

Chapel in the Pines Presbyterian Church  
Welcome, Worship, Witness  
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## *Chapel in the Pines*



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If you are looking for Andrew's musing, please 'view it on webpage' (see above) and continue reading the newsletter and you'll find it. Many questions you have about the happenings of CITP are answered in this email!

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**We are invited to join Mount Zion Missionary Baptist Church for their Vacation Bible School  
- Next Week, June 16 - 20.**



**Each night: 6:15 - 8:30 p.m.  
Gathering, light supper, learning together.  
Pre K through Adult classes. Fun activities.**

**New!** Our partner church Mount Zion Missionary Baptist on Lystra Road has invited us to join them for Vacation Bible School June 16-19 from 6:15-8:30pm.

Theme: God's Laboratory: Fusing Elements for Explosive Joy.

Volunteers are still needed each night to help with the art activities.

We **WELCOME** all people into our community of of faith.

We **WORSHIP** God with gratitude for the grace given to all people through Jesus Christ.

We **WITNESS** the love of Christ through our gifts of time, talents, and resources as we grow together in our faith.



**June 12-19 , 2025**

**Thursday, June 12**

**Office Hours 9am-1pm**

- 9am Men's Fellowship, Fellowship Hall
- 6pm Thirst Quenchers

**Friday, June 13**

**Office Closed**

- 3:15pm Presbyterian Women's Circle, Fellowship Hall

**Saturday, June 14**

**Office Closed**

- 12pm Schol of Athens Class

**Sunday, June 15**

- 9am Exploring Together Class, Zoom
- 9:15am Worship Service with Sacred Art (outdoors if weather permits)
- 11am Worship Service (indoors) and Livestreamed

**Monday, June 16**

**Office Hours 9am-1pm**

- 1:30pm Finance & Administration Meeting, Fellowship Hall

**Tuesday, June 17**

**Office Hours 9am-1pm**

## Mission News, Events & Volunteer Opportunities

To read Susie Smith's latest article titled "Change the Recipe", [CLICK HERE](#).

## Weekly Reminders

### NEWSLETTER & BULLETIN DEADLINE



If you wish to have something in our newsletter and/or bulletin, the deadline to guarantee it makes it in that week is 5pm Tuesday. We apologize for any inconvenience.



**Greet Our Online  
Worshippers**



- 10am Women's Study, Fellowship Hall
- 11:30am In Focus Photography Group, Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, June 18

**Office Closed**

- 4:30pm Presbyterian String Band, Sanctuary

Thursday, June 19

**Office Hours 9am-1pm**

- 10am Crafty Crafters, Fellowship Hall
- 10:30am Poetry Discussion, Galloway Ridge

**Church Office Hours**

Mon, Tues, Thurs: 9am-1pm

Andrew: By Appointment

Our master calendar can be found on our website as well. If you see something on this calendar that should be corrected, please let Teresa know so she can edit the church's master calendar.



## Office Hours

**Monday 9am - 1pm**

**Tuesday 9am - 1pm**

**Thursday 9am - 1pm**

**If in doubt, call  
or email first.**

(Monday and the "T" days  
we are open 9am to 1pm!)

Contact: Teresa

# This Week

You are cordially invited to go to the center front of our sanctuary each week 10 minutes before the combined 10 am or our regular 11am service and also immediately after the end of those services, to say hello to our online worshippers. We do not show the congregation during worship, in order to respect vulnerable members including children, but would like for our online viewers to see those who don't mind being seen! (Children may participate in these greetings with their parents or guardians.) The livestream cameras will only show those people who stand in the zone between the piano and the Communion table.

## CURIOUS ABOUT THE MOUNTAIN DULCIMER?



The Chapel Hill Mountain Dulcimer Group meets at Chapel in the Pines on the fourth Thursday of every month from 2-4pm. Listeners and beginners are welcome!

*Contact: Marian 469-261-4685 or  
Cornelia 919-606-1395*



NURSERY SERVICE FOR CHILDREN FOUR AND UNDER WILL BE PROVIDED AT OUR 9:15AM AND OUR 11AM SERVICES, AS WELL AS AT OUR 10AM SERVICE AT THE COMBINED WORSHIP SERVICES ON THE SECOND SUNDAY OF THE MONTH.

CONTACT: JOELLE BRUMMITT-YALE



## Pastor on Call This Week:

Andrew Taylor-Troutman  
andrew@citppc.org  
540-239-7060

## Sermon Transcripts

**UPDATED!** Each week when Andrew preaches, we strive to update his sermon transcripts here for those who wish to have a PDF to read. You can click on the red button below to read Andrew's latest sermon transcript.

**CLICK HERE TO READ  
ANDREW'S SERMON  
TRANSCRIPT FROM  
06/08/2025**

## Watch the Livestream

**UPDATED!** Each week we have volunteers who livestream the 10am service on second Sundays and 11am service other weeks. When we have that available, we will share a link to it here.

If you wish to subscribe to our YouTube channel, click on the subscribe button once you pull up our

## CITPPC YOUTH GROUPS



We are on summer break! May everyone have a safe, fun, relaxing summer. We look forward to starting up our next season in September!

*Contact: Joelle Brummitt-Yale, Director of Children's and Youth Ministries,  
jbrummittyle@citppc.org*

**WEEKLY  
BIBLE STUDY  
WITH ANDREW**  
EVERY WEDNESDAY | 7:00PM  
CHAPEL IN THE PINES - FELLOWSHIP HALL AND ON ZOOM!



We will continue to meet Wednesdays at 7pm in the fellowship hall and on Zoom. **NOTE:** There will be NO Bible Study this week, June 18 due to Andrew being away.

