



Church members enjoy crafting at the Advent Workshop on Nov. 19. See more on p. 3.

Pastor's Notes - George C. Anderson

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ALEXA HOUSE

The renovation of Alexa House is nearing completion. Every year, we take up a special Manger Offering at our Christmas Eve services which goes to support the work of Family Promise. Families nearing homelessness in the Family Promise of Greater Roanoke program will find temporary shelter in Alexa House once renovations are complete. I hope that by the time we take the offering this Christmas Eve, we will already be hosting those families. That's my prayer.

CHRISTMAS EVE: A SPECIAL PITCH FOR A SPECIAL SERVICE

On Christmas Eve, we will have three services. With Christmas Eve being a Sunday, our 11:00 a.m. service will replace the Noon Christmas Eve service (the 8:45 a.m. service is cancelled that morning and on New Year's Eve). At this service, we will celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. This will be a special time of worship that I will attend, but it is not the one for which I want to give a special promotion.

At 5:00 p.m., we will have the traditional Family Christmas Eve service and celebrate the Sacrament of Infant Baptism. This is a special



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The church occasionally uses photos of people and groups on the website and in publications. Those objecting to the use of their photos (or photos of their minor children) should so inform the church.

Enjoy listening to podcasts? Listen to our sermons on *Second on the Mount*, and our podcast for children and families, *Child of God with The Rev. Elizabeth Link!* www.spres.org/connect/podcasts/



service, too, with the church full of children in the pews, children leading worship, and characters from the Christmas story of scripture helping with the baptism. I would not miss this service for anything. But this is not the service for which I want to give a special promotion.

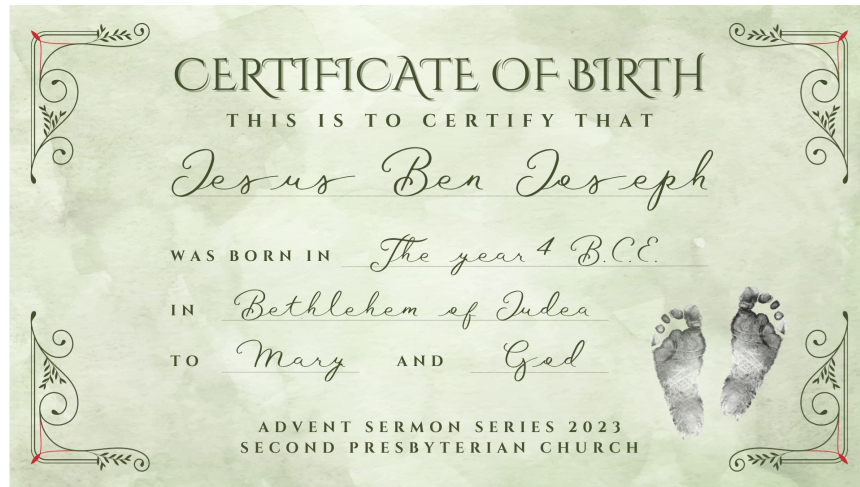
I want to give a special promotion for the 10:00 p.m. worship service. This service carries forward the special feel of the evening service of Christmas Eves past and includes Scripture readings and music by the choir. However there have been some special changes of which you may not be aware. Music and singing is incorporated into the reading of Luke 2. At the end of the service, we share the light of the Christ Candle with each other filling the sanctuary with the soft glow of candlelight. For me, the service honors the awe and wonder of the good news of Christ's birth. I hope to see you there.

ADVENT SERMON SERIES – “JESUS’ BIRTH CERTIFICATE”

“We are pleased to announce a beautiful new addition to our family...” So, begins a typical birth announcement that leads to a date, a name, and maybe even the place where the child was born. In sending the announcement, the parent uses special stationery or a uniquely designed email template because the parent is pleased, proud and anxious to let friends and family know the good news.

What would a birth announcement for Jesus sound like? Well, John’s Gospel provides us with one: “And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father’s only son.”

What would a birth certificate for Jesus look like, if birth certificates were a thing in his day? What information would be printed on it? Would it look like this?



