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Sisters and Brothers in Christ,

Merry Christmas, Happy New Year and an Enchanted Epiphany to you!

In this season, I'm reminded of the 1980 movie, "Gilda Live," in which Fr. Guido Sarducci promotes his "Five-Minute University," which taught only what an average college graduate remembers. As a pretend Roman Catholic priest, he included a course on Theology with two questions: "Where is God?" and "Why?" His answers were: "God is everywhere" and "Because he likes you." Change "likes" to "loves," and this is central to faith formation.

God is everywhere. Do you have eyes to see God at work in our world?

God loves you. Do you feel it, and does it affect your life?

Humanity once saw the whole world as enchanted. But now, our sense of wonder has faded. Scientific, economic, and political progress make us think we control our world. Belief in God is then rejected by more and more. Fearful of this decline, some believers have taken a "God is in the gaps" approach to claim God is in the unexplained. But then "gaps" get "filled" and good intentions make God seem more obscure.

The truth is that Fr. Sarducci is right: **God is not in the gaps - God is everywhere. Why? Because God loves us.** Epiphany is about recognizing Jesus as God, but it is also a season tailor-made to help us recognize how God is at work in the world everywhere.

God is love, and this means that every time we see self-giving love surpass selfish desires for the betterment of others, we see God at work. The more we recognize this love at work, even among those who do not profess belief, the more empowered we are to practice the same love because we know the why - because God loves us first.

My prayer in this coming year, is that we recognize God when we see love at work in us and around us. My hope is that this will make our world feel a little bit more enchanted again.

You are made in God's image. We all are. Every human being from every nation, every heritage, race and creed is loved by God. We are all equal before God. **We are formed and grow in faith when we recognize that God is with us everywhere. God's love for us empowers us to act by faith so that we are able to recognize God at work in every act of love and reconciliation.** - Drew

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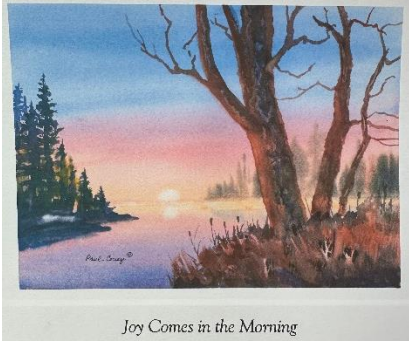
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From the Desk of Carol Ann

Embracing New Beginnings in the New Year



Joy Comes in the Morning

As we bid farewell to another year and embrace the promise of a fresh start, I'm reminded of the words of Psalm 30:5: *"Weeping may stay for the night, but rejoicing comes in the morning."* This verse, a promise of hope and renewal, speaks deeply to our hearts, especially as we reflect on the challenges of the past and look forward to the potential of the new year.

This year, I received my annual Christmas card from Paul Couey, and as always, his artwork is a gift. His painting, inspired by Psalm 30:5, captures the imagery of joy breaking through the darkness, much like the sun rising over the horizon. The glow of the morning sun after a long, dark night is a powerful symbol of God's faithfulness and the hope that comes with a new beginning. It's a visual reminder that no matter how long the night may

feel, the morning will always come – and with it, a new opportunity for joy.

As I reflect on these "dark days" – the difficult moments, the seasons of waiting, the struggles and losses – I'm reminded that the light of God's love is always near, even when it seems hard to see. The nights of sorrow and weeping are not eternal; they are followed by the light of God's presence and the joy He promises. And as we approach the new year, we can hold onto this promise with hope: *joy comes in the morning.*

Tisha often says, "No matter how bad today is, the sun is coming up tomorrow." It's a simple but profound reminder that, no matter the challenges we face today, God's faithfulness is unwavering, and a new day brings with it new grace, new opportunities, and new beginnings. Just as the days are beginning to grow longer and the nights shorter as we move into the new year, so too does God bring light and renewal into our lives, even after the darkest seasons.

