

PINE GROVE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

At Worship

The Seventh Sunday in Easter

May 16th, 2010

Eleven O'clock

CHIMING OF THE HOUR		Handbell Choir
WELCOME AND PARISH CONCERNS		Dr. Martin
SHARING THE PEACE OF CHRIST		ALL

PRELUDE	“Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise”	Handbell Choir
CALL TO WORSHIP	“Worship and Praise”	Handbell Choir
LIGHTING OF THE CANDLES		Acolytes

OPENING PRAYER		Dr. Martin
*HYMN	“Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing”	400
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH		“Apostles’ Creed”

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. AMEN.

*CHORAL RESPONSE

Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.
Melt me, mold me, fill me, use me.
Spirit of the living God, fall afresh on me.

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE		Dr. Martin
	<i>Children’s Church will be in room #104</i>	

SPECIAL MUSIC	“Come, Christians Join To Sing”	Handbell Choir
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PARISH CONCERNS AND PRAYERS

The Lord’s Prayer

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy Kingdom come,
thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,**

**as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom,
and the power and the glory,
for ever and ever.
Amen**

GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

“Amazing Grace”

Handbell Choir

***DOXOLOGY**

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Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye Heavenly Host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***HYMN**

“Sanctuary”

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Lord, pre - pare me to be a sanc - tu - ar - y, pure and
ho - ly, tried and true. With thanks - giv - ing, I'll be a
liv - ing sanc - tu - ar - y for you.

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SCRIPTURE READING

Romans 12:1-8

Dr. Martin

ANTHEM

“Rejoice Medley”

Chancel Choir

SERMON

“Remember Who You Are”

Dr. Martin

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM, RITES OF CONFIRMATION AND MEMBERSHIP

With God's help, I will proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ and live according to His example. I will surround these people with a community of love and forgiveness that they may grow in their trust of God, and be found faithful in their service to others. We will pray with them and for them, that they may be true disciples who walk in the way that leads to life abundant.

Pause

We give thanks for all that God has already given you and welcome you in Christian love. As members together with you in the Body of Christ and in this congregation of The United Methodist Church, we renew our covenant to fully participate in the ministries of the Church, that in everything God may be glorified through Jesus Christ.

***HYMN**

“How Firm a Foundation”

529

***BENEDICTION**

Dr. Martin

***LIGHT OF CHRIST IS CARRIED INTO THE WORLD**

All

***BENEDICTION RESPONSE**

“Danish Amen”

Chancel Choir

***CHIMING OF THE TRINITY**

Beverly Myers

***Please stand as you are able**

CONNECT

To
God

CONNECT

To
Each Other

CONNECT

To
A Place to Serve

WESTERN NC CONFERENCE WEBSITE

<http://www.wnccumc.org>

PINE GROVE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH WEBSITE

<http://www.pinegroveumc.org>

Do you know you can listen to the worship service on line?

You can also get the bulletin on line before Sunday.

It's a fact!!!

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Pine Grove UMC is on Face book

Type Facebook.com – hit enter and search for Pine Grove United Methodist Church

You will have to sign up for Facebook – no charge.

NEW MEMBERS CLASS will be starting in the next few weeks. It should be about a four session introduction to the beliefs and polity of the United Methodist Church. Anyone interested in this study is welcome – you do not have to be a new member. Call the church office to sign up or email me at smartin5@triad.rr.com.

KINGDOM KIDS will meet **May 16th** and **May 23rd** from 4:00 – 5:30 p.m. All children, ages Kindergarten through 5th grade are welcome. This is a fun time of fellowship and learning.

Sunday, June 6 - Staff Appreciation Luncheon and Roast In honor of our staff, Pastor Steve, Peggy Williams, Beverly Myers and Whitney Ladd, we will be having a potluck lunch after church on June 6. In conjunction with the meal, we will be sharing stories of kindnesses they have done and funny anecdotes or pictures that might just embarrass them. To do this, we need your help. Anyone who has such a story or picture is asked to send them to E. L. Thomas or, let him know you have a story you'd like to tell at the luncheon. Please submit these items to him by May 30th so they can be compiled for our program. E.L.'s email address is tarbubba@earthlink.net.

GRADUATION – Please call the church office and let us know of any graduations. We would like to recognize this major milestone. We need this information as soon as possible.

PHONE TREE – Our Phone tree is a very useful tool and we want everyone who desires to be able to receive messages. Our Phone Tree system is old and may not be compatible with all phones, or sometimes if your outgoing message is too long our message will not be recorded. If you are having problems receiving messages, or if you do not want to receive messages, or if you are not receiving messages please call the church office, 765-2569 and let Peggy know.

