



Denbigh United Presbyterian Church JANUARY 2023

Congregational Meeting — January 8

The Session has called a Congregational Meeting for Sunday, January 8, at 11:30 a.m. The purpose of this meeting is to elect officers for the Class of 2025. At this time, we have three nominees: Connie Hunt, Marlene Ferri, and Bob Murphy. The Nominating will continue its work of contacting those we believe God has called to serve on the Session. Please keep the Nominating Committee in your prayers.

Annual Congregational and Corporation Meetings — February 5

The Session has called the Annual Congregational and Corporation Meetings for Sunday, February 5. It will be offered in a hybrid format; directions will be sent to you the week of the meeting. The meeting will be integrated within the 10:30 a.m. worship service. The Annual Report, which includes the 2023 budget, will be emailed to those on our contact list and mailed to those who normally receive *The Digest* through the mail. Hard copies will also be available for pickup on January 29. Everyone is encouraged to attend the Annual Congregational/Corporation Meeting on February 5.

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Church Staff

Senior Pastor

The Reverend Deborah Dail

Associate Pastor

The Reverend Boone Clayton

Office Manager

Kimberly A. Garriott, CAP, VS

Director of Music Ministries

Jane Martin

Accompanist/Organist

Al Buchanan

Nursery Coordinator

Katlin Drach

Sexton Team

Mark and June Tessarolo
Nick and Lauren Tessarolo

Acting Preschool Director

Nancy Kerns

Church Accountant

Jeff Dawson

Session Meeting Summary for December 15, 2022

- ◆ Approved DUPC financial reports through November 30, 2022.
- ◆ Approved DUPP financial reports through November 30, 2022.
- ◆ Approved the Stated Session Meeting minutes of November 10, 2022.
- ◆ Approved the 2023 budget as submitted by the Finance Committee.
- ◆ Approved David and Bernice Rogers as members of Denbigh United Presbyterian Church by Reaffirmation of Faith.
- ◆ Approved the Annual Congregational Meeting for Sunday, February 5, 2023 and the Corporation’s Annual Meeting concurrently.
- ◆ Elected Elders Debbie Ames and Gerry Ellis to serve as Commissioners at the January 28, 2023 Presbytery Meeting at First United Presbyterian Church in Norfolk, VA.
- ◆ Received committee reports.



FINANCE REPORT THROUGH
November 2022

Total Income:	\$361,609.47
Total Expenses:	<u>\$389,300.68</u>
Difference:	\$(27,691.21)

Worship

Thank you to all the teams of our Worship Committee who worked to make our Advent and Christmas services meaningful for all.

During the months of January and February, we will be drawing upon readings from the Lectionary for our worship services. We encourage you to read these scriptures, not all of which will be included in each service.

January Scriptures for Worship

January 1 — Isaiah 63:7-9; Psalm 148; Hebrews 2:10-18, Matthew 2:13-23 (**Communion**)

January 8 — Isaiah 42:1-9; Psalm 29, Acts 10:34-43; Matthew 3:13-17

January 15 — Isaiah 49:1-7; Psalm 40:1-11; 1 Corinthians 1:1-9; John 1:29-42

January 22 — Isaiah 9:1-4; Psalm 27:1, 4-9; 1 Corinthians 1:10-18; Matthew 4:12-23

January 29 — Micah 6:1-8; Psalm 15; 1 Corinthians 1:8-31; Matthew 5:1-12

In-Person and Facebook Live Worship									
Attendance	11/20	11/27	12/04	12/11	12/14 Blue Christmas	12/18	12/24 4:00	12/24 7:00	12/25 Christmas
Worship (in-person)	83	65	80	64	40	68	50	40	50
Facebook Live	103	97	103	94	73	88	321	131	147
Staff/Volunteers	18	15	17	19		21	16	10	10
Nursery (+ helpers)	7	4	4	3	N/A	3	3	N/A	N/A
TOTALS (as of 12/31/22)	211	181	204	180	113	180	390	181	207

Thank you to Donna Phillips, Team Leader for Advent/Christmas Décor, and her volunteers for the beautiful sanctuary decorations. If we missed anyone, please let us know.

Dawn Moss

Iris Lewis and her sister

James Uma

Jim Hiltabidle and Becky Skaar

Joan Minarik

Mary Lee Dunn

Megan Spivey

Moses Lloyd

Racheal LaFlamme

Pat and Sandi Murawski

Pauline Springer

Verni Saunders

Patti, Terry, and Ed Hall

Boone Clayton, Kadim Tshiek, and Jeff Shildt for garland hanging.

Here comes Santa Claus Santa and Mrs. Claus Visit DUCP



Congratulations:

Billy and Keiahna Vigilante— Married on November 19



New Members

Please welcome our newest members David and Bernice Rogers.



Onesimus Project Update

In early December, I traveled to Indianapolis, Indiana to attend the “Called to Lives of Meaning and Purpose” annual meeting.