The new year is a beautiful time for fresh starts. It's a time when we can release the weight of the past and step forward in hope. No matter what we've faced, the new year offers the chance to begin again, knowing that God is with us in each new chapter. Just as the morning sun is a daily reminder of God's faithfulness, each new day – and each new year – is an opportunity to embrace the joy that comes with fresh beginnings.

In the coming days and months, as we experience the shift from the darkness of winter to the light of spring, let us remember the powerful truth of Psalm 30:5. Whatever darkness we may face, God promises that joy will come in the morning. And with each new day, we can celebrate the fresh starts, new mercies, and the ongoing faithfulness of a God who is always making things new.

May your new year be filled with the hope and joy of new beginnings. And as the sun rises each day, may you be reminded of God's constant presence and the bright future God has for each of us.

Happy New Year!

Catechism Class

Catechism
5th graders and
middle school
students who haven't
taken the class.



**First Meeting
January 12th
3:30**

The Study
Catechism
Confirmation Version

SUNDAY NIGHT YOUTH

5	YOUTH STARTS BACK Meet in Youth room - 5:00-7:00
12	PARENT-YOUTH DINNER 5:00-7:00
19	NO YOUTH - SKI TRIP
26	BIBLE STUDY 5-7:00 YOUTH ROOM

JANUARY SCHEDULE


FAITH AND SEXUALITY DAY RETREAT

5th - 8th graders
Must have a guardian.


FAITH & SEXUALITY
Exploring healthy relationships & sexuality as you and your youth enter adolescence
A Presbytery of Western NC Event for Parents, Fifth-Eighth Grade Youth & Youth Leaders

When? Saturday, February 8, 2025 from 9:00AM-5:00PM
Where? Black Mountain Presbyterian Church, Black Mountain, NC

KEY LEADERS



Rev. Heather Wood Davis serves as the Associate Pastor at First Presbyterian Church in Blowing Rock and her husband have two daughters and two dogs. Heather has previously served on the PWYLC Youth Ministry Committee and has helped lead the youth and adult portion of this sexuality retreat for the presbytery. Though just a step above beginner, she enjoys red league tennis and good episode of Rick Steves' travels.



Rev. Lynn Turnage has been in youth and children and family ministries for a long time. Sexuality education and retreats have cycled through her ministries at least every three years. She loves the awe and wonder, energy, intelligence, imagination, and love that children and youth model for the world. Lynn advocates for good communication and healthy connections and community building in all her ministries. Lynn has daughters - 21 and 18 - a cat-dog named Tracy, loves chocolate, being outdoors, laughing and play!

**We can all ride together.
Let CA know by January 26th.**



SPC YOUTH

See CA for more information.

SKI TRIP

WINTER PLACE, WEST VIRGINIA

Sign up with a \$100 deposit.

Only 11 spots available!

JANUARY 17-20, 2025

MLK WEEK-END

Buddies on the Bench

A New Program for Our Young Music Enthusiasts

We are excited to introduce a brand-new program designed to ignite a love for music and provide a unique learning opportunity for our children: *Buddies on the Bench*. Starting in October, children in 1st- 5th grades are invited to sign up and join our organist, Emily Monroe, on the organ bench during part of our church service.

Buddies on the Bench is a special chance for our youngest members to get a behind-the-scenes look at the majestic instrument that fills our sanctuary with beautiful music. Each Sunday, children who sign up will have the opportunity to:

- **Observe:** Watch firsthand how the organist creates the rich, dynamic sounds that enhance our worship experience.
- **Learn:** Discover the different parts of the organ and how they work together to produce music.
- **Participate:** Explore simple, hands-on experiences with guidance from our organist, making the learning experience both fun and memorable.

This program not only aims to foster an appreciation for church music but also to make our worship services more engaging and interactive for our younger generation.



How to Sign Up:

• **Registration:** Sign-up with QR code. Children can be registered on a weekly basis, so there's no need for a long-term commitment—just pick a Sunday that works best for you!