This Advent the preaching pastors will be offering a sermon series called, “Jesus’ Birth Certificate,” where they will offer commentary on this imagined certificate. What they will be exploring is the significance and meaning of one who was born among us but lived as “God-With-Us.” Come the Sundays of December and let us consider the good news announcement of Jesus’ birth.



Photos from the annual Advent Workshop held on Sunday, November 19.

– NEWS & NOTES –

Flowers

Oct. 15 - Given to the glory of God in memory of Gene and Treva Richter by Jim and Angie Pittendrigh..... **Oct. 22** - Given to the glory of God in memory of Robert H. Bennett by the family..... **Oct. 29** - Given to the glory of God in loving memory of Marian Kirk Dille, John Adams Dille, Drucilla Dille McNeil, Jane Dille Klise, John Adams Dille, Jr., J. Kirk Dille and Jennie Evans Dille by Mrs. J. Kirk Dille and Dr. and Mrs. John F. Schmedtje..... **Nov. 5** - Given to the glory of God by Jim and Ruth Robertson and John and Mary Robertson Delaney in loving memory of their parents, Jim and Nancy Robertson, and their brother, John Robertson. The flowers in the Columbarium were given to the glory of God and in memory of all of the saints who are interred there. **Open Flower Date:** The following date is available for anyone who would like to sponsor flowers in the sanctuary: Dec. 31. Please contact Denise Revercomb to see if the date is still open (588-5111; revercomb@cox.net).

Sympathy

Sympathy is extended to Suzanne Fischer and family on the death of her father, Robert “Bob” Williams, on Friday, October 6, 2023..... Sympathy is extended to Bobby Myers and family on the death of his mother-in-law, Agnes “Aggie” Landers Painter, on Thursday, August 10, 2023..... Sympathy is extended to Jeff and Christina Croteau on the passing of Jeff’s grandmother, Florence Pelletier of Lewiston, ME, on Friday, October 13, 2023. Our prayers are also with their children, Sebastien and Vincent..... Our sympathies extend to Don and Julie Mugford on the death of Don’s mother, Cora Wyman Mugford of Bowdoin, ME, on Monday, October 9, 2023..... Sympathy is extended to Gloria Staley on the death of her brother, Dr. Hal McCulloch, on Wednesday, October 18, 2023..... Our sympathies extend to Nancy Gray and David Maxson on the death of Nancy’s sister-in-law, Karin Murray Oliver of Texas, on Monday, October 23, 2023.

Concerns

Susan Blaylock (wife of Bill Blaylock), Cheryl Crowell, Al Hurt, Elizabeth Klein, Anne Macfarlane, Mike Sisk.

SEMINAR ON GRIEF AND HEALING / THE LONGEST NIGHT SERVICE

Thursday, December 7 @ 5:30 p.m.

Register Online by December 4

For those who have experienced loss, the holidays can be a particularly painful time, stirring up grief in acute ways. The Congregational Life Committee invites members of our church and community who have experienced the loss of a loved one to come together for a special seminar on the topic of grief and healing during the holidays. Dr. Paula Wolfeich, Ph.D., will lead a presentation and activity, focusing on grief and loss during this sometimes painful season. Dr. Wolfeich is a licensed clinical psychologist and is the director of Carilion's Center for Grief and Healing.



Dr. Paula Wolfeich, Ph.D., Director of Carilion's Center for Grief and Healing

On Thursday, December 7, from 5:30-7:00 p.m. in the Session Room, participants will learn about coping with grief during the holidays, hear about Carilion's grief support groups, and spend time crafting a memorial ornament for their homes. Participants are welcome to bring small photos or mementos to include in their ornament, but this is not required.

Due to the nature of this event, it will be held in-person only; an online option will not be available. Should you or someone you know like a ride to or from the event, please contact the church office. We will do our best to ensure everyone who has an interest is able to attend.

Please RSVP online or by calling the church office by Monday, December 4. RSVP's will help ensure we have enough supplies and the appropriate room set-up for the evening.

