"Harrison at Ballantyne: Where the broken can become whole and wholly devoted to Christ."

*Regular Sunday Worship Times

***except Christmas, Lent, Palm Sunday, and Easter**

8:00 a.m. - Worship with Communion Service
9:15 a.m. - Contemporary
11:00 a.m. - Traditional
11:00 a.m. - Children's Worship *(inkWELL)*
11:00 a.m. - Servicio en Español
1:00 p.m. - Korean Prayer Service & Lunch
7:00 p.m. - Brazilian Worship Service

Sunday School Times: 9:15 & 11 a.m.

Newborn-Kindergarten: Children's Wing next to Sanctuary
1st - 5th grades: 9:15 a.m. - Bldg. 100 - 1st floor
1st - 5th grades: 11 a.m. - Hammill Hall - *inkWELL* Worship
6th - 12th grades: Rooms 107-108, Building 100 - 2nd floor
Adults: 9:15 a.m. - Rooms 116, 118, Bldg. 100 & Chapel
& 11:00 a.m. - Rooms 115 and 118, Bldg. 100

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Prayer Concerns

Serving a Prison Term: Michelle Olivares, Travis Helms, and Vince Chmura. ***At Home***: Pastor Mark Plummer, Darwin Byrum, Virginia Luckey, Leitner Hall, Lydia Jennings, Lorene and Glenn Withers, Julia Adams, Anne Kolbe, and Nancy Hawfield.

When you're confined and away from home and from your loved ones, a card or note from those who care means so much.

Each week, we will select a member from our list of prayer concerns and shut-ins as a recipient for cards and notes from our Harrison family members. ***This week, we encourage you to share your love by sending a card to:***

Pastor Mark Plummer
1619 Crestgate Dr., Waxhaw, NC 28173-6727

If you would like to reach out via card, note, or calls to someone not featured this week, please call the Church Office for contact information - 704-541-3463.

This Week's Highlights
April 4-11, 2010

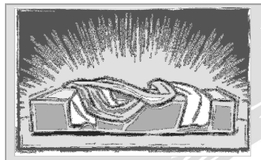
For a current and complete listing of this calendar, please visit www.harrisonumc.org and view our Harrison UMC Calendar link at the top of the home page. For Youth, Children, and Adult Sunday classes and other activities, please see the gray box to the left.

DAILY	5:00am	Korean Prayer (Sanctuary)
SUNDAY	HAPPY EASTER!! HE IS RISEN!!	
	6:45 a.m.	Easter "SonRise" Service
	8&11am	Easter Service - Traditional (Sanctuary)
	9:00am	Harrison Coffee House *('til after 11am)* (100)
	9:15am	Easter Service - Contemporary (Hammill Hall)
	12:30pm	InkWELL Band Practice (Hammill Hall)
	3:30pm	Youth Band Practice (Multi-Purpose Rm)
	5:00pm	Youth Group (Multi-Purpose Rm)
	5:30pm	Disciple II (Kyle McCain) (113)
	7:30pm	Men's Basketball (Hammill Hall)
MONDAY	9:45am	Exercise (Multi-Purpose Rm.)
	10:00am	Harrison Pre-School Chapel (Sanctuary)
	7:00pm	Women's Council (Library)
TUESDAY	10:00am	Harrison Pre-School Chapel (Sanctuary)
	6:30pm	Mission Planning (302 and 110)
	7:00pm	Disciple I (Zenner) (116)
	7:00pm	Breaking Free (118)
	7:00pm	Walking With God Study (112)
	7:00pm	ESL (100-106)
	7:00pm	Career Transition Ministry (115)
	7:30pm	Brazilian Leadership Trng. (Library)
	8:00pm	Arborvitae Band Rehearsal (Hammill Hall)
WEDNESDAY	9:30am	ESL Class (100-105)
	9:45am	Exercise (Multi-Purpose Room)
	10:00am	Moving On After Moving In (Parlor)
	Noon	Open Door Luncheon (Hammill Hall)
	6:30pm	Mid-Week Worship Today (Hammill Hall)
	7:00pm	Disciple II (Johnson) (113)
	7:00pm	Disciple III (Veith) (111)
	7:00pm	ESL Class (100-106)
	7:30pm	Choir Practice (Sanctuary)
	7:30pm	Singles (114)
THURSDAY	10:00am	Disciple III (Frances Ashley) (102)
	7:30pm	Praise Team Practice (Hammill Hall)
	7:30pm	Brazilian Band Practice (Sanctuary)
FRIDAY	9:45am	Exercise Classes (Multi-Purpose Rm)
	6:30pm	Alpha Reunion (102)
	6:30pm	Spanish Band Practice (101)
	7:30pm	Brazilian Youth Band Practice (Multi-Purpose Rm)
SATURDAY	No Harrison Events Scheduled	
SUNDAY	9:00am	Harrison Coffee House *('til after 11am)* (100)
	9:15am	Foundations (115)
	10:30am	Disciple I (Jim Collins) (301)
	11:00am	Love & Respect Small Group (113)
	12:30pm	*InkWELL* Band Practice (Hammill Hall)
	12:30pm	Audio Visual Ministry (115)
	2:00pm	Dynamic Marriage (118)
	2:00pm	Financial Peace University (Hammill Hall)
	3:30pm	Youth Praise Band Practice (Multi-purpose Rm)
	5:00pm	Youth Group (Multi-Purpose Rm)
	5:30pm	Disciple II (McCain) (113)//Disciple IV (McCoy) (102)
	7:30pm	Men's Basketball (HH)

