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Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

In 1933, the world was quite different. Our nation was different. Our culture was different. Shelby was quite different. SPC was surely different as well. Yet, we are tied to that era by a dozen members who were born in that year or even earlier. In times of change, we may feel we have lost our bearing. However, we have many anchors which keep us tied to our traditions. These empower us to look forward to the next big thing.

People like Dot Roark and our other senior members are a source of that strength. On the Member Life Committee, Dot made sure that as a relatively new addition to our church, I knew about the long tradition of the "Over 90 Birthday Party." What a joy it was for me to see our youngest and oldest members sharing cake and celebrating together. This beautiful tradition is now a source of joy for the next generation.

In addition to long-time members like Dot, who has been a member 67 years this month, we have a great "cloud of witnesses" in every age, as it says in Hebrews. This cloud of witnesses ties us to our church's founders in 1858. It ties us to the reformers of the 16th Century and back to the faithful in the medieval Church. It ties us to the earliest disciples of Jesus, and to the Jews, Israelites, Hebrews, and the patriarchs before.

Scripture, history, and our current intergenerational worship all help us to know our roots in the faith, and nurture us as we grow. By these roots, the trunk, and the branches, we flourish with our Lord Jesus Christ as our head and with the Spirit in and among us, sent by the love of the Father. In this, we know the One, Eternal and Triune God.

We look to the early Church. Yet, if we were to go back in time, the Church then would look very different. Still, if the earliest Christians saw the Church today, I think they would see their living faith has been carried forward. The Church has always had flaws, but it has always been the Church – the assembly called out by God.

Here at SPC, as we work together for the future of our church, the universal Church, and the world in which we live, we must look upon our roots and this cloud of witnesses to continue growing into something new as God intends. Each of you is called to be a piece of the new creation, as individuals and as a community, knowing where we have been, and looking forward to all the new works of faith God has planned for us.

- Drew

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From the Desk of Carol Ann



Change can be **exciting**, such as starting a new job, a new school, making a new friend, getting your driver's license, starting your first semester in school or even being empty nesters.

Change can be **hard** - such as watching our kids grow inches in a day, new gray hairs emerging every time we look in the mirror. The clothes we wore a year ago just don't fit the way they used to. We lose job, relationships end, churches change, we watch our child drive off on their own, we move our last child into college, we move our parents in with us or move them to Hospice. We like things to be familiar and predictable. We like to know what to expect when we wake up each morning.

We can go to bed at night to one reality and wake up to a completely different life. Life is constantly changing.

Are you going through a period of life where you are dealing with change? While some of us invite change, it can be a very difficult thing for others.

When such changes enter our life, it's overwhelming, confusing, even terrifying. Change can make us feel lost and abandoned, like we've been tossed overboard in the midst of a storm. We're left reeling, trying to grab ahold of anything. We're tempted to run from change, as though we could ever escape it.

Things will continue to change - in the world around us and in our lives. Some of those changes will feel like a tiny ripple, and others feel like a ten-foot wave. When we are going through changes, we focus on the loss that is involved. But whatever changes we face, we need not fear. We need not hide. We need not despair. We know God works in everything (the hard and the exciting) together for the good of those who believe in Him.

And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ. (Philippians 1:6)

Let's pray together through all the changes in our lives,
CA



MIDDLE SCHOOL
Retreat
NOVEMBER 4-5

Join other Middle schoolers from our Presbytery for an over night retreat at Camp Grier.

Deadline to sign up is September 24th

Wednesdays for Youth
6:-7:00

FELLOWSHIP

The youth room is available for studying, or just fellowshiping with one another. This is time for students to have a midweek stress break and laugh with one another.

Sundays for Youth

Sunday School - 9:00 am
Worship - 10:00am
5:00- 7:00 Youth Group and supper

No Youth - Labor Day Weekend
Fall Kick-Off - September 10th -welcome 6th graders
No Youth September 17th - Montreat
Bible Study will resume on September 24th.

**Youth suppers needed.
Sign up with Carol Ann if you are willing to provide a meal for the youth!**



CHILDREN'S PROMOTION SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

Kindergartners and Third Graders will be recognized during the worship service.

Habitat House

Blessings on the House

The frame is up with Scriptures and Blessings. Thanks to Richard for giving the youth a tour of the church build house. They enjoyed writing different scriptures on the wall studs and framing.