We hope you will also consider joining us on **Thursday, December 21, at 6:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary for the Longest Night service.** This time of worship is designed to provide space for prayer, reflection, and remembrance amidst the holiday hustle and bustle. May this offering provide a space of calm, quiet, and healing for many.

POP-UP SUNDAY SCHOOL, DECEMBER 3

Join us in Fellowship Hall on Sunday, December 3, for a special Pop-Up Sunday school and the silent art auction launch. Our Pop-Up Sunday school presentation will focus on the history, transition, and mission of Alexa House (formerly known as the Alpha Omega House). Hear about how the church came to acquire the property, how its been used in the past, and its new reinvigorated use to house more families through Family Promise. Learn about the home's unique architectural features uncovered in renovations and design choices made in order to make the house more usable and welcoming to guests all year long.

Following this brief presentation, participants will have the opportunity register to bid in the silent art auction.

The silent art auction of Eric Fitzpatrick's donated art will launch on December 3, and members of Second and other supporting congregations of Alexa House renovations will have the opportunity to bid and raise money for the maintenance and upkeep of the house. See the flyer on p. 7 for more details.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

HOLIDAY WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Both Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve fall on Sundays this year. On both Sundays, we will cancel the 8:45 a.m. worship service and have only the 11:00 a.m. service in the morning.

Christmas Eve Worship Schedule, December 24

- 11:00 a.m. – Worship Service with the Sacrament of Holy Communion
- 5:00 p.m. – Family Service with the Sacrament of Baptism
- 10:00 p.m. – A Service of Lessons, Carols and Candlelight

New Year's Eve Worship Schedule, December 31

- 11:00 a.m. – Worship Service

SUNDAY SCHOOL AND PANCAKE BREAKFAST UPDATES:

To give our wonderful Sunday school teachers a break, and to allow families the opportunity to enjoy sharing the Christmas story together, Sunday school and Children, Worship, & Wonder will not meet on December 24. There will also be no Sunday school on December 31, though Children, Worship, & Wonder will meet on December 31 during the 11:00 a.m. worship service.

Sunday school will resume for all ages on January 14.

On Sunday, January 7, members and visitors of all ages are invited to attend a pancake breakfast during the Sunday school hour in Fellowship Hall. This breakfast is sponsored in partnership by the Christian Education Committee and the Congregational Life Committee. Let us take time to share a meal together, get to know recent members and confirmands from the 2023 year, and give thanks to those Sunday school teachers who work tirelessly all year long. Regularly scheduled Sunday school classes for all ages will resume on January 14.

Sunday school schedule for Christmas Eve/New Year:

- Dec 24 – No Sunday School or Children, Worship, & Wonder
- Dec 31 – No Sunday School; Children, Worship, & Wonder will meet
- Jan 7 – Pancake Breakfast (No Sunday School), Children, Worship, & Wonder will meet
- Jan 14 – Regular Sunday School & CWW Schedule Resume

KNITTED HATS FOR HIGHLAND PARK ELEMENTARY STUDENTS

We thank those who have been knitting this season to keep the children of Highland Park Elementary School warm this winter. Please bring your items to the Hospitality Room closet by Friday, December 8. This program was started by our beloved Margaret Foss. Contact Emily Mallory with questions (540-344-1780).

SAVE THE DATE: GALS RETREAT – JANUARY 20

Our annual GALS retreat will look a bit different this year, but we hope you will save the date for our GALS day-treat on Saturday, January 20 from 9AM to 4PM at Second Presbyterian Church. This day-only event includes favorites such as food, friendship, fellowship, crafts, and time to reflect on Bible study together. Registration will be online and will cover food and crafts.

This year’s theme is Winter Garden, and our speaker will be the Rev. Rachel Vogado! A lifelong Presbyterian originally from Tallahassee, FL, Rachel received her Bachelor of Arts in Art History and Museum Education from Florida State University and a Masters of Divinity from Columbia Theological Seminary. She has served churches in Memphis, Indianapolis, and North Carolina, and began in her current role as Media Assistant here at Second in September.

