

Mount Pisgah Academy SDA Church

December 27, 2025

10:45 am

Music Prelude Kathy Brannan

Mission Spotlight

11:00 am

Welcome & Announcements Kitty Ratzlaff

Invocation Kitty Ratzlaff

Call for Offering: Carolina Youth John Ratzlaff
 Offertory Albina Klemontsa

Children's Story Tammy Vaughan

Special Music Scott Langford

Christmas Reading Ruthie Brooks

Christmas Carol Singing
 Jane & Rebecca Ruf, Lydia Donaldson, Kitty Ratzlaff

Christmas Prayer Jane Ruf

Special Music Kathy Brannan & Kimberly Hartman:

Sermonette Warren Ruf
Time for Another Star

Closing Carol #125
Joy to the World

Benediction Warren Ruf

Piano/Organ: Kathy Brannan
 Worship Coordinator: Kitty Ratzlaff

To give online go to: <https://adventistgiving.org>
 To watch online go to: <https://www.mpasda.org/live-stream>

December 27-January 2

Today	5:24 pm	Sunset
Sunday	9:00 am	Work Bee @ Community Center
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Prayer Service — Cancelled
Friday	5:29 pm	Sunset

Prayer Requests

John Ratzlaff—health
 Linda Grow—home hospice care
 Shaun Freese—cancer treatment

Max Longley—Pisgah Villa

Community Center Building Project
 APCS Building Project



Person of Prayer

December 15—January 4

Semester Exam Week
 and
 Christmas Break

On Duty Today

Deacon: Matt Horton Sound: John Thomas

Sabbath School Classes

9:30 am

Children
 Cradle Roll
 Kindergarten
 Primary
 Junior/Earliteen

Adults
 Choir Room
 Junior Room
 Sanctuary—Pastor Marco

Announcements

This Week's Birthdays: Members

December	31 Noelle Stafford
27 Jodi Pierce	January
Gabe Prizigley	03 Bob Blehm
29 Arla Ammons	Bill Campbell
29 Kathy Brannan	

Please join the Fletcher SDA Church on Sabbath evening, January 10, @ 5pm in the church sanctuary for a Benefit Concert for the Kenya Mission Trip. Members of our church family as well as neighboring churches will be sharing their musical talents. An offering will be taken. You can look forward to special numbers from the Cho, Powell, Darnell, and Ashlock families, Pam Hughes and Donna Boehmer, as well as may others.



Potluck Schedule

Date	Hosts
January 3	Pastor Marco
January 10	Kitty Ratzlaff

Announcements

No Potluck today due to the Christmas holiday. Join us again next week—next year!—for good food and better fellowship!

Work Bees: If you want to help renovate the community center, here is your chance. Work bees are planned every Sunday until this phase is completed. Start time will be 9 AM; come any Sunday — or every Sunday!

Every Sabbath, at least eighteen persons are needed to present our worship service. Some positions are visible, like greeters and ushers; others are behind the scenes, like media technicians. Since May, 2024, sixty-six church members and just as many MPA students have called for the offering, told a children's story, read the scripture, or led out in the congregational prayer. There are many opportunities for you to be involved in the service. Take out a pew card, and under your name list your interests, general or specific, then place it in the offering plate. The information will get passed on to ministry leaders and worship coordinators. Let's give glory to God by seeing new faces helping out in worship in 2026.

Devotionals: The sharing books and women's devotionals have arrived. Pick yours up in the office after church.

Start your year with purpose and inspiration at **Evangelism Impact 2026**, hosted by the Carolina Conference, January 1-3, 2026.

This year's theme, "**Grow Carolina: Together in Mission**," invites us to unite in faith and action as we prepare to reach our communities for Christ. The event begins **Thursday evening, January 1, at 7:00 pm**, and continues through Sabbath night with uplifting plenary sessions and engaging breakout workshops led by departments including Youth, Personal Ministries, Family Life, Evangelism, and more.

Come be inspired, equipped, and motivated to share Jesus right where you are!

IMPORTANT:

Participants are responsible for their own hotel reservations.

Sabbath lunch is included; all other meals are on your own.

Let's begin 2026 growing together in mission, in purpose, and in Christ. We can't wait to see you there!

For more information and to register, visit carolinasda.org.

Adventurer Fundraiser: The Adventurers are planning to make beaded charms attached to either a key ring or a magnet, which you can have for a small donation to the Adventurer Fun Day fund. For pictures of available charms and to order, check the table in the lobby.

Mt. Pisgah Academy SDA Church Directory

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Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8-Noon

If you would like to receive our weekly newsletter

"What's Happening @ MPASDAC", please send an email to

Lynn Miles (lynn.miles@pisgah.us) or join us on Facebook at

"Mount Pisgah Academy Seventh-day Adventist Church (**MPASDAC**)".

Church Information

Marco Quarteroli, Pastor 774-418-2437; mquarteroli@carolinasda.org

Lynn Miles Administrative Assistant/Clerk

Warren Ruf Lead Elder

Lynn Hughes Treasurer

Lead Deacon

Denise Wilson Lead Deaconess

Serhiy Litvinchuk Slavic Group Representative

Looking for Excellent Christian Education?

Asheville-Pisgah Christian School, located on our campus, offers grades PreK-8, with one grade per teacher. For more information, visit www.ashevillepisgah.org or call 828-667-3255. Erin Miller, Principal

Mount Pisgah Academy offers a collegiate preparatory curriculum for grades 9-12. The school serves community and boarding students in a family atmosphere. For more information, visit www.pisgah.us or call 828-667-2535. Dewald Coetzer, Principal

Please be aware that our services are live-streamed.

While attending, your image may be included in the broadcast.

Should you prefer not to be in any of our media, **the balcony is a media-free zone.**

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Following Jesus to New Heights

In Anticipation of His Glorious Return

Matthew 28:18-20; Revelation 14

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