First Communion

SEPTEMBER 10 & 24

Rising 2nd graders and 3rd graders and any others who have not yet completed this class are invited to learn about the mystery and grace of the Lord's Supper. Classes will be 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sundays, September 10 and 24, leading up to a commemoration of their official First Communion.

Hart Square

Our Senior Adults had a wonderful time touring many original log cabins!

WATCH FOR OUR NEXT ADVENTURE COMING IN OCTOBER!




World Communion
Sunday, October 1st



SAVE THE DATE **WILDERNESS TRAIL**
JUNE 14 - JUNE 19
2024
FRIDAY - WEDNESDAY

\$50 deposit will hold your spot.



"God's word is a lamp unto our feet, and a light unto our path." - Psalm 119:105

SPC SUNDAY SCHOOL MENU

All classes are offered
from 9 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. before the 10 a.m. service

BIBLE STUDIES

Serendipity

A guided walk through Scripture through a book by book study.

Kerygma: A Proclamation

Learning about God through the proclamation of God's people.

GENERAL STUDIES

Christian Issues

Engaging the tough issues facing Christianity today.

F3: Finding Faith Through Fellowship

Developing as Christ-followers in common life together through study.

Women in Progress

Women supporting women through fellowship, study and prayer.

CHILDREN & YOUTH STUDIES

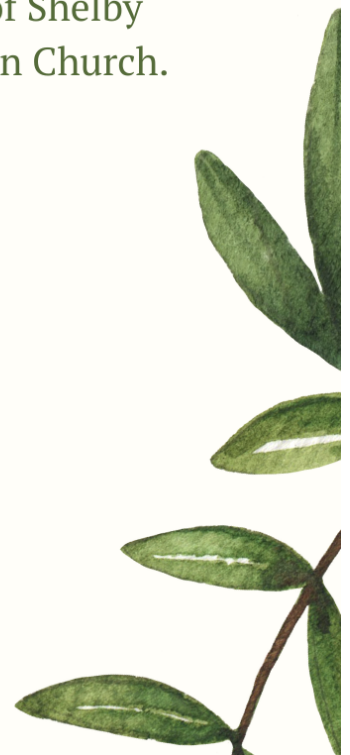
Toddler - Pre-K & K - 1st & 2nd Grade -
3rd to 5th Grade - Middle School
High School

SEASONAL STUDIES

(beginning Oct. 1)

New Member Class

A 5-week course with Pastor Drew to study our Christian Faith, what it means to be Presbyterian, and what it means to be a member of Shelby Presbyterian Church.





The Kirkin' o' the Tartan Committee is looking for volunteers! **Do you want to carry a tartan?** This year's Heritage Sunday and the "Kirkin' o' the Tartans" will be Sept. 24th at 10:00 am. If you are interested, please contact Mary Conner at 704-300-1109 or by email: catmom1882@gmail.com.

What's Going on at SPC?!

— WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER —

TACO NIGHT

SEPTEMBER 6TH

THIS MONTH THE F3 CLASS WILL PROVIDE TACOS AND ALL THE TOPPINGS. WE ENCOURAGE FAMILIES TO BRING THEIR OWN PLATES, CUTLERY, AND CUPS AS A WAY TO BE BETTER STEWARDS OF OUR EARTH.

OUR PROGRAM WILL BE ON OUR MISSION AND MINISTRY COMMITTEE WITH A SPECIAL FOCUS ON HABITAT FOR HUMANITY, TPA AND OUR EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

WE WILL BE COLLECTING MONETARY DONATIONS TO SUPPORT THE SPC EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE FUND.

EVERYTHING IS PROVIDED, NO NEED TO BRING SIDES.



WNS is Back!

Dinner and Program at 6:00
Children eat at 5:30

it's a
BOY

Lebby Scott Hollett

born August 15, 2023 to Jordan & Ronald Hollett.
Overjoyed grandparents are Trip & Becky Boinest.
Thanks, and praise to God for this new life!

it's a
GIRL

Ruth Baird Yasenchok

born July 30, 2023 to John and Baird Yasenchok.
She joins siblings Jack, Laney and Nolan. Overjoyed grandparents are Fred and Nancy Blackley.
Thanks, and praise to God for this new life!



