

*"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*

- 5:00 a.m. - Korean Prayer Service (Daily)
- 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 a.m. - Room 118, Bldg. 100

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Visit our website: [www.harrisonumc.org](http://www.harrisonumc.org)

**Prayer Concerns**

**Serving a Prison Term:** Michelle Olivares and Travis Helms.  
**At Home:** Pastor Mark Plummer, Dorothy Agathon, Darwin Byrum, Betty & Walter Furr, Virginia Luckey, Lydia Jennings, Pat Young, Virginia Middleton, 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:**

**Virginia Luckey ~ c/o Unihealth Post Acute Care  
261 S. Herlong Ave., Rock Hill, SC 29732**

*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.*

**Highlights This Week: Sept. 25-30**

- SUNDAY** 9:15am ALIVE Café for Young Adults (302)
- 9:15am Youth Groups (Multipurpose Rm)
- 11:00AM Disciple I (116)
- 2:00pm Children's Council (104)
- 2:00pm Children's Choir Rehearsal (100)
- 3:00pm Youth Band Practice (Multipurpose Rm)
- 4:00pm Financial Peace University (115)
- 4:00pm Dynamic Marriage (118)
- 4:00pm Stewardship (Conference Room)
- 4:30pm Worship (116)
- 5:00pm Missions (101)
- 5:00pm Youth Group (7-12th grade) (MP Rm)
- 5:30pm Wholiness Ministry (Library)
- 6:00pm Trustees (112)
- 7:00pm Administrative Board (101)
- 7:30pm Men's Recreational Basketball
- MONDAY** 7:00am Band of Brothers (Big View Diner)
- 10:00am Harrison Preschool Chapel (Sanctuary)
- 12:00pm Prayer & Healing Service (Sanctuary)
- 7:00pm Disciple II (301) // Disciple IV (Library)
- 7:00pm Stephen Ministry Picnic (100, Arbor, Kitchen)
- TUESDAY** 9:30am English As A 2nd Language (ESL) (100,102-106)
- 9:30am Harrison Staff Mtg (Private)
- 10:00am Harrison Preschool Chapel (Sanctuary)
- 10:00am Loaves & Fishes Pantry (10a-1p,Bldg.300)
- 7:00pm Disciple III Evening (111)
- 7:00pm ESL Evening Classes (100-106)
- 7:00pm Staff Parish Relations (Conference Room)
- WEDNESDAY** 9:30am English As A 2nd Language (ESL) (100,102-106)
- 10:00am Having A Mary Heart in a Martha World (118)
- Noon Missions Concert Png (Conference Room)
- 7:00pm Disciple I (118)
- 7:00pm Healthy Living (Multipurpose Room)
- 7:00pm Foundations Class on Wednesdays (115)
- 7:30pm Choir Practice (Sanctuary)
- THURSDAY** 10:00am Loaves & Fishes Pantry (10a-1p,Bldg.300)
- 3:00pm Senior Adult Council (Conference Room)
- 7:00pm Disciple IV (115) // ESL Evening (100-106)
- 7:30pm Praise Team Practice (Hammill Hall)
- FRIDAY** 11 a.m. 30th Annual Men's BBQ (11a-7p,Hammill Hall)
- 6:00pm Spanish Band Practice (101)

*For a current and complete listing of this calendar, please visit Harrison Events at [www.harrisonumc.org](http://www.harrisonumc.org) at the top of the home page. For Youth, Children, and Adult Sunday classes and other activities, please see the gray box in the upper left corner of this page.*

**Today's Counter:**

**Steve Schwarz & Jim Rochester**

- October 2 Anne Cullip & Phil/Debi Cloninger
- October 9 Greg Johnson & Bob Gourlay
- October 16 Cathy Borst & Dave Jones



**To Reserve A Room, Sign-Up Table, or Banner Space and all other Communications Needs, including sharing your news in the weekly newsletter please email [vicki.lawson@harrisonumc.org](mailto:vicki.lawson@harrisonumc.org) by 5 p.m. on Mondays.**

**To promote your Harrison UMC Church Event or Group, or to see our church communications policy, please visit [www.harrisonumc.org](http://www.harrisonumc.org) under "Member Area" click on *Event Check List* for details.**

**Harrison UMC**

**Weekly News**



**15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost**

*Be a good citizen. All governments are under God. Insofar as there is peace and order, it's God's order. So live responsibly as a citizen. If you're irresponsible to the state, then you're irresponsible with God, and God will hold you responsible. Duly constituted authorities are only a threat if you're trying to get by with something. Decent citizens should have nothing to fear. (Romans 13)*

