



"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. - Room 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 Withers, Julia Adams, Anne Kolbe, Pauline Wilson, Pat Young, 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:**

Leitner Hall

10801 Providence Rd W, Charlotte, NC 28277-1536

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: Oct. 10-15, 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 Service (Sanctuary)
SUNDAY	9:00am	Harrison Coffee House (<i>til after 11am</i>) (100)
	9:00am	Confirmation Class (109)
	9:15am	Methodist Doctrine (113)//Foundations (115)
	11:00am	Going Deeper (301) //Effective Parenting(113)
	12:30pm	Audio Visual Ministry (115)
	12:30pm	<i>Inkwell</i> Band Practice (Hammill Hall)
	3:30pm	Youth Praise Band (Multipurpose Rm)
	4:00pm	Dynamic Marriage (118)
	4:30pm	REACH Sub-Committee (113)
	5:00pm	Youth Group (Multi-Purpose Rm)
	7:30pm	Men's Recreational Basketball (Hammill Hall)
ALL WEEK		TRUSTEES REPLACING FLOOR IN BLDG 300
MONDAY	7:00am	Band of Brothers (Big View Diner)
	10:00am	Harrison Preschool Chapel (Sanctuary)
	10:00am	Friendship Circle (101)
	12:00pm	Prayer Time (30 minutes) (Sanctuary)
	12:30pm	Faith Partners (113)
	7:00pm	Disciple III (115) // Stephen Ministry (100)
	7:45pm	Arborvitae Band Set Up Stage (Sanctuary)
	8:00pm	MidWeek Worship Vocal Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
TUESDAY	9:30am	ESL (Starting in 102-105, 100-childcare)
	9:30AM	Harrison Staff Meeting (Private)
	9:30am	Celebration of Discipline (116)
	10:00am	Harrison Preschool Chapel (Sanctuary)
	6:30pm	Faith Circle (118)
	7:00pm	Disciple II (111)
	7:00pm	ESL Evening Classes (102-105,100/Childcare)
	7:00pm	Ethnic Blends, Mixing Diversity (Parlor)
	7:00pm	Financial Peace (MP, 107, 109, 110, 112)
	7:30pm	Brazilian Leadership Trng. (Library)
	8:00pm	ArborVitae Band Rehearsal (Hammill Hall)
WEDNESDAY	9:30am	ESL (Starting in 102-105, 100-childcare)
	10:00am	Moving On After Moving In (Parlor)
	6:30pm	Mid-Week Worship (Hammill Hall)
	7:00pm	ESL Evening Classes (101-105,100/Childcare)
	7:30pm	Choir Practice (Sanctuary)
	7:30pm	Disciple I (115) // Living Beyond Yourself (118)
	7:45pm	Bible 101 (110) // Spiritual Secrets (Library)
THURSDAY	10:00am	Boundaries (115)
	12:30pm	Harrison Pre-School ESCAPE (101)
	7:00pm	Helping Hurting People (Library)
	7:30pm	Praise Team Practice (Hammill Hall)
	7:30pm	Brazilian Band Practice (Sanctuary)
FRIDAY	6:00pm	Spanish Band Practice (100)
	6:30pm	Alpha (101-105, Kitchen 101, Nursery)
	7:00pm	Spanish Bible Study (100)
	7:30pm	Brazilian Youth Band Pract. (Multipurpose Rm)

Counters Today: Mike Poole and Tom/Mary Keifer
 October 17: Cathy Borst and Bruce Ainslie

Today's Stephen Ministry Prayer Assistants

8:00 a.m. ~ Jan Zenner
 9:15 a.m. ~ Judy Chmura and Sue Luke
 11a.m. ~ Jan Zenner and Sonya Johnson



Harrison UMC Weekly News



20th Sunday

After Pentecost

It happened that as he made his way toward Jerusalem, he crossed over the border between Samaria and Galilee. As he entered a village, ten men, all lepers, met him. They kept their distance but raised their voices, calling out, "Jesus, Master, have mercy on us!"

(Luke 17:11-19)

Stephen Ministers are Available This Morning For You by the Altar.

Has this morning's service awakened a desire for someone to pray with you? After this morning's service, there will be prayer teams available at the front by the altar to listen to your requests and bring them before the Lord in prayer.