PINE GROVE'S PRAYER CONCERNS

LuAnn Hinshaw – Really serious illness – Daughter of Tom and Barbara Mahannah
Anne Edwards – Recovering from surgery – Daughter of John Edwards
Nancy Genevie – Lymphoma – Chemo began again on 5/17 (Dan's Mother)
Jean Brannock - Waiting for Liver Transplant (Jay Caudle's sister)
Jesse Ward - Cancer – Test results were very good – more test in 4 months
Evelyn Groce – Radiation finished **Pneumonia better – on antibiotics**
Roy Spach – Heart Problems
Murvin Moser – Cancer – Doing better
Beckie Shutt – Good Report – Radiation **FINISHED**
Rock Gengo - Cancer – Chemotherapy – good counts
Alton Jones - Heart Disease
Lisa Stoakley McSwain - Connective Tissue Disease
Jenny Jones – Chemotherapy Suspended for few weeks (scheduled)
Joyce Taylor – Fibromyalgia
Melvin Schroyer – Home - (husband of Donna)
Ron Bodsford – Meds to heal Pancreas – Gall Bladder surgery soon
Jaxson Marshall – Chemo– 914 Brenner Tower – 3 month old son of guest in Hope House

PEOPLE OF CHILE

PEOPLE OF HAITI – EARTHQUAKE

PEOPLE OF EARTH QUAKE IN CHINA

PEOPLE OF ICELAND – VOLCANO ERUPTION

(Underline is to denote changes or new additions to our prayer list.)

ROBERT MASON will be entering Divinity School this fall in preparation to fulfill his calling into ordained ministry in the United Methodist Church. Please keep Robert in your prayers.

SYMPATHY: Our deepest and most heartfelt sympathy is extended to the family and friends of **Mark Sizemore** who stepped through heaven's gate last week. Please surround this family with your love and concern during this time of grief.

To our Pine Grove Church Family. Our beautiful daughter, Luanne Mahannah Hinshaw, was diagnosed with cancer this week. Luanne is 52 years old and lives in Clemmons. At this point, we are not sure of the prognosis or treatment options, we have been told it is in advanced stages. We are asking our church family to send power prayers for her to have a positive outcome. Luanne is a most beautiful person inside and out and our hearts are broken over this tragedy. Please remember us all in your prayers. Barbara and Tom Mahannah and family.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

It is indeed a pleasure to welcome our new members this morning who come to us through the Sacrament of Baptism and the Rites of Confirmation and Profession of Faith. Please join me in making sure they know they are full members of this church.

Leslie Joyner, Carly Joyner, Emily Hale
Nicholas Hall and Luke Genevie

OUR STEWARDSHIP

We will support Pine Grove United Methodist Church
with our prayers, our presence, our gifts and our service.

OUR PRESENCE

May 9th Sunday School 95 Worship 159

OUR GIFTS

General Budget needed year to date	\$108,941.93
General Budget received year to date	\$118,944.80
Difference year to date Over or (Under)	\$ 10,002.87
General Budget needed each week	\$ 5,733.79
General Budget received last Sunday	\$ 4,524.00
General Budget Weekly difference Over or (under)	\$ (1,209.79)

OUR SERVICE TODAY— May 16,2010

Head Usher: Tom Mahannah

Ushers: Eddie Scott, John Fonda, Scott Pugh, Calvin Tanner

Children's Church: Sally Scott **Next Sunday:** Terri Newell

Furnish Bread: Peggy Sizemore **Next Sunday:** Peggy Williams

Sanctuary: Dee Anne Fortescue

Welcome: Searchers Sunday School Class

Security Check:

Crisis Control Ministry Gift: Rice

Newsletter Deadline: May 24, 2010

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Someone once said: "The church is a school of love..." We, at Pine Grove United Methodist Church, are all constantly learning to love as Jesus loved and to grow in the knowledge and experience of that love. We are family, learning to truly love and become actively sensitive to and involved in the needs of one another and the world around us. Sometimes we are teachers, at all times we are students. We don't always get it right, but we are always working on love. We are always family. If you are looking for a place you can call home... our hearts, our doors, our minds, and our arms are open wide to you. Welcome Home!!!

Our quest is not to add years to our lives, but to add life to our years.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SERVICE

Sunday, May 16

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship
3:00 – 4:30 p.m. POWER OF THREE – PLUG IN @ BURKHEAD UMC
4:00 – 5:30 P.M. Kingdom Kids

Monday, May 17

7:00 p.m. Cemetery Committee meets in the History Room
7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts
7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts
6:30 p.m. Reynolda Church vs Pine Grove at Washington Park # 4

Tuesday, May 18

6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts meet at the Meeting House
7:00p.m. Administrative Council

Wednesday, May 19

6:30 p.m. Handbells
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

Sunday, May 23

9:45 a.m. Sunday School
11:00 a.m. Worship/Weekday School Program
4:00 – 5:30 p.m. Kingdom Kids

THE ALTAR FLOWERS are given with love in memory of the May 16th birthday of Earl Bost. They are given by Mary Bost.

THANK YOU – Pastor Steve and Congregation, I will go in the strength of the Lord God. (Psalm 71:16) Words will never be able to express the support I have felt through this family of worship. It has really been a strength from the Lord and strength from this Christian family that has help to sustain us. The prayers, cards, and plant have proven this! Please extend my humble thank you for everything.

