



July 2019

THE SELWYN SPIRE

Selwyn Avenue Presbyterian Church

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Vacation Bible School 2019

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SAPC STAFF

Rush Otey, *Pastor*
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GROUP CHAIRS

Administration - Matt Baskerville
Child Development Center - Jamie Yearwood
Christian Education and Formation - Erin Mills
Congregational Life - Emily Battle
Mission - Ashley Armistead/Meg Dewey/Allison Tibe
Worship - Pam Brownlee

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

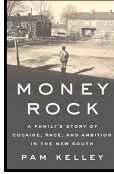


The Church Office will be closed on July 4 and 5 in observance of Independence Day.

SAPC BOOK CLUB will meet at 6:30pm on July 16 at Townley Moon's.

This month's selection is Money Rock by Pam Kelley.

Questions, contact Beth Ramsey, 704-840-9433.



SAPC Picnic was held June 2.

In Nursing or Retirement Home

- Aldersgate - Dick Metzler
- Asbury Health Center - Dottie Metzler
- Carriage Club - Margaret Cunningham, Mildred Long, Chan and Sallye Richards, Herman Thomas
- Charlotte Square - La Melle Hagerty
- Plantation Estates - Anne McMackin, Cara Munday, Anne Rutherford
- Sharon Towers - Richard and Joan Foad
- Southminster - Art Jones, Bobby Linn
- The Cypress - Bill and Nancy Budd, Bobby Davis, Olen and Nancy Smith
- Waltonwood Cotswold - Mary Faye Proctor



(Photo) Roofing on the front portico. New steps are scheduled to be installed soon.



CDC Graduation, June 13.



AA MEETINGS

Selwyn is the host site for two weekly Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Mondays from noon-1pm in the Bates House and Wednesdays from 8-10pm in the Fellowship Hall.

All are welcome to attend. Please direct any questions to Metrolina AA Intergroup, 704- 377-0244 or 704-332-4387.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION AND FORMATION

- **ADULT SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL, SCRIPTURES TO LIVE BY** The class meets in the Fellowship Hall at 9:30am.
- **CHILDREN'S SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL** Join us for faith, food, fellowship and fun on Sundays at 9:30am.



WE HAD AN EXCITING WEEK OF VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!

Through story, song, art, science, recreation, worship, snacks and play our children learned to reach for the stars and give glory to God, who is able to do far beyond all that we could ask or imagine by his power at work within us! Thanks to our 35 adult volunteers, teachers, and youth helpers who guided, nurtured, and loved 52 children —Mandy Byers, Tara Cawthorne, Katie Cumbus, Daphne DiFrancesco, Ashley Ellis, Anna Ellison, Robyn Fant, Barbara Hall, Lisa Halstead, Ellen Harris, Millie Johnston, Sarah Justice, Emily Kincade, Lily Kincade, Virginia Kirksey, Elizabeth Long, Maggie Long, Ella Mills, Erin Mills, Teresa Mora, Riley Norton, Grier Patterson, Kim Rinard, Dory Rogers, Alex Russell, Katie Sontag, Ron Stephany, Hilda Torres, Erin Van Vuuren, Karey Vera, Nicholas Vera, Andy Wertz, Abbie Wilson, Eric Winkenwerder, Jamie Yearwood—and for making Christian education a part of their ministry to children, families, the community, and the world.

We pray this week has been a blessing for each family. It sure has been a blessing for us! *Kim*

MISSION

HELP A CHILD CLIMB TO THE TOP
 Montclair Freedom School runs through July 25. Help a child fight "summer slide", the summer learning loss that hobbles children in poverty. Volunteers can sign up to listen to a child read (DEAR Buddy) or provide snacks.



SAVE THE DATE:
SELWYN HABITAT DAY
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

