



Reclaim,
Revive,
& Renew

Burkhead
United Methodist Church
5250 Silas Creek Parkway
Winston-Salem, NC 27106

Rev. Julie O'Neal
Pastor



JOIN US
for our Sunday
School classes
9:15 & 9:30 am,
Fellowship Time
10:15 am, and
Worship Service
10:30 am in
our Sanctuary.
Virtual worship is
available through
our website and
Facebook page.

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Burkhead News

Easter Worship Opportunities

April 2, 10:30 am - Passion/Palm Sunday Worship Service
April 6, 7:00 pm - Maundy Thursday Communion Service
April 7, noon & 7 pm - Good Friday Service, Lutheran Church
of the Epiphany welcomes us
April 9, 10:30 am - Easter Sunday Worship Service

WELCOME NEIGHBORS! THIRD THURSDAYS AT BURKHEAD UMC

FELLOWSHIP HALL
5250 SILAS CREEK PARKWAY

336-765-6590

April 20 and May 18

from 11:30-1:00

Bring a bag lunch

Drinks provided



Thursday,
April 20:

**Health and
Wellness Day!**

We'll have a
special speaker.

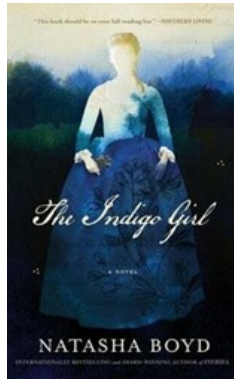
Thursday,
May 18:

Picnic Day!

We'll celebrate
spring with a picnic;
location TBA.

Burkhead Book Club

Join us at the parsonage, 3231 Blenheim Place, Sunday afternoon, **April 16th at 5 pm.** Marilyn Baird will lead us in a discussion of *The Indigo Girl: A Novel* by Natasha Boyd. Afterwards, we'll enjoy a light supper together. For those who like to read ahead, the next discussion will be about *Brother to a Dragonfly* by Will Campbell led by Kathy Lisle.



*Dear Burkhead members,
Please ask me if you have any questions about items that are issues for you within Burkhead, within our Western NC Conference, or within the United Methodist Church in general. Be in touch!*

*Peace be with you,
Julie O'Neal
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Our church office is open Tuesday through
Thursday from 10 am to 2 pm.

Lectionary Readings

These scriptures are used during our Sunday Worship Services. They are shared so everyone may read and study them throughout the week.

2nd

Liturgy of the Palms

Matthew 21:1-11

Psalms 118:1-2, 19-29

Liturgy of the Passion

Isaiah 50:4-9a

Psalms 31:9-16

Philippians 2:5-11

Matthew 26:14-27:66 or 27:11-54

9th

Acts 10:34-43 or Jeremiah 31:1-6

Psalms 118:1-2, 14-24

Colossians 3:1-4 or Acts 10:34-43

John 20:1-18 or Matthew 28:1-10

16th

Acts 2:14a, 22-32

Psalms 16

1 Peter 1:3-9

John 20:19-31

23rd

Acts 2:14a, 36-41

Psalms 116:1-4, 12-19

1 Peter 1:17-23

Luke 24:13-35

30th

Acts 2:42-47

Psalms 23

1 Peter 2:19-25

John 10:1-10

**No Bible Study will be held April 3rd.
We will meet again Monday,
April 10th from 7:00 pm to 8:15 pm
in the parlor!**

All are welcome to join in at any time. No registration is necessary. Each week we examine and discuss the lectionary readings for the upcoming Sunday. Please join us!

From the Financial Secretary's Desk

Financial Report:

	January	February	Year-to-Date
Budget Received	\$10,842.70	\$11,035.13	\$21,877.83
Budget Spent	\$18,585.08	\$24,326.08	\$42,911.16
Cap. Camp. Recvd.	\$ 2,155.00	\$ 2,030.00	\$ 4,185.00
Cap. Camp. Spent	\$ 2,340.49	\$ 2,340.49	\$ 4,680.98

During February, Burkhead received a Gift in Memory of Marge Serrano from Murray & Gale Sink. We also received Gifts in Memory of Richard Rogers from Elaine Stewart and Murray & Gale Sink.

Contribution Statements for the first quarter of 2023 have been printed. Statements will be available after Worship Service for the next two Sundays. PLEASE REVIEW YOUR STATEMENT CAREFULLY! We are using a new format this year. Please contact Darlene Davis with any questions. Thank you.

