

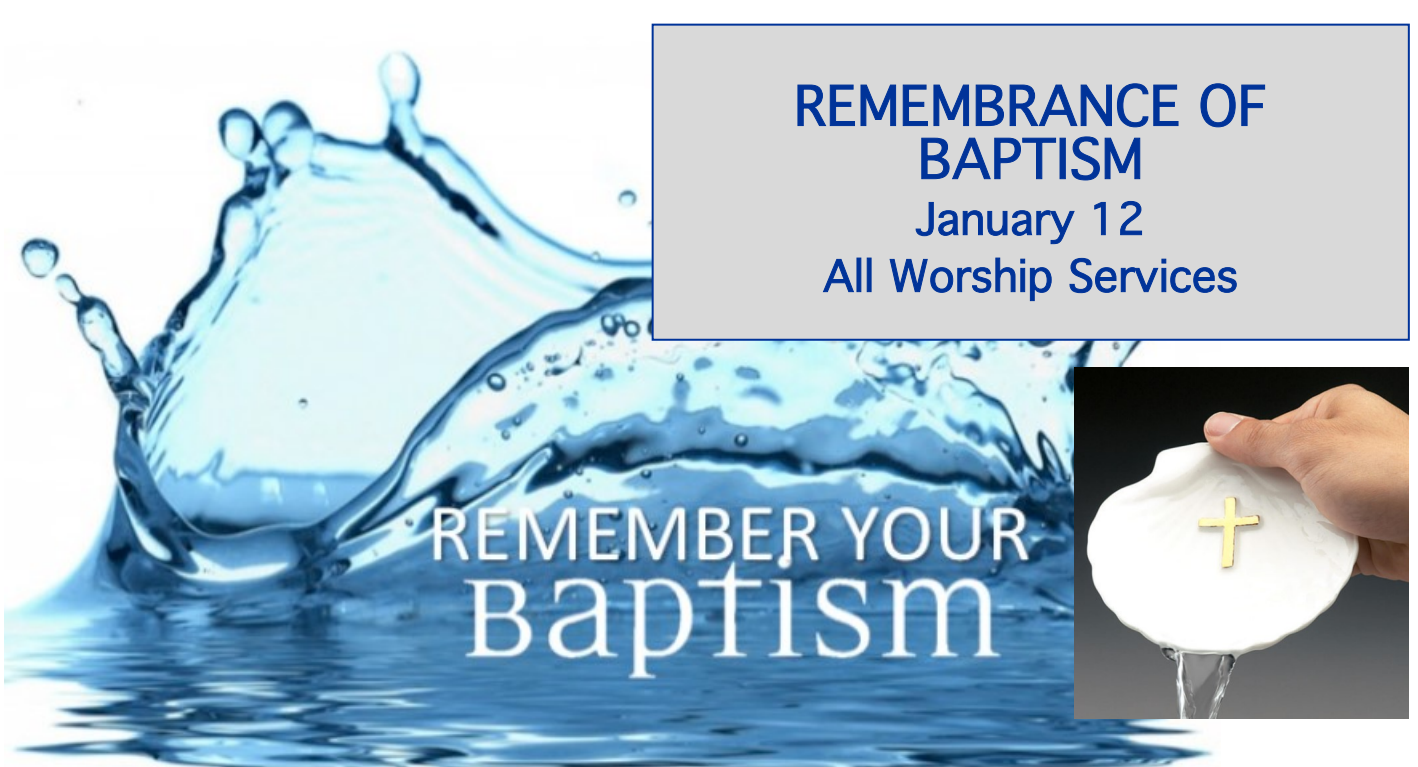


SUMMERVILLE Presbyterian Church

Share Christ, Serve Others, Grow Together in Faith

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REMEMBRANCE OF BAPTISM

January 12

All Worship Services

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- January 25—Pig Pickin'
- January 26—Blended Service at 10:00 am followed by Annual Congregational Meeting
- January 26—Doty Park Ministry
- January 29—Wednesday Night Live Begins

FROM THE PASTOR



Brothers & Sisters in Christ:

The mission of SPC is to Share Christ, Serve Others and Grow Together in Faith. To this “what” we are called to do, Session has now added the “why,” a list of five core values that undergird and characterize all our ministries. These core values are as follows:

Grace Orientation to Life: The unmerited gift from God for our salvation that, as Christians, we are commissioned to share with all people unconditionally.