If you have not paid your balance please do so quickly. Thank you.



THE RAINBOW CONNECTION PRESCHOOL

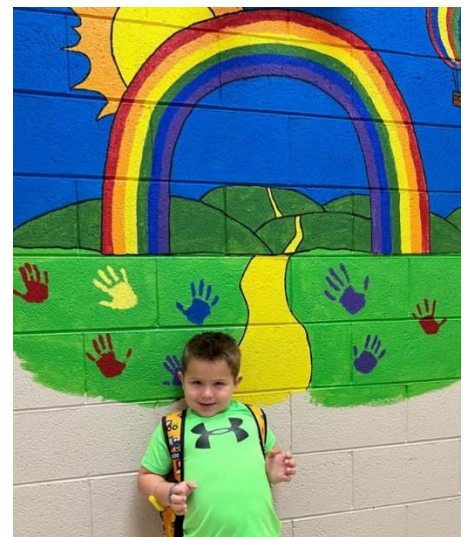
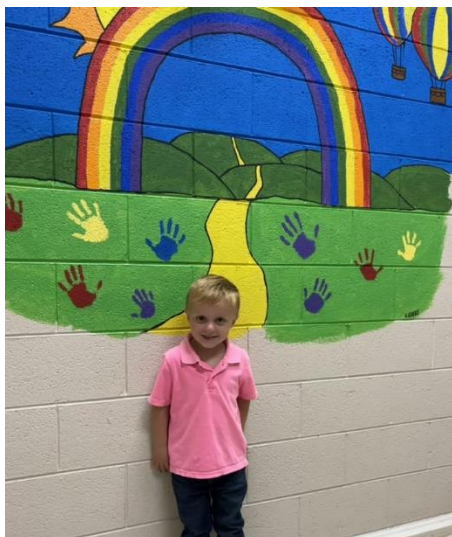


We have started off with a great year at Rainbow Connection! We love seeing all the happy smiling faces coming in every day! This month we are getting to know one another, exploring our new classrooms, and enjoying playtime with new friends.

Thanks to SPC, all our teachers were gifted the things on their wish lists! We appreciate you all and are so blessed to be a part of this wonderful community!

"For great is your love, reaching to the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the skies." psalms 57:10

Abby Goins, Director





BE INVOLVED



MEN'S BREAKFAST

SEPT. 7, 2023
AT 7:00 AM

THE MEN OF SPC WILL MEET FOR
BREAKFAST & SHARING PRAYER
CONCERNS AT KEN & MARY'S
RESTAURANT,
1628 S. DEKALB ST.



Music Notes



The SPC Choir would love to have you join us in bringing music to Sunday worship. Whether you sing or play an instrument, we can certainly find a way for you to offer your gifts in a fun and meaningful way. From digeridoo to dulcimer, tambourine to tuba - all instruments are welcome. Email bruce@shelbypres.org and we'll figure out a way to get you involved in a way you feel comfortable. Thanks for helping SPC sing a new song!

Handbell Rehearsals resume Sunday, September 24th at 11:00.

Chancel Choir rehearsals have started back. Come join us! Wednesdays at 7:00 in the choir room.

Growing in Grace for children starts on Wednesday, September 6th at 6:00, this includes a music time for children ages 3-5th grade.

"Save the Date" Joint Choir Cantata "Let There Be Christmas" with our Chancel Choir, First Baptist, Central United Methodist and Aldersgate United Methodist. Sunday, December 10th at 3:00 pm at First Baptist.

ARE YOU ON DUTY IN SEPTEMBER?

Chimers

- Sept. 3 Josephine Mangione
- 10 Harrison Mangione
- 17 Corban Stern
- 24 Josephine Mangione

Elders Serving Communion

- Sept. 3 Scoot Dixon
- Bill Jobe
- John Schweppe Jr.
- Steve Sisk

Wednesday Night Supper

Elders & Deacons

- Sept. 6 Scoot Dixon
- Steve Sisk
- Jennifer Niblack
- Elizabeth Schweppe

Deacons Taking Up Offering & Ushers

- Sept. Michelle Moser, captain
- Kyle Aldinger
- Mary Ann LaSelva
- Thomas Monroe