- **Age Groups:** 1st- 5th grades. Our organist will tailor the experience to be age-appropriate and engaging for each participant.
- **Time Slot:** Participants will join the organist for a portion of the service before the Children's Moment and then return to sit with their family.

We encourage all families to consider this wonderful opportunity for their children. It's a fantastic way to deepen their connection to our church's music ministry and to experience the joy of creating worshipful sound.

In Christ's Service,
Emily Monroe

Calling all kids!

Here's your chance to be a part of our church service in a special way. We're excited to offer children the opportunity to ring the chime at the end of our worship services.

✨ Why Sign Up?

- **Be a Part of Worship:** Contribute to the closing of our service with a beautiful chime.
- **Have Fun:** Enjoy a special moment of involvement and make new memories.
- **Feel Proud:** Experience the joy of participating in a cherished church tradition.

📅 **When?** Come up during the final hymn and ring after the benediction at the end of each service.



📱 **How to Sign Up:** Simply use the QR code below to choose your preferred Sunday to ring the chime.

We can't wait to see you shine and make our services even more special. Sign up today and be a part of this joyful experience!

For any questions, feel free to contact Emily Monroe. (emily@shelbypres.org)



Sign Up NOW

"I loved making new friends"
Benjamin

Sign up with a \$50 deposit by February 16th.

"I experienced God in Color Palette and the art we made."
Khia

Passport 2025

June 22-27

"I saw God working in others and myself by bringing us closer to Him."
River

RIISING 9TH GRADERS TO COMPLETED 12 GRADERS



Join us at the 2025 Presbyterian Youth Triennium for worship, learning, and fun as a joyful community of faith. This unforgettable, life-shaping event, themed "As If We Were Dreaming," highlights the importance of listening to our young people's dreams and visions.

ENCOURAGE YOUR YOUNG PERSON TO PARTICIPATE.

ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS NOW UNTIL JANUARY 10TH. OUR PWNC DELEGATION WILL BE TAKING 26 YOUTH AND 4-6 ADULTS. YOUTH COMING FROM ACROSS THE NATION THIS ONLY HAPPENS EVERY 3 YEARS.

FIND THE APPLICATION AND MORE INFO HERE
WWW.PRESBYTERYWNC.ORG AND SCROLL DOWN!



SPC TARTAN



We're selling SPC sweatshirts featuring authentic SPC tartan material!

Cost: \$40 for Hoodies
\$35 for Crewnecks

What's Going on at SPC?!



WEDNESDAY NIGHT
SUPPER

Chili

NIGHT

JANUARY 8TH
AT 6:00

CHILDREN WILL BE SEATED
FOR EARLY DINNER AT 5:40

We will have chili with all the fixins and dessert.

Claire McCullough will be presenting the program on challenging the stigma about mental health. We are human, and just as we have physical concerns, we also have our mental health to consider. Part of being human is we have a range of experiences, emotions, and reactions. Let's have an honest conversation about mental health, accessing resources, and debunking myths associated thererof.

*EVERYTHING IS PROVIDED NO NEED TO BRING SIDES.
DONATIONS WILL BE COLLECTED INSTEAD OF A SET MEAL CHARGE.



Congratulations

NEWLYWEDS

*Artem Moskalenko and Meredith Teddy
married August 24, 2024.*

*Michael Cheaney and Taylor Colby
married September 15, 2024.*

*Tanner Besztercei and Cassidy Brotherton
married October 12, 2024.*

*Kevin Aguirre and Ali Huston
married November 2, 2024.*

*Bill Consolvo and Betsy Fonvielle
married November 24, 2024.*



ALL OFFICERS: Past and Present Officers: If you have finished using your Officer Training and/or Officer Retreat notebooks, please return them to the office for recycling. If there is information you need and can remove easily, that would be helpful.

Thank you one and all for attending my 100th Birthday Celebration, December 15! Thanks, too, for the many lovely greeting cards and notes.

I thank the Lord for my wonderful church family.