**\*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 partners available at the front by the altar to listen to your requests and bring them before the Lord in prayer. **Please see below for the Stephen Ministers who are available to pray with you today:**

- 8:00 a.m.: Jan Zenner
- 9:15 a.m.: Jan Boheler
- 11:00 a.m.: Judy Rainey

**30th Annual Harrison UMC Men's BBQ ~ This Friday, Sept. 30th 11 a.m. - 7 p.m. in Hammill Hall**

Proceeds will benefit Harrison UMC's Haiti Mission School and Clinic. Come eat lunch & dinner **inside Hammill Hall**, get a TO GO order or let us cater lunch for your company. Credit cards accepted. To order, contact Joe Montgomery at 704-904-6505 or [Jmontgomery@AmericanBlanching.com](mailto:Jmontgomery@AmericanBlanching.com).

**Blood Drive at the Fall Festival This Saturday, Oct. 1 ~ 10 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. in the Narthex of the Sanctuary.**

To sign up, please call Dave Hatcher at 704-905-8582.

Harrison United Methodist Church  
15008 Lancaster Highway  
Pineville, NC 28134  
704-541-3463 (Main Reception)  
[www.harrisonumc.org](http://www.harrisonumc.org)



**Harrison Church**



Balsam Range



The Lemonds Family

**Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> Tickets Still Available! Bluegrass & Gospel Concert at 4 p.m. following our Annual Fall Festival from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

**The Concert features:**  
The Lemonds Family, Balsam Range, The Cockman Family, and The HIM's!

**Both events will be on the HUMC grounds. Outdoors ~ Rain or Shine ~ No refunds**

Advance ticket purchase is now available ~ Concert tickets will be available after each service on Sunday. Cost: \$20 for 13 year to Adult ; \$10 for ages 5-12. Children age 5 and under are free! Festival Tickets also will be available after each service on Sunday. **Advance purchase for festival tickets (rides/games) is also available: 40 cents each or 40 tickets for \$10.** At the Festival, the games/rides tickets will be 50 cents each.

**To purchase tickets, visit the Coffee House (Room 100) Today After Worship or in the Church Office, Plummer Bldg. 100 ~ Monday-Friday. To purchase by credit card, visit [iTickets.com](http://iTickets.com) ~ additional service fee charged.**

**2011 Fall Festival ~ THIS SATURDAY! Oct. 1<sup>st</sup> ~ 11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Bouncy Games ~ Cupcake Walk ~ Hayrides ~ Silent Auction ~ BBQ, and more!**

**Mark your calendars to attend the festival this year! Would you like to help?** Run a game? Set up? Clean up? Deliver pumpkins or hay bales? **Sign Up Today After Worship! Volunteers are still needed! Please Sign Up Online. Want to sign up online:**

*Festival: sign up at [www.SignUpGenius.com/go/fall1470](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/fall1470) ~ 2 hour shifts available*  
*Concert: For the Concert: sign up at [www.SignUpGenius.com/go/harmony10](http://www.SignUpGenius.com/go/harmony10).*

For more information, e-mail Patsy Sheppard at [psheppard1@carolina.rr.com](mailto:psheppard1@carolina.rr.com) or Dena Brown at [denabrown@carolina.rr.com](mailto:denabrown@carolina.rr.com).

**Silent Auction Donations Are Still Being Accepted!**

Please drop off donations in the Reception Area of the Plummer Education Building (100). If you have larger items to donate for the silent or possible LIVE auction, please email Denny Little at [rdkingden@aol.com](mailto:rdkingden@aol.com). **Baked goods and cupcakes will be accepted this Friday, Sept. 30, and Saturday, Oct. 1, in the Hammill Hall kitchen.** Please label goods *FF bake sale* or *FF cake walk*. Donated game prizes/candy are being accepted as well. Please leave in the silent auction box - Attn: Dena.



**Coming Next Sunday, Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**Harrison UMC's 226<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! United Worship Celebration at 10 a.m.**

**Church on the Lawn ~ Only 1 service That Day ~ \*Outdoors.**  
*(\*If it rains, we will gather in Hammill Hall at 10 a.m.)*  
**Adult Sunday School & Disciple Classes will be held from 9-10 a.m. No inkWELL, ALIVE Café, or McGinn Class will be held on this day.**  
**The Nursery will be available for ages 3 and under.**  
**Please bring your lawn chairs and blankets.**

**Grab a Seat! ~ Help Needed for Chair Set Up / Tear down in Hammill Hall And for the New! ALIVE Café . . .**

**For Sunday Services** - Additional help is needed **one Saturday per month** to help our regular crew in setting up the chairs (time depends on events scheduled in Hammill Hall). There is a detailed chair layout and it only takes about 45 minutes. Grab a friend and fellowship while you set up! If you are interested and are age 16 and older, please email Tad Lugibihl at [tlugibihl@carolina.rr.com](mailto:tlugibihl@carolina.rr.com).