Please see page 4 for a list of Stephen Ministers who are available to pray with you today.

The flowers on the altar today in the Sanctuary

are in honor of 50 years of marriage for the Snyders. Happy Anniversary Lorene and Gene!



Great Worship Opportunity!

Every Monday
Prayer & Healing Service with Holy Communion ~ at Noon in the Sanctuary.
 All are welcome.

Men's Breakfast/Program - 8 am

Next Sunday, October 17,
Plummer Education Bldg. 100
Harrison Men Join Us!



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

"Be Our Biggest Loser" at Mid-Week Worship

This Wednesday, Oct. 13, at 6:30 p.m.

This week's topic: "Despair, Hopelessness, Meaningless Life"

For more details, visit www.harrisonumc.org or call 704-541-3463. Childcare available, but reservations are requested. To reserve childcare, please call Sally Ainslie at 704-541-3463, ext. 208.

Pumpkin Patch: Coming This Saturday ~ Volunteers Needed

It's back!!! The *Pumpkin Patch* begins this **Saturday, October 16**. They will arrive about 4 p.m. We need volunteers, adults and youth, to help us unload the pumpkins and set up the Patch between 4-7 p.m. Volunteer in 2-hour shifts beginning Oct. 17 - 31. The patch is a great way to meet people in our community, and it's a great thing for families to do together. It also raises money for HUMYF Events like BigStuf Camp, Salkehatchie Mission Trip, and the Jamaica Mission Trip.

To sign up and get more information, visit:

<http://www.harrisonumc.org/database-pumpkinpatchsu.html>

Please read the instructions carefully and sign up!

Would YOU like to be a Stephen Minister?

Information meetings regarding the upcoming Stephen Minister Training will take place on:

October 20th: 7:45-8:45 p.m. in the Conference Room, Bldg. 100

October 24th: 5-6 p.m. in Room 100, Bldg. 100

October 26th: 7-8 p.m. in Room 115, Bldg. 100

Stephen Ministry, which started 35 years ago, operates with the mission that "Stephen Ministers *care*, and God *cures*." Come, learn more, and ask questions. Fifty hours of training on Monday nights will begin January 21, 2011. If you need more information, contact Sally Ainslie at 704-541-3463, ext. 208, or Sue Luke at 704-544-8804.



Men's Ministry Couples' Dinner ~ Saturday, Oct. 23

at 7 p.m. in Hammill Hall

The Harrison UMC Men's Ministry will have a dinner for couples on Saturday, Oct. 23, starting at 7 p.m. in Hammill Hall. Cost: Free! Come enjoy an evening of fine food and lively entertainment with that special someone in your life. Space is limited to the first 40 couples to respond. Please RSVP to Mike Kendall at kend664@bellsouth.net.

The Healthy Chef is Here Again ~ Wed., Oct. 27, at 7:45 pm

Kim Veith, our resident nutritionist, will be presenting healthy ways to cook, using a low-fat method. **This will be presented in the Hammill Hall Kitchen.** Call Kathleen Cooper at 803-753-1285 to reserve your spot. Cost:\$3.

Join us November 7th for our annual 'Heaven on the Hill'

Come experience Harrison's multicultural blend of prayer and praise at "Heaven on the Hill" on Sunday, November 7, at 7 p.m. in our Sanctuary. This annual charge conference will be an evening featuring very special worship through our American, Brazilian, Hispanic, and Korean cultures. We also will be welcoming persons into full membership.

Come, join us and bring a friend!

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

Grab a Seat! ~ Help Needed for Chair Set Up / Tear down in Hammill Hall ~ For Sunday Services - Help is needed setting up the chairs on Saturday (after 7 p.m.) or early Sunday (7 a.m.) in Hammill Hall. There is a detailed chair layout and only takes about 45 minutes. Grab a friend and fellowship while you set up! If you are interested, please email Tad Luginbihl at tluginbihl@carolina.rr.com.

Mid-Week Worship - We need help in setting up and tearing down the chairs and a few other regular items (PVC partitions, round tables) for Mid-Week Worship. The set up can occur on Tuesday evenings or anytime on Wednesday up until 4:30 p.m. If you're interested, please email mike.beachy@harrisonumc.org.