Blessings and Love to all.
Dot Roark

Thank You



THE RAINBOW CONNECTION PRESCHOOL



Happy New Year from Rainbow Connection! December was full of fun Christmas activities, crafts, parties, pajamas, and our Christmas program!

The children worked so hard practicing their songs and they did a wonderful job.

January seems to be the longest month of the year. I dread the long cold days, but Rainbow is such a happy place it keeps me warm through this time!

The children are still taken outside on cold days to enjoy the fresh air and the playground. Inside we will all stay warm by learning, playing, and singing together!!

We are so thankful for everything SPC continues to do for Rainbow!

"May he grant your heart's desires and make all your plans succeed."

Psalm 20:4

- Abby Goins





BE INVOLVED

TURNING POINT UPDATES AND OPPORTUNITIES

We'd like to give a big thank you to everyone who helped provide for our Turning Point families this Christmas season. Through the Angel Tree, there were 20 families who were helped with Christmas gifts, and the generosity from our church members who selected and shopped for students was beautiful to see. Students received clothing, shoes, jackets, athletic equipment, art supplies, books, gift cards, and so many thoughtful gifts.

Many of the talented bakers in our Shelby Presbyterian congregation provided a Christmas cookie box for each teacher and staff member during the days leading up to Christmas, which they thoroughly enjoyed.

Once again, we will have a Gift Card Offering on **Epiphany Sunday, January 5th**. These gift cards will help Turning Point continue their gift card drawing for students who have had good attendance and shown good behavior and good work. This is very motivating and rewarding for the students, and provides them with incentive to come to school and work hard. Last year the cards we collected were able to help the school for almost the entire year, where previously these had been purchased by teachers and staff. Please bring cards in the amount of \$10 to put in the offering plate on January 5th (or take cards to the church office any time). Some suggested ideas for cards are Sonic, Cook Out, Chic-fil-A, Dairy Queen, and Wal-Mart.

We are continuing to provide Turning Point with weekend food bags through our Backpack Ministry. This ministry was run for years by Doug and Joyce Boyette, and now is being coordinated by their daughter Claire and granddaughters Lilly and Anna Grace. These dedicated volunteers provide the school with 15 (or more) bags per week to help those students who struggle with weekend food insecurity.

We are so grateful for how our Shelby Presbyterian family has embraced the Turning Point family, as we partner with and encourage this important aspect of our school system and community.

ARE YOU ON DUTY IN JANUARY?

Deacons Taking Up Offering & Ushers

Jan. Debbie Hart, captain
Thomas Monroe
Michelle Moser
Michael Pruitt

Elders Serving Communion

Jan. 12 Mike Alexander
Carolyn Billings
Tom Martin
Dan McLaurin
Laura Lampley
Mary Raudez

Sanctuary Worship Guild

Jan. 5 Judy Greer
Rachel White
12 Marlene Lovelace
Margie Trivett
19 Beverly Elmore
Stuart Schweppe
26 Barbara Blackburn
Barbara Hannah

Sound & Video Teams

Jan. 5 John Brotherton
David Grose
12 David Grose
Mike Jackson
19 John Brotherton
Mike Jackson
26 Chip Blackley
Joe Petrilli

Worship Liturgist

Jan. 5 Carolyn Jackson
12 June Hobbs
19 Claire McCullough
26 Beth Phillippi

*If you are interested in being the liturgist one Sunday email Miranda at miranda@shelbypres.org.

Sanctuary Flowers

All Sundays 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.



Coming in March: Threads of Grace

This March, we invite you to join us for a special six-week series during the Sunday School hour: **"Threads of Grace."** Together, we'll explore how God's grace connects and transforms us, weaving our lives into a beautiful tapestry of unity and love.

Aligned with the Lenten calendar, this series invites us to reflect on the ways God's grace is at work in our lives and relationships. Each week, we'll focus on a unique thread of grace, using scripture, practical insights, and engaging discussions to discover how we can better see, hear, and connect with those around us. Whether you've been part of Sunday School for years or this will be your first time, this series is designed to speak to everyone—young and old, members and visitors alike.

