

# Welcome

## Options for children during service

### Nursery – Up to Age 3:

Meets downstairs, Room #7  
Video of Service Provided

### Jr. Church - K through Grade 4:

Meets downstairs 2nd-4th Sundays  
1st & 5th Sundays are Family Sundays  
Kids remain in worship center on Family Sundays  
(Worship Bags are available to kids every week)

## Sunday opportunities to connect & learn

*Sundays: 10:00am - 10:45am*

### Adults:

Small Groups-Ground Level  
Rm # 11 Center: Odd Topics - Matt Hoose  
Rm# 13: Various Topics - Paul Sheeley  
Rm# 10: Exploring The Scriptures - Steve Beers

### Kids:

Downstairs  
Nursery - 5th grade - Various Teachers

### Youth:

Downstairs  
Grades 6-12 - Pastor Mason Sebian

## Other opportunities to connect & learn

**Awana:** K-Grade 5, Wednesdays at 6:00pm  
(only during the school year)  
at MPWC

**Youth:** Grades 6-12: Sundays at 6:00pm  
(watch announcements in bulletin for other details)  
at MPWC

**Best Years Ministries:** Age 55+: various events  
(watch announcements in bulletin for details)

## Next Week

### "Celebrating God's Faithfulness!"

**Guest Speaker: Paul Sheeley**

## Important Contacts

**Women's Group:** Michelle Vargason  
570-596-4557

**Men's Group:** Randy Vargason  
607-329-3575

**Best Years (Sr. Adult) Ministry:** Marilyn McClelland  
570-297-4087

**AWANA Children's Ministry:** Pastor Mason Sebian  
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**Children & Youth:** Pastor Mason Sebian  
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**Facility Reservations:** Lori Hoose  
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**Board Members:** Vice Chair: Paul Sheeley  
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Steve Moody Whitney Sheeley  
Ashley Pruyne Fred Simpson  
Karen Ockasi Randy Vargason

**Facilities Team:** Craig Sheeley  
Linda Hoose Randy Pruyne  
Fred Simpson  
Sam Terry

**December 28, 2025**

## Christmas

**According to The Gospel Of John**

**"Jesus, Word & Light!"**



## Mount Pisgah Wesleyan Church

A place to be loved, known, & cared for

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Worship Service - 11am

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## **Mt. Pisgah Wesleyan**

### **A Place to Be!**

#### **Be Welcome!**

Be our guest and consider being part of the family. We approach the culture with the same welcoming attitude that Jesus has with us.

#### **Believe!**

Mt. Pisgah is a great place to learn about the God of the Bible and what it means to follow Jesus Christ. We offer Sunday School Classes and small groups for all ages. Our services are biblically grounded and spirit-led.

#### **Belong!**

We have many life groups and other activities for you to join that will help you feel like you're a part of the church family. Also, eventually we will invite you to consider becoming a member of Mt. Pisgah Wesleyan.

#### **Become!**

Be a part of leadership at Mt. Pisgah. Teach a class, lead a small group, be an elder or a board member. Become what God is calling you to be.

#### **Be Generous!**

We believe that being generous is about more than giving money and/or resources away. Living a generous life is one that is outward-focused, thinking of others first, and letting God teach us



## **Announcements:**

### **Game Night!**

An all-church Game Night is planned for New Year's Eve (Wednesday this week), beginning at 7:00pm and continuing until everyone is ready to head home. Bring a game. Bring a friend. Bring a snack of your choice to share; we'll take care of the rest. If you'd like to host a table, or have any questions about this fun event, reach out to Matt Hoose.

### **2026 Church Directory**

We'll be updating our church directory for the new year soon. If you'd like to be added to the directory, or if you have any edits that need to be put in place or information updated, please reach out to Steve and Heather Moody.

### **Winter Retreat**

Student's Winter Retreat is happening this week (Jan 2-4), and students from around the district will be attending. Please continue to pray for those students going to the retreat, and for Pastor Mason and his staff as they minister to our students, giving them a chance to draw nearer to the Lord. Your donations during the pie auction made this happen. Thank you!

### **Life Groups in 2026**

With a new year, comes the opportunity to make new friends and try new things. Life Groups are great for meeting those goals. From Bible Studies to "Convos Over Coffee" (or tea), life groups provide a way to bond that cannot be achieved in larger settings. If you've been thinking about starting a life group for 2026, let Pastor Jeff know.

### **Ladies Morning Bible Study**

The Thursday morning bible study is taking a break for the next two weeks, and beginning again on January 8th. All ladies are welcome.

### **Celebrating God's Faithfulness**

Sunday, January 4th, Lay Leader Paul Sheeley will be sharing a bit of a history of MPWC and focusing on God's faithfulness of the past and into the future. You won't want to miss it!

## **This Week at a Glance**

### **Tonight**

No Youth Tonight  
Enjoy time with your families

**12/28**

### **Wednesday**

All-Church Game Night  
7:00pm at the church

**12/31**

### **Thursday**

New Year's Day  
Welcome, 2026!

**1/1**

### **Friday**

Winter Retreat for Students  
Pray for them Jan 2-4

**1/2**

## **Birthdays & Anniversary**

### **December**

28-Dan McKee  
31-Seth & Emilie Robbins

### **January**

7-Greta Kenyon  
7-Zion Storrs  
8-Fred Simpson  
11-Lacey Gore  
14-Eric Kenyon  
17-Will & Pat Trout  
18-Sandy Grant  
24-Randy & Michelle Vargason  
28-Jim Gore  
29-Amy Falke  
29-Shelby Fay  
29-Simon Beeman

*\*To suggest additions or changes to our birthday & anniversary list please email [bulletin@mpwesleyan.org](mailto:bulletin@mpwesleyan.org)*

## **Current Facility Reservations**

**AWANA weekly Wednesdays 6-7:30pm**  
**NTLL weekly Thursdays 6-7:30pm**

**Dec 31: Game Night 7-?**

For more info or to reserve the facility, contact Lori Hoose. See *Important Contacts* section on the back of this bulletin.

**Please send in your announcements for this bulletin by Thursday each week to: [bulletin@mpwesleyan.org](mailto:bulletin@mpwesleyan.org)**