

Mount Pisgah Academy SDA Church

July 4, 2026

10:45 am

Prelude Victoria Pasechnik
Mission Spotlight

11:00 am

Freedom to Worship Kitty Ratzlaff
Freedom to Invite God's Presence Anastasia Pasechnik
Freedom to Give: Church Budget Offertery Cameron Langford
Freedom for Children Heather Langford
Freedom to Sing Praises Praise Team
Freedom to Pray Kitty Ratzlaff
Freedom to Read the Word: Isaiah 61:1, 2 Monroe Horn
Freedom to Sing: Anastasia & Victoria Pasechnik
Freedom to Preach: *Let Freedom Ring* Warren Ruf
Benediction Warren Ruf

Praise Team: Yany Herrera, Anastasia & Victoria Pasechnik,
Jeanne Calhoun, Kitty Ratzlaff
Piano: Victoria Pasechnik
Worship Coordinators: Kitty Ratzlaff & Victoria Pasechnik

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

July 4-10

Today	8:49 pm	Sunset
Wednesday	7:00 pm	Prayer Service
Friday	8:48 pm	Sunset

Prayer Requests

David Garland—loss of father
Rick Dunn—rehab after surgery
Denise Wilson—health issues
Hominy Valley Men's Acapella Choir
Max Longley—Pisgah Villa
David Young—Pisgah Manor
APCS Building Project

This Week's Birthdays: Members

3 James Osborn	07 Daniel May
4 Jordan Monroe	Jerrye Smith
Luke Vaughan	Evelyn Warren
5 Sherry Blehm	08 Hannah May
Lauren Guenin	09 Manuel Onate
Anna McLane	10 Michelle Dannenberger
6 Mary Jane Graves	Hannah Kim
Julie Herren	

On Duty Today

Deacon: Michael Wolff Sound: Bruce Bellchambers

Sabbath School Classes

9:30 am

Children
Cradle Roll
Kindergarten
Primary
Junior/Earliteen

Adults
Choir Room: Eunice Pearson
Junior Room: Kitty Ratzlaff
Pastor's Office: Young Adult
Back Hallway: Classy Friends

Announcements

Join us for Vacation Bible School: Mountain of Miracles! Get ready for an uplifting week of faith, fun, and discovery at **Mountain of Miracles VBS**, happening **July 20-23, 2026**, nightly from 6:30-8:00 pm. Children will enjoy Bible stories, activities, music, snacks and meaningful lessons that point them to God's love and power. Families are encouraged to register early.

Register here: <https://vbspro.events/p/dba6f0>

We are also looking for volunteers to help make this special week possible. To volunteer or learn more, please contact Desiree by text at 386-481-8215 or email at desiree5472@hotmail.com

The **ACBC Bookmobile** will deliver to the MPASDA church parking lot on **July 8, 2026** from 12:40-12:50 pm. Please be on time or arrange for someone to pick up your order.

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.



Potluck Schedule

Date	Hosts
July 11	Classy Friends
July 18	Eunice Pearson

Announcements

No Potluck today. Join us again next week for good food and great fellowship!

Tomorrow, July 5th, support the MPA Church Pathfinders at a **Community Yard Sale** (8-2) & **Car Wash** (10-2) at the Mount Pisgah Church Community Center.

Survey: On Tuesday evening, June 23, two representatives from the Carolina Conference Ministerial Department met with church members to discuss issues relating to the current pastoral vacancy. Voices were raised in thanks for Pastor Marco Quarteroli and his investment in people-centered ministry, particularly with young adults, and questions were raised about the conference's process of finding a new pastor. During this interim, the elders and ministry leaders will make sure the essential work of the church goes forward. July will be a busy month with VBS and preparations for a new school year.

The Conference has prepared a member survey to provide useful information in the ongoing search for our next pastor. Some questions relate to what you are looking for in a pastor, and provide a place to even suggest names. There are other questions of less importance, but it's all part of the package. You are welcome to participate in this ten-minute activity over the next ten days." Here is the code:



Save the Dates! The new school year is just a month away. New student registration is August 5, with returning students coming on August 9. All able-bodied & willing people will be welcome to help us with **We Haul** on those two afternoons. Check your calendars and come join the fun!

Sterling Volunteers: As followers of Christ in Seventh-day Adventist organizations in the North American Division, we believe it is our responsibility to nurture and protect the vulnerable within our communities, including our children and youth. Anyone who works with children **AND/OR** anyone who holds a position given to them by the nominating committee or the church/school board needs to register for the "Sterling Volunteer Training" module. Please register at <https://www.nadadventist.org/asv/> within the next 30 days. If you have already registered and/or are renewing your registration (every 3 years) we thank you for your attention to this process. If you have questions please contact Gerard McLane, our Sterling Volunteer Coordinator, at **828-767-3797** OR gerard.mclane@pisgah.us.

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

	Pastor
Lynn Miles	Administrative Assistant/Clerk
Warren Ruf	Lead Elder
Lynn Hughes	Treasurer
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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