

CHURCH FINANCES

Our church finances are as follows:

Total Expenses for the period ended April 30, 2016	\$306,573.35
Total Income for the period ended April 30 2016	\$238,675.75
Net Deficit for the period ended April 30, 2016	(\$67,897.60)

Qualified Charitable Contributions from IRA's

For those of you who are age 70 1/2 or over and required to take required minimum distributions from your IRA or want to make other distributions from your IRA (Individual Retirement Accounts), you can take advantage of a new law for 2016 and later years. That change allows you to designate part or all of your required minimum distribution or other distributions (up to \$100,000) each year to a qualified charity. Rather than receive a check made out in your name, you ask the administrator of your IRA to make a check out to a qualified charity. The designation to a charity reduces the income that you would normally have to report, but you cannot claim that amount as a charitable donation. However, anyone who is normally claiming a standard deduction rather than itemizing deductions could find this to your tax advantage; or you may have a number of other circumstances where reducing your income would be to your tax advantage. You can contact your tax advisor for further information.

The **Wednesday Night Fellowship Dinner** prices are as follows:

Adults	\$8.00
Children (12 & under)	\$4.50
Families (children 12 & under)	\$18.00
Families (children over 12)	\$20.00

PLEASE MAKE YOUR RESERVATION BY NOON ON MONDAYS.

May 18: Pickle Ball Presentation **May 25:** General Conference, Issues 2016

GLOW Kids & Mission Possible Kids

present a Variety Show to support CCM on **Sunday, May 15th at 6:00 pm** in Jarrett Hall. Admission: Canned food and pantry items for CCM. Come and be entertained by the talents of our kids!

ASP DOG AND CAR WASH

MAY 21 8:00-1:00

COME OUT AND HELP SUPPORT THE YOUTH!

UNITED METHODIST WOMEN Circle Meetings

Monday, May 16 - 10:00 - **Morning Circle**, Scout Room, Study: "Questions God Asks Us" 6:00 - **Evening Circle**, RL Pope Classroom, Program: "Health Insurance Coverage: Navigating the Stormy Seas of Denials, Appeals, and Resolutions" Led by Tracy Brinkley

PRAYER LIST

If you or a loved one would like to be added to the prayer list, please contact Lorna McCullough at 259-5814. If you put a name on the list, please keep in touch and let us know how he/she is doing as names will be removed after 3 weeks. During the week, please pray for:

All Military personnel	Our UM Missionaries
Kathy Gordon	Tracy Brinkley
Rick Schartiger	Janie Manuel
Jessie Collett	David Faber
	Charlotte Rorie
	Julie Clinard

Spring Sermon Series

Visions for the Faithful in Troubled Times

The Enduring Revelation of St. John

OPPORTUNITIES THROUGH THE WEEK

SUNDAY, MAY 15

8:30 Nursery Care
 8:50 AWAKEN Service
 9:45 Children's Music Time
 9:45 Sunday School
 10-10:30 Confirmation Class
 10:00 R. L. Pope Class: Tim Lyons
 11:00 Worship Service (Sanctuary)
 5-7:00 UMYF
 6:00 Variety Show (Jarrett Hall)

MONDAY, MAY 16

3-6:00 Arts Alive Art Academy
 6:30 Praise Team (Jarrett Hall)
 7:00 Boy Scouts

TUESDAY, MAY 17

3-6:00 Arts Alive Art Academy
 7:30-9:00 Men's Prayer Breakfast (Sunrise)
 5:45 Yoga

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

5:30 Fellowship Dinner
 6:00 Program
 6:00 MS & HS Small Groups
 6:00 Children's Bible Study
 6:15 Handbells
 6:45 Children's Choir
 7:15 Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY, MAY 19

ART ACADEMY CELEBRATION OF SUCCESS & SPAGHETTI SUPPER MAY 21ST, 6-8PM

Everyone is invited to join us! Come out and celebrate the skills the children have learned in music and art this first semester. The Children's Council of MUMC is sponsoring this event and it serves as a fundraiser for the academy. A Spaghetti Supper will be followed by a music recital and art show in the Fellowship Hall. Meal is by donation only, items for sale and silent auction will take place. Please make a reservation for the meal to help us prepare by Mon. May 16 at noon.

TRASH AND TREASURE

Trash and Treasure will be on August 27. Hope you are saving your "treasures." This is an event the community looks forward to annually so lets make it a success. Thanks, Special Projects Committee

The Chapel is open weekly during daylight hours for prayer and meditation. The Memorial congregation welcomes the community to this sacred space.

CONGREGATION'S MINISTRY AND STAFF

Larry M. Goodpaster	Resident Bishop
Jeff Patterson	District Superintendent, Yadkin Valley District
Benjamin F. Devoid, bdevoid@mumctville.org	Senior Minister
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Norris Norwood, norris_norwood@hotmail.com	Organist
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Christine Lamacchia, clamacchia@mumctville.org	Executive Secretary
Jarry Oldaker, joldaker@mumctville.org	Superintendent of Buildings & Grounds
Gary Ezell, gezell@mumctville.org	Food Services Director
Charles Wade	Church Properties Administrator
Leslie Gibbs, Charlie Hanner & Loretta Usher	Receptionist Coordinators

10:30 Chicks with Sticks
 3-6:00 Arts Alive Art Academy

FRIDAY, MAY 20

SATURDAY, MAY 21

SUNDAY, MAY 22

8:30 Nursery Care
 8:50 AWAKEN Service
 9:45 Children's Music Time
 9:45 Sunday School
 10-10:30 Confirmation Class
 10:00 R. L. Pope Class: Sandy Devoid
 11:00 Worship Service (Sanctuary)
 5-7:00 UMYF

If you would like to place flowers on the altar, please contact Beverly Myers, 476-7621.