Bible-Centered Preaching/Teaching: Based on the belief that the Bible is God’s Word and the primary authority for our beliefs and actions, sermons and Church Education will be based on Scripture.

Godly Servant Leadership: Following the pattern of Christ, we will put the needs of others before our

own and serve them with love and compassion.
Fellowship Community: We will be intentional in creating opportunities for our Church community to build relationships and share life together, with the goal of fostering spiritual growth.

Theological Diversity: While united in our conviction that belief in Jesus Christ as Lord is the central and essential tenet of our faith, we will be receptive and loving to people with different theological convictions about the non-essentials.

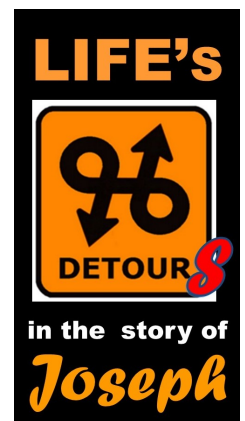
Look for the Annual Report published in January for more detail about how we see these values demonstrated at SPC. To this mission and these values, in 2025 we plan to develop strategies and ways to measure our effectiveness toward our goals (the how and the when).

In Christ’s service,
Pastor Anita

Sermon Series

We’ll begin 2025 with two special days as indicated by the liturgical calendar. On January 5 we’ll celebrate Epiphany, the traditional time to acknowledge the arrival of the wise men as told in Matthew 2:1-12. As they came to give their gifts to the Christ child, what did they, and do we, receive from Christ as we enter a new year? On January 12, Baptism of the Lord Sunday, we’ll include a remembrance of baptism liturgy as part of the service, during which congregants will have the opportunity to take a seashell to remember their own baptisms.

On January 19 we’ll begin a seven-week series entitled “Life’s Detours in the Story of Joseph.” The saga of Joseph and his brothers dominates Genesis 37-50, giving us a good look at what it means to be faithful to God even when life causes us to unexpectedly “detour” from the path we were expecting to take. Please note that on January 26 we will have one blended service at 10:00 am. During that service, we will ordain and install our new elders and deacons. The worship service will be followed by the annual congregational meeting and meeting of the corporation.



Date	Special Day	Series	Focus/Title	Scripture(s)
1/5/25	<i>Epiphany</i>		Giving and Receiving	Isaiah 60:1-6; Matthew 2:1-12
1/12/25	<i>Baptism of the Lord</i>		Our Work or God’s?	Isaiah 43:1-3a Acts 8:9-17
1/19/25		Life’s Detours in the Story of Joseph (Genesis 37-50)	Dream Big	Genesis 37:2b-11
1/26/25	<i>One BLENDED service at 10:00 am</i>		Sold Out	Genesis 37:12-28

WORSHIP MUSIC



Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

We have just completed a very busy month in the music ministry at SPC!

Jewel Tones sang for the service on December 8 along with the Handbell Ensemble. The Chancel Choir presented

a joint cantata with Peace Presbyterian, and we love collaborating with them yearly. The performance was well received, and we felt like it was a blessing to both congregations.

The Handbell Ensemble was featured every Sunday in December, and all of our ensembles were highlighted on Christmas Eve as we welcomed the birth of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

We are excited about our future music endeavors and would love to have some new singers and ringers in our ensembles in 2025. Please reach out to me by email at summervillepresmusic@gmail.com if you are interested in getting involved.

William Bennett
Director of Music

Contemporary Music

Happy New Year from the Praise Team!

We are so happy with how the Christmas Eve service went. We love to collaborate with the traditional members and youth of our church.