JULY BIRTHDAYS

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|--|---|---|---|---|
| 1 Dan Gibson | 8 Lake Elrod
Isaac Lowe | 17 Grant Byers
Bryce McLellan
Marie Pressley
Julia Walton
Katie White | 24 Chad Brown
Sims Gallagher | 29 Gale Haruta
David McCallum
Bryant McDermott
Simmons McDermott |
| 2 Franklin Caldwell | 9 Isabella Vera | 18 Mandy Byers
Coleman Kiger | 25 Jason Coble
Bob Yeterian | 30 Steve Byrum
Emily Cox
Roman Piacentino
Bobby Pifer |
| 3 John McGirt
Fred Spano | 10 Thomas Ellison
Grace Kobal | 19 Ethan Randall
Kristine Summers | 26 Virginia Sharpe | 31 Steve Windell |
| 4 Todd Horton | 11 Lily Cann
Chase Rinard
Nancy Smith
Kacie Tibe | 20 Ken McLellan
Torey Parsons | 27 Carson Bahr
Mike Malloy
Ali Martin
Denise Pineno
Peter Reavis
Bobby Wakefield | |
| 5 Connor Armistead
Caroline Oberg
Ryan Rea | 12 Betsy Sedam | 21 Kathy Hartley
Jack McCallum | 28 Camden Baskerville
Mallory Trogdon
Lynne Wakefield | |
| 6 Grant Malloy
Zachary Pineno | 13 Jackie Salinas | 22 Connie Gragnani
Bobbie Hankins
Hazel Hardwick | | |
| 7 Nancy Calhoun
Emma Hatlem
Reagan Patterson | | 23 Lena Hart
Jackson Widener | | |



CALENDAR

Monday, July 1
Montclaire Freedom School
12:00 AA Meeting (BH)

Tuesday, July 2
Montclaire Freedom School

Wednesday, July 3
Montclaire Freedom School
8:00 AA Meeting (FH)

Thursday, July 4
Church Office and
Child Development Center Closed

Friday, July 5
7:00 Men's Group (BH)
Church Office Closed
Montclaire Freedom School

Saturday, July 6
Montreat High School Conference

Sunday, July 7
Montreat High School Conference
9:30 Sunday School for All
10:30 Worship (S)

Monday, July 8
Montclaire Freedom School
Montreat High School Conference
12:00 AA Meeting (BH)

Tuesday, July 9
Montclaire Freedom School
Montreat High School Conference

Wednesday, July 10
Montclaire Freedom School
Montreat High School Conference
8:00 AA Meeting (FH)

Thursday, July 11
Montclaire Freedom School
Montreat High School Conference

Friday, July 12
Montclaire Freedom School
Montreat High School Conference

Saturday, July 13
Montreat High School Conference

Sunday, July 14
9:30 Sunday School for All
10:30 Worship (S)
11:30 Administration Group (GR)

Monday, July 15
Montclaire Freedom School
12:00 AA Meeting (BH)

Tuesday, July 16
Montclaire Freedom School
6:30 SAPC Book Club
(Townley Moon's)

Wednesday, July 17
Montclaire Freedom School
8:00 AA Meeting (FH)

Thursday, July 18
Montclaire Freedom School

Friday, July 19
7:00 Men's Group (BH)
Montclaire Freedom School

Saturday, July 20
6:30 Just Friends (tbd)

Sunday, July 21
9:30 Sunday School for All
10:30 Worship (S)

Monday, July 22
Montclaire Freedom School
12:00 AA Meeting (BH)

Tuesday, July 23
Montclaire Freedom School

Wednesday, July 24
Montclaire Freedom School
8:00 AA Meeting (FH)

Thursday, July 25
Montclaire Freedom School

Friday, July 26
Montclaire Freedom School
Site CleanUp

Sunday, July 28
9:30 Sunday School for All
10:30 Worship (S)
11:30 Session Meeting (FH)

Monday, July 29
9:00 Spire Deadline
12:00 AA Meeting (BH)

Wednesday, July 31
8:00 AA Meeting (FH)



Join us each Sunday
for lemonade and fellowship
on the lawn following worship.

Church Office Hours:
9am-5pm Mon.-Thurs.,
9am-1pm Fri.

- (BH) - Bates House
- (BHP) - Bates House Parlor
- (BHB) - Bates House Back Room
- (B) - Bowman Building
- (FH) - Fellowship Hall
- (GR) - Grace Room
- (S) - Sanctuary
- (SH) - Scout Hut

WORSHIP



SANCTUARY FLOWERS The calendar is available on the Spire table. Individuals, families, classes and groups are encouraged to sign up for flower dedications. The price is \$65 for the weekly arrangement. This is a lovely way to honor special people, occasions, committees or groups and provide this meaningful aspect of our worship Service. Please sign up so we can continue to enjoy God's beauty in this way.

YOUTH NEWS



Selwyn's Appalachia Service Project (ASP) Team traveled to Tennessee to repair homes, install roofs and additional work for low-income families.

THE SELWYN COMMUNITY ONLINE

Visit us on Facebook for information about the church, photos, announcements and updates. Log onto Facebook, search for Selwyn Avenue Presbyterian Church, typing <http://b1ck.by/2cWheeo> into your browser, or use the QR code shown.



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