Counters:
TODAY ~ Cathy Borst and Debi Cloninger
April 4: Mike Poole and Bruce Ainslie

Harrison Church
225th Anniversary
1785-2010

"Harrison United Methodist Church is a family that invites everyone into a relationship with Christ to Worship, Discover, and Serve Christ."



***EASTER! -Resurrection Sunday:** "Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene went to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the entrance. 'So she came running to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one Jesus loved, and said, "They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we don't know where they have put him!" . . ." (John 20: 1-18)*

Harrison Weekly News

April 4, 2010

Harrison UMC, 15008 Lancaster Highway, Pineville, NC 28134 // 704-541-3463 // www.harrisonumc.org

Join Us This Morning for Coffee at the Harrison Coffee House Room 100, Bldg. 100. Open from 9-11 a.m.

JOIN US AT MID-WEEK OASIS!

Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m. in Hammill Hall

Refresh and renew yourself in God as we worship and fellowship together! New Series: *"To the End of the Earth"* (A walk through the Book of Acts). It started with a spiritually renewed band of Jewish disciples, fueled by the fresh wind of the Holy Spirit, and then it spread like wildfire to the dominating center of the ancient world and beyond. Witness the growth of the early church, and prepare to join God's unstoppable mission to make all things new!

OPEN DOOR LUNCHEON

THIS WEDNESDAY, APRIL 7

Featuring: Kathy Madsen ~ "The Chalk Lady"

It is past time for us to fellowship with one another again! The weather kept us apart in March, so we need to make up for lost time in April. You are all invited to our *Open Door* luncheon on Wednesday, April 7, at noon. Kathy Madsen, the "chalk lady" will join us again with "Watch the Lamb!" Cost is $8 per person and the meal will be Chicken Marcella. To reserve your place, call Sally at 704-541-3486, ext. 208.

FOUNDATIONS CLASS

STARTS NEXT SUNDAY

Whether you are new to Harrison or you have been attending for a while, if you are interested in finding out more about our ministries, theology and history, then come and join us for our next Foundations Class, starting Sunday, **April 11, at 9:15 a.m. in Room 115.**

This class runs for five Sundays (we will skip Mother's Day). Join us and have the opportunity to ask questions to the pastors, meet other newcomers, and learn about membership at Harrison. Discover your Spiritual Gifts and the next steps to getting connected at Harrison. Different ministry leaders are invited each week to talk about their area of ministry and to answer questions. To register, please contact Janice Fletcher at 704-542-1777 or jelcoach@bellsouth.net. No cost. Childcare available.

