

## Announcements

**Church-wide Survey:** Thank you to those who have already filled out our reopening options survey. For those who have not, below is a Google Forms link containing a survey we would like you to take. Let us know what you are comfortable with as we explore reopening possibilities and options later in July. Your feedback is needed and greatly appreciated. Please use the following link to take the survey: [MPASDAC Reopening Survey \[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfpfdJ6GovuvNi\\_LcwzxoD2M3FY7dCu45igR0wYujhGjZg/viewform\]](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfpfdJ6GovuvNi_LcwzxoD2M3FY7dCu45igR0wYujhGjZg/viewform)

**CHURCH & COVID-19 UPDATES:** The NC Governor has extended Phase 2 to July 17. Our church board voted to abide by the recommendations provided for gatherings (no more than 10 people indoors or 25 people outdoors). Therefore, in concern for the health & well-being of our congregation during this COVID-19 pandemic, we will continue Zoom services in the weeks ahead (Midweek & Sabbath morning). We will keep you posted if we provide further options later in July.

**Midweek Encouragement:** Join us each Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. via Zoom at <https://piscgah.zoom.us/j/129602557?pwd=VGJCSFBCV2J6WXVNU2NpN3p3QmZ1UT09> using the password 013441or join by telephone at 1-888-270-9936 using the code 478111.

**Attention all kids!** - We are having live virtual Sabbath School for you online through Zoom each Sabbath at 10:00 am.

- **Primary Class:** To participate, please email Tammy Vaughan at [tamaravaughan@hotmail.com](mailto:tamaravaughan@hotmail.com) (careful on the spelling of that last name!) and she will send an invite with the link to the Zoom meeting.
- **Junior/Earliten Classes** are meeting online each Sabbath morning at 10:00 a.m. Invite neighbor friends or those that may not have a program at their church. Lessons are mailed out bi-weekly - please let Desiree know the name and address of the person that is interested at [desiree5472@hotmail.com](mailto:desiree5472@hotmail.com). We have Bible sword drill, Jeopardy and Bible bingo in addition to studying our lesson of the week. Simply join at URL: <https://piscgah.zoom.us/j/368271894?pwd=cEVab245MGdLS241NXJSa31aDEzdz09>.

**MPA WORK BEE—July 19th from 7:00 a.m. - 12 p.m. at the Girls' Dorm and Fleetwood Park.** MPA alumni and friends are invited to help with some overdue landscaping. We will be pulling weeds and relocating plants, bulbs, and spreading mulch. If you have some plants to donate, that will be great too! Bring your tools and MPA will provide the dirt, mulch, and snacks. Please RSVP to Joan Taylor ([joantaylor@gmail.com](mailto:joantaylor@gmail.com)), Lynn Ortega ([1lindy74@gmail.com](mailto:1lindy74@gmail.com)) or Lucy Hall ([lucy.hall@piscgah.us](mailto:lucy.hall@piscgah.us)). If you don't have a mask we will provide one for you.

## Mt. Pisgah Academy SDA Church Directory

21 Academy Drive, Candler, North Carolina 28715  
**Phone:** (828) 667-3640; **Fax:** (828) 667-5924; **www.mpasda.org**  
**Church Office Hours:** Mon. - Fri. 8:00 - 12:00

**If you would like to receive our weekly newsletter** "What's Happening @ MPASDAC", please send an email to Deanna Davis ([deanna.davis@piscgah.us](mailto:deanna.davis@piscgah.us)) or join us on Facebook at "Mount Pisgah Academy Seventh-day Adventist Church (MPASDAC)".

### Church Information

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|------------------|------------------|
| Jonathan Michael | Lead Pastor      |
| Josias Flores    | Associate Pastor |
| Jo Ottinger      | MPA Chaplain     |
| Deanna Davis     | Secretary/Clerk  |
| Lynn Hughes      | Treasurer        |
| George Grow      | Lead Elder       |
| Joy Pelto        | Assistant Clerk  |
| Glen Hughes      | Lead Deacon      |
| Bonnie Garland   | Lead Deaconess   |
| Remy Guenin      | MPA Principal    |
| Erin Miller      | APCS Principal   |

### Looking for Excellent Christian Education?

Mount Pisgah Academy is an Adventist high school campus, sponsored by the Carolina Conference of SDA. For more information, please call the academy office at 667-2535.

Asheville-Pisgah Christian School is an Adventist elementary school sponsored by our church. For more information, please call the school office at 667-3255.

### We Believe in . . .

- ◆ The entire Bible as the inspired Word of God
- ◆ The Trinity: Father, Son & Holy Spirit
- ◆ Salvation only through Jesus Christ
- ◆ An imminent literal, visible return of Christ
- ◆ A last day message of mercy and judgment
- ◆ The 10 Commandments as an infallible rule of living
- ◆ The blessing of the 7<sup>th</sup> day Sabbath keeping
- ◆ Immortality only through Christ given at His return
- ◆ All the Christian gifts, including prophecy
- ◆ Baptism by immersion
- ◆ The Lord's Supper and Foot washing
- ◆ Healthful living and gospel finance

# Mount Pisgah Academy Seventh-day Adventist Church



Together Following Jesus to New Heights:



Trusting. Loving. Reaching.