We will be on summer break July and August. Check your Wednesday morning email for the Zoom link if you are joining online!



page. By subscribing, you'll get a notification every time we update our video posts!

CLICK TO WATCH THE  
LIVESTREAM FROM  
SUNDAY 06/08/2025

## Worship Updates

During the months of July and August, we will have Combined Worship at 10am indoors, which means no outdoor worship at 9:15am.

We hope all of our 9:15 and 11am worshippers will join this 10am summer worship, and that we can embrace the opportunity to worship and share fellowship with each other during this time.

## Save the Date



### REMINDER!

**Come Find Your Place In Space**  
Presented by: The UNC Morehead  
Planetarium and Science Center  
Date: Saturday, September 27  
Time: 7:30 to 9:30 pm

### Men's Fellowship

**We have resumed our  
Men's Fellowship gatherings!**  
**The second Thursday of the month  
we meet 9am in the Fellowship Hall**  
**The fourth Thursday of the month we  
meet 9am at the Belted Goat.**



Adult Vocal &  
Bells!



### WEEKLY CHOIR REHEARSALS!

**Handbells:** We have two handbell choirs. One choir is for those with more experience in ringing. The Grace Ringers choir is aimed for those who are new to ringing or with limited musical experience. Both groups are for anyone in the 6th grade and up. **PLEASE NOTE:** We are on summer break and will resume early fall.

*Contact: Katherine Brekke*

**Adult Choir:** We are not having adult choir rehearsals again until after the summer. Look for information to come soon regarding our summer choir!

**NEW! SUMMER CHOIR:** Have you ever wanted to try the CIP choir but didn't have time to commit? Summer is your chance!

Summer choir starts up **June 22**. No weekday rehearsals, no long term commitments, no experience necessary!

Join us 30 minutes before the worship service to learn an easy anthem! Can't wait to sing with you!

### Summer choir dates:

**June 22nd and 29 - 10:30am rehearsal**  
**July 6, August 3, 10, 24, 31 - 9:30am**

Location: Outside, at Chapel in the Pines

Cost: No cost for attendees

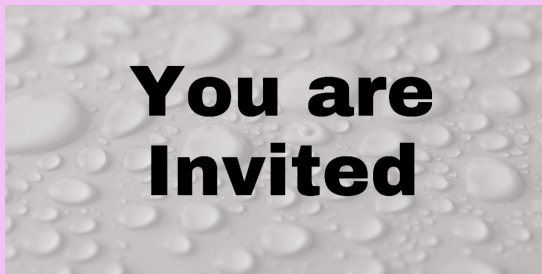
Join us for an exciting, guided tour of space. Look with your own eyes through Dobsonian telescopes, provided by the Morehead Planetarium! See the rings of Saturn, craters on the moon and more! Join with all humankind before you who have gazed at the night skies in wonderment. This will be exciting fun for "kids of all ages."

Bring a lawn chair.

For more information; and please register at:

<https://www.theschoolofathens.net>

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**NEW!**

rehearsal

Contact: Jeremy Nabors

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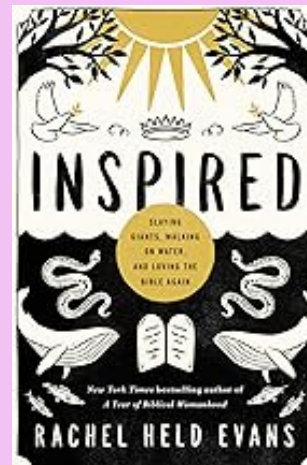
The Women's Study Group gets together every week in the Fellowship Hall's conference room on Tuesdays at 10am. They have excellent guest speakers, discuss books, poetry and share in delightful fellowship together.

The group is reading the book by Rachel Held Evans, *Inspired*. Please know you are invited to join the group for fellowship and wonderful discussions.

All women are welcome!

Contact: Marcia Ladd

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**CORE JUNE TEENTH FESTIVAL**

**LIVE MUSIC**

**FOOD TRUCKS**

**FAMILY FUN**

**FREE COMMUNITY EVENT**



**JUNE 21, 2025 4PM - 8PM**

**CHATHAM COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS  
191 FAIRGROUNDS RD  
PITTSBORO, NC**

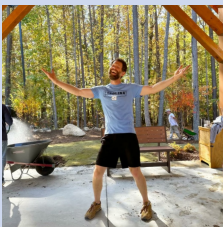
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Until next week...  
**GRACE & PEACE**

# PASTOR'S MUSING



## Finally, Comes the Poet

In scripture, the Holy Spirit is mentioned in several ways: as tongues of fire, as wind, as "the sound of silence" (1 Kings 19:13). Celtic Christians used their holy imagination to envision yet another symbol—a "wild goose" (in Gaelic, *an geadh-glas* which is pronounced "a god-gloss"). While differing from the image of a dove that descended upon Jesus at his baptism (see Matthew 3:16; Luke 3:22), I think it's fun to think about and write about!

### *An Geadh-Glas*

Holy Spirit as dove,  
wholly meek and holy gentle,  
descending from sunlight,  
a picture-perfect photo.  
Holy Spirit as "wild goose,"  
beating her strong wings



& hissing like a cobra  
to protect her young brood,  
fuzzy-wuzzy goslings who,  
like us, wander with little clue.  
Nothing silly about this Ma Goose  
or cute like a nursery rhyme,  
but honking flying power,  
loyalty, and love divine.

In Hope  
Andrew+

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**NEW!** To read Andrew's article "Little Big Moments: Birdsong"  
(chapelboro.com) [CLICK HERE](#)

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