Worship Liturgist

- Sept. 3 Carolyn Billings
- 10 Margie Trivett
- 17
- 24 John Schweppe III

Sound & Video Teams

- Sept. 3 David Grose
- Joe Petrilli
- 10 David Grose
- Mike Jackson
- 17 Patrick Glenn
- 24 John Brotherton
- Mike Jackson

Sanctuary Worship Guild

- Sept. 3 Lyn Huston
- Lori Wehmuller
- 10 Paul & Joyce Couey
- 17 Harriette Beam
- Laura Beam
- 24 Judy Greer
- Rachel White

Sanctuary Flowers

- Sept. 3 Teddy Family
- 10, 17, 24 are available

*A Flower Calendar is posted on the bulletin board at the Harris Street entrance outside the fellowship hall. If there is a Sunday that you would like to reserve, please call the church office and we'll sign you up.

**WORSHIP NOTES FOR
10:00 A.M. KIRKIN' O' THE TARTAN SERVICE
HERITAGE SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2023**

About the Kirkin': Kirkin' is the Scottish word for blessing. It has come to describe a special service of worship that includes all Presbyterians. Together, we give thanks to God for our Presbyterian heritage and ask for God's continued blessing upon us.

The History: The Kirkin' o' the Tartans is of American origin, though based on history and legend in Scotland. After Bonnie Prince Charlie's forces were defeated by the English at the Battle of Culloden in 1746, Scotland once again came under British rule. To control the Scots, a special act was passed that forbade the carrying of arms and the wearing of kilts, plaid, or any tartan that represented Scots' heritage. Orders were given for British troops to kill upon sight any person dressed in Highland garb or displaying the tartan.

As the Legend Goes . . . This act prompted the stubborn Scots secretly to carry a piece of their tartan with them as they went to church, known as the Kirk. The minister then slipped a blessing (a Kirkin') into the service for the tartans. The prohibition against tartans lasted about 50 years. At the repeal of the act, the Church of Scotland celebrated with a Service of Family Covenant, at which time the tartan of each family was offered as a covenant expression for the Lord's blessing.

The First Kirkin': The Saint Andrew's Society of Washington, D.C. held the first Kirkin' during the early years of World War II. The late Dr. Peter Marshall, an eloquent Scot, then Chaplain of the U.S. Senate and Pastor of New York Avenue Presbyterian Church, led the service in 1943, choosing "Kirkin' o' the Tartan" for the title of his sermon. He had preached many sermons in support of the British War Relief and the Scottish Clans Evacuation Plan. His sermons were so popular that a request was made for their publication, with proceeds from the sales designated for war relief programs. As the war continued, the Saint Andrew's Society continued to hold services of unified prayer for the subjects of the British Isles. These became known as Kirkin's.

The Service: The worship service is of traditional content, using much of the Church of Scotland form. Central to its theme is the presentation of various tartans—through the carrying of flags and the wearing of tartans—for a blessing. Clans provided protection and economic, political, and social support. The tartan is a symbol of love and togetherness. The Kirkin' is intended to encourage all participants to reflect with thanksgiving on their own family and ethnic heritage and to celebrate God's grace poured out for all generations.

The Beadle: The Beadle leads the worship procession carrying the Bible to the front of the sanctuary and the lectern. Reminiscent of an old custom of the Church of Scotland, this tradition highlights the Bible as the Word of our Lord and the center of our faith. The term beadle comes from the Latin term *bedullus*, a word referring to a messenger or summoner of parties to court, which in this case was the Session. The term *bedullus* proved too cumbersome and over time it was simplified to beadle.

Carolina Tartan Stoles: The Chancel Choir is wearing Carolina tartan stoles made by Carolyn Eddins and Betsy Fonvielle. The Carolina tartan was designed in Scotland and adopted as the official state tartan of both North and South Carolina. Both states received their share of immigration from Scotland. The Cape Fear River Valley in particular was home to a large settlement of Gaelic-speaking highlanders. The western region of the Carolinas was settled primarily by Ulster Scots, lowland Scots who migrated to Ireland in the 17th century, and later to the colonies. The Carolina tartan is based on a design associated with King Charles II of England; he and his father, King Charles I, established the original land grants for the colony named after them.

About John Knox: Before he became a leader of the Reformation in Scotland, John Knox served as a bodyguard. During worship he stood in the front of the church holding a claymore sword to protect the pastor during those dangerous times.