Burkhead Congregation,

*Thank you for your hospitality and
welcoming atmosphere.*

South Dakota Lutheran Campus Ministry

2023 Directory Updates

Griset, Barbara - remove grisetb@triad.rr.com

Hedrick, Katherine, Ryan

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Pfafftown, NC 27040

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

8th Aaron & Mary Lib Shough

30th Rod & Kathy Friddle

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

1st Betty Bewley

1st Bruce Griset, Jr.

2nd John Griset

2nd Catherine Patrick

3rd Meredith Mende Kejriwal

3rd Jo Nicholas

9th Ilir Llanaj

10th Connie Hall Mende

11th Rick Mende

13th Jack Jordan

20th Allison Raker

26th Peg Price

29th Nancy Hurst

Please let the church office if your birthday or anniversary has been omitted or is incorrect. Let's celebrate everyone!

Prayer Concerns and Praises

March 5th

Prayers: Jane Rogers and family, China

Moore, Julie O'Neal, Clayton Smith and family, Debbie Johnson

Praises: Sarah Howell

March 12th

Prayers: Gloria McGurk, Julie O'Neal, Wanda Truesdale, Meredith Mende-Kejriwal, People of Israel & other war torn countries, South Dakota college group, Betty Bewley

Praises: Jane Rogers

March 19th

Prayers: Gloria Stevenson, Claudetta, Ann Settle, Daniel Blumenthal and his family, unspoken prayers

Praises: Dawn, Don & Taylor Brown, Gloria McGurk, Sarah Howell

March 26th

Prayers: China Moore, Jack, Barry Crotty, Barry and Linda Raker and their family, Rick Mende, Jim and Terry Hollomon

Our Fellowship Meal is April 12th at 6 pm

It will feature Elaine Stewart's Chicken and Rice, side dishes and dessert. Please sign up to attend this church favorite.



The charge is \$6 but no charge for first timers and children. The sign-up sheet is on the table outside the kitchen.

Music on the Hill Returns

Music will again ring from Burkhead in May and June with four favorites returning to "Music on the Hill." The Sunday afternoon concerts in the Fellowship Hall will begin at 6 pm. Bring your dancing shoes, well, except maybe for the gospel program. Flyers will soon be made available for posting around the neighborhood. There will be no charge.



May 7: None of the Above - Bluegrass

May 21: Sweet Dreams – Smooth jazz

June 4 : Richard Harding – Favorites

June 11: Cornerstone Quartet – Gospel

Thank You from the Children

Thank you to everyone who donated plastic eggs and candy for the Salvation Army Center of Hope Easter Egg Hunt. The Easter party will be **Friday, March 31 at 11:30 at the Center of Hope**. Thank you also to those who volunteered to help with the egg hunt. We are looking forward to a fun time!



Crisis Control 50th Anniversary Worship Celebration

Crisis Control Ministry has been helping people in need in our community for 50 years this month. To celebrate this milestone, they are having a **worship celebration at First Baptist Church on Fifth St. on Monday, April 3 at 7 pm**. The Most Reverend Michael B. Curry will bring the message of Hope. Call 336-724-7875 ext. 1042 to reserve your seat.

Backpack Meals at Speas Elementary School

For a number of years, we have been delivering the backpack meals (supplemental weekend meals for children in need) to the classrooms at Speas Elementary on Friday mornings. Katie and Gloria took this on and did most of the deliveries. Since they can't do this right now, some others of us are stepping up to help this get done. If you are interested in helping with this on some of the remaining weeks of this school year, please let Gale Sink know and she will help get you set up to help.



Open Arms Meals on Tuesdays

Our church continues to provide the meal for the children in the Open Arms Tutoring/Kids Club on Tuesday evening on the **second Tuesday of the month**. We have a couple of months left in this school year. If you could help provide a simple, kid-friendly meal for about 15, contact Lynn Blumenthal for details.

Third Thursday Lunchtime Events for Health and Wholeness

Be sure to mark your calendars for Thursday, April 20 at 11:30 to join us with your bag lunch as we fellowship together and enjoy a speaker on taking care of our mental and physical health. ***This is for the whole community so invite your friends and neighbors!*** Last month we had a wonderful time of fun and laughter as we played board and card games together. In May, we'll get outside for a picnic! Watch for details about where we will gather!



