

THE WEEKLY MONTREAT MEMO

The Weekly e-Newsletter of Montreat Presbyterian Church, USA



February 12, 2019

All Are Welcome!



**Sunday Worship, February 17
10:00 A.M. in Upper Anderson
Everyone is welcome! Please join us!**

Our Calendar

Tues., Feb. 12	5:30 P.M.	Worship & Music Committee <i>Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.</i>
Wed., Feb. 13	5:00 P.M.	Montreat Wednesday Ann DuPre Rogers: Resources for Resilience <i>Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.</i>
Sun., Feb. 17	10:00 A.M.	Sunday Morning Worship <i>Upper Anderson</i>
Sun., Feb. 17	3:30 P.M.	Choir Rehearsal <i>Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.</i>
Tue., Feb. 19	10:00 A.M.	Women's Circle <i>Walkup Building</i>
Tue., Feb. 19	6:30 P.M.	Session Meeting <i>Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.</i>

- Wed., Feb. 20** **5:00 P.M.** **Montreat Wednesday**
Scott Parker
Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.
- Sun., Feb. 24** **10:00 A.M.** **Sunday Morning Worship**
Upper Anderson
- Sun., Feb. 24** **3:30 P.M.** **Choir Rehearsal**
Swannanoa Room, Allen Bldg.

**Please share scheduling info with the office administrator
at office@montreatchurch.org,**

and be sure to check availability of times, places, and people
before scheduling events, meetings etc.

In order to streamline communication and avoid confusion,
**any requests made to the MRA on behalf of church programs
should come through the church office,**
and we will direct them to the appropriate contacts at MRA.

Montreat Wednesday Feb. 13, 5:00 P.M.

Resources FOR Resilience



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**Ann DuPre Rogers returns to share more
about Resources for Resilience in our
February 13 Montreat Wednesday
program.**

Ann DuPre Rogers is the Program Director for Resources for Resilience, an Asheville-based non-profit formed to respond to the public health crisis of ACES (or Adverse Childhood Experiences). Since the mid 90's, Ann DuPre has worked in outdoor leadership and community mental health. Her roles have included child and family therapist, clinical supervisor and community outreach director. She is also a registered yoga teacher and a Mental Health First Aid instructor.

Please join us! All are welcome. We meet in the Allen Building, 304 Lookout Road, 5:00-6:00 P.M.

Choir Notes

"Sing to the Lord a New Song"

Our newly formed Chancel Choir will be singing in worship each Sunday and rehearsing each Sunday 3:30-5:00 PM. in the Swannanoa Room of the Allen Building. If you are interested, please let Vivian know. Welcome, singers!



Women's Circle Feb. 19, 10:00 A.M.

The **Women's Circle** meets Tuesday, Feb. 19. Jane Alexander will lead the study of Lesson 6: "God with Us Through Our Trials." The Circle meets in the Walkup Building at 10:00 A.M.

Upcoming Montreat Wednesdays

On **Wednesday, February 20**, we welcome **Scott Parker** who, with his spouse Elmarie, is one of our Co-workers in the Middle East. Elmarie spoke here three years ago and we are delighted to welcome Scott to bring us news of their continuing, vital ministry.

On **Wednesday, February 20**, members of the delegation recently returned from **Bayonnais, Haiti** (which included Eric Nichols, Jim Henderson and Steve Hansel) will bring us a presentation updating us on the crucial ministry which this church is proud to support.

All are welcome at our Montreat Wednesday events! We hope you can join us!

Wednesdays, 5:00-6:00 P.M. in the Allen Building

Some Upcoming Lent/Easter Services

Wed., Mar. 6	TBD	Ash Wednesday Service <i>Black Mountain Presbyterian Church</i>
Wed., Mar. 20	12:00 P.M.	Lent Worship & Lunch <i>Upper Anderson</i>
Sun., Apr. 14	10:00 A.M.	Palm Sunday <i>Upper Anderson</i>
Thu., Apr. 18	7:00 P.M.	Maundy Thursday Service <i>Upper Anderson</i>
Fri., Apr. 19	12:00 P.M.	Good Friday Service <i>Upper Anderson</i>
Sun., Apr. 21	10:00 A.M.	Easter Sunday <i>Upper Anderson</i>

Friends & Partners in Ministry



Camp Grier Work Day, April 6, 2019

We are just months away from our annual work day! We would love to have you join us for a day of service, friendship and community! This year's primary focus will be on staining our decks, cleaning up winter debris and neatening up our campus for summer. Register [here](#).



SCVM has a continuing need of items for their clients. If you have any blankets, coats or space heaters you could donate, you may take them to SVCM in Black Mountain, or you may bring them to the church and we will be sure they are delivered.

Our Prayer List

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

Becky Anderson (Sadler's niece), kidney transplant
Evelyn Bannerman
Glenn Bannerman
Robert Boer
Connie Bristow (friend of Genie Sullivan)
Fred Connelly
David Duncan, continuing severe back pain
Sarah Feely (sister of Margaret Neale), acute leukemia
Jane Frist
John Hinkle, Jr.
Olson Huff
Margie Jones, recovering from back surgery
David Miller
David Neel, upcoming hand surgery
Betsy Neville
Gordon Neville
Margaret Rada
Dick Ray
John Roark
Cameron Roberts
Mary Scott Robinson, hand surgery on Wednesday

Arline Taylor
Maggie Tuggle
Lynn Wegener (sister of Brad Hestir)
Lamar Williamson

We also lift up in prayer...

Those who are susceptible to poverty and hunger
Refugees of war, famine and violence

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
Bounty & Soul
Children & Friends
Kairos Prison Ministry
OFCB ministries and the people of Haiti
Swannanoa Valley Christian Ministry

*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.*

PWNC Newsletter

Find the latest news from the Presbytery of Western North Carolina [here](#).

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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

Steve Hansel, Mary Jo Wright (2019)
Jane Alexander, Everett Culpepper (2020)
Beth Fountain, Mason Blake (2021)
Moderator Keith Grogg (pastor)



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

Call the office at 664-9212,
or email Keith at pastor@montreatchurch.org,
and we'll find a time that works.
Rev. Margaret Peery also provides pastoral care:
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Memo Submissions and Responses

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.

The Memo is usually published on Tuesday. **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.)

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