MEN'S SMALL GROUP 'WALKING WITH GOD"

Based on the book *"Walking with God"* by John Eldridge, this 9-week small group meets on Tuesdays at 7 p.m. at Harrison Church. Want more about the book? Visit www.walkingwithgod.net. To join the group, contact Tad Lugibihl at tlugibihl@carolina.rr.com.

HARRISON MEN'S BREAKFAST PROGRAM
APRIL 18 ~ 8 A.M., RM. 101, BLDG. 100
PLEASE JOIN US.

SERVICES OF WORSHIP & PRAISE FOR TODAY ~ EASTER SUNDAY

Please place your flowers on the cross to celebrate Jesus' glorious resurrection.

6:45 A.M. ~ THE SANCTUARY

PLEASE SEE YELLOW INSERT FOR PROGRAM

8:00 A.M. ~ THE SANCTUARY

Prelude
Welcome & Opening Prayer
Easter Hymn
Prayer for Tithes & Offering
Easter Celebration
Morning Prayer & The Lord's Prayer
Morning Message
Communion Music
Hymn of Response
Closing Prayer & Blessing
Postlude

9:15 A.M. ~ HAMMILL HALL

Praiselude
Welcome
Songs of Praise & Worship
Morning Prayer
Tithes, Offering & Offertory
Morning Message
Celebration of Holy Communion
Closing Prayer & Blessing

11:00 A.M. ~ THE SANCTUARY

Prelude
Welcome, & Opening Prayer
Easter Celebration
Resurrection Anthem
Morning Prayer & The Lord's Prayer
Tithes, Offering, & Anthem of Praise
Celebration of Holy Communion
Morning Message
Hymn of Celebration
The Flower Cross Recessional
Closing Prayer & Blessing
Postlude

The Church Offices will be closed tomorrow, Easter Monday ~ April 5th~ in observance of Easter.

CELEBRATING 225 YEARS OF Worship

WHAT'S HAPPENING AT HARRISON

RETURN TO RED BIRD MISSION

April 18 – 24, 2010

We are once again taking a team to Red Bird Mission in Eastern Kentucky. We will be working with the Community Outreach Project team there to improve the lives of those less fortunate than us. Come be a part of this exciting mission opportunity. If you would like to be a part of our team or learn more about the opportunity, please contact Bob Gourlay at regourlay@carolina.rr.com or 704-443-0038.

SAVE THE DATE! MAY 2ND

at 12:30 p.m. for for 'Picnic on the Lawn'

Not-so-Newly W'ed Game (Oldie-wed game?)

We are going to have a game similar to the old "Newlywed Game" on the day of our *Picnic on the Lawn*, Sunday, May 2, between 12:30 and 3 p.m. The difference is that THIS game is for couples who have been married for ANY length of time. If you are interested in challenging your partner to see how much he/she knows about you, please contact Jamie Boheler at sweetbabyjames21@bellsouth.net or Dena Brown at denabrown@carolina.rr.com. We hope you will join us on the lawn!! Bring your lunch and a blanket or chairs. We are still in search of a few party tents to provide some shade.

COMING THIS YEAR TO HARRISON

Saturday, May 8 ~ DANCE night! Details to come.
Sunday, August 1 ~ Friendship Event
Saturday, October 2 ~ Fall Festival and Harrison Church's 225th Anniversary Celebration ~ Contact us to help.
Sunday, October 3 ~ Harrison's 225th Anniversary Activities continue. ~ *Join us!*

To know more, contact Dena Brown at 704-756-9539 or email denabrown@carolina.rr.com.

LOVE & RESPECT CLASS CONTINUES

Next Sunday at 11 a.m.

What do you want for your marriage? Want some peace? Want to feel close? Want to feel valued? Want to experience marriage the way God intended? Then, why not try some Love and Respect?