One goal for the new year is to have children and youth join us from time to time. We have learned of several who have musical talents. One of our own is Joaquin Diaz, who is wonderful on the keyboard, and another is Caroline, an 8th grader and a member of Peace Presbyterian, who plays piano and has an amazing voice, so we're excited to find ways to include them!

Nick has been playing with us on a consistent basis, and we are praying that he stays well and is able to continue with us. We were also blessed to include a new congregant Paul with us in December.

Come join us for our Contemporary Service at 10:00 in the gym and sing along. We look forward to seeing you!

Julia Miller and Joe Swisher
Co-Directors of Contemporary Music



“AWAKE MY SOUL”

This seems an appropriate hymn to begin the new year—a hymn to spiritually awaken to the graciousness of God.

“Awake My Soul” was written in German by Paulus Gerhardt (1607 - 1676), a Lutheran minister and prolific hymn writer. He was the son of a burgomaster living outside the town of Wittenburg, Germany. At age 21 he entered the University of Wittenburg.

The outward circumstances of Gerhardt's life were gloomy. His early years were spent during the horrors of the Thirty Years' War. He did not obtain a settled position in life until he was 44 years old and was unable to marry until four years later.

He married the daughter in the home where he was employed as a tutor. After a long illness, his wife died during the time he was without office in Berlin. Only one of his five children lived past childhood.

The happiest time of his life was during the early years of his Berlin ministry when he enjoyed universal love and esteem. His later years at Lubben as a widower with one surviving child was spent among a rough and unsympathetic people.

Gerhardt ranks next to Luther as the most gifted and popular hymn writer of the Lutheran Church. He went back to Luther's most genuine type of hymn. With Luther, the old wrathful God of the Romanists assumed the heavenly aspect of grace and mercy. With Gerhardt, the merciful Righteous One is a gentle loving man.

From the Internet

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY



Mother's Morning Out Update

Blessings and Happy New Year!

What a blessed year we had at MMO. We had an exciting December with tons of activities including a Toddler and Me card-making class, Scholastic Book Fair, Grinch Week, Gift-Wrapping Fundraiser, and our MMO Christmas program. If you attended you may have noticed that we used your donated oatmeal tubs to make our very own drums which the children played during the performance. They really enjoyed making and playing the drums. Thank you!



I would like to send a thank-you for all of your contributions this past month. So many of you donated snacks for our program. With 59 students, our snacks go fast, and donations from you and MMO parents really filled the gaps. Also, thank you for donating wrapping paper for our fundraiser. We had an abundance of paper and supplies that helped make this event quite successful.

In the new year we have a lot of planning to do and we look forward to seeing what God has planned for us. Thank you for your continued prayers for our program, for your support, and for your encouragement to me personally. I am so honored to be your MMO Director.

Joy Kids

Wow! Joy Kids had an amazing session, and we closed out the year with an ornament-making event which we used to decorate the tree (by the piano near the gym.) Then we had a Christmas party and even enjoyed some of Rudolph's Reindeer Games! We are looking forward to starting back in mid-January with a new series entitled "Fighting Big Battles." If you have a K-5th grader, please plan on joining us on Sundays from 4:30-5:45 pm. Please contact me with any questions at rebeccam.spc@gmail.com.

Overview of Fighting Big Battles Curriculum:

We face many Giants in life, like Loneliness, Fear and Shame. But our God is bigger than them all. As the life of David shows us, when we put our Faith, Hope and Love in God, He will give us the power to defeat any giant.



Sunday School

We are wrapping up our Christmas series and opening the new year with "First Things First." This series is about how we should start our new year by putting God first. We invite all K-4th graders to join us on Sunday mornings at 10:00!

