Shawnee Wakeman, or call the church office with any questions.

INNKEEPERS are needed!

Innkeepers spend the night with our guests, and ideally we hope for one male, and one female. Sign up sheets are available in the Chapel and the Gathering Space.



Children’s Christmas Musical
Sunday December 7th
9:30 AM in the
Sanctuary



**1600 West Mallard Creek Church Rd.
Charlotte, North Carolina 28262**

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The Lord’s Day, November 23, 2025
10:30 Service



A Service of Worship

PRELUDE Lead me, Lord Samuel Wesley

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHORAL INTROIT Enter His Gates With Thanksgiving Whitney Myers

†CALL TO WORSHIP
Leader Offer thanks to God, for God is good and grace abounds.
People Now thank we all our God with hearts and minds and voices.
Leader Thank the Lord, praise God’s holy name.
People Praise the Lord! Glory be to God!

†PRAYER OF INVOCATION

†HYMN We Are Called David Haas

CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION
Lord,
Have mercy on us. We have strayed like lost sheep. We have done wrong, hurting ourselves and others. We have remained idle when we could have offered help, hope, and healing to someone else. Forgive our sins, Lord Jesus. Wash away our guilt. Renew our spirits so we might serve you well this day and each day we have. Hear our prayers, O Lord. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING OF THE PEACE

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN Georgie Deaton

OFFERING Your Name Paul Baloché

†DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE LESSON Psalm 46

SERMON A Very Present Help 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 Give Thanks Henry Smith
MCPC Worship Team

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD’S PRAYER

HYMN # 97 All Hail the Power of Jesus’ Name

BENEDICTION

CHORAL BENEDICTION Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus Lemmel/Myers

POSTLUDE Hosanna, Loud Hosanna Barbara Boertje

†All who are able are invited to stand

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Preschool Director

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Office Administrator
Office Hours are M-Th 8:30-4:30

Sunday School Classes & Locations

Age 0-4 – Nursery
K-4th grade – Youth Club room
7th-12th grade – Teen room
Younger Adults – Garrison Martin room
Older Adults – Morrison room
Confirmation Class– Upstairs, Activity Bldg

This week at Mallard Creek

Sunday, November 22

8:30 am Worship Service in Chapel
9:00 am Coffee Fellowship (Dining Hall)
9:30 am Sunday School
10:30am Worship Service in Sanctuary
11:30 am Thanksgiving Luncheon (Gym)
6:30 pm Bible Study (via Zoom)

Monday, November 24

6:30 pm PW Council Meeting (Parlor)

Tuesday, November 25

5:30 pm Girl Scout Troop 285 (Dining Hall)
6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 148(Comm. House)
6:30 pm Session Meeting (Garrison-Martin)

Wednesday, November 26

6:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 248 (Dining Hall)

Thursday, November 27

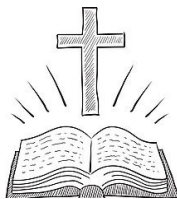
Thanksgiving -Church Office Closed
10:00 am Brown Family Event (Dining Hall)

Friday, November 28

Church Office Closed

Saturday, November 29

11:00 am Goss Family Event (Dining Hall)



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

Thank you!

OFFICERS ON DUTY

ELDERS:

Becky Wood, Tommy Mitchell

DEACONS:

Leigh Johnson, Charlotte McConnell,
Karen Kosmoski, Rima Frika,
Lee 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

Avonda Albright
Clyde and Linda Benfield
Jessica Booth
Ralph Brand
Ann & Jimmy Brown
Bobby Brown
Nancy Busch
Bill Cochran
Sheila DeArmon
Guy Eberhart
Rima Frika
Eliza Furr (friend of Linda Preslar)
Brenda Garrison

Ben Hatton
Jean Helms
Barry Hinson
Janet Hunter
Shirley Hunter
Phyllis Jones
Debra Johnson
Betsy Killian
Lana Lamkin (friend of Doris DeArmon)
Sheila Letica
Elaine Lord
Cecil Massey
Dennis McCrary & Family

Beth McLamb (Joe Crapster’s Cousin)
Bobbie Misenheimer
Donnie Oehler
Tommy Oehler
Jenny Parker
Ginger Penninger
Eddy Pitsenbarger (friend of the Whitmires)
Bryan Pouliot (friend of the Alexanders’)
Donna Seaford
Lois Spradley’s daughter in law Diana
Earl Thomas
Lois Treadway
Dave York (Nancy Busch’s Brother-In-Law)