Receptionists 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. This is the perfect way to serve the church and to meet people. To join us, please email

To Honor or Remember A Loved One With a Beautiful Bouquet on the Altar on Sundays ~ email vicki.lawson@harrisonumc.org with what you would like the newsletter announcement to say and the type of flower arrangement you desire. The cost of each bouquet is \$60. Checks may be made payable to Harrison UMC with "altar flowers" written on the memo line.

DID YOU KNOW? Several Japanese engineers for **Mitsubishi Nuclear Energy Systems** in Rock Hill are students at *English as a Second Language* here at Harrison UMC.



Harrison Church Study Groups That Are Still Open

Introduction to the Bible ~ Sundays at 9:15 a.m. in Room 116
Bringing the Bible to Life ~ Sundays at 9:15 a.m. in Room 114
Methodist Doctrine & Beliefs ~ Sundays at 9:15 a.m. in Rm. 113
Going Deeper ~ Sundays at 11 a.m. in Room 301
Effective Parenting ~ Sundays at 11 a.m. in Room 113

Ethnic Blends

Tuesdays @ 7 p.m. in the Parlor

After the Boxes are Unpacked (Moving On After Moving In)
 Wednesdays @ 10 a.m. in the Parlor

Bible 101

Wednesdays @ 7:45 pm in room 110

Band of Brothers (Men's Group) ~ Mondays at 7 a.m.
 Big View Diner (at Ardrey Kell / Hwy. 521)
 Currently studying "The Jesus I Never Knew"

Sunday School Groups

Discussion Class ~ Sundays @ 9:15 a.m. in Room 118
 Currently studying "A Praying Life"

McGinn Class ~ Sundays @ 9:15 a.m. in the Chapel
 Studying the UM Adult Sunday School Curriculum

Fellowship Group ~ Sundays @ 9:15 a.m. in Room 301
 Currently studying "What in the World is Going On?"

Genesis Group ~ Sundays @ 11 a.m. in Room 118
 Ongoing study of individual books of the Bible

New Life Groups now forming:

Jim & Alicia Collins – Friday nights, every other week
 Chris & Roberta Keener – day and time to be determined.

For more information or to register, please contact Anita King at anita.king@harrisonumc.org or 704-541-3486, ext 213. For a complete list of study groups and their descriptions, please visit www.harrisonumc.org.

Crisis Assistance Ministry Needs Household Items

The Crisis Assistance Center operates a "free store" for its clients use. They need donations of clothing items, blankets, and kitchenware items. They also need furniture and appliances, such as stoves, refrigerators, microwaves, mattresses, dressers, sofas, dining tables, and chairs (any item that could be used in a basic household). Please bring your "no longer needed" **small** items to the church and either drop them in Hammill Hall or at the entrance of the Children's Wing. If you have large items, please contact Ron Sheppard at 704-541-2659 to make arrangements.

TakeThem.AMeal.com

To sign up for a convenient delivery date, please visit: TakeThemA-Meal.Com (password: HUMC), it will guide you as to where to deliver the food and the types of food each family may receive. Presently listed for assistance: the Campozanos, the Navarros, and the Lees.

English As A Second Language: Please help this thriving International Ministry by donating refreshments for class nights. **We need regular donations of soda, chips, dips, fresh fruit, cookies, and cakes** for Tuesdays and Wednesdays each week. Please contact Andrea Crowell at 704-541-4842 or akirby@carolina.rr.com if you can help. **Thank you!**

**I.N.K. Children's Ministry
 Infants — 5th Grade**

I.N.K. Ministry Mission Statement
 Relying on God's power working in us, imagine the **Impact**, we can have **Now** on our **Kids** and families. The Children's Ministry Vision Statement gives each child a challenge to work towards ~ **Love God // Live 4 God and // Lead others 2 God!** So parents, bring your kids to Sunday school at **either 9:15 a.m. or 11 a.m.** or to the **InkWELL** service for 1st-5th grades at 11 a.m. each week in Hammill Hall. We also have a time for kids, ages 4 - 2nd grade, **during the Mid-Week service on Wednesdays (6:30-7:30 p.m.)**.



Sunday School Teachers Needed . . .

We want our children to know Jesus and of His amazing love. Why not join our team of great leaders? There are still a few openings. You may also call Sherri DeMeuse at 704-752-5116 or Sally Ainslie at 704-541-3486, ext. 208, or sally.ainslie@harrisonumc.org. Thank you!