Session Titles and Dates

1. **March 9:** *The Thread Begins - Introduction to the Series*
2. **March 16:** *The Gaze Thread - Seeing Others Through Grace*
3. **March 23:** *The Listening Thread - Hearing the Voice of the Other*
4. **March 30:** *The Breaking Thread - Breaking Down Barriers with Grace*
5. **April 6:** *The Weaving Thread - Grace in Action, Building Connections*
6. **April 13:** *The Tapestry Thread - The Vision of Grace in God's Kingdom*

What Is Threads of Grace?

The series uses the metaphor of threads to remind us that while each of us is unique, we are part of something much larger. God's grace weaves us together, creating connections that reflect His love for all people.

Plan to join us for **Threads of Grace** starting **Sunday, March 9, 2025**, during the Sunday School hour. For more details, contact the church office.



MISSION & MINISTRY NOV. '24 REPORT



JANUARY EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES

Thursday, January 2nd: **Men's Breakfast** at 7:00 am. The Men of SPC will meet for breakfast and sharing prayer concerns at Ken and Mary's Restaurant, 1628 S. DeKalb St.

Sunday, January 5th: **Turning Point Gift Card Offering**
These gift cards will help Turning Point continue their gift card drawing for students who have had good attendance and shown good behavior and good work.

Saturday, January 11th: **OFFICER RETREAT** from 8:00 to 3:00 at the Baptist Mission Camp, 302 Sharpton Dr, Shelby, NC 28150.

Sunday, January 12th: **Ordination and installation** of our new officers.

Thursday, January 16th: **Circle of Friends** will meet in the private dining room at Pfeiffer's Café for lunch at 11:00! If you can attend, please call or text Nancy Blackley at 704-692-8095.

Friday, January 17th: **Youth Ski Trip** until January 20th.

Sunday, January 19th: **Jeff Hamilton** is leading worship.

Monday, January 20th: **Church Office** is closed for MLK Day.

Sunday, January 26th: **Congregational Meeting** after the worship service.



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 Carolyn Billings, Member Life Ministry Chairperson, at 704 300-0931 or cbillings2577@gmail.com, or the church office 704.487.8503. Please include the following in your prayers:

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| John Auten | Judy DuBois | Nancy Minor |
| JoAnn Beattie | Lou Debois | Lisa Perkins-Dodrill |
| Ed Blake | Al Eatmon | Pauline Persing |
| Betty Bowling | Debbie Ferrell | Ann Pharr |
| Sue Breen | Barbara Ghigo | Tommy Price |
| Sid Bridges | Tim Hamrick | Clay Pruett |
| Jo Ann & Allen Callahan | Ina Harrington | Susan Reed |
| Hannah Carpenter | August Hohne | Jenny Reiner |
| Karen Carpenter | Scot Horton | Dot Roark |
| Myra Carpenter | Joan Hunt | Larry Stern |
| Matthew Carpenter | Kevin Jones | Beverly Styers |
| Conway Carter | David Kelley | Bill & Patty Thorne |
| Kay Clark-James | Chuck Laughlin | Jackie Weathers |
| Betty Clark | David LeGrand | David Wilkison & Family |
| Randy Derwin | Clark Paul Luisi | Stephanie Williams |
| Robin Collins | Cheryl Lutz | Diane Windham |
| Bert & Joy Cushman | Brooke McCurry | |

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

Thank you for expanding your prayer list to include specific children and youth each month. During January, pray for our **Tenth Graders:** Amelia Pruitt, Khia Hickman, Ian Haig, Nate Haig and our **Eleventh Graders:** Bly Borders, Drew Dixon, Abby Haydon, Jasmine Martin, and Emerson Taylor.

Prayers and Sympathy

Our prayers and sympathies go out to David Wilkison and family in the passing of his wife, Pat Wilkison on December 2, 2024. Pat had been a member of SPC for 22 years.

Our prayers and sympathies go out to Chandler and Lacey Chambless David and family in the passing of David's aunt, Della Marie Potter on December 12, 2024.

