

## Prayers of the People

Charlie Peninger, Deanna Clemmer, Andrea Wright,  
Dave Slater, Mary Bone, Nancy Huntley, Libby @ Bill Drum,  
Melanie Lambert, Betsy Noblett

To share confidential or community prayer, please make a note on the Connection Card in your bulletin and place it in the offering plate. You may also use the Connection Card to indicate your desire to receive the Myers Prayer Chain.

A Note of Thanks Dear Church Staff and Members of Myers Memorial Church, I appreciate your special cards and very kind words you have sent since my heart attack. Love, Mary Bone

Join the Conversation ~ Sunday, February 18 Next Sunday, you are invited to stay after worship for a light lunch and hearty conversation hosted by the Finance Committee. We will welcome Rev. Dr. Mark King, Western North Carolina Conference Treasurer to lead a conversation about faithfulness and generosity. Lunch will be prepared by John Fletcher and donations will be accepted. Please make reservations on today's connection card or by calling the church office at 704-864-3222.

2018 Festival of Tables Today is the deadline to make reservations for the UMW Festival of Tables on February 17th at 6p. Tickets are \$20 per person for an evening of great food, fun entertainment and fabulous fellowship. Please contact Debbie Brown at 704-516-9578 or dbbbrwn1@gmail.com or make note of it on today's Connection Card.

Warlick Academy BBQ As part of the Missional Network, our Myers Memorial family is encouraged to help support Warlick Academy again this year. They will be selling chicken and barbecue plates for \$8 on March 2nd from 10 am to 6 pm. Tickets can be purchased at the church office. If you would like to have plates (10 or more) delivered to your business, please contact Donna Lutz (dplutz@gaston.k12.nc.us or call 704-836-9608). The Missional Network acts as their PTA/PTO and these funds support various needs for the students and staff.

Lenten Festival for Children & Families Sunday, February 25 from 5:30p to 7p, children and their families are invited to come learn about the Hot Cross Buns, foot washing, the last supper and much more! Adults and children will learn together in this family event for all ages! Prepare your hearts and minds for the roller coaster of Holy Week: the parade, the meals, the sadness and the joy!

Scholastic Book Fair Returns to Myers Memorial Winter weather is the perfect time to curl up with a good book! The Book Fair will be back in the Weekday Preschool February 26-March 2. Volunteers are needed to staff the book fair before and after school each day and on Wednesday night. Bob Grau (rsgrau@yahoo.com) can answer any questions you may have about responsibilities this may entail. Please mark your interest on today's Connection Card.

Share Myers Memorial Worship with the World! We have the ability to broadcast our worship "Live" on Facebook ~ what an easy way to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with the world! Yet without volunteers this ministry cannot happen. Volunteers are needed to serve, on a rotating basis, at the sound board to control the live feed and the audio sound in the sanctuary. Please make note of your interest on today's Connection Card.

## This Week at Myers Memorial UMC

**Sunday, February 11**

**Boy Scout Sunday**

9a Trinity Ringers, *Music Suite*  
9a Focus Prayer Group, *Tower*  
9:30a Coffee Fellowship, *CFC*  
9:45a Sunday School for all Ages  
10:50a Worship, *Sanctuary*  
4:30p In}Between, *CFC*  
5:30p Sunday Night Live  
Disciple 1 Fast Track, *E-105*  
Child Care, Preschool Choir &  
Worship Arts, Elementary Choirs  
Youth Main Event  
6:15p Children's Valentine's Party, *CFC*  
7p SoulFire, *Music Suite*

**Monday, February 12**

6p Koinonia UMW Circle, *Panera*  
6:30p Disciple II Fast Track, *Asbury*  
6:30p Cub/Boy Scouts, *Scout Hut*

**Tuesday, February 13**

10a Grief Share, *Parlor*  
11a AI-Anon, *Asbury*  
6p Trustees  
6p Girl Scouts, *First Floor*  
6:30p Disciple IV, *E-105*  
6:30p Chancel Bells  
7p Stewardship Committee, *Asbury*

**Wednesday, February 14**

**Ash Wednesday**

9:15a Women's Bible Study, *Asbury*  
10a Staff Meeting, *Parlor*  
5:15p Connect | Eat, *CFC*

**Wednesday, February 14 continued**

6p Knit for Christ, *Parlor*  
6:15p Ash Wednesday Service,  
*Sanctuary*  
7p Chancel Choir, *Music Suite*

**Thursday, February 15**

*March Newsletter Submission Deadline*  
11:45a 60+ Fellowship, *Dino's*  
6p Aldersgate Bells, *Music Suite*  
6p Men's Basketball, *CFC*  
7p Outreach Committee, *Asbury*  
8p Narcotics Anonymous, *Downstairs*

**Friday, February 16**

7:15a Prayer & Devotion, *Parlor*

**Saturday, February 17**

6p UMW Festival of Tables, *CFC*

**Sunday, February 18**

9a Trinity Ringers, *Music Suite*  
9a Focus Prayer Group, *Tower*  
9:15a Health Cabinet Meeting, *CFC*  
9:30a Coffee Fellowship, *CFC*  
9:45a Sunday School for all Ages  
10:50a Worship, *Sanctuary*  
12p Conversation, *CFC*  
5:30p Sunday Night Live  
Disciple 1 Fast Track, *E-105*  
Child Care, Preschool Choir &  
Worship Arts, Elementary Choirs  
Youth Main Event  
7p SoulFire, *Music Suite*

### Sunday Servants

**Head Usher:** Debbie Brown  
**Crucifer:** Ashley Fehrs  
**Scripture Reader:** Slayton Fletcher  
**Acolytes:** Evan Falls @ Adam Anderson  
**Nursery:** Elizabeth Lanier, Jennifer Stroupe, Carrie Allen, CJ Carpenter  
**January Coffee Time Hosts:**  
Contemporary Class

### A Record of Our Faithfulness

Sunday, February 4, 2018  
Sunday School: 117    Worship: 178  
Online Worship: 34  
Offering Received last Sunday: \$10,930

Chili Cook Off for CAM: \$734

Wednesday February 7, 2018  
Connect Worship: 52

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# Myers Memorial United Methodist Church

February 11 2018

Conversations  
FOCUS ON GOD'S  
Word

## Welcome to Myers Memorial United Methodist Church

**Our vision is to be Christ Inspired...People Centered...Service Driven.**

We hope you are moved by the Spirit to love one another as Christ loves us! In this bulletin you will find a Connection Card that can be used to share information with the pastor and church office. You can also use it to express interest in events, activities, ministries, reserve your spot for Wednesday Connect Meals, share prayer concerns or comments. Please use it to note your attendance in worship today and return it during the offering as a way of offering yourself to God this week.

Additionally, if you have any prayer concerns or celebrations that you would like shared during worship, please write clearly on the prayer card found in the pew and bring it to the railing at the front of the Sanctuary during the first hymn.

Children are always welcome in this place! There are 'busy bags' at each entrance to the sanctuary for children to use and return. There is also age appropriate nursery care for infants, toddlers and preschoolers should they wish to play. All children are invited to participate in worship and the older Nursery children will join us for the Children's Message. Please ask any member or usher to guide you to the Nursery area.

Should you need a restroom, the closest is just outside the rear of the sanctuary, women's room is to the right as you exit and the men's room to the left. A changing table is located just inside in the women's restroom.

Please recycle this bulletin by taking it with you and use the information throughout the week or by placing it in the blue recycle bins located outside the Sanctuary

