

Mount Pisgah Academy SDA Church

February 28, 2026

10:45 am

Music Prelude Kevin Worth
Mission Spotlight

11:00 am

Welcome, Announcements Louie Parra
Offering Call: Carolina Youth Offertory Jerryanne Jean
Children's Story Juliana & Friends
Congregational Singing Praise Team
Scripture Reading: Deut. 11:18-21 Alexa Moreta & Ella Hodgins
Garden of Prayer Emma Sorrells
Special Music Ashley & Ashlette Mora-Velazquez
Sermon Marco Quarteroli
A School in the Wilderness

Praise Team: Isabel Duque, Juliana Wolff, Brian Rochman, Daniel Thang, Kim & AJ Jean
Piano/Organ: Kevin Worth
Worship Coordinator: Louie Parra

To give online go to: <https://adventistgiving.org>
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February 28-March 7

Today	6:25 pm	Sunset
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Prayer Service
Friday	6:30 pm	Sunset
Sabbath	3:00 pm	Shaun Freese Memorial Service

Prayer Requests

Denise Wilson—recovery from surgery
Freese/Grow family—loss of Shaun and Linda
Max Longley—Pisgah Villa
Community Center Building Project
APCS Building Project

This Week's Birthdays: Members

February
28 Jennifer Davis Witalis
29 Viche Castleberry
March
1 Carla Robertson
2 Emily Ottinger
Marje Sommerville
4 Ellen Cox
5 Fred Brannan
6 Ken Cook
8 Rayven VanKalker



Person of Prayer

March 2: Janelle Feaster
March 3: Kristen James
March 4: Justin Chilel
March 5: Bob Myers
March 6: Natalia Quevedo

On Duty Today

Deacon: Sound: John Thomas

Sabbath School Classes

9:30 am

Children
Cradle Roll
Kindergarten
Primary
Junior/Earliteen

Adults
Choir Room
Junior Room
Pastor's Office: Young Adult

Announcements

Nomination, 2nd Reading

Gerard McLane, Sterling Volunteers Coordinator

This Week's Birthdays: MPA

February 28: Tahkai Martin
March 3: Rosse Soto-Morillo
March 4: Giselle Acosta

Religious Liberty: January donations to the Religious Liberty Campaign totaled \$763, three-quarters of last year's total. Can we go all the way to \$1,000—or more? This fundraising project pays for legal fees for Adventists in the workplace who have been unfairly treated, and places Liberty Magazine in the hands of influencers and thought leaders in the Southern Union. You can give through Adventist Giving or pick up the special brochure, "Clarity in Chaos," on the table in the foyer. The Campaign ends March 31.



Potluck Schedule

Date	Hosts
March 7	No Potluck d/t Memorial Service
March 14	Kitty Ratzlaff

Announcements

Potluck today is hosted by Eunice Pearson's Sabbath School class. Join us for good food and great fellowship!

Concert! Hayden Wiseman, an Australian violinist, will present a concert here in the church **tonight at 7 pm**. Please invite your friends to come with you!

Memorials: A Celebration of Life for **Shaun Freese** will be held here next Sabbath, March 7, at 3:00 pm. A Celebration of Life for **Linda Grow** will be held here Sunday, March 8, at 11:00 am. Please support these families through this difficult time with both your prayers and your presence, if possible.

Assistance Needed in the Children's Department: We are seeking a dedicated leader to serve regularly in the Primary Department and develop meaningful relationships with our children. However, if your schedule does not permit weekly involvement, we also welcome individuals who can volunteer biweekly or once a month. If you are willing, please contact Alicen Thomas at 608-347-5219 via call or text.

Business Meeting Report: Thirty-six church members attended the business meeting on 29 January. Approved was a recommendation to **add the following as voting board members:** APCS Principal (Erin Miller), the Interest Coordinator from the Outreach Committee (Eunice Pearson), the Master Plan Committee chairperson (Glen Hughes), the Membership Clerk (Lynn Miles), and the Prayer Ministries Leader (Lori Blanco). Eunice and Glen were already board members representing different ministries. Copies of the business meeting minutes are available to members from the church office.

Church members at the business meeting on 29 January approved a **2026 church budget** which now includes loan payments for the APCS gym (29% of budget) and the partial funding of a staff position (still being defined and needing Conference approval) that will work with worship and youth, similar to what was voted by the church in 2023, but had been paused due to pastoral transition. This expense has been estimated to be at least \$27,000. These and other additions will increase potential church budget expenses to \$273,574. Copies of the voted church budget are available to members from the church office.



Mt. Pisgah Academy SDA Church Directory

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Church Office Hours: Monday-Friday, 8-Noon

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"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
Denise Wilson	Lead Deaconess
Serhiy Litvinchuk	Slavic Group Representative

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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

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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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