In Faith, Howard and Denise

ANNUAL GOLF TOURNAMENT FUND RAISER – The Pine Grove United Methodist Men will hold its 2nd Annual Golf Tournament Fund Raiser at Winston Lake Golf Course on Saturday, June 5. Lunch, door prizes, and prizes to the Tournament winners will be provided. The tournament will start at 9:00 a.m. with lunch immediately after. Please see Homer Craig or Scott Pugh to get your teams registered. Your support of this important event is greatly needed and appreciated.

UPCOMING HAPPENINGS

Sunday, May 16th. Confirmation in Worship
Sunday, May 23, Weekday School Celebration in Worship
Sunday, May 30, Memorial Sunday in Worship
Sunday, June 6, UMW Sunday in Worship

PINE GROVE HAS RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING MEMORIAL:

In Memory of:
Thurmond Griffith

Given By:
Charles and Martha Hauser

Mark Sizemore

Searchers Sunday School Class

PINE GROVE HAS RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING HONORARIUM:

In Honor of:
Kathleen Sprinkle's May 12th birthday

Given By:
Maude White

PRIME TIME OUTING – Our next event has been scheduled for Saturday, June 5 for a Dash Baseball game. A total of those interested has to be submitted to Rhonda, 830-2807 by Friday, May 7. If you are planning on attending and you can bring your money to Rhonda on Sunday, May 9 this has to be submitted on May 10. The price for a group of 20 or more is \$9.00 per person and this includes the game and a hat . . . the hat normally sells for \$22.00 each in the team store. We will have transportation for as many as possible.

“POWER OF THREE: PLUG-IN” SEMINAR

Last Fall, at our Charge Conferences, each church was asked to set some definite goals that their church will undertake to help the WNC Annual Conference meet “The Power of Three” goals. **Two of those goals were to increase church membership and professions of faith.**

The Evangelism Task Force is seeking to help churches meet their goals and is sponsoring a training/learning seminar, “Power of Three: Plug-In” on Sunday, May 16, from 3:00-4:30 p.m., at Burkhead UMC, 5250 Silas Creek Parkway, WS 27106. Child care will be available.

This seminar will focus on learning from churches in our District what evangelism plans and methods are now being developed and used. At last Fall's Charge Conferences, churches responded to questions about how they plan to reach their “Power of Three” goals. Part of this was to explain what their evangelism plan is and what steps are being taken to implement their plan? “Power of Three: Plug-In” seeks to glean and share the plans and ideas of our District churches, in hopes that it help all our churches as we seek to reach our “Power of Three” goals. **The emphasis will be on practical ideas that are actually being developed and used.**

After an initial presentation, focus groups will seek to add more practical and useful ways to implement evangelism plans in our churches.

Here are some of the main topics we will be learning from what churches are doing.

- Methods for welcoming visitors - first impressions are important.
- Visitor follow up
- Ideas for community outreach
- Communication to the community

Small Groups

- Training and Equipping our church laity in Faith Sharing.
- How to shut the back door, keeping persons in our churches.

MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND THIS TRAINING AND BRING OTHERS FROM YOUR CHURCH. TRY TO MAKE SURE YOUR CHURCH IS REPRESENTED

IMPACT COMMUNITY DAY – SATURDAY, JUNE 5TH

- **Block Party for the Homeless and Their Neighbors**
East 11th Street (Patterson and North Chestnut), 10:00 – 2:00
Laura Elliott, lauraelliott@eistr.org
- **Playground Build at Piedmont Park Housing Complex**
East 29th Street, east of N. Liberty, 9:00 a.m.
Eileen Ayuso, eileenayuso@gmail.com
- **Thunder on Thurmond, a Community Day**
Saints Home UMC, Thurmond Street, 10:00-5:00
Golethia Irving, golethia@gmail.com
- **Children and Family Service Day**
Maple Springs UMC, Reynolda Road, 9:30-12 noon
Kate May, kate@maplesprings.org
- **Painting and Repair**
The Children's Home Campus, Reynolda Road, 9:00 – noon
Bob Reddick, bobreddick@hotmail.com
- **Kernersville Community Service**
Meet at Main Street UMC, 8:00 a.m. to paint fire hydrants
Doug Watts, dwatts@sedgegardenumc.org
- **Closing Celebration**
The Children's Home Campus, Reynolda Road, 3:00-6:00
Barbeque for all volunteers and contributors

Each of these events has needs of goods and time. Please contact Eileen Ayuso, 721-0606, eileenayuso@gmail.com or the facilitator for each event. www.impactwinstonsalem.org will be up and running soon.

I know this event is in conflict with our church golf tournament scheduled for the same day, however, some are planning to paint at the children's home. The church as a whole will help with hot dogs (packs of hot dogs) to assist the Thunder on Thurmond Event. So please start bringing your packages of hot dogs... they need somewhere around 100. Check in with the website for this event soon to see where you may fit in this impact day.

Stop Hunger Now

WE DID IT!!!
WE PACKAGED 16,014 MEALS