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SINCE MARCH 15  
AUTHORITIES HAVE DISCOURAGED GATHERINGS OF MORE  
THAN 10 PEOPLE ALONG WITH CONTINUED  
SOCIAL DISTANCING OF REMAINING 6 FEET APART FROM ALL  
OTHERS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

### ALL ON-CAMPUS CHURCH SERVICES CANCELLED AT MPASDAC UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE!

**Join over Zoom** = check your email for the link/password or  
telephone number conference code. If your computer does  
not have a camera and a microphone, you will need to par-  
ticipate by calling the telephone number.

**11:00 a.m.**—Virtual Sharing (talk & connect time).

**11:15 a.m.**—Church Service:

**Prayer time**—George Grow

**Stewardship Opportunities/Offering**—

Women's Ministry—Denise Wilson

**Sermon:** Following Jesus Through the Time of Trouble—  
Pastor Jonathan

Please check out our church website  
(<https://www.mpasda.org/>) to view weekly sermons  
and important pastoral messages.

"Faith is

the substance of things hoped for, the evidence  
of things not seen." Heb. 11:1

### July 11—17

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| Sabbath   | 10:00 | Zoom—Primary/Junior/Earliteen<br>Classes are online |
|           | 10:45 | <del>On-Campus Service</del> — <b>Cancelled</b>     |
|           | 11:00 | Zoom—Member Connect Time                            |
|           | 11:15 | Zoom—Virtual Church Service                         |
|           | 8:48  | Sunset  |
| Wednesday | 7:00  | Zoom—Midweek Encouragement                          |
| Friday    | 8:45  | Sunset  |

### July Birthdays

|                     |                      |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| 02 Gladys Fowler    | 18 Ryan Stutes       |
| 04 Luke Vaughan     | 19 Chris May         |
| 05 Sherry Blehm     | 20 Stevie Littrell   |
| Lauren Guenin       | Michael Garland      |
| 06 Mary Jane Graves | 23 Ed Stutes         |
| 07 Jerrye Smith     | Jay Wooten           |
| 09 Paula Ottinger   | 24 Sheila Bivins     |
| 10 Hannah Kim       | 25 McKenzie Millwood |
| 16 Deanna Davis     | 26 Keith Magnant     |
| Kaitlyn James       | 27 Patti Thrash      |
| David Benson        | 29 Kitty Ratzlaff    |
| 17 John Knowles     | Myrna Lloyd          |
| Sonja Graske        | 30 Sandra Hamilton   |
| Bonnie Garland      |                      |

### Shut-in church members & friends

**Pisgah Manor:** Rose Cullen    **Emerald Ridge:** Louis Canosa  
**Fletcher Park Inn:** Barbara Bryant

### Prayer Requests

Stevie Littrell—Health      Tharp Family—Grief  
Angie & Guy Robertson—Health      All Affected by Covid-19  
Healthcare Workers

### Reminders

**Attention all Junior Age Kids (10-12)** - enroll in the kidZone  
Bible School to start this free kid's Bible course. Write to kidZone,  
P.O. Box 1232, Candler, NC 28715 to request your lessons.

**Please note that the back driveway entrance** leading to the  
back doors of the church is closed until the pandemic ends.

**SonRise OutReach, the Women's Prayer Circle, and the  
Crafters' Group** will not meet until further notice.

**We encourage you to follow these health guidelines:**

1. thoroughly wash your hands regularly (20-30 seconds)
2. stay home if you feel sick
3. cover coughs & sneezes
4. clean & disinfect frequently touched surfaces

For more detailed information, please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/about/prevention.html>.

**Community center expansion project** pledges and donations  
may be given by marking your tithe envelope "Community Center  
Expansion Project" and mailing it to the church office.

**Please bring food for our Hominy Valley community.** Items  
needed are: canned food items, powdered milk, oil, spaghetti  
noodles, and dried beans. Hygiene items needed: paper towels,  
toilet paper, laundry detergent, and deodorant. Place these items  
in the ABCCM basket Monday—Friday between 8:00 a.m. and  
12:00 p.m.

**POCKET DIRECTORY:** The 2020 Pocket-Size Directory is  
now ready and will be hand delivered as soon as church services  
resume or you may pick up your copy by visiting the church office  
Monday-Friday from 8:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.

**3rd Quarter Sabbath School quarterlies** are also ready for  
pickup on weekday mornings at the church office between 8 a.m.  
to noon. If you are sheltering at home and need someone to deliv-  
er, please contact the church office (828-667-  
3640; [deanna.davis@pisgah.us](mailto:deanna.davis@pisgah.us)). We have a team of persons  
willing to deliver your lesson(s) to you.