About the Protestant Reformation: The Reformation was begun in Germany in 1517 by Martin Luther who insisted on grace and faith in Jesus Christ alone as the heart of Christian faith. John Calvin, guided by the Bible and Luther's example, helped to establish the Protestant Reformation in Geneva. This included a church governed by elders (presbyters), which became known as Presbyterian. From Calvin's Geneva, Presbyterianism spread to Scotland, and then to the United States, among many other places around the world. John Knox would describe his experience in Calvin's Geneva as "the most perfect school of Christian piety."

About the Scots Confession: On August 17, 1560, Reformer John Knox and five of his colleagues presented the first Reformed confession of faith written in the English language to the Parliament of Scotland. "The Scots Confession," as it is now known, united all of Scotland in its politics and in the church. From that day on, the nation was united under a Protestant Flag, emblazoned with the Cross of St. Andrew. This was the birth of the Church of Scotland, a church governed by elders, which became the parent of Presbyterian churches around the world.

More on the Scots Confession: The 25 Chapters of the Confession spell out a contemporary statement of the Christian faith as understood by the followers of John Calvin during his lifetime. Although the Confession and its accompanying documents were the product of the joint effort of a committee, its authorship is customarily attributed to John Knox.

The Book of Confessions: The Scots Confession is an official standard of the Church of Scotland, but was never meant to stand alone. It was approved along with other Catechisms, confessions and a Book of Common Order. Similarly, today, the Scots Confession does not stand alone. It is part of the PC(USA)'s Book of Confessions that expresses the faith of the church in specific times and places throughout history.

THIS and THAT at SPC!

"In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven." Matthew 5:16

SPC GOES to THE LITTLE MERMAID

July 29, 2023



SPC serving at FEEDING KIDS CLEVELAND COUNTY

July 31, 2023



KIDS CAMP

July 31 - August 4



CONFIRMATION SUNDAY
Bly Borders &
Charlie Schweppe
 August 6, 2023



BLESSING OF THE
BACKPACKS
 August 13, 2023



PRAYER WALK
at Turning Point Academy
 August 13, 2023



BLOOD DRIVE
 August 15,
 2023



BAPTISM
of Thomas Pruitt &
Kesson Warrick
 August 20, 2023



Important Dates

- Monday, September 4th: Church Office closed for Labor Day.
- Friday, Sept. 15th – Sunday, Sept. 17th: Montreat Retreat
- Sunday, September 17th: Dan McLaurin is preaching
- Monday, September 18th: Newsletter Articles due to Miranda (miranda@shellbypres.org).
- Sunday, September 24th: Heritage Sunday



Member Care

The goal of the Member Life Ministry Committee is to extend love and care to all of our Shelby Presbyterian Church Family. If you find anyone in need of attention in our church family, in your neighborhood, or beyond, please contact Lori Wehmuller, Member Life Ministry Chairperson, 704.472.5253 or loriwehmuller@gmail.com or the church office 704.487.8503.

Please include the following in your prayers:

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|------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| JoAnn & George Beattie | Chris Denning | Ann Pharr |
| Pam Birmingham | Debbie Ferrell | Finley Price |
| Debra Blanton | Ina Harrington | Clay Pruet |
| Dick Bowling | Robert Hilton | Diane Richards |
| Donna Buies | August Hohne | Steve Sisk |
| Hannah Carpenter | Joan Hunt | Robin Smith & Family |
| Karen Carpenter | David Kelley | Beverly Styers |
| Myra Carpenter | David LeGrand | Doreen Wacaster |
| Matthew Carpenter | Cheryl Lutz | Jackie Weathers |
| Robin Collins | Faye McCants | Diane Windham |
| Bert & Joy Cushman | Brooke McCurry | Teresa Wingo |
| Nancy Davis | Pauline Persing | |

- Children and Staff of Turning Point Academy
- Covid-19 research, caregivers, and patients
- Racial injustices
- U. S. Economy
- All those serving in the military
- Our brothers & sisters of Monte los Olivos
- John McCall in Taiwan
- Food Ministry
- Rainbow Connection
- Christians who are persecuted for their faith
- All disaster victims (volcanoes, floods, fires, etc.)
- All victims of violence
- All refugees

Thank you for expanding your prayer list to include specific children and youth each month. During September, pray for our **Eighth Graders:** Ollie Haig, River Harrill, Carla Libby, Madison McIntyre, Madison Ormand, and our **Ninth Graders:** Amelia Pruitt, Khia Hickman, Ian Haig, and Nate Haig.