Rebecca Mills

Director of Children's Ministry and
Mother's Morning Out



SPIRITUAL GROWTH & OUTREACH



Jennifer Grainger
Director of Spiritual Growth & Outreach

Youth Calendar

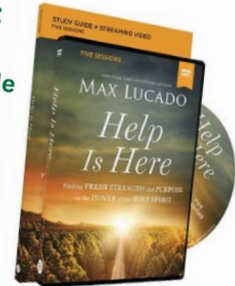
- 1/5- No Youth
 - 1/12- Winter kickoff dinner and planning
 - 1/19- Pack Back to School College Packages
 - 1/26- Youth
 - 2/2- Iceskating, time TBA
 - 2/9-No Youth; Confirmation at Montreat
 - 2/16- Youth Chili Cookoff
 - 2/23-Youth
- ***Unless otherwise noted, youth meets from 4:30-5:45pm

Join Jennifer

and dig deeper into the third member of the Trinity- the Holy Spirit.

5 sessions include:

1. Our Powerful Ally
2. Our Strength and Guide
3. Our Peace and Guarantee
4. Our Intercessor and Advocate
5. Our Gift-Giver of Life



Wednesday Night Live begins January 29!

Interested in being part of a Small Group community in 2025?

Scan the QR Code, fill out the form, and Jennifer will help you plug in!



CHILI COOK-OFF AND TALENT SHOW

FEBRUARY 16, 2025



Scan the QR Code to enter chili or an act!



NURTURE



Isaiah 61: 2-3: “The Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is on me ... He has sent me to bind up the brokenhearted ... to comfort all who mourn and provide for those who grieve in Zion—to bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes, the oil of joy instead of mourning and a garment of praise instead of a spirit of despair.”

While Isaiah foretells the coming of Jesus at Christmas, the prophet also foretells the power of Jesus for those who have lost beloved ones and are struggling. Jesus is the “He” here, and He applied these verses to Himself in the synagogue in Nazareth. Here is the spiritual foundation for GriefShare which SPC puts into practice for 13-plus weeks and has done so from the days of COVID to the present. We finished our eighth cycle the Thursday before Thanksgiving with a special “Surviving the Holidays” presentation and a moving candle-light ceremony and celebration upon leaving.

The weekly GriefShare sessions involve a video with expert and individual testimonies, discussion based on participants’ experiences, the video themes and heart work from the GriefShare manual “Your Journey from Mourning to Joy.” Thanks to you in the congregation, Pastor Anita, Session, the Nurture Ministry Team and Julie in the office, we have been blessed to serve this quiet and often hidden need for those in our church and community. Thanks especially to our dedicated cast of facilitators, Ken Cesca, Ginny Lyles and Ken Erwin, who lead each week. Since hope is our message, we will begin to plan our next cycle posthaste for the new year.

If you have any questions about the program or whether it is suitable for someone you know, or if you want to be a facilitator, do not hesitate to contact me, Bill Demerest, at 843-704-7130 or billdemerest@gmail.com.

THANK YOU!

Dear SPC Family and especially ML Hyatt, Thank you so much for the prayers, cards and phone calls we received after losing our grandson Brandon. We are heartbroken but comforted by knowing we have friends like you. Love, Barb and Don Powell

A sincere thank you to AB Burns, Jim Koontz, Sheila and Robert Hasenstab for the food, cards and flowers during Thanksgiving. I appreciate all of it. God bless, Jean Pearson

To the family of Summerville Presbyterian Church, Thank you for the beautiful flowers. I have really enjoyed the arrangement. The joy of looking at them brightens my day. I appreciate Suzanne Chastain bringing them and enjoyed her visit very much. I am very thankful to have Pastor Anita as our pastor. I did appreciate her visit while I was in the hospital. Congregational Care Committee sent a card that meant a lot, and I’m very grateful for all the phone calls. Thank you for all your kindness. God Bless, Jim Altman

Thank you so very much for the food. Wow! You made such a difference in my recovery. Best medicine! Please add me to the Congregational Care Committee and let me know if there’s anything I can do to help. Love, Sybil Collins

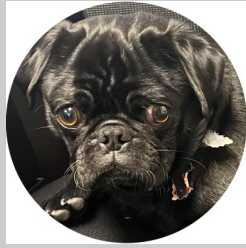
We're here to help

HOW CAN WE SERVE YOU?