**For our New! Sunday ALIVE Café (Bldg. 300)** - A one-hour set up will be on Saturday evenings or early Sunday mornings. To help, contact Mike at [mike.beachy@gmail.com](mailto:mike.beachy@gmail.com) or 704-541-3463, ext. 214.

**ESL Teacher Assists Needed . . .** ESL's teachers stepped up to take on the next fabulous year. Several of them *need* a Teacher's Assistant. The duties are to assist the teacher with the lesson which is already planned, look over the student's shoulder, and answer questions, and, smile and be friendly. Assistants' openings are on Tuesdays and Wednesdays ~ 9:30-11:30 a.m. and Tuesdays and Thursdays ~ 7-9 p.m. Your help is appreciated, your blessings are assured. To volunteer, contact Andrea Crowell at [akirby@carolina.rr.com](mailto:akirby@carolina.rr.com) or 704-905-7877.

**Want to Serve?** If you are looking for a place to serve, contact Anita King at 704-541-3486, ext. 213, or [anita.king@harrisonumc.org](mailto:anita.king@harrisonumc.org). Check the *Harrison Weekly News* for new service opportunities!

**Join Us This Morning at the Harrison Coffee House, Rm. 100, Plummer Building #100. Open from 9-11 a.m.**



**Are you a 20, 30, or early 40 something?**

**Join us at the AliveCafé starting Today at 9:15 a.m. in Bldg. 300.**

Harrison UMC is forming a Younger Adult Ministry and we would love to see you get plugged in! Visit us at [www.harrisonumc.org/ministries/alive-young-adults](http://www.harrisonumc.org/ministries/alive-young-adults). To know more, contact [mikebeachy@gmail.com](mailto:mikebeachy@gmail.com)!

*For this reason a man will leave his father and mother*



*and be united to his wife, and they will become one flesh. Genesis 2:24*

**Harrison UMC Church is pleased to announce the marriage of**

**Elaine Hatcher-James and Adam Ubrey**  
**On September 24<sup>th</sup>**

**~ Congratulations! ~**

**L.N.K. Children's Ministry / Infants ~ 5th Grade**

**New! Harrison UMC Children's Choir to Meet Sept. 25<sup>th</sup> from 2-3 p.m. in Room 100, Plummer Bldg. 100.**

Join us as together we sing praises to the Lord!  
**Hope to see you there!**

**Bethlehem Center of Charlotte's 12th Annual Golf Classic benefitting Children in the After-School Program**

**Monday, Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup> ~ Raintree Country Club**

The Bethlehem Center's mission is to provide educational opportunities for low-income children and families to improve the quality of their lives. It provides hope for a better future through education and outreach, including early childhood enrichment, school age child development, college scholarship fund, and support services. Contact Basil Williams at 704-371-7415 or [bwilliams@bethlehemcenter.org](mailto:bwilliams@bethlehemcenter.org).



**Join us for our monthly Open Door Luncheon for Games and a Flu Shot Clinic!**

**~ Wednesday, Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>, at noon in Hammill Hall ~**



This month, join us as we play some games and also have the opportunity to receive an annual flu shot. If you are on Medicare, it is covered. Some insurance companies pay for the shots, it just depends upon your company. The cost for each shot is \$29. To reserve your for lunch, please call Sally at 704-541-3486, ext. 208. The luncheon cost is \$8 per person.



**GET YOUR FLU SHOT!**

**Starting October 9<sup>th</sup> ~ Foundations Class**

**for newcomers and those interested in membership at Harrison UMC.** This class will run for 5 consecutive Sundays from 9:15 to 10:45 a.m. in Room 115. Learn about Harrison Church, our theology and history, ministries, and next steps to getting connected. Meet the pastors and ministry leaders. Learn about your Spiritual Gifts and how God shaped you to serve. To register, please email Jennifer Hupko at [iluvgodtoo@yahoo.com](mailto:iluvgodtoo@yahoo.com).



***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 *accessible 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 Pastor Gayle (ext. 209).

**Prayer requests may be emailed to:**

**Teresa McKenzie at [teresamckenzie@carolina.rr.com](mailto:teresamckenzie@carolina.rr.com).**

**Watch our Sunday Worship Sermons Online!**

at <http://blip.tv/harrison-church>  
Scroll down the page to view our sermon listings.

