

# THE WEEKLY MONTREAT MEMO

The e-Newsletter of Montreat Presbyterian Church, USA

May 29, 2018

**All Are Welcome!**



## Summer Worship Series

June 3, 2018

10:30 A.M. in Anderson Auditorium:

The worship service of  
Montreat Conference Center  
and Montreat Presbyterian Church

**Everyone is welcome! Please join us!**

## Our Calendar

<b>Fri., June 1</b>	<b>10:00 A.M.</b>	<b>Staff Meeting</b> Church Office
<b>Sun., June 3</b>	<b>10:30 A.M.</b>	<b>Summer Worship Series</b> The Rev. Mihee Kim-Kort <i>Anderson Auditorium</i>
<b>Sun., June 3</b>	<b>3:00 P.M.</b>	<b>Hope for Tomorrow Celebration</b> <i>First Baptist Church of Black Mountain</i>
<b>Sun., June 10</b>	<b>10:30 A.M.</b>	<b>Summer Worship Series</b> The Rev. Dr. Ed McLeod

		<i>Anderson Auditorium</i>
<b>Sat., June 16</b>	<b>11:00 A.M.</b>	<b>Saturday Morning Worship</b> Doors open at 10:30 for fellowship <i>Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.</i>
<b>Sun., June 17</b>	<b>10:30 A.M.</b>	<b>Summer Worship Series</b> The Rev. Dr. Ernie Thompson <i>Anderson Auditorium</i>
<b>Tue., June 19</b>	<b>6:30 P.M.</b>	<b>Session Meeting</b> <i>Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.</i>
<b>Sat., June 23</b>	<b>11:00 A.M.</b>	<b>Saturday Morning Worship</b> Doors open at 10:30 for fellowship <i>Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.</i>
<b>Sun., June 24</b>	<b>10:30 A.M.</b>	<b>Summer Worship Series</b> The Rev. Dr. William Lee <i>Anderson Auditorium</i>

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at [office@montreatchurch.org](mailto:office@montreatchurch.org),**

and be sure to check availability of times, places, and people  
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## Summer Scheduling

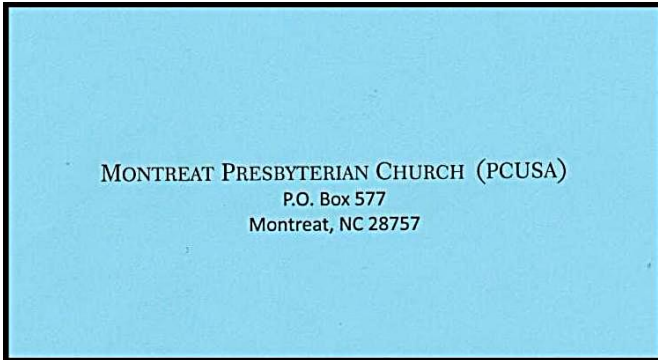
Beginning the first full week of June, Montreat Presbyterian Church is pleased to make space available to support the mission of the Montreat Conference Center. Specifically, **the Swannanoa Room in the Allen Building (a.k.a. Allen A) is used by small groups during the six Youth Conference weeks and the two Worship & Music conferences**--in other words, every week from June 3 through August 3 except the week of the 4th of July.

Our weekly window of time to use that space is Saturday mornings, and we do so by holding our Saturday Morning Worship series, June 16-July 29.

During the summer as always, **please share your church committee or organization's scheduling info with the office administrator** (828-664-9212 or [office@montreatchurch.org](mailto:office@montreatchurch.org)), and be sure to check availability of times, places, and people before scheduling events, meetings etc.

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## Summer Contributions



Contributions to MPC given during the summer services in Anderson Auditorium can be made out to Montreat Presbyterian Church and will be forwarded to us.

Blue envelopes for checks or cash will be available at the MPC display in the Anderson lobby starting next week; in the meantime they are available from the church office any time, including Saturday morning worship beginning June 16.

Contributions may also be mailed to PO Box 577, Montreat NC 28757.

## Hope for Tomorrow Celebration Invitation Sunday, June 3, 3:00 P.M.

You are invited to a **celebration for SVCM's Hope for Tomorrow apartments on Sunday, June 3 at 3:00 PM at First Baptist Church, Black Mountain.**



The apartments are nearing completion, and families will move in soon. Our church was one of the first to "adopt" an apartment, agreeing to provide the items the family will need when they move in.

## The Tarnished Brass at Highland Farms Thursday, May 31, 7:00 P.M.



This Thursday evening, weather permitting, **the Tarnished Brass will gather in front of Arline Taylor's home at Highland Farms, 25 Wagon Trail, at 7:00 P.M.** They are hopeful that others might bring a lawn chair and be a part of the fellowship! All are welcome.

