



Main Street Mission
704.855.2909

NOW COLLECTING:

Cereal, canned chicken, tuna, whole grains, fruits, vegetables, pasta sauce, low sodium canned items, healthy snacks.

Drop donations in collection boxes in the Narthex and by the mailboxes. Look for the label "One Can Do More"

Social Ministry: Food Pantry Collections

TOTAL FOR MAY donated to MSM (AS OF 5/24/2019)

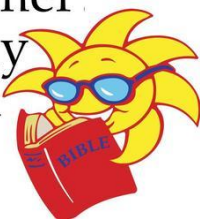
162 LBS. (YEARLY TOTAL so far 1200 LBS.)

Council Action Report (May 2019)

This Report is for information only. The Minutes for the meeting will be the official record of action taken by the Council. This report shows actions approved at the May 12, 2019 meeting.

- Minutes from the April 14, 2019 Council Meeting were unanimously approved.
- A motion was made to vote by secret ballot at the Congregational Meeting on Sunday, May 19, 2019. The motion passed.

Summer Sunday School



Summer Sunday School will begin June 9. Christian Ed needs volunteers to lead the 2 year olds-5th grade classes in their

Sunday School lessons. The sign-up sheet to help is located on the bulletin board in the hallway beside the nursery.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES DRIVE



BENEFITS MAIN STREET MAKRET PLACE Monetary Donations Welcomed

Can you believe it? Rowan-Salisbury Schools begins a new schedule for 2019-2020 School Year! School

starts August 6 for students. That means it is time to collect school supplies for our local students! This local ministry makes a big difference in our area schools. Beginning Sunday, June 29, 2019 through Sunday, July 14, 2019, marked containers will be in the New Narthex and at the mailboxes for your donations. A sample listing of school supplies is listed below and on our flyers.

Suggestions for School Supplies

Zipper Pencil Pouch, #2 Pencils, Marble Composition Books, Spiral Bound Notebooks 1 and 3 Subjects, Glue Sticks, Scissors, Crayola Crayons, Colored Pencils, Pink Pearl Erasers, 1" Binders, Wide ruled notebook paper, College ruled notebook paper for High School, Blue and Red Pens, Rulers, Pocket Folders

QUILTING SCHEDULE FOR JUNE



**June 11 – Tuesday 6:30pm
June 12 – Wednesday 9:00am
June 25 --Tuesday 6:30pm
June 26 – Wednesday 9:00am**

JULY NEWSLETTER DEADLINE – June 20, 2019 (JULY WILL BE A QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER)



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES:

Nathan Diggs graduates from East Rowan High School, June 8, 2019. He has been active in sporting events and FFA Sentinel at East. At Grace and in the Youth group, Nathan has served at the RHM Homeless Shelter and on the Evangelism Committee, participated in the BBQ Cook-Off and has been an instrumental and active member of the Youth of Grace. Nathan will attend Lenoir-Rhyne University in the fall and pursue a double major in Sports Management and Education. Nathan is the son of David and Wendy Diggs and brother of Claudia Diggs.

Jeremiah Cloninger graduates from Jesse C. Carson High School June 8, 2019. Jeremiah played football at Carson High School for three years. He participated in various activities including Crosby Scholars. Jeremiah has been an active participant in his worship life at Grace and in the Youth of Grace. He has enjoyed National Youth Gatherings, served at the RHM Homeless Shelter, cooked at the "Annual Fish Fry", supported and led as called upon in all aspects of our youth. Jeremiah will enter the workforce and attend Rowan Cabarrus Community College. He is the son of Rev. Jerome Cloninger and Kim, brother to Beth, Aimee, Ella and Zeke.

COLLEGE GRADUATES:

Audra Benson graduated May 2019 from Clemson University with a major in Psychology and minor in Recreational Therapy. She complete her degree with honors and plans to continue her education at Western Carolina University and earn her Master's Degree in Special Education. Audra is the daughter of Bonnie Benson and Scottie

Benson and sister to Adam Benson and granddaughter of Rev. Gene Bost and Myra.

Note from Audra: "I would like to thank Grace Church for all of the support in every way during my college years."

Aaron Lippard, son of Lynn and Angela Lippard and brother of Cathryn and Rebekah, graduated cum laude May 16, 2019 from the NC State University's College of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering with a BS in Mechanical Engineering. He has accepted a position with Crenshaw Consulting in Raleigh. Aaron is a life-long member of Grace and was active in all facets of Church Life. He graduated in 2015 from Carson High School and has been a recipient of the Grace Scholarship during his stay at State.

CHURCH FACILITIES USAGE FOR MARCH/APRIL

During March, the church facilities had the following usage:

Parish House/8 times – Boy Scout (4) Lenten meals (3) Party (1)
Parlor/5 times – Circle of Life (1) Bible Study (4)
FLC/17 times – Quilters (7) Yoga (4) Volleyball (3) LMIM (1) Thrivent meal (1) Sr. Citizens (1) Active Shooter drill (1) The shelter was not used
Fees collected: Parish House (\$35-Party)
Parlor (0)
FLC (\$150-Volleyball)

During April, the church facilities had the following usage:

Parish House/9 times – Boy Scouts (5) Lenten Meals (2) Reunion (1) Class (2)
Parlor/2 times-Circle of Hope (1) Bible Study (2)
FLX/12 times- Quilters (4)/Yoga (3)/LMIM (1)/Easter Meal (1)/Sr. Citizens (1)/Youth(1) Novant (1)
Shelter / 1 time-Party (1)
Fees collected: Parish House (\$70-reunion & Class)
Parlor (0)
FLC (\$550-Novant)
Shelter (\$50-Party)