Prayers and Sympathy

Our prayers and sympathies go out to Ed Webb and family in the passing of his mother Peggy Webb on August 16, 2023.

Our prayers and sympathies go out to Larry Wilson and family in the passing of his mother Margaret Wilson on August 25, 2023.

Happy Birthday!

- September 1..... Lori Wehmuller
- September 2.....Beth Coiner
- September 2..... Joy Cushman
- September 2..... Lisa Dodrill
- September 5..... Len Byers
- September 6.....Joyce Couey
- September 6..... Angela Hill
- September 6..... Rich Kelly
- September 7.....Stefanie McIntyre
- September 8..... Mimi Martin
- September 8..... Patsy McBride
- September 9..... Jill Venable
- September 12..... Chuck Lampley
- September 13.....Rex Appling
- September 13..... Alice Harrill
- September 13..... Jim McConnell
- September 14..... Betty Giles
- September 14..... Judy Wiggin
- September 15..... Eric White
- September 16..... Carolyn Billings
- September 16..... Doug Bryan
- September 16..... Lena Kate Dow
- September 16..... Bruce Moser
- September 17..... Miles Beam
- September 18..... Stephanie Taylor
- September 19..... Jane Szyborski
- September 20..... Tristan Ormand
- September 22..... Caja Ormand
- September 25..... Betty Bowling
- September 25..... Kathy Wilson
- September 26..... Mike Jackson
- September 26..... Will Stites
- September 27.....Keaton Fonvielle
- September 29.....Drew Beam
- September 29..... Walker Borders
- September 29..... Richard Fletcher
- September 29.... Elizabeth Schweppe
- September 30.....David Pharr

SPC Reports & Minutes

SESSION MINUTES JULY 25, 2023

Confirmation of Members: Bly Borders and Charlie Schweppe appeared before the session for examination as confirmands. Upon motion by Larry Wilson, seconded by Richard Dedmon, Bly and Charlie were unanimously approved for membership in Shelby Presbyterian Church.

Communications

Clerk's Report - John Schweppe reported: Recognized Bill Jobe both for his above and beyond service on the Property Committee and to the greater church.

Deacon's Report - Elizabeth Schweppe reported: Growing excitement for the Montreat Church Wide Retreat. Ice cream social was well attended; the June Blood Drive missed our goal by two units; and the August 15th drive is seven short of a full schedule.

Pastor's Report - Drew reported: Requested John Auten to report on Ryburn Presbyterian. John reported that our sister church Ryburn is in a difficult place. Membership has declined to the point that there are about 12 active members with less than 30 on the role. John raised the question about how we can support Ryburn in a manner that reflects our grace to them and them to us. After discussion, it was moved by Larry Wilson, seconded by Bill Jobe and passed unanimously that beginning in the month of August through December, we reduce our remittance to Presbytery by \$2,000.00 and direct the same amount be distributed to Ryburn.

Online Votes & Minutes: Minutes for the June 13th Session Meeting were read and approved unanimously and ratified Roger Holland appointment as acting Clerk.

Committee Reports:

Finance Committee - Scoot Dixon reported: June revenue is short due to heavy expenditures this month for youth activities but overall church finances are strong. Significant gifts were made to both Habitat and the Emergency Assistance Fund.

Mission & Ministry Committee: Anna Schweppe proposed the installation of a community refrigerator. She explained that other churches have found this mission successful, and it provides a refrigerator (already donated) to be located outside of the church stocked with prepackaged food permitting needy recipients to access on the honor system that which they need. Anna further reported she is committed to being responsible for an active role in the management of this mission and training successors upon her graduation from high school in two years. Upon a motion by Larry Wilson, seconded by Susan Bell and this proposal passed unanimously. Larry Wilson advised that our food ministry, Monday Hot Lunch has 30-35 participants each week and suggested that we activate and encourage the Kitchen Renovation Committee to proceed in finalizing plans for kitchen renovation. Parameters are in place for efficient distribution of emergency assistance.