Our prayers and sympathies go out to the family of George Cribb in his passing on December 17, 2024. He was choir director of SPC for 21 years.

Happy Birthday!

- January 1..... Trey Warrick
- January 2 Ben Brooks
- January 2 Elaine Cerwin
- January 4 Hannah Lefler
- January 5..... Harrison Mangione
- January 6..... Tom Jones
- January 6..... Myra Dixon
- January 7..... Jay Bridges
- January 7..... Lilly Hamilton
- January 8..... Betsy Clifton
- January 8..... Thomas Couch
- January 8..... Ben Schweppe
- January 8..... Andy Brown
- January 9..... Mystie Brotherton
- January 9..... Thomas Monroe
- January 10..... Judy Black
- January 10.... Anna Grace McCullough
- January 10..... Holly Petrilli
- January 11..... Annie Little
- January 12 Mike Alexander
- January 15..... Seren Bryant
- January 15..... Mark Buse
- January 15..... Aletheia Stern
- January 15..... Lloyd Williams Jr.
- January 16..... Greg Melton
- January 17..... Edna Patterson
- January 17..... Linda Ware
- January 18..... Mary Beam
- January 18..... Katie Borders
- January 18..... Alex Martin
- January 19..... Billy Cooper
- January 19..... Mason Tyree
- January 21..... Christie Martin
- January 23 Jordan McIntyre
- January 24 Julia Persing
- January 25 Jon Brownlee
- January 26 Judy Greer
- January 26 Greg McIntyre
- January 29 Paul Couey
- January 31..... Tripp Weathers
- January 31..... Ed Webb

SPC Reports & Minutes

SESSION MINUTES NOVEMBER 19, 2024

RECEIVE NEW MEMBERS: After Motion by Mystie and second by Steve, Session voted unanimously to receive the following new members: Jodi Galla and Ken Sauve, Brittany Papworth and David Dry, Matt and Linney Tyree, Angus and Ally Monroe.

Session members greeted each new member individually, and then new members were invited to remain for the remainder of the meeting, but all chose to leave.

Clerk's report: Communion assignments for November 24 were discussed, as were plans for the new communion distribution system beginning January 2025.

Diaconate Report: Michelle reported that the new Deacon training for Sunday responsibilities was completed. Also, the caroling hayride is set for December 11.

Pastor's Report: Pastor Drew expressed his great appreciation to the entire church for the "Pastor Appreciation" cards, notes, and gifts received by Carol Ann and him. He also thanked everyone for all the prayers, concerns, and meals provided to him and his family during Claire's convalescence.

Minutes: Minutes of October 15, 2024, meeting were approved on motion of Steve, second by Carolyn J—unanimously approved.

Finance Committee – Richard reported that 73 pledges for 2025 have been received to date totaling \$364,316, compared to 90 pledges totaling \$471,500 at same time last year. The Finance Committee will be working on 2025 budget for the next Session meeting.

Member Care – Drew reported that the Member Care Committee recommended we receive Mark and Jennie Curtis as Affiliate Members. This was unanimously approved.

Property Committee – Bill reported that he and Sexton Scott have been continuing to work on small projects (cleaning/painting) and minor repairs. Also, Scott, who has experience running recycling programs from prior work, has taken on the task of setting up new recycling bins in the back hall near the new kitchen door, and he will be emptying those bins as needed.

Old Business – None

New Business – Dan reported that he and Bill Jobe have begun organizing and preserving materials from the vault and other filing cabinets and request the establishment of an "Archives Subcommittee" under the Property and Member Life committees. Motion by Dan, second by Bill, unanimously approved. Dan also made a request for Finance to find funding for "preservation materials" in the amount of at least \$1000, perhaps from existing funds whose stated purpose would match the Archives project.

