

Sharing the Life of the Church

“THIS IS THE DAY THAT THE LORD HAS MADE; LET US REJOICE AND BE GLAD IN IT” (PSALM 118:24, ESV). WELCOME!

Coffee Hour - Join us in the Harris Room at 10:00 for coffee, snacks and fellowship. Today’s coffee hour is hosted by **Carolyn Rings**. If you would like to host coffee hour, please sign up on the bulletin board outside the Harris Room.

Missions Focus - The Mission and Outreach Committee is asking the congregation to help *Essentially Yours* with donations now through February 12. This organization resides in our church and its main goal is to help people who have been homeless transition to a home. We have been placing things sporadically in their basket, but we would like to focus on their needs for one month. Please place your donations in the shopping basket in the entryway of the church. Items that *must be new* are pillows. Donations should be clean and lightly-used or new. They need all the items necessary for starting a household, including monetary donations. Lists of needed items are available in the foyer. Thank you for your help!

Winter Fellowship Meal - Please join us today at the “Warm Your Heart” luncheon, following 10:30 worship. The Deacons will serve a wonderful meal of your favorite “comfort foods.”

Annual Committee Reports - If you were the moderator or chair of a church board or committee in 2016, please remember to submit your annual written report to the church office soon. If you have any

questions or would like to see a copy of last year’s report, you may call the office at 304-422-5426. Thank you for your cooperation.

Taking a Stand

Cowardice asks the question: Is it safe? Expediency asks the question: Is it politic? Vanity asks the question: Is it popular? But conscience asks the question: Is it right? And there comes a time when one must take a position that is neither safe, nor politic, nor popular — but one must take it simply because it is right.

—Martin Luther King Jr.

DEACONS’ HOSPITAL VISITATION

WEEK OF: Jan. 22 -
Jan. 29 - *Elizabeth Ellis*
Feb. 5 - *Carol Seely*

STATS AT-A-GLANCE

	December	YTD
Income	\$33,661.55	\$229,714.34
Expenses	\$19,774.39	\$222,962.42
Diff. (+/-)	\$13,887.16	\$ 6,751.92

Avg. Attendance:	Dec.	YTD
8:30	13	14
10:30	73	80

THE WEEK AT FPC

TODAY - Sunday, January 22

- 8:30 a.m. Service of Morning Prayer; Chapel
- 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour; Harris Room
- 10:30 a.m. Service for the Lord's Day; Sanctuary
- 10:45 a.m. Children's Church

Monday, January 23

- 1:30 p.m. Hearts Made Whole Committee; Library

Tuesday, January 24

- 12:30 p.m. PW Board meets; Harris Room

Wednesday, January 25

- 5:30 p.m. Lydia Circle meets; Senior Room

Thursday, January 26

- 6:00 p.m. Cub Scout Den Meeting; Senior/Middle Rooms
- 6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal; Choir Room
- 7:15 p.m. Troop 3 Scout meeting; Scout House

Saturday, January 28

- 4:30 p.m. "Souper Saturday" Community meal; Beechwood Presbyterian Church

Sunday, January 29

- 8:30 a.m. Service of Morning Prayer; Chapel
- 10:00 a.m. Coffee Hour; Harris Room
- 10:30 a.m. Service for the Lord's Day; Sanctuary
- 10:45 a.m. Children's Church
- 11:30 a.m. *Warm Your Heart* fellowship meal; Stevenson Hall

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"Laughter is the sun that drives winter from the human face."

—Victor Hugo