The Follow the Carpenter Team is available to perform small home repair or construction projects, and the Transportation Team provides rides to doctor appointments, therapy sessions or similar needs.

If we can assist you with either of these services, you may call Jim Wylie (carpentry) at 843-729-1812 or Charlie Harris (transportation) at 571-492-2407. Please give as much advance notice as possible to allow coordination of the volunteers who will be providing the service for you.

CLARENCE'S CORNER & MILITARY PRAYERS



Clarence's Corner

With puppy kisses, I want to wish Happy New Year to all my SPC friends!

This year my Mommy will be working very hard to establish more Small Groups here at SPC. Small Groups are great way to take your faith from the church pew to your everyday life.

Research shows that Small Groups help the church do the following:

- * Create community
- * Grow discipleship
- * Develop deeper community outreach and evangelism
- * Develop church leaders
- * Help hold individuals accountable to their walk with Christ

Here at SPC we have been blessed with growth over the last few years. It is our desire to connect every worshiper with a group of like-minded believers to do life with. Small Groups can do just that!

If you are interested in learning more about Small Groups, please find the QR code on page 5, scan it, and fill out the form. Mommy will get back in touch with you and help you find your place.

Keep warm, friends!

Clarence

Congregational Care Dog

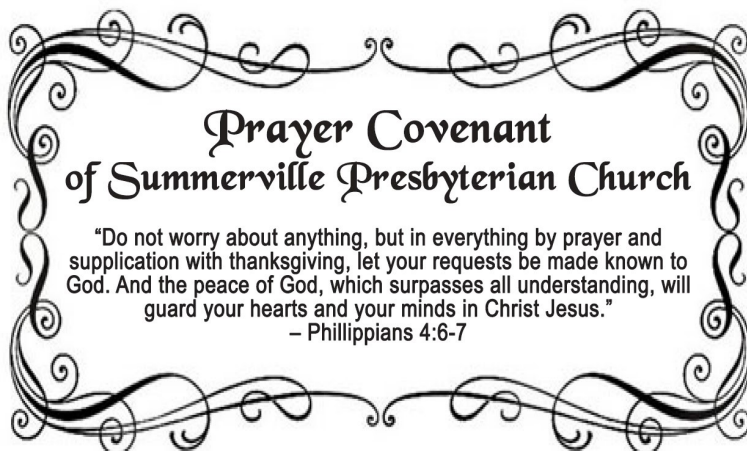
THANK YOU
FOR YOUR SERVICE



Military Prayer List

- ◆ Michael Arnold, Army, Hunter Air Field, Savannah, GA (Nancy Piscatella's grandson)
- ◆ Cade Carpenter, USAF, Honolulu, HI; Zoë Carpenter, USAF, Scotts AFB, San Antonio, TX (Kathy Whittle's nephew and niece)
- ◆ Derek Craver (son of Don and Patricia) Navy, Jacksonville, FL
- ◆ Quincy D'Antonio (Linda Wigfield's grandson) Health Clinic, Navy Base, BHC Diego Garcia, Indian Ocean
- ◆ Jack Graves (Sally and Lionel Lawson's grandson), Army, Fairbanks, AK
- ◆ Elijah Kellar (Robert and Sue Wearn's nephew), US Navy, Long Beach, MS
- ◆ Trent Kern (Bill and Gail Hausler's grandson-in-law), Air Force, Charleston AFB, North Charleston, SC
- ◆ Matt Kitchen (Merrilyn Long's nephew) Coast Guard, Schererville, IN
- ◆ Andre Maurice Moncrief (son of Sherry Roberts), Army Reserve, Modesto, CA
- ◆ Lt. Parker Northrop (son-in-law of Hunter and Perry Harris) Navy, Sicily
- ◆ Sebastian Silvers (son-in-law of Chris and Rebecca Mills) Army Flight Engineer, Ain Al-Asad, Iraq
- ◆ Andrew Tuttle (Patty Taylor's great nephew) Army, Fort Wainwright, AK
- ◆ Capt. Charles Young, USNR, NAVWAR, CYBER EAST
- ◆ HM2 (FMF) Nathan Herrington, Surface Force Independent Duty Corpsman School

Please let the church office know when changes occur. Thank you.