The GALS retreat may alter between a day retreat and an out-of-town overnight retreat every other year to allow others to come who may not be able to travel. For more information, contact Chasity Fitzpatrick at 540-525-6569 or iamblessed3@cox.net.



HABITAT “PARTNERS IN PROSPERITY” BUILD BEGINS JANUARY 2024

Our Christian Education theme for the 2023-2024 program year is “Build It Together.” The IT in the theme can be many different things. It is with great excitement that we share in January the IT will be a new home! Together with St. John’s Episcopal Church, we have sponsored a new habitat home for the Mussa Family. This partner-build is called, “Partners in Prosperity.” The home will be built on the 600 Block of McDowell Ave in Northwest. The build begins the second week of January and will come to completion the second week of May. Second Presbyterian and St. John’s have both committed to 30 build days each, and Second will be on site every Thursday and alternating Saturdays. We have previously been part of the Habitat Apostle’s Build, joining with over 20 churches and organizations. The Service and Outreach committee thought that with our giving level and our deep desire to grow in relationship with those we serve in our community, a partner build is exactly where God is calling us. There will be many different ways for you to be involved, and we are overjoyed to see all the hard work, fellowship, and transformation! You are invited to join in this work and literally “Build A HOME Together”!

NOTICE ON YEAR-END CONTRIBUTIONS

Important Notice: To ensure the deductibility of your church contributions, please do not file your 2023 income tax return until you have received a written acknowledgment of your contributions from the church. You may lose a deduction for some contributions if you file your tax return before receiving this written acknowledgment.

Timing of Contributions: In order for your contributions to the church to be deductible in 2023, they must be brought to the church by **Friday, December 29 or postmarked by December 31, 2023**. If the office is closed, please put your contributions in the administrator’s mailbox in the staff workroom.

SILENT ART AUCTION

TO MOM & DAD WITH LOVE

Selections from Bev and Helen Fitzpatrick’s art collection painted by Eric Fitzpatrick and other local artists. All proceeds will benefit Alexa House endowment for ongoing maintenance.

Just in time for gift giving season! Art lovers, don’t miss this chance to bid on stunning works of art and support Alexa House. Head to the portico entrance from the parking lot, fill out a registration form, and receive your bidder number.

LOCATION

Second Presbyterian Church, Fellowship Hall

DATES / TIMES

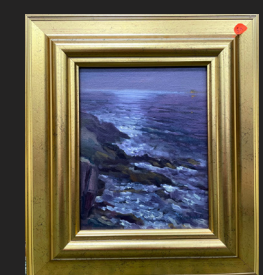
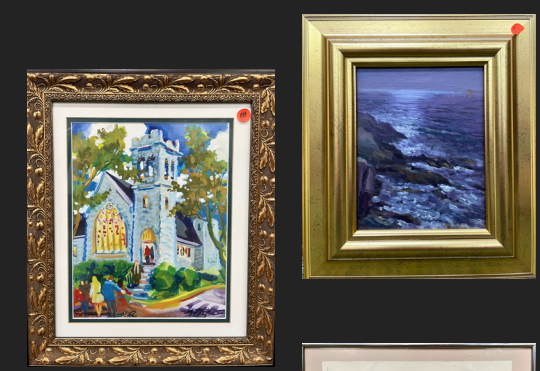
- Sun, Dec 3:** Opening
 - 9:45AM POP-UP Sunday School
 - 12PM Reception in Fellowship Hall
- Mon-Sat, Dec 4-9:** 9AM-1PM
- Sun, Dec 10:** 10AM-2PM, 4-6PM

NOTIFICATION OF WINNERS & ART PICK-UP INSTRUCTIONS

Winners will be contacted on Monday, Dec 11. Please ensure that you are ready to purchase and pick up the art on Monday or Tuesday, Dec 11-12, between 9AM-1PM.