## Summer Worship Schedule

**The Summer Worship Series**, sponsored by the Montreat Conference Center, begins on Sunday, June 3 and extends through Sunday, August 5 with a wonderful line-up of distinguished preachers. [Click here](#) to see **the preaching roster** for the 2018 Summer Worship Series.

Our pastor, Keith Grogg, works as a member of the worship team throughout the summer in crafting liturgy and leading worship.



Montreat Presbyterian Church's **Saturday Morning Worship** begins on Saturday, June 16! We meet in the Swannanoa Room in the Allen Building (304 Lookout Road, Montreat). **Doors open at 10:30 A.M. for fellowship and refreshments.** Worship begins at 11:00 and lasts about 35 minutes. **All are welcome!**



Our weekly services will return to Upper Anderson on Sunday, August 12.

## William Wilson's Ordination



William Wilson was ordained as a Teaching Elder/Minister of Word and Sacrament Sunday afternoon, May 27 at First Presbyterian Church, Asheville. Pictured above are Bobbi White, David Smith, William Wilson, Jason Meyers, and Maggie Lauterer. A number of members of our church, which supported and nurtured David and Will during their preparation for ministry, were able to be present, including those pictured below, John & Anne Rogers and Howard & Trisha Edington. John Rogers and Martha Campbell were among the members of the commission leading worship. William and Abigail's wedding will be held on June 30. Congratulations, Will!



TOP: ZACH ALLEN. BOTTOM: FRANK DODSON

## **Thank You from Darlene Griffin**

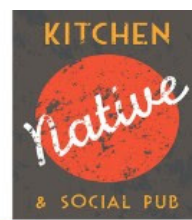
Hey to the *Greatest Church Family* ever! Thank you so much for my gift. Y'all are the Best!! Whenever I come to visit I hope to see all of y'all!

Love y'all,  
Darlene

## **Friends & Partners in Ministry**



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## The Swannanoa Valley Christian Ministry

As always, donations can be dropped off or monetary donations mailed to SVCM (please send monetary donations to P.O. Box 235). Drop off items 9:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M. at 101 N. Ridgeway Avenue, Black Mountain, NC 28711. Thank You!

## Our Prayer List

*The Montreat Presbyterian Church family is in prayer for...*

Steve Alexander (Hugh's brother)

Beth Ariss, recovering from knee replacement  
Micah Anderson (nephew of Olson & Marylyn's son Daniel Huff), 15, cancer  
Robert Boer  
Connie Bristow (friend of Genie Sullivan)  
John Coffey (friend of the Grogg family)  
Bob Cumming  
Eddie Deas  
David Duncan  
Bill Grogg  
David Miller  
Betsy & Gordon Neville  
Wendy Ricks  
Maggie Tuggle

*Congratulations to Heather Scott and Michie Blevins  
on the birth of their son, Kai Presley Scott, born May 24.*

***We also lift up in prayer...***

Andrew Brunson (imprisoned EPC mission worker in Turkey), next hearing  
scheduled on July 18.  
Will Wilson, beginning his call to First Presbyterian Church, Kilgore, TX  
Victor and Sara Makari, our Mission Co-workers in Palestine  
Elmarie & Scott Parker, our Mission Co-workers in the Middle East  
Ardrishaig Parish Church, our eco-partner church in Scotland  
Graduates and their parents and families  
Bounty & Soul, SVCM, and all food and shelter ministries  
Children & Friends  
OFCB ministries and the people of Haiti  
Kairos Prison Ministry  
Celebrate Recovery

*If you or someone you know would like to be added to our prayer list,  
please contact the church office. Please also let us know  
when it is appropriate to remove the name from the prayer list.*

**Montreat Presbyterian Church**





## **OUR MISSION**

*In the fellowship of Jesus Christ we  
Listen for the word of God in our lives  
Love with open hearts and open minds  
Walk the path of faith together  
Serve others and  
Welcome all.*

## **OUR VISION**

*Led by the Holy Spirit  
We proclaim the word of God  
Through our ministry and mission.*

## **The Session**

Olson Huff, Betsy Kirschner (2018)  
Steve Hansel, Mary Jo Wright (2019)  
Jane Alexander, Everett Culpepper (2020)  
Moderator Keith Grogg (pastor)  
Clerk Linda Hobson



**Want to talk? Need a pastor? Come on in!**

Call the office at 664-9212,  
or email Keith at [pastor@montreatchurch.org](mailto:pastor@montreatchurch.org),  
and we'll find a time that works.

## **Montreat Memo Submissions**

The Memo is usually published on Tuesday or, occasionally, Monday. **Please submit items for the Memo by the Friday morning** before the week in which they are to appear. Thank you! (Articles submitted may be edited for accuracy, clarity or brevity.)

The Weekly Montreat Memo is sent from the Montreat Presbyterian Church office email account. **Responses intended for the pastor** may be sent to [pastor@montreatchurch.org](mailto:pastor@montreatchurch.org).

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