Property Committee - Fred Blackley reported: Marie Jackson is providing amazing service in all matters related to her service as sexton. Fred also suggested that a committee review the existing janitorial contract with regard to including more detail on cleaning procedures by the janitorial service.

Worship & Music - Richard Dedmon reported: Online advent devotional is in process. A new bulletin template is under consideration possibly using a tri fold bulletin. Confirmation of Bly Borders and Charlie Schweppe will take place on August 6th, August 20th will include Baptism of Kesson Warrick and Thomas Pruitt and return of our full choir. Motion to approve the Confirmation Date and Baptism by Larry Wilson, seconded by Susan Bell, unanimous approval.

AUGUST 2023 STEWARDSHIP REPORT

2023 Operating Budget\$645,006.00
Needed Weekly.....\$12,403.96

AUG. 6: Received.....\$29,764.39	Worship.....111	Livestream View.....98	5c-A-Meal..... \$335.05
AUG. 13: Received.....\$6,413.20	Worship.....148	Livestream Views.....137	
AUG. 20: Received.....\$10,679.00	Worship.....155	Livestream Views.....152	
AUG. 27: Received.....\$3,071.11	Worship.....145	Livestream Views.....116	

MEMORIALS & HONORARIUMS RECEIVED IN AUGUST

...to the Food Ministry in memory of Margaret Wilson.
...to the Lacey Montreat Fund in memory of Peggy Webb.
...to the Piano Fund in memory of Peggy Webb.
...to the Youth Ministry in memory of Ray Blackwood.

SHELBY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH – SEPTEMBER 2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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14th Sunday after Pentecost 3 Five-Cents-A-Meal Offering Communion Children's Promotion Sunday • 9:00 Sunday School • 10:00 Worship in Sanctuary & livestreaming on YouTube & Facebook.	4 LABOR DAY CHURCH CLOSED	5 • 10:30 Staff Meeting • 6:00 Discipleship Ministry • 7:00 Worship & Music	6 • 11:00 Member Life • 5:00 Property Cmte. • 6:00 Wednesday Night Supper • 6:00 Growing in Grace • 7:00 Choir	7 • 7:00 Men's Breakfast at Ken & Mary's • 3:00 Cecilia Music Club • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	8 • 6:00 Ellis Hall Reserved	9 • 6:00 Ellis Hall Reserved
15th Sunday after Pentecost 10 • 9:00 Sunday School • 10:00 Worship in Sanctuary & livestreaming on YouTube & Facebook. • 2:00 Communion Class • 5:00 Deacons Meeting • 5:00 Youth Fall Kick Off	11 • 9:30 Hot Lunch Ministry • 7:00 Boy Scouts • 8:00 AA	12 • 10:30 Staff Meeting • 2:00 Clerk's Council	13 • 11:30 Rainbow Cmte. • 6:00 Growing in Grace • 7:00 Choir	14 • 12:00 Finance Cmte. • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	15 MONTREAT RETREAT	16 MONTREAT RETREAT
16th Sunday after Pentecost 17 MONTREAT RETREAT Dan McLaurin preaching • 9:00 Sunday School • 10:00 Worship in Sanctuary & livestreaming on YouTube & Facebook. • 5:00 Youth Night	Newsletters Due 18 • 9:30 Hot Lunch Ministry • 7:00 Boy Scouts • 8:00 AA	19 • 10:30 Staff Meeting • 5:00 Personnel • 6:00 Fellowship Cmte. • 6:30 Session	20 • 6:00 Growing in Grace • 7:00 Choir	21 • 9:00 Rainbow Parent Coffee • 6:00 Mission & Ministry • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	22	23
17th Sunday after Pentecost 24 Heritage Sunday • 9:00 Sunday School • 10:00 Worship in Sanctuary & livestreaming on YouTube & Facebook. • 11:00 Handbell Rehearsal • 2:00 Communion Class • 5:00 Youth Night Dinner	25 • 9:30 Hot Lunch Ministry • 7:00 Boy Scouts • 8:00 AA	26 • 10:30 Staff Meeting • 6:30 Media Cmte.	27 • 6:00 Growing in Grace • 7:00 Choir	28 • 12:00 Rainbow Early Dismissal • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	29	30

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