PAYMENT

Cash, check, credit card (2.5% processing fee), PayPal, Venmo



DEC 3-10
Hours Vary

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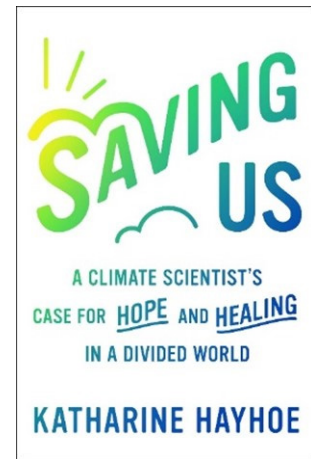
SUSTAINABILITY SPOTLIGHT

TAKING A CLOSER LOOK AT CLIMATE CHANGE: A VISION OF HOW CHRISTIANS ARE CALLED TO RESPOND

This fall, 10-15 individuals have been attending a Sunday school class called **Christianity and Climate Change**. See <https://www.tearfund.org/campaigns/christianity-and-climate-change-film-series>. The class is being hosted by Second's Green Team and is based on a nine-part film series produced in 2021 by Tearfund.¹ The film series features key church leaders and members in Scotland asking Dr. Katharine Hayhoe, internationally renowned Christian climate



scientist, how Christians are called to care for Creation and care for people in need—especially those most impacted by and least responsible for a changing climate. The film series comes with a leader's guide (<https://urlzs.com/6yvkb>) that provides discussion questions, action to take, and more from Katharine Hayhoe.



The class is also taking inspiration from Katharine Hayhoe's book, *Saving Us: A Climate Scientist's Case for Hope and Healing in a Divided World*. Published in 2022, the book closely parallels the film series and goes into much greater depth on many of the climate change issues. One of the many takeaways is Katharine Hayhoe's strong conviction that the most important thing we can do to bring people together and address climate change is: **"Talk about it."** The Green Team has gifted a copy of Katharine Hayhoe's book to the church library.

She has previously noted, **"For Christians, doing something about climate change is about living out our faith...caring for those who need help and taking responsibility for this planet that God created and entrusted to us. My faith tells me that God does want people to understand climate change and do something about it."**

In the book's preface she writes, **"The bottom line is this. To care about climate change, you only need to be one thing, and that's a person living on planet Earth who wants a better future. Chances are, you're already that person—and so is everyone else you know."**



Class participants meet in the Klein Classroom sitting at the large conference table formerly used by the Session. We begin with prayer, followed by an inspirational music video, followed by the film series, and close with conversation and discussion. While the film series portion of the class has ended, we are continuing to meet through Sunday, Dec 17 to talk about how God is calling us to care for Creation—and in what form members' concern and care for Creation might continue into the future. In the meantime, please enjoy viewing the film series and reading through the leader's guide using the links provided above.

– 2PC Green Team
Grounded by Scripture, Informed by Science.

¹ Tearfund is a Christian charity headquartered in the U.K. which partners with churches in more than 50 of the world's poorest countries. They tackle poverty and injustice through sustainable development and response to natural disasters.

YOUTH

The youth would like to thank everyone contributed to the Middle School Hunger Busters Initiative that supported the Presbyterian Community Center. We received tons of donations, and those donations went serve the underserved in our community during the holiday season! We thank you!!!

Coming up on **December 3rd** will be our youth Christmas Party... and all youth are invited to the **HOLIDAY HOEDOWN!** Saddle up your reindeer, dust off your red cowboy boots, and mosey on over for a fun night of delicious food, fellowship, and festive barn dances! We will learn a few line dances, participate in fun square-dances, and do-si-do the night away! We will meet in the Fellowship Hall from 5 until 7 p.m. See you there!

2PC Youth Ski Trip – January 20 at Winterplace Ski Resort: who is ready to hit the slopes, tube, or simply play fun games with hot chocolate in the lodge!? Registration is found at the bottom of the Youth page on the website! Sign up today!

Summer Trips for 2024! We are hard at work planning all the fun Summer 2024 Youth trips: Bibles and Bricks Youth Mission Trip to the DR, At-Home mission week, and Montreat Youth Conference! To best plan for the summer trips, we are asking that families complete registration (submitting forms and paying the \$100 deposit per trip) by January 31. Please reach out to Ben with any questions. Registration can be found on the Youth Page.