PLEDGE UPDATE: Your pledge to pray for, serve in, and give to your church will help us live into God's will in this exciting time. As of Thursday, December 23rd 105 families have pledged \$519,236.00. Thank you. If you have not submitted your pledge, please place it in the offering plate or turn it in to Miranda who holds them in confidence and provides aggregate totals to help prepare next year's budget. Last year 113 families pledged \$532,770.00. Thank you. – Stewardship Task Force

HOLIDAY NOTES FROM THE BOOKKEEPER

- For year-end charitable giving, checks must be dated and postmarked by Dec. 31 for the 2024 tax year. You can also designate "2024" in the memo line of the check for clarity.
- For online banking, use Shelby Presbyterian Church as the 'pay to' account, with our PO Box 1444 Shelby NC 28151-1444 as the address. We will receive your donation via the Post Office.
- Online giving for recurring gifts or one-time gifts is available! Go to www.shelbypres.org/give. You will need to create an account to set up recurring gifts.

DECEMBER 2024 STEWARDSHIP REPORT

2024 Operating Budget.....	\$678,528.00
Needed Weekly.....	\$13,048.62

DEC. 1: Received.....	\$23,132.00	Worship.....	155	Livestream View....	113	5¢-A-Meal....	\$471.15
DEC. 8: Received.....	\$19,370.00	Worship.....	145	Livestream Views...	133		
DEC. 15: Received.....	\$31,748.34	Worship.....	163	Livestream Views...	149		
DEC. 22: Received.....	\$2,658.24	Worship.....	226	Livestream Views...	220		

SHELBY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH – JANUARY 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 HAPPY NEW YEAR! Church Office Closed	2 • 7:00 Men’s Breakfast • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	3 Church Office Closed *carpets being cleaned	4
Epiphany Sunday 5 Five-Cents-A-Meal Offering TPA Gift Cards • 9:00 Sunday School • 10:00 Worship in Sanctuary & livestreaming on YouTube & Facebook. • 5:00 Youth Night	6 • 9:30 Hot Lunch Ministry • 6:00 Discipleship Ministry • 7:00 Boy Scouts • 8:00 AA	7 • 10:30 Staff Meeting • 7:00 Worship & Music	8 • 5:00 Property Cmte. • 6:00 Wednesday Night Supper • 6:00 Growing in Grace & Youth • 7:00 Choir	9 • 6:00 Mission & Ministry • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	10	11 • 8:00 Officer Retreat @ Baptist Mission Camp
Baptism of the Lord 12 Communion Ordination • 9:00 Sunday School • 10:00 Worship in Sanctuary & livestreaming on YouTube & Facebook. • 3:30 Catechism • 5:00 Youth & Parent Dinner	13 • 9:30 Hot Lunch Ministry • 1:00 Clerk’s Council • 7:00 Boy Scouts • 8:00 AA	14 • 10:30 Staff Meeting • 6:00 Fellowship	15 • 11:00 Rainbow Cmte. • 6:00 Growing in Grace & Youth • 7:00 Choir	16 • 11:00 Circle of Friends • 12:00 Finance Cmte. • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	17 Youth Ski Trip	18 Youth Ski Trip
2nd Sunday after Epiphany 19 Jeff Hamilton is preaching Youth Ski Trip • 9:00 Sunday School • 10:00 Worship in Sanctuary & livestreaming on YouTube & Facebook.	20 Church Office Closed • 7:00 Boy Scouts • 8:00 AA	Newsletters Due 21 • 5:30 Personnel • 6:30 Session Meeting	22 • 6:00 Growing in Grace & Youth • 7:00 Choir	23 • 11:00 Back Parlor Reserved • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	24	25
3rd Sunday after Epiphany 26 Congregational Meeting • 9:00 Sunday School • 10:00 Worship in Sanctuary & livestreaming on YouTube & Facebook. • 5:00 Youth Night	27 • 9:30 Hot Lunch Ministry • 7:00 Boy Scouts • 8:00 AA	28 • 10:30 Staff Meeting • 11:00 Back Parlor Reserved • 6:30 Media	29 • 6:00 Growing in Grace & Youth • 7:00 Choir	30 • 8:00 AA & Al-Anon	31	

