

**WORSHIP
UPDATE**

This Sunday, March 24th,
we come
once again to
Palm Sunday



and will see
the Cross through the eyes of
the women who stayed. Holy
Week follows with a special
service of **Communion and
Foot Washing on Thursday,
March 28th, at 7:00 p.m.** And
on **Easter Sunday, March 31st,**
we will have a **sunrise service**
in the **Columbarium at 7:00
a.m.** (check the weather, and
dress accordingly). **Our second
service of Easter will be at
10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary**
with a time of fellowship (**it's
a Bunny Dunch**) at **9:15 a.m.**
(Please bring your favorite
brunch finger food to share).
**We will also have the flower
cross available to decorate.**

So, we'll see you this Sunday.
We begin with **Intercessory
Prayer at 9:15 a.m.,** followed
by **Worship and Small Groups.**
Youth will meet at 12:30
p.m. at Sedgefield UMC, 2830
Dorchester Place **Also on
Palm Sunday,** we will share in
a Celebration of Service for
Sherry Jackson. This will be
immediately following worship
in the Commons Room.



Sherry Jackson



**THE PRESCHOOL BOARD
OF DIRECTORS** is happy to
announce the hiring of our
new Director...**Sherry Jackson!**
Sherry comes to our school as
someone the children already
know and love. Sharing the
love of Christ with the families,
teachers, and children is her
speciality! As we say "farewell"
to Sherry as a devoted member
of our church staff...let us now
welcome her, and wish her well, in
her new role with our Preschool!



**Saturday, March 30th, 10:00-
Noon.** Join us as we gather
in the Family Life Center for
a time of crafts and games,
followed by an Easter Egg
Hunt on the lawn. We would
love to have children of all
ages join us! If you would like
to volunteer to help, please
contact Sherry Jackson
at [childrensministry@
standrewsumc.com](mailto:childrensministry@standrewsumc.com).
Donations of eggs and
individually-wrapped candies
are welcome. There will be a
green tub in the Narthex for
donation drop-off. Thank you!



**HARVESTERS MEETING
Thursday, April 4th**
Gathering Time: 11:00 a.m.
Program: Hymn stories.
Lunch at Noon. In the
Fellowship Hall (Room#2).
Menu: Pork Loin, hashed
brown potato casserole, apple
and broccoli salad, rolls, and
dessert. See you there.
Cost: \$5.00 pay at door.



**COME JOIN US ON SUNDAY,
APRIL 7th. A new Adult
Small Group Bible study is
beginning.** We'll meet together
in Room #30 after worship for
a study on "**Fresh Air**" by **Jack
Levinson.** The focus will be on
the work of the Holy Spirit, and
Chapter 1 will be discussed.
Books are available through
Amazon, Kindle, and/or biblio.com.
Everyone is welcome!



**SUSANNA WOMEN'S
CIRCLE** meeting Sunday, April
7th, at 12:10 p.m. following
Small Groups. All women
are invited. We will gather in
Fellowship Hall (Room #2).

**ON SUNDAY, APRIL 7th, AT
6:00 P.M. THE CHURCH
COUNCIL** will meet in the
Commons Room (#1). They
also will convene a
Charge Conference
to address the
changes to salary
and position for
the pastoral staff



of the church. Dan Pezet, the
Metro DS, will be with us that
evening. He also will take some
time for a Q&A related to the
upcoming General Conference
meeting in Charlotte, and
ministry in the Metro District.
Anyone is welcome to attend
the meeting, although only
members of the Council have a
vote. The meeting will be hybrid
(via ZOOM and in-person) and
you are encouraged to meet in
person. Questions, reach out to
Pastor Sherri or your lay leaders,
Lisa Pool and Noah Hernandez.

MARCH
Birthdays

- 24 Ryan Wagner
- 26 Phyllis Cole
- 26 Tom Patton
- 28 Mary Ellen Grilly
- 30 Christopher Manzo
- 30 Angelica
Mendez-Ramirez



**WORSHIP SERVICE
PALM SUNDAY
MARCH 24, 2024
9:15 a.m. Intercessory
Prayer Service #30**

10:00 a.m.
Worship in the Sanctuary
"The Women"
Mark 15:40-41

11:11 a.m.
Small Group Gathering

12:30 p.m.
Youth at Sedgefield UMC
2830 Dorchester Place

**REGULAR CHURCH
OFFICE HOURS**
Monday-Thursday
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Closed on Friday.

ADMINISTRATIVE MEETINGS.
SUNDAY, APRIL 7th
CHURCH COUNCIL
Hybrid: 6:00 p.m.
in the Commons Room.

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weekly **Chatter** ...continued

THE USE OF ZOOM ON SUNDAY MORNINGS FOR WORSHIP HAS BEEN SUSPENDED. During the height of COVID, ZOOM provided an essential gathering place, but over the last 18 months, we have seen an ongoing decline in the need for it. You can still access worship via YouTube on your television, smartphone or tablet, and here's the link to do that.

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCI2Duj4T_0vp5GEp_Px4FLQ

The link can also be found on the SAUMC website. And a special thanks to Tammy Thompson for her long term care of this ministry.

THANK YOU.

Again, a special thanks to Kenn Bullock for sharing the good news with us on Sunday, March 24th. If you missed it, you can watch it here:

<https://youtu.be/k3DQeuCvfts>

And you are always encouraged to share the good news! Share the link with a friend. Better yet, invite them to worship with you and us!

March COMMUNITY EVENTS

PALM SUNDAY WORSHIP
 MARCH 24, 10:00AM
 ←-----→
HOLY THURSDAY SERVICE
 MARCH 28, 7:00PM
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SPRING FAMILY FESTIVAL
 SATURDAY, MARCH 30, 10:00AM
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EASTER SUNDAY WORSHIP
 MARCH 31, 7:00AM AND 10:00 AM


SCAN CODE FOR UP TO DATE EVENTS:


www.standrewsumc.com

PHOTO HIGHLIGHTS.



Youth retreat at the Hinton Center in Hayesville, NC.



Churchwide work day from Saturday, March 16th.