Help us out ~ Inkwell needs your paper towel rolls. . . and empty two-liter Soda bottles over the next several weeks! We need 50 paper towel rolls **before Oct. 17th**, and we need 20 two-liter bottles before Oct. 31st. *Thanks so much!* Please drop them off at the Church Office in Bldg. 100, mark them for InkWell.

In Our Community:

The Bethlehem Center of Charlotte

"A Child Needs Your Help . . . And you don't have to travel far. . . The Bethlehem Center is looking for you!"

Founded in 1940 by United Methodist Women, the Bethlehem Center of Charlotte has for 70 years provided quality child enrichment activities for school-age children and youth. The center strives to provide programs to improve the quality of life for at-risk families:

The following are just some ways to get involved:

Help a child or youth with homework

Mentor a teen

Work with crafts or share a special talent

Assist in our special events,

such as the Thanksgiving Food Drive

Want to know more or to help? If so, contact Jan Zenner at 704-321-1957 or bjzenner1@carolina.rr.com or Betsy Woog at 704-541-0738 or bdwoog@gmail.com.

Charlotte District Prayer & Praise Event

Monday, Oct. 25 ~ Sharon UMC, Charlotte

Please join us Monday, Oct. 25 for our District Prayer and Praise event, "Peace, Hope, and Joy", which will be held at Sharon UMC at 7:30 p.m. The guest speaker will be Dave Sanderson, a member of Providence UMC who was one of the survivors of the "landing on the Hudson". Music will be provided by Jimmy Jones and the Myers Park Women's Choir as well as a musical group from Sharon UMC. Admission is free and all are invited!

Harrison Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry

**Building 300, White Building behind Hammill Hall
 Tuesdays and Thursdays; 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.**

Drum role please . . . THE RESULTS ARE IN . . . THE FOOD WAS WEIGHED AND STOCKED ON THE PANTRY SHELVES. We received 930 lbs. for the pantry and 38 lbs. for the backpack ministry. **That's 968 lbs. – AWESOME!!!** Our hats are off to each of you who helped make this food drive such a blessing by coming by the "truck"! Without each of you this couldn't have happened. Thank you! **If you would like to be added as a volunteer**, need information or planning a food drive, contact Dawn Bruner at dbruner1@carolina.rr.com.

BACKPACK UPDATE - The response of the church as a whole to the needs of the backpack program has been tremendous and heart warming. At the end of September after just six weeks of operation, we have delivered 252 backpacks containing over 4,100 food items. During this period, donations of food have totaled over 6,000 items. We send a minimum of 14 individual food items in each of 42 backpacks every weekend. Your food donations keep us going! With your support this program will feed hungry kids each weekend at Indian Land Elementary school for the entire school year. **Our top needs for food this week are:** (individual servings; no peanut butter): Breakfast granola bars, cookies, cheese crackers, rice krispies treats, applesauce, 100% juice, and Mac & Cheese. For more information, contact Rudy Chittenden at rudy_chittenden@yahoo.com

All donations may be left in the L&F bins in the Plummer Building 100 Reception area and in the entry of Hammill Hall and the Sanctuary Narthex.

Caring for your spiritual needs

Since 1785, God has blessed Harrison Church as a place where the *broken become whole and wholly devoted to Christ!* Within the family of God, times of crisis or challenge can become opportunities for growth and healing. If you are going through a time of personal difficulty or uncertainty, we want to be a vessel for healing.



If you are in need of spiritual direction . . .

Please call us to schedule an appointment at 704-541-3463.

Please understand that while the pastors seek to be always available, they are not always *assessable for drop-in visits*. If you are in need of spiritual direction, **please schedule an appointment** with one of the pastors by calling 704-541-3463. If you desire more regular and frequent care, you might consider **requesting a Stephen Minister** by contacting Sally Ainslie (ext. 208) or Pastor Gayle (ext. 209).

Prayer requests may be emailed to:

Teresa McKenzie at teresamckenzie@carolina.rr.com.

Thank you for allowing us to tend your soul as we care for this flock. By scheduling your pastoral appointments, you help the pastors attend to their own needs and souls as well. **BLESS YOU!**