If you need prayer for a fellow church member, loved one or family member, please notify the church office or your deacon so that we can put their names on the Prayer Covenant that we send in an eblast on Wednesdays. To sign-up for the eblast, contact the church office.

SERVICE & OUTREACH



Thank you! Thank you!

There is no better way to celebrate Christmas than by showing love, joy and Jesus to our Hearts for Summerville children. We will share more at a later date, but please know how grateful we are to be able to use our beautiful church for this event, to have church members love on our Hearts kids, and watch the excitement of a child receiving a new gift! Thank you for helping us build these relationships and for showing these kids how precious they are!

Heather Kemble



**Food to nourish your body,
Jesus to nourish your soul**

Dates for 2025	Location
January 26	Doty Park serving at 1:00 pm
February 23	Deliver bag lunches to homeless areas
March 23	Doty Park serving at 1:00 pm
April 27 Easter Celebration	Deliver bag lunches to homeless areas
May 25	Doty Park serving at 1:00 pm
June 22	Deliver bag lunches to homeless areas
July 27 God Bless America Party	Doty Park serving at 1:00 pm
August 24	Deliver bag lunches to homeless areas
September 28	Doty Park serving at 1:00 pm
October 26	Deliver bag lunches to homeless areas
November 23 Thanksgiving Party	Doty Park serving at 1:00 pm
December 28 Christmas Party	Doty Park serving at 1:00 pm

If interested in donating or volunteering, please contact Vicky Methot at 757-737-0290.



As **Hands of Christ** enters the new year, we are looking forward to the fresh start of new volunteers, new clothes and new school supplies!

These are the items we currently need:

- **Boys shirts sizes 12 and 16**
- **Boys pants sizes 8, 10 and 12**
- **Girls pants size 7**
- **School supplies: dividers, binders, pencil cases (box or pouch)**

We will continue to update you on our status, and we may even add some new, frequently asked-for items to our lists.

As you may know, Sheila Wilson is our new fearless leader who has the daunting task of keeping us all organized and on task. We are excited to watch her grow our giveaway and wanted to share an introduction as you will be seeing a lot of her in the coming months.



Hello, everyone!

I am pleased to have taken over the reins from Ellen Burns to organize Hands of Christ. Ellen was ready to step back, and I was eager to jump in on one of my favorite outreaches SPC did when we lived here before.

Some of you know that my husband John and I were regularly attending when we were stationed here before, and we couldn't wait for the opportunity to get transferred back when he changed duty stations with the Navy. With the addition of our two girls, I have a different viewpoint on this outreach than I did in 2019, during the last Hands of Christ distribution before we moved away. I am excited about the direction this outreach can take as we get our numbers up post-COVID.

If you are interested in getting involved outside of distribution day, or have done things in the past that you would like to continue to do, please reach out so I can make a list of people and jobs to be done. Let's make this wonderful outreach grow so we can share God's love and bless families even more!

Sheila Wilson

SERVICE & FELLOWSHIP

Do you feel called to help others? Are you looking for a place to make a difference? The Service Ministry Team works to serve others locally, nationally, and internationally. Service meets the first Tuesday of each month at 5:30pm in the Church office. We are especially seeking congregation members who could be a liaison with Habitat for Humanity, our Missionaries, and mission trips. We always welcome new members to our team- please contact Kristi Selander for more information (kpselander@gmail.com).

- Angel Tree
- Campus Ministries
- Keys to Change
- Doty Park Lunch
- Habitat for Humanity
- Hands of Christ
- Hearts for Summerville
- HELP of Summerville
- Meals on Wheels
- Mission Trips
- Missionaries
- Rise Against Hunger
- Special Offerings
- Thanksgiving Basket Project
- Water Missions International



**WEDNESDAY
NIGHT LIVE
Jan 29-Feb 26**

Dinner pre-sales will take place in Lanneau Hall (during Coffee Fellowship) and in the gym (after the Contemporary Service) on January 12, 19 and 26. Dinner pre-sales will be sold in the church office starting January 13.