**Join us Monday, Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>, to hear the founders of Kenya's Gethsemane Garden Christian Centre (GGCC)**



**~ Have your heart stolen like the Kendall family's was!**

Come hear first-hand African God-stories and testimonies so powerful you will get chills. Ever want to:

*... sponsor a child who becomes more than just a picture because you've spoken to someone who knows them?*

*... donate to a most-worthy charity, sure that all of your money is being spent wisely because you talked with the man in charge of it?*

*... find out where God is moving so you can come along side and experience Him?*



Then drop by for dessert and Kenyan Coffee or Chai on **Monday, Oct. 10th, from 7-8:30 p.m. in Room 101, Bldg. 100.** and meet **Naphtaly and Nereah Mattah**, the GGCC founders.

**Want to know more?** Call Mike & Ann Kendall at 704-542-9806 or visit: [www.GGCCKenya.com](http://www.GGCCKenya.com).

**Pumpkin Patch: Oct. 14-31<sup>st</sup> ~ Volunteers Needed**

They're coming!!! The Pumpkins that is :-)  
The Pumpkin Patch begins on Saturday, Oct. 14th. They are scheduled to arrive at around 5 p.m. We need volunteers, adults and youth, to help us unload the pumpkins and set up the Patch between 5-7 p.m. The Patch will run through Oct. 31st. We need volunteers to work 2-hour shifts during this time. 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, and our Salkehatchie and Jamaica Mission trips. To sign up and get more information, visit: <http://harrisonstudentministry.com/hsm-pumpkinpatchregistration.html>



**Please read the instructions carefully and sign up!**

***A Stewardship Moment . . .***

**Why a Stewardship Campaign?**

*"Jesus used the illustration of good stewards and bad stewards to teach us how we should be stewards for him. A stewardship campaign is not to acquire money for the church, but to teach believers how to obey the financial principles of the Bible... (in so doing) their lives will be lived more abundantly, and God's work will be financed...."* ~Toler & Towns

**Career Transition Ministry Needs You!**

**We meet the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesdays in Rm. 116, Bldg. 100**

**Volunteers ~ Employers ~ Supporters ~ Job Opening Tips! Join Us!**

For more information, email [HarrisonCTM@gmail.com](mailto:HarrisonCTM@gmail.com), call 704-541-3486, ext. 251, or visit our LinkedIn group at [www.HUMCjobs.com](http://www.HUMCjobs.com).

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

**Harrison Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry**

**BLDG #300, behind Hammill Hall ~ Open Tues. & Thurs. 10am-1pm**  
HUMC Loaves & Fishes is having a Food Drive at our annual Fall Festival this Saturday, Oct. 1. Please see more information in today's "special" L&F Thanksgiving flyer insert. If you would like to help with our food drive, a brown bag will be available after service today. If you are attending the Fall Festival, bring your bag with you and deliver it to the *Loaves & Fishes Truck*. If you aren't attending, please leave your donation in the designate drop off areas listed below.

**Beyond our Thanksgiving "Wish List", we are always in need of boxed meals, stove top stuffing, 1 lb. containers of oats, 1 or 2 lb. bags of rice or making a tax-deductible contribution (please mark the memo with "L&F") to help with the purchases. Please continue to know that we are still overstocked and **do not need** peanut butter. We **do need** brown paper grocery bags – ask for your groceries to be bagged in brown paper and then recycle by giving to our pantry. If you would like to volunteer at the pantry, e-mail Dawn at **our new e-mail address — [HUMCLF@gmail.com](mailto:HUMCLF@gmail.com).****

**Backpack Ministry Program** – is underway in this new school year. We'll be delivering up to 70 backpacks to hungry kids at Pineville Elementary each weekend. Our top food item needs are: 6-packs of cheese crackers (no peanut butter), individual cereal boxes, 4 oz fruit cups, and 100% juice boxes. **Want to join the Fast Responders? E-mail [rudy\\_chittenden@yahoo.com](mailto:rudy_chittenden@yahoo.com).**

*All donations may be left in the L&F bins in the Plummer Education Center (Bldg. 100) Reception area, and in the entry of Hammill Hall and the Sanctuary Narthex.*

**Flood Buckets Are Needed**

With all the recent storms and flooding, there is a need for flood buckets. These kits are provided to flood victims throughout the U.S. to help with clean up after a flood. The buckets consist of a 5 gallon pail with lid and a specific list of household items. **If you or your small group would like to assemble a relief kit or kits, please see the Missions group in the Coffee Shop today after worship service.** We will have buckets and item lists for you to take. For more information, please contact Ron Sheppard, [ronls@carolina.rr.com](mailto:ronls@carolina.rr.com).

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