Arts Alive Art Academy is now enrolling students. Go to www.artsaliveartacademy.com for information.



SUNDAY, May 15, 2016

Day of Pentecost

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MINISTERS

BEN F. DEVOID
 Senior Minister

PEGGY A. FINCH
 Associate Minister

RODNEY W. DENTON
 Minister of Youth & Young Adults

LYNDA C. HEPLER
 Minister of Children & Families



**WE ARE CALLED BY CHRIST TO
 GROW IN FAITH, BUILD RELATIONSHIPS AND SERVE ALL PEOPLE.**

**ORDER OF WORSHIP
MEMORIAL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2016 11:00

Broadcast over WGOS-AM 1070
DAY OF PENTECOST

GATHERING AND GREETING

Toccata in A Major, Op. 67 No. 2 Georges MacMaster

Lighting of the Altar Candles Caleb Hibbitts

Chiming of The Hour

+Welcome & Parish Notes Reverend Rodney Denton

Call to Worship *Building God's Church* Children's Choir

Processional Hymn *The Church's One Foundation* UMH 545

Congregational Greeting Reverend Peggy Finch
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Hear the Word Proclaimed
As it was on the Day of Pentecost.

First Lesson Acts 2:1-6, 14-21 pew Bible NT page 112
The Word of God for the People of God.
Thanks be to God.

PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

The Apostle's 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 at 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.***

*Gloria Patri UMH 70
**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it
was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end.
Amen.**

*Passing of the Peace UMH 666
Shalom to You
(As forgiven people, let us offer one another signs of reconciliation and welcome.)
**Shalom to you, now, shalom, my friends.
May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.
In all your living and through your loving,
Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.**

Prayers of the People Reverend Finch
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, forever. Amen.***

Prayer Response Jacques Berthier
This is Our Prayer
This is our prayer. This is our prayer, O God.

GIVING OUR GIFTS TO GOD

The Offering
Offertory David Maddux
Spirit of God, Descend Upon My Heart
*Doxology UMH 94
Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow
***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God all creatures here below:
Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ,
whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit! Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!***

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Prayer of Illumination
Let us pray
***Prepare our hearts, O Lord,
To accept your word. Silence in us any voices but your own;
that, hearing, we may also obey your will;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.***

*Gospel Lesson John 14:8-24, pew Bible NT Page 103 Reverend Ben Devoid
This is the Gospel of our Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

Anthem Welsh Melody/ arr. Eric Thiman
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise
Immortal, invisible, God only wise, In light inaccessible hid from our eyes, most blessed,
most glorious, the Ancient of Days, Almighty, victorious, Thy great name we praise. Unrest-
ing, unhasting, and silent as light, nor wanting, nor wasting, Thou rules in might; Thy justice
like mountains high soaring above Thy clouds which are fountains of goodness and love. To
all, life Thou gives to both great and small; In all life Thou livest, the true life of all; we blos-
som and flourish as leaves on the tree, and wither and perish but nought changeth Thee. Great
Father of Glory, our Father of Light, Thine Angels adore Thee, all veiling their sight; All laud
we would render: O help us to see 'Tis only the splendor of light hideth Thee. Amen.

Homily But, Do You Know Him?

Hymn of Preparation UMH 400
Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing vs 1, 3

Holy Baptism and Confirmation UMH 33
Kelly Lynn Carrick *Joseph Bennett Cain*
Kayla Nicole Lawrence *Zane Glen Emerson*
**Ayden Levi Norton* **Kendall Ryann Rainwater*
**Victoria Renee Parrish*

Lilah Parrish (Baptism) *Baptism

SENDING FORTH

Reception into the United Methodist Church and this congregation UMH 38

*Hymn of Response *I Sing a Song of the Saints of God* UMH 712

*Benediction Reverend Devoid

*Chimes of the Holy Trinity "...in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."

*Postlude *Finale on Sine Nomine* Alfred V. Fedak

*Our service of worship ends,
Our worship through service begins.*

*Please stand as you are able.
+Please pass the registration pads at this time.

LARGE PRINT HYMNALS & HEARING DEVICES are available.
Please ask an usher for assistance.

NURSERY CARE for children (infant to 5 years) available 8:30 until noon.
Directions to the Nursery from the Sanctuary: Exit sanctuary at doors on either side of the chancel area. At the bottom of the steps, follow directional signs to the nursery located on the south wing of the ground floor.
CHILDREN'S WORSHIP in the Chapel (4 years+) following the Children's Sermon.
Directions to the Chapel from the Sanctuary: Exit sanctuary at doors on either side of the chancel area. At the bottom of the steps, follow directional signs to the Chapel located on the north wing of the ground floor. Kids are invited to come for their own style of worship including: music, storytime, video, role play and other activities. Parents are asked to pick up their child after the worship service in the chapel.

CHIEF USHER: Carey Eanes **USHER LEADERS:** Don Clinard, Carey Eanes, Zeb Hanner, David Hunt, Roger Bryant. **TODAY'S USHERS:** Ron Berrier, Jamie Hiatt, Charles Wade. **TODAY'S GREETERS:** Bettie Bryant, Pam Plyler, Bick Craig, Debbie Sainsing, Lynn Poole.

Dr. Jeff Patterson, the Yadkin Valley District Superintendent and Amy Johnson, the District Administrative Assistant will be leading our after dinner program on Wednesday, May 25 at 6:00 PM. Both are delegates to General Conference in Oregon, and will be sharing with us news and information that shape the United Methodist Church. The 14 Churches of the Thomasville Missional Network have received an invitation to join us. If you are able to be a greeter or parking attendant speak with our Senior Minister, Ben Devoid.