

The  
*Gathering*

## We're a Hot Mess

**The Family and Friends of  
The Chapel in the Pines  
Invites you to The Gathering**  
Thursday, July 11, 2024 - 5:00 p.m.



The third of six Thursday evening Gatherings is coming your way on July 11, 2024 beginning at 5:00 with a covered-dish meal.

The Gathering is an informal time of food, fellowship fun, and new experiences in music and/or worship.

### **Covered Dish, Comedy, and Communion**

Our July Gathering is a Covered Dish, Comedy, and Communion happening. We will gather at 5:00 for a covered dish supper, so bring out your favorite Summer recipe and bring it to share and enjoy around the table.

The topic for the evening is, "We're a Hot Mess" because that's the best way I have found to describe a group of church people from multiple denominations, Protestant and Catholic, from different parts of our country and the world. We are mature Christians and new and exploring spiritual seekers and somehow we come together to worship and serve God in this place we call Chapel. We are not perfect...in fact we have some rough edges and we're going to explore our warts and all with the help of a local comedian who was once Miss North Carolina and runner-up in the Miss America Pageant.

We'll end the evening with the celebration of Holy Communion and leave with smiles on our faces and the love of God in our hearts.

I am looking forward to spending this particular evening with all of you.



Peace,  
Pastor Paul

*Hiding Our Faults—Warts and All!*