Dinner pre-sale prices:

- \$40 per person (\$10 per week; \$8 savings)
- Family (3 or more people): \$120

Weekly prices:

- \$12 per person
- Family (3 or more people): \$30

**January 29
POTLUCK DINNER**

Fellowship will provide fried chicken and beverages.

Please bring a side dish or dessert to share.

Game: 50's & 60's Music Bingo

**Dinner Starts @ 5:30 pm
Game / Icebreaker @ 6:00 pm
Bible Study @ 6:30 pm**

TWO CLASS OPTIONS:

THE PARABLES OF LUKE facilitated by Ralph Herbert

- **HELP IS HERE** by Max Lucado, facilitated by Jennifer Grainger

SAVE THE DATE SUMMERVILLE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Saturday, January 25

Dinner service

begins at 5:00 pm

SPC Gym



**Tickets will be \$12 for adults
and \$8 for children 12 and under.**

***Tickets will be available beginning
December 29.**



Thursday, Jan. 23, 11:30 am

Dog and Duck

1580 Old Trolley Road in Summerville.

Please contact Claudette Young by email at claudettemariyoung@yahoo.com or phone at (843) 991-1057 to confirm your attendance.

**SAVE THE DATE
ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 11:00 AM**

FINANCE & MISC



The offerings along with monies received for the use of facilities and the total expenses for the one month of November and year-to-date are as follows:

	Monthly	Year-to-Date
Receipts	\$ 53,272.00	\$757,383.00
Expenses	\$ 66,022.00	\$740,840.00
Excess (deficit)	\$ (12,750.00)	\$ 16,543.00

Monthly Receipts and Expenses fluctuate, which has resulted in 2024 year-to-date excess revenues over expenses of \$16,543. January, February and March revenues reflect numerous IRA contributions which is consistent with the prior year; the result is a large excess which is be used throughout the year. The Finance Committee would like to thank everyone for financially supporting our church.



Anna	Fowler	1	Wilson	Bond	13	Virginia	Stephens	24
Stanley	Tucker	1	Candace	Pratt	13	Betty	Cowen	27
Kathleen	Gelzer	2	Kathleen	Dalton	14	Angus	Harley	27
Marylou	Semones	3	Diane	Dunham	14	Diane	Sarrocco	27
Ed	Ryan	5	Adriaan	Kwist	15	Myungsook	Stoudenmire	27
Frances	Via	6	Tom	Thornton	15	Elizabeth	Rockstad	28
M L	Hyatt	7	Reese	Brobst	17	Ismael	Jasso	29
Garnett	McCallum	7	Patricia	Craver	18	Robert	Hawks	30
Jeffrey	Haton	8	Jon	Rockstad	18	Kaycie	Lorenz	30
Scott	Coffey	11	Catherine	Somers	20	Charlie	Militello	30
Claude	Burns	12	Celia	Forsythe	21	Tiffany	Griffin	31
Topper	Avenel	13	Jane	Pelletier	24	Claudette	Young	31

GUESS WHO?

This confirmand from 1997 is now mom to Bennett and Elizabeth.

Answer from the December Guess Who? was Ashton Pratt.

Our December winner was Ramona Jasso.

Submit guesses to summervillepres@gmail.com.

First correct answer receives a gift card prize!



CREATE YOUR LEGACY

"You Are Blessed to Be a Blessing"

Genesis 12:1-3

To explore the options and benefits offered through Legacy Giving, and to send a message of love and hope to future generations, pick up a "Legacy" flyer in the church office and schedule a conversation with Cecilia Bond, Finance Manager. All discussions are confidential and without obligation.



The 2025 Stewardship Committee thanks you for a very successful stewardship campaign! You may make a pledge at any time by contacting the church office or scanning the QR code to the right.

