

## Rural Hall Moravian Church

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Martha Gribble, Acolyte

Tom Tucker, Acolyte

Wilson Smith, Organist/Choir Director

Ronye Blackburn, Head Diener

Pat Terry, Sacristan

Larry Williams, Band Director

Michael Terry, Acolyte

Kelly Whitman, Acolyte

Bill Gribble, Head Usher

Randy Bruce, Asst. Head Usher

Tom Tucker, Asst. Head Usher

Jeannie Ogburn, Handbell Director

### Ministers of Hospitality

Sunday School Greeter

Worship Greeter

Groundskeeper

Sunday School Nursery/This Week

Sunday School Nursery/Next Week, March 1

Children's Church

Sound Operator

Ushers

June Bruce

June Bruce

Randy Bruce

Sue Ashburn, Lori White

Tim and Lori White

Ronda Johnson

Sue Asburn

Avery Hammond, Rick Page,

Richard Key, Randy Thomas

### Birthdays for the Week

February 23 Macie Blanks

February 28 Marissa Christian

February 28 John Arrowood, Jr.

### Prayer Concerns and Joys

- **Marianne Fay** - was in hospital due to bad foot infection, now at home but homebound because unable to get shoe on.
- **Kelly Whitman** - heart catheterization on Friday, Feb. 21 to determine if any blockages went well, no blockages.
- **Ramona McGowen** (friend of June Bruce) - colon problems.
- **Kitty Campbell** (June Bruce's sister) - eye problems.
- **Melissa Martin** (friend of Lynora Essic) - colon cancer.
- **Diane Mitchell Thomas** (friend of John and Judy Tayloe) - lung cancer.
- **Donna Wilt** (cousin of Ronye Blackburn and Bunny Phipps) - cancer.
- **Chase Mickey** (Susan Thomas' cousin) - illness.
- **Cindy Holby** - hip surgery in March.
- **Adrian Mikol** - engaged to be married.

# Rural Hall Moravian Church

## February 23, 2020



Welcome to our service of worship this  
Last Sunday after the Epiphany.  
If you are visiting today, we welcome you!  
If you are a first-time visitor, please fill out a  
visitor's card and place it in the offering plate.

### WATCHWORD FOR THE WEEK

God said, "*This is my Son, the Beloved; with Him I am well pleased; listen to Him!*" ~ Matthew 17:5



### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lynora Essic

### JOYS AND CONCERNS

### CHORAL PRELUDE

*As A Little Child*

by Joseph Martin

### BAPTISM OF JUNE ELIZABETH SNYDER

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### \*HYMN

*Children Of The Heavenly Father*

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### OFFERINGS

#### Prayer

#### Offertory

*We Are Singing For The Lord Is Our Light*

Michael Terry, Djembe

arr. Hal H. Hopson  
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#### \*Doxology

### SCRIPTURES

2 Peter 1: 16-21  
Matthew 17: 1-9

Rev. Charlie Fishel

### \*HYMN

*Jesus Makes My Heart Rejoice*

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### MESSAGE

*What Am I To Do?*

Rev. Charlie Fishel

### \*HYMN

*A Charge To Keep I Have*

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### BENEDICTION

### POSTLUDE

*Shine, Jesus, Shine*

arr. Peggy Bettcher

*\*Please stand as you are able*

## Announcements

*Being baptised during today's service is June Elizabeth Snyder, born August 14, 2019 at Forsyth Hospital, Winston-Salem, NC. She is the daughter of Patti Bruce Snyder and Daniel Keith Snyder; great-granddaughter of June Bruce; granddaughter of Tony Bruce. She will be sponsored by Erik and Carrie Bruce, uncle and aunt; and be presented by diener, Megan Masencup.*

**Church Board** general monthly meeting is this afternoon at 5:30 pm.

**Lent - The Lent season begins Ash Wednesday this coming Wednesday night, February 26 at 6:00 pm.** The following weeks, we will have a meal every Wednesday at 6:00 pm beginning March 4 to April 1 (cash donations appreciated) and our interactive classes will begin following the meals around 6:45 pm. Our focus this year will be on the Life of Christ and we will be using the Feasting on the Word SS curriculum. **The weekly curriculum sheet can be found at the front of the sanctuary** for you to pick up the Sunday prior to be prepared for the Wednesday class.

**Choir Rehearsal for the Ash Wednesday service** will be on Wednesday, February 26 at 5:45 pm. We will have regular rehearsal for Sunday's service at our normal scheduled time of 7:30 pm that evening.

**Annual Candle Making (in the candle room) - Everyone is invited to help and learn!**

Fridays - 6:00 to 8:00 pm  
February 21 and February 28  
Sundays - 3:00 to 5:00 pm  
February 23 and March 1

**Women's Fellowship General Meeting** will be held next Sunday, March 1 at 4:00 pm in the Fellowship Hall.

*The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the glory of God and in honor of Steve and Rowenna Shore's anniversary by Ronye Blackburn.*

## Opportunities This Week

### Sunday, February 23

9:30 am Prayer Warriors  
9:30 am Band practice  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service  
3:00 pm Candle Making (Candle Room)  
5:30 pm Church Board Meeting

### Monday, February 24

6:00 pm Girl Scout Troop #13099 Meeting (Candle Room)

### Tuesday, February 25

6:30/7:30 pm Band Classes at Home Moravian  
7:00 pm Whys Bible Study (Tayloes' Home)

### Wednesday, February 26 - Ash Wednesday

5:45 Choir Ash Wednesday Practice  
6:00 Ash Wednesday Service  
7:30 pm Choir Practice (Regular)

### Thursday, February 27

5:30 pm Weight Watchers (Fellowship Hall)  
7:00 pm Triad Community Band Practice (FH)

### Friday, February 28

6:00 pm Candle Making (Candle Room)

### Sunday, March 1 - Communion - First Sunday of Lent

9:30 am Prayer Warriors  
9:30 am Band practice  
10:00 am Sunday School  
11:00 am Worship Service  
3:00 pm Candle Making (Candle Room)  
4:00 pm Women's Fellowship General Meeting (FH)

## Statement of Purpose

*To be committed to Jesus Christ as Lord and to witness to His teachings through worship, education, sharing, caring, and serving the people inside and outside the Church to help them find a mature and abundant life.*