A “Mission Journey to Discipleship” Preview Weekend



Are you a mission journey leader who is interested in learning about “doing mission” in a new way? In addition to the traditional mission journey where you primarily work to repair damage to physical structures in a community impacted by an extreme weather event, would you like to lead a journey where participants learn more about the community as a whole, about its economy and ecology and culture, how these systems either contributed to or were negatively impacted by the extreme weather event, and then work to repair these ecological systems, as well? And would you like to take home lessons learned from this experience and be guided in ways to apply them to your local church and community? If so, this “Mission Journey to Discipleship” preview weekend is for you!

All prospective leaders are invited to attend a preview weekend being held at Lake Junaluska on Earth Day weekend, 2023, hosted by the leaders of the WNCCUMC Creation Care Ministry Team. The event starts at 5:30pm on Friday, April 21st, with a driving tour of local areas negatively impacted by extreme flooding from Tropical Storm Fred in August, 2021, and culminates with an outdoor “Church in the Wild” worship service on Sunday, April 23rd at 9am, which will be led by the Rev. Jonathan Brake, Program Manager of Environmental Sustainability with the General Board of Global Ministries, commissioned UM EarthKeeper, and founder of the WNCCUMC Creation Care Ministry Team.

The weekend will be a sneak peek into the styling of this new version of a mission journey, as well as an opportunity to hear speakers and engage in small group discussions related to creation care mission work. You will participate in an eco-focused service project related to the flooding, learn about and discuss the interconnections of community culture, economy, and ecology, engage in the daily practices that will be used during the mission journey itself to enhance participants’ spiritual growth and renewal, and view and discuss videos relating the current climate crisis to our responsibilities as Christians.

The fee to attend this Weekend Preview is \$75, and includes two night’s lodging at Lake Junaluska and all meals (Friday dinner; Saturday breakfast, lunch & dinner; Sunday breakfast). Participants are responsible for their own transportation to and from this event. Questions may be directed to CreationCareWNCC@gmail.com.

36th Annual Shepherd’s Center Used Book Sale to be held May 4 - May 6, 2023

The Shepherd’s Center of Greater Winston-Salem will hold its **36th Annual Used Book Sale** on **Thursday, May 4** and **Friday, May 5** from **9 am to 9 pm**, and on **Saturday, May 6** from **8 am to 2 pm**. **On Saturday all items are ½ price. Parking and Admission are FREE!**

The sale will be held in the **Education Building** at the **Winston-Salem Fairgrounds**. Entrance for parking is through **Gate 5 from Deacon Blvd**. There is no admission or parking fee. There will be thousands of used books and other items on hand at exceptional prices.

This is truly a **book sale with a purpose!** All proceeds of the sale benefit the agency’s programs and services for older adults in our community. The Shepherd’s Center is an interfaith ministry whose mission is to support and promote successful aging by providing direct services, educational, volunteer and support programs for older adults. For more information contact the Shepherd’s Center at 336-748-0217 or visit www.shepherdscenter.org.



April 2023

Join us each Sunday at 10:30 am for Worship Service in our Sanctuary.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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<p>2 Passion/Palm Sunday 9:15 & 9:30 am - Sunday School 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service with Communion</p>	<p>3 No Bible Study</p>	<p>4 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911</p>	<p>5</p>	<p>6 7:00 pm - Maundy Thursday Communion Service</p>	<p>7</p>	<p>8</p>
<p>9 Easter Day 9:15 am - Seekers Sunday School class 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service</p> 	<p>10 6:00 pm - Girl Scout Troop 1929 7:00 pm - Bible Study</p>	<p>11 10:30 am - Outreach Committee 6:30 pm - Trustees Meeting 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911</p>	<p>12 6:00 pm - Community Fellowship meal</p>	<p>13</p>	<p>14</p>	<p>15 9:00 am - District Office Training</p>
<p>16 9:15 & 9:30 am - Sunday School 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service 5:00 pm - Book Club</p>	<p>17 7:00 pm - Bible Study</p>	<p>18 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911</p>	<p>19 1:00 pm - Y.A.R.N. Ministry</p>	<p>20 11:30 am to 1:00 pm - Third Thursdays, Health and Wellness Day</p>	<p>21</p>	<p>22 1:00 pm - Stinehelfer Eagle Ceremony</p>
<p>23 9:15 & 9:30 am - Sunday School 10:15 am - Fellowship Time 10:30 am - Worship Service</p>	<p>24 6:00 pm - Girl Scout Troop 1929 7:00 pm - Bible Study</p>	<p>25 7:00 pm - Boy Scout Troop 911</p>	<p>26</p> 	<p>27</p>	<p>28</p>	<p>29 9:00 am - District Office Training</p>
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