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The Lighted Spire

March & April, 2025

Souper Bowl of Caring



1173 items donated to 2 different pantries
through Shelby County Pantry Pals

A~Mc 497 M~Z 676

We reached our goal!

Thank you for your generosity in supporting this yearly event!



Sunday, March 16 following worship

Please plan to stay following worship on Sunday to enjoy a Soup and Salad Lunch and time to share fellowship with your church family. If you would like to bring a salad or a side, that would be great. If you would like to make soup, please let Pastor Gretchen or Jane know.

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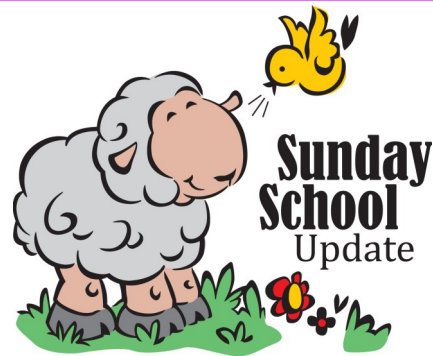
Sorry the *Lighted Spire* is a little delayed, but wanted to let you know what's been going on and what's coming up.

If you would like to come to worship on Sunday mornings, but don't have a way to get there, Jon and Sharon Orem are offering to pick people up on their way to worship. Please call them by Saturday if you would like a ride so they can make plans.



Rides Available

For more information or to schedule a ride, call Sharon (317-512-1842) or Jon (317-517-1341)



Age 3-5th grade go with Jon Orem and Sara Roberts for their lessons following the Children's

Time in worship. **Our middle and high schoolers** go with Sarah Smith at this same time and meet in the Wall Room upstairs. Nursery care is provided for **infants and toddlers** during worship.

Office Hours

Monday - Thursday
9:00am to 4:00pm

May be closed during lunch time

Office will be closed on Fridays

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Prayer Requests

Betty Alexander	Janet Orem
Shane Appleton	Sharon Orem
Shelby Bowers	Bill Restall
Charline Brown	Bill & Joyce Runshe
Joanne Bubar	Deloris Sorrell
Marilyn Bushfield	Marilyn VanCleve
Burt & Irene Curry	Wilma Weaver
Hugh Garner	Nancy Wittekind
Judy Mitchell	

Church family and friends

Matthew & Michael Berndt, Deloris Hassebrook, Vicki Hassebrook, Hunter, Jaxon, Betty Nichols, Darryl Runshe, Shannon Trimnell, Brady Vanes

Those in military service

Rocky Iaria	
Deacon Marshall	Blake McIntire
Adam Smith	Brett Walburn

If the situation for any of these people has changed or someone needs to be added to our list, please let the church office know.



Prayer Shawl Ministry

Monday, March 24

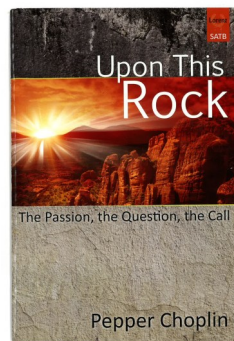
Monday, April 28

1:30pm at Ashford Place

Guests are always welcome to come and join this ministry. If you like to knit or crochet, come and check out this group. Even if you don't know how to knit or crochet, they will be glad to teach you and get you started. This group is open to men and women. Even if you don't want to knit or crochet, you can always just come and enjoy the company. Talk to Nancy Wittekind if you have questions.



Choir Rehearsals
Wednesdays at 7:00pm
in the choir room
Come and check it out!
No auditions required
All are welcome to come join the fun!



Easter Cantata

The First
Presbyterian
Church Choir
will present their

Easter Cantata

"Upon This Rock"
during worship on
Sunday, April 27.

Please make plans to join
us as they share the story of
Easter in song and readings.

Statler Study Group

Lenten ~ Easter Study

From Wilderness to Glory,
by N.T. Wright

Meets in Fellowship Hall
Light Breakfast Served
Wednesdays at 8:00am
New members & visitors
always welcome!



CCC ~ Fun for Everyone

On Thursday, March 6, the CCC's traveled to Max and Erma's at the Edinburgh Outlet Mall in the shuttle. Thanks to Dan Runshe for chauffeuring!

Thursday, April 3

What the CCC's are doing is going to be a surprise!

Mark your calendars and watch for further news.

Talk to Sheila if you have ideas of a place to visit or if you have any questions. Everyone is welcome!



Youth Painting Project

Our youth group is turning one of the rooms upstairs into the Youth Room. After helping to serve lunch at the Salvation Army on March 2, they had a quick lunch and started painting the room in a color they chose. While there is still work to be done, they got a great start. Thanks to Pastor Gretchen, Sarah Smith and Dan Runshe for assisting in this project.



Easter Memorial
Flowers

As is our tradition, we will have spring flowers in memory or in honor of someone as a part of our service for Easter Sunday. These can be Easter lilies or any spring flower you like. Please purchase the flowers from the place of your choice and have them delivered or drop them at the church any time after April 13. Before April 14, please call the church office or drop us a note listing the names the flowers are in memory or in honor of and who gave the flowers. Please plan to pick your flowers up after worship on Easter Sunday.