2025 Stewardship Committee: Jim Bailey, Michael Browder, Luke Page, Stephen Richardson, Kathryn Tupper, Henk Van Der Meyden



SESSION UPDATE & THE CHURCH MOUSE



Session
UPDATE

Greetings!

Below are several items of interest of recent Session activity:

- Pastor Anita, Elder Henk Van Der Meyden and I attended the Charleston Atlantic Presbytery meeting on December 10.
- Session held our annual meeting with the Deacons on December 16, and the Deacons shared their personal experiences highlighting the many positive interactions they had in 2024..
- Session had a packed agenda at our December meeting that included: approving the 2025 SPC budget; approving several committee memberships; approving the call of the annual Congregation Corporation meeting on January 26; and discussion of new Elder/Deacon training and updating the SPC Operations Manual.

On behalf of Session, I'd like to wish everyone a happy new year! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at summervillepresclerk@gmail.com.

Blessings,
Oden Semones
Clerk of Session



By Ezekiel W. Mouse, Esq.
Special to 3rd Chronicles

“Whew! I am so glad we are past all the excitement and celebration of the holidays!”

“But Mary, I thought you enjoyed all the festivities.”

“I do, but it leaves me physically and mentally exhausted! There was so much to do.”

“So much good was done, and so many people made happy, that we can’t stop doing many of the things we did just because it is a new year. That is the meaning of ‘Keep Christmas in your heart all year long.’ Just because ‘the season’ is past does not mean people are not still hungry, homeless, in despair, or needing a kind thought or gesture.”

“I see what you mean, Ezekiel. Many of the things we did during Christmas are still needed, they just don’t have to be wrapped up with a red ribbon.”

“Our church is a starting place to meet these continuing needs. Many of our church ministries reach beyond our walls. Our church encourages Big People and Youth to help with community services such as food kitchens, Water Missions, Second Chance, Help of Summerville, homeless shelters and Habitat for Humanity. If you look, there are even more opportunities to help others.”

“Won't helping in these many ways just make someone exhausted all the time?”

“It is amazing how doing for others—because you truly want to help—supplies energy you did not know you had. You also are rewarded by the good feeling it gives you.”

“You have convinced me, Ezekiel. Let’s keep Christmas all year in 2025!”

INQUIRERS’ CLASSES
Wed., Jan. 15 and 22, 6:00-7:30 pm
To register:
summervillepres@gmail.com



THE ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL ASSOCIATION OF THE PCUSA HAS APPOINTED JULIE MCCORMICK MEMBERSHIP CHAIR. Julie attended the APA Annual Regional Business Meeting and Conference in Maryland this past September. Barbara Adams was elected to serve as President beginning January 1. The following appointments were made: Diane Shorter, Historian (2024/2025), Romelda Guglielmo, Certification (2025/2026) and **Julie McCormick, Membership (2024/2026)**. Summerville Presbyterian will host the annual conference this September. There are 32 members in the Atlantic Region and 200 members nationally.

STAFF

Rev. Dr. Anita Herbert—Senior Pastor
Rev. Dr. Ralph Herbert—Discipleship Pastor
Jennifer Grainger—Director of Spiritual Growth & Outreach
Rebecca Mills—Director of Children’s Ministry/
Director of Mother’s Morning Out
William Bennett—Director of Music
Jim Moore—Organist
Joe Swisher and Julia Miller—Co-Directors of Contemporary Worship
Cecelia Bond—Finance Manager
Julie McCormick—Administrative Office & Communications Coordinator
Shirley Gay—Sexton
Bob Hirsch—Sexton

SESSION

Fellowship— Sheri Page (Chair), Zachary Storti
Nurture—Colin Martin (Chair), Charlie Harris
Service— Kristi Selander (Chair), Kelli Kemmerer
Spiritual Growth— Anna Winstead (Chair), Ana Hill
Property—Lauch Blue (Chair)
Finance— Henk van der Meyden (Chair), Jeff Bowers
Personnel—Henk van der Meyden (Chair)
Worship— Walt Morgan, Alicia Macomber (Co-Chairs)
Clerk of Session— Oden Semones

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