Love & Respect, a new small group on marriage, is on hold for today, but continues next Sunday, April 11, at 11 a.m. in Room 113, Building 100. Join us as we discover how to meet a wife's need to feel loved and a husband's need to feel respected. Please register by calling Anita King at 704-541-3486, ext. 213, or emailing her at anita.king@harrisonumc.org.

Adult Sunday School Classes at 9:30 a.m.

Start New Curriculum: 'Lord, Teach Me To Pray'

Join our **Fellowship Sunday School class** in this Kay Arthur study which teaches on how to put the Lord's Prayer into practice. The Fellowship Sunday School class meets at 9:30 a.m. in Building 300 (between Hammill Hall and the Sanctuary). The **Agape Sunday School Class** will be starting a new study from the "Faith Lessons" series by Ray Vander Laan. The new study will begin on Sunday, April 18, at 9:30 a.m. in Room 114. To register for either of these classes, please contact Anita King at 704-541-3486, ext. 213, or email anita.king@harrisonumc.org.

Summer Fun Camps

Harrison Preschool

June 1, 2 & 3: In the Jungle
June 8, 9 & 10: Out in the Desert
June 15, 16 & 17: Deep in the Forest
June 22, 23, 24: Under the Sea
9 a.m. - 1 p.m. each day
Registration going on NOW!

To enroll your child, please pick-up the registration form on the podium outside the Pre-School Office in the Children's Wing, next to the Sanctuary, or call Carol Bonds at 704-541-3463, ext. 203, for more information.

HARRISON MEN'S UPCOMING EVENTS

Harrison BBQ Sale ~ Friday, April 16
For more information, please contact Joe Montgomery at Mont1423@bellsouth.net

Men's Retreat at Lake Junaluska ~ *April 23-25*
Planning to attend? Please contact Mike Kendall at kend664@bellsouth.net, to reserve a space for you.

Steak Dinner ~ Monday, May 17
Room 101, Plummer Education Bldg.

Harrison Night at the Charlotte Knights ~ *June 25*

SERVING AT HARRISON

Get Behind the Visual Scenes On Sunday . . .
Volunteer to be a part of the Audio Visual Ministry on Sunday mornings. Interested? Please contact Rick Heckenkamp at 704-779-8050 / rickrsvp@mindspring.com.

Change the Life of a Child?... Aren't we busy?? With the schedules we all seem to keep, our Sunday school teachers come and go! How would you like to change the life of a child? We need a new lead teacher and a couple of assistant teachers. It would be a big help if you would contact Sally Ainslie at 704-541-3486, ext. 208, or sally.ainslie@harrisonumc.org.

A Warm Smile and Friendly Spirit Is All That Is Needed . . . The Harrison Church Office is looking for persons to **serve as volunteer receptionists or as a reserve for our present volunteer receptionists.** Our Volunteer Reception Team answers the phone at the front desk with joy and a smile and welcomes and provides information about Harrison to visitors. Receptionists volunteer in 4-hour shifts. **Available shifts now: Monday mornings and Friday afternoons.** This is the perfect way to serve the church and to meet people. To join us, please call 704-541-3463 or email Vicki Lawson at vicki.lawson@harrisonumc.org. ***Thank you.***

Want to share your news?
Please email newsletter articles and photos (.jpg) to vicki.lawson@harrisonumc.org by **5 p.m. on Mondays.**

I.N.K. CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
INFANTS ~ 5TH GRADE

A Note To Parents . . . Do you have a child in the 2nd grade this school year? Now that we are strongly encouraging our children ages 1st through 5th grades to read their Bibles, we need to change the tradition of 3rd graders receiving Bibles. So, on **June 6th**, we will present them to our current 2nd graders. Please email your child's full name and date of birth to sally.ainslie@harrisonumc.org or call her at 704-541-3486, ext. 208. *Thank you.*

Calling Leaders, Facilitators, Teachers and Hosts!