- **Bibles & Bricks Youth Mission Trip to San Juan de la Maguana, Dominican Republic: June 15-22**
Current 9th Graders – First-Year College students
\$750/student
- **At-Home Mission Week: July 8-10**
Current 5th-12th Graders
Cost \$75
- **Montreat Youth Conference: July 14-20**
Rising 9th Graders – Graduated 12th
Cost is \$450

Upcoming Youth Dates:

- January 7 – Confirmation Sunday (11 a.m. service)
- January 20 – Youth Ski Trip
- February 11 – Youth Sunday



YOUNG ADULTS

Second Pres Young Adults is a group of members and non-members, who enjoy the fellowship and fun of community. We have scheduled a Christmas Dinner and Cookie Exchange for December 13th. Please RSVP to Ben (benb@spres.org) and subscribe to text messages by texting "@2pcya" to the number 81010.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH – OCTOBER 2023 –

Alexa House Fund

In memory of **Betty Kulp** by
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In memory of **Paul Buford** by
Virginia Barnett
In memory of **Bob Williams** by
George and Millie Anderson

Dominican Republic Medical Mission Trip Fund

In memory of **Jeanette Williams** by
Susan and Bill Blaylock
In memory of **Bob Williams** by
Susan and Bill Blaylock

Other funds are available for your contributions. Please contact Nathan Anderson at 540-343-3659 or email: admin@spres.org. This list includes donations received from October 1-31.

**We sincerely regret any errors or omissions in this list. Please contact the Church Administrator, 540-343-3659, to help us get it corrected.*



Legacy Corner

The Designated Funds Oversight Committee (DFOC)

As Chairman of the Designated Funds Oversight Committee, I have been asked to provide an overview of this committee and our responsibilities to SPRES and the congregation. The DFOC was created in 2005 as a Subcommittee of the Finance Committee for the purpose of overseeing the various designated funds of Second Presbyterian Church. These funds include The Kitty Susan Trent Fund, The Edmunds Fund, The Mountain Avenue Fund, The Property Maintenance and Repair Fund, The W.R. Klein Fund, The Preschool Endowment Fund, The Trustee's Fund, The Columbarium Fund, The Organ Maintenance Fund, The Music Endowment Fund, and The Session Reserve Limited Fund.

These funds are exclusive of the Second Fund. Since 2005, the fund's assets have grown to over \$5,000,000.00. The Texas Presbyterian Foundation is DFOC's current investment advisor. The designated funds receive annual distributions through the DFOC's spending policy. \$1,386,447.00 has been paid to the above 11 Funds over the past 6 years.

The DFOC is tasked with the following responsibilities: Creation, Oversight, and Review of the Investment Policy Statement, and the fund's Spending Policies. Our committee meets with the Investment Advisor every six months and conducts a Request for Proposal Program periodically for the purpose of hiring an Investment Advisor to manage the fund's assets.

The fund's assets grow by contributions of present interest (cash, appreciated stock), bequests, memorials, and the interest earned from the fund's invested assets. We are grateful for the generosity of our member's financial support over the years.


Please let us know if you would like to contribute, learn more about the Designated Funds or include SPRES in your estate planning. Thank you again for your support of SPRES.

– Manly Aylor
Chairman of the Designated Funds Oversight Committee, Member of the Legacy Committee

Two Cents-a-Meal Collection: We thank the following children for their help on Sun., Oct. 29: 8:45–Crosby & Bauer Horn (parents, Whitney & Jason). 11–Eleanor Link (parents, Chris & Elizabeth) and Emory Anderson (parent, Virginia). Contact Stacy Moore to help (stacy@spres.org).



MONTHLY FOOD COLLECTION FOR PCC: The food items for the month of December are **seasonal Christmas foods**. Donations can be left in the coat closet (please check expiration dates before donating).

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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SUNDAY, JAN. 7 | 9:45 A.M. | FELLOWSHIP HALL



Pancake Breakfast

*Enjoy this time of fellowship and food
as we celebrate our recent members
and confirmands and give thanks for our
wonderful church school volunteers!*