

## **Nourish Up Volunteer Day**

Come help us pack boxes of groceries to deliver to our neighbors in need next Saturday, August 16 from 9-11am. Sign up in the Gathering Space, speak to a Deacon, or call the Church Office to join us.

Nourish Up Warehouse 901 Carrier Drive, Charlotte

# Newcomers Luncheon August 17 at 11:30

- If you've joined Mallard Creek in the past year
- Have visited and are interested in the church
- Or if you'd just like to meet some new people and learn more about MCPC...

this is for you -come have lunch with us!

RSVP: to Lee McConnell 704-547-0038 leemcconnell73@icloud.com

# **Presbyterian Women**

#### **Annual Kickoff Luncheon**

August 24 @ 11:30 in the Dining Hall

All women of the church are invited to attend. We'll be serving a delicious lunch and hearing a wonderful speaker from one of our mission partners. Please call the church office if you have any questions.

#### **Presbyterian Women Circles**

We have 2 Circles—one that meets on Monday evenings, and one on Tuesday mornings once a month. If you're considering being a part of one of these groups, please call the church office for more information.

YOU DON'T
ALWAYS NEED A PLAN.
SOMETIMES YOU
JUST NEED TO BREATHE,
HAVE FAITH,
AND TRUST IN GOD

# Welcome Newcomers! We are glad you're here.

We would love to follow up to answer any questions you might have about the programs and ministries of Mallard Creek Presbyterian Church. Thanks for visiting!



Visit the Welcome Table in the Gathering Space or scan the code above to provide your contact information and communication preferences.



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

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The Lord's Day, July 27 2025 10:30 Service



## A Service of Worship

PRELUDE Swing Low, Sweet Chariot Arr by Paul Johnston

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Rob Watkins

MINUTE FOR MISSION Keri Wass

CHORAL INTROIT Have Thine Own Way, Lord George Stebbins

**†CALL TO WORSHIP** 

Leader Come one and come all, gather in the presence of the Lord!

People We come from where we have been to enter the house of the Lord.

Leader Worship God with heart and soul and voice.

People Praise the Lord! Let God's glory shine forth everywhere!

†PRAYER OF INVOCATION

†HYMN # 241 Lo, He Comes with Clouds Descending

**CALL TO CONFESSION** 

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Lord God

We confess how burdened we feel so many days. We carry the weight of doubt. We struggle beneath a load of regret. We seek liberation from all that weighs us down. Send your grace to set us free. Heal us of our sins. Erase the stain of sin from upon us. Bless us with your restoration. We ask this through our Redeemer, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING OF THE PEACE

TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

OFFERING You Are My All in All Dennis Jernigan

†DOXOLOGY

SCRIPTURE LESSON Luke 12:32-40

SERMON Traveling Light 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 We Are A Church Jay Althouse

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

HYMN # 427 Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

**BENEDICTION** 

CHORAL BENEDICTION May the Peace of the Lord Go With You Yannerella

POSTLUDE Allegro in C Major Christoph Graupner

†All who are able are invited to stand

#### CHURCH STAFF

#### The Rev. Rob Watkins

Senior Pastor revrobwatkins@gmail.com 706-825-1132

#### The Rev. Hunter Roddey

Transitional Associate Pastor hunterr@mallardcreekchurch.org 704-607-0368

#### Ms. Amanda Booth

Financial Manager

Office Hours are Mondays, 9-11am

Mr. David Barnaba Director of Music

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Mr. Patrick McCarthy

Pianist

Mrs. Kristy Maddux

Preschool Director

**Terri Smith** 

Office Administrator

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

#### **Sunday School Classes & Locations**

Age 0-2 – Nursery
Age 3-5 – Preschool room
1st-4th grade – Youth Club room
7th-12th grade – Teen room
Younger Adults – Garrison Martin room

Older Adults – Morrison room Confirmation Class– Upstairs, Education Bldg

#### This week at Mallard Creek

### Sunday, August 10

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

#### Monday, August 11

6:30 pm Cub Scouts (Garrison-Martin)

#### Tuesday, August 12

6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 148 (Comm. House)

#### Wednesday, August 13

7:00 pm Choir Rehearsal

7:00 pm Boy Scout Troop 248 (Comm. House)

#### Thursday, August 14

7:00 pm Finance Committee Meeting (*Parlor*) 7:00 pm BSA Crew 148 (*Comm. House*)

#### Friday, August 15

**Church Office Closed** 

#### Saturday, August 16

9-11am Nourish Up Volunteer Day

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:**

Michel Lapalambella, Tommy Mitchell, Alan Garrison

#### **DEACONS:**

Kelly Jones, Kim Tucker, Jordan Maddux, Tom Baker, Brian Jones

# 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 JW and Vivan Avant Linda Benfield Ann & **Jimmy Brown** 

Bobby Brown Ken & Suggie Christenbury

David Clemmer Bill Cochran Guy Eberhart Brenda Garrison

Ben Hatton Margaret Hatton Brittany Heath Jean Helms Janet Hunter Shirley Hunter Phyllis Jones Betsy Killian Roy Kinnamon Sheila Letica

Stephen Lisi Jr (Deployed )
Katharine Lockhart
Debbie McCrary
Bobbie Misenheimer

**Bobbie Misenhein** Penny Muschett Donnie Oehler Tommy Oehler Martin Oehler Jenny Parker Max Lee Phifer Judith Rankin

Donna Seaford & Lane Seaford
Linda Taylor (Nancy Busch's SisterInLaw)

Earl Thomas

Lois Treadway

The Family of Juanita Untz
The Family of Caroline Williams

Becky Wood

Michelle & Lane Winter