Harrison UMC is embarking on a new campaign aimed at providing the environment and opportunity for spiritual growth at every level of faith development. This program will be both "church-based" and "community-based". Initially, we are looking for leaders / facilitators / teachers willing to commit to the ministry and help guide individuals as they explore their faith. We also are looking for individuals who are excited about the opportunity to "host" a community-based group in their home. If you sense God leading you in either direction, please contact either Anita King at 704-541-3463, ext. 213, or anita.king@harrisonumc.org ; or Jim Collins at jamesloydcollins@gmail.com, for further information. Ongoing training and support will be provided.

An Evening in Paris

Bon Jour Ladies and Gentlemen: Come and join us on Saturday, May 8th, for ***An Evening In Paris***, our second Harrison fun, food and fellowship dance. Those who missed last year's dance won't want to miss this one. It promises to be another grand evening. Look for more details in the coming weeks.

Career Transition Ministry Needs You!
Volunteers ~ Employers ~ Supporters
Job Opening Tips!

For more information, email **HarrisonCTM@gmail.com**, call 704-541-3486, ext. 251, or visit our Linkedin group at **www.HUMCjobs.com.**

New Babies!

It is with great pleasure that Harrison Church announces the birth of . . .

Greyson Tyler Hemby

son of Chelsea Hemby & grandson of Don and Carol Hemby, born March 29 ~ weighing 8lbs., 2 oz., and measuring 20 1/2" long.

~Congratulations!

10% in 2010!

FROM MISSIONS

"When God's Children are in need ready to help them."
(Romans 12:13 NLT)

Serving Charlotte Rescue Mission Easter Dinner

We are serving dinner at the Rescue Mission today at 5 p.m. Please join us in spending part of your Easter Sunday serving the men in the Rebound Program. If you would like to donate a dessert, please bring it to either Hammill Hall or the Plummer Building. We will plan to leave from the church at 3:45 p.m. and should be back by 6:30 p.m.

"Feed My Starving Children" ~ Community-Wide

Harrison will head up a community-wide event **June 16-19** to pack 350,000 meals for children in Haiti. If you, your family, your small group, your friends and neighbors, or your business would like to be a part of the 1,700 volunteers who will work at this event, watch the newsletter for more information or contact Ron Sheppard at ronls@carolina.rr.com.

Room In The Inn – Thank You!!!

This season's *Room In The Inn* program has ended. We would like to sincerely thank all of you who helped this season to be a huge success. Many of you helped with transportation, provided meals, stayed overnight, and most importantly provided shelter and fellowship to our Neighbors. **A special thanks to The Rising Roll for providing sandwiches for the Neighbors each week.**

Harrison Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry

in the White Bldg. 300 (behind Hammill Hall)

Operating Hours: ***Tuesdays and Thursdays; 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.***
Harrison Pantry Mission Initiative - **Back packs for children Initiative**…. **Items needed**: Non-perishable, pre-portioned, pre-packaged, and single serving fruit cups, single serving breakfast bars, single serving oatmeal or cereals, single serving fruit juices, single serving peanut butter crackers or cheese crackers, single serving meat meals for kids. The main pantry needs plain bagged rice and fruit juice (no glass please.) Questions? Contact Kathy Sims at ksims@comporium.net or tcondit@carolina.rr.com.

FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE COOKBOOK

Friendship Circle wishes to thank everyone who submitted recipes for the church cookbook. Some recipes had to be eliminated due to copyright laws and various other reasons beyond our control. The "draft" is on the way to the printer. We will announce when the books are ready for sale. Questions? Please call Maureen Cosper at 704-504-3884.

Memorial Fund

To Harrison Church's Loaves & Fishes in memory of Susan McDermott

from
Robert & Carol Johns
D. Lyle & Jenne Pyke
John and Pamela Monahan
Tomas and Carolyn Hardesty

STAYING IN TOUCH

If you've moved or recently changed your contact numbers (telephone, cell, or email address), please let us know. We'd love to stay in touch, but need your updated information to do so. Please send your updated information to: **vicki.lawson@harrisonumc.org.**