I was privileged to gather with others who have received generous grants for innovative ministries. It was inspiring to hear what God is doing across the nation, and it was inspiring to share what God is doing in our corner of the world here in Newport News. Those who heard our story affirmed our ministries and noted our authentic engagement with our community.

As you will recall, we received a grant of \$16,000 for our Onesimus Project. These funds came from the Lilly Endowment. 1,300 congregations across the U.S. received funds from the Lilly Endowment through the grant titled “Called to Lives of Meaning and Purpose.” Thirteen “hubs” (seminaries, universities, and other organizations) channeled funds to the 1,300 congregations. Our “hub” is Fuller Theological Seminary — the seminary from which I graduated. We look forward to carrying out our approved Onesimus Project through the fall of 2023.

Will you prayerfully consider your involvement in two initiatives of this project? One is our Christian sports ministry for children called Upward Soccer. The other is our Learn English/Learn Spanish initiative. These two projects will be funded by the Onesimus Grant along with other activities we have already enjoyed or will enjoy in the coming year.

It is our prayer that more people in our congregation will become involved in connections with our community through Upward Soccer and Learn English/Learn Spanish. We know it may feel daunting, but I can assure you that making these connections will not only bless our community but will also bless you.

In Christ’s Love and Service, Deborah

Onesimus Project

Upward Sports Photos—Basketball and Cheerleading

We are excited to have 18 DUPC children and teens participating in the Upward Basketball and Cheerleading program at Warwick Memorial United Methodist Church. Thank you to everyone who has sponsored a child to play/cheer, those who are providing transportation to practices and games, and to all who will encourage them.

We will be starting an Upward Soccer program at DUPC in the summer of 2023. Would you like to be on our planning team? If so, please contact Deborah Dail. We are excited to offer a Christian sports program in which players learn the game, have a Bible lesson at practices, hear a devotional at games, and are supported with prayer.



Information Services

Installation of Microphones in Sanctuary

Thank you to David and Michael Canaday for installing our new microphones in the choir loft and elsewhere in the sanctuary to enhance our live and online worship services. They also installed a new sound board which will create greater flexibility for our Audio Visual Team and improve sound quality.



David and Michael Canaday

Virginia Peninsula Community College— Hope and Joy for the Season Concert

Pastor Dail and Pastor Clayton,
We will be forever grateful for
your assistance and kindness. You
are true examples of God's grace!

In Him, Kwisuk McDonald
Director



Stewardship

Christmas Joy Offering

Thank you to all who have contributed to this year's Christmas Joy Offering. As of December 31, you have contributed \$882. To God be the glory.



Finance—The 2023 Budget

The Session appreciates all the pledges that have been received for the 2023 Operating Fund. At its December meeting, the Session approved a budget of **\$445,031**. We will walk by faith and pray earnestly that these funds will be provided during 2023 so that we can carry out our many missions.

We received **\$310,334 in pledges**.

Based on historical giving patterns by those who do not pledge but who give, we anticipate an additional **\$35,000** in giving.

We plan to draw up to **\$16,700** from designated funds and “other income.”

We may need to use up to **\$82,997** from our savings/investments if additional funds are not contributed.



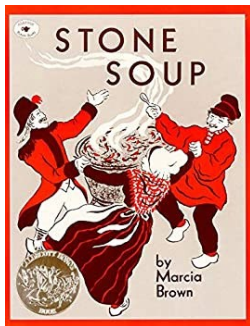
Fellowship

What a great event—The Christmas Luncheon! The air was filled with joy and the aroma of many delicious treats. The children of the church had their own table and enjoyed the food and hot chocolate. There were so many delicious dishes to share. It was hard not to take a little bit of everything. Of course, the main course was followed by all the delicious desserts. It was great to enjoy the fellowship! The children had another special treat with a visit from Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus. The adults loved it too!

A huge thank you to the many people who brought food, helped with serving, getting things for everyone, for clean up and a million other things. What a great group of people that created such a fun day of celebration.

Merry Christmas to everyone and may the New Year be filled with peace and blessings!

Prime Timers



Thursday, January 19, 12:00 noon, in Second Hall, we are going to enjoy Scrumptious Stone Soup with bread, salad, and dessert! In keeping with the theme, guests are asked to bring a small amount of any ingredient to add to the soup. Cost is \$5.00 per person and reservations will be taken January 8 and 15.



Tuesday, February 14, 12:00 p.m. we are going to Al Fresco Ristorante on 11710 Jefferson Avenue for a Valentine's Day lunch. We will have four Italian meals to choose from and everyone will pay on their own. Reservations will be taken January 29 and February 5.

The Prime Timers have generously donated \$950.00 to provide our country's young soldiers from Ft. Eustis breakfast, lunch, and snacks as they wait at the Newport News/Williamsburg Airport to fly home for their Christmas leave.



Pauline Springer and Elaine Minch

Congregational Care Committee

Committee Meeting

Congregational Care Committee will be meeting on Wednesday, January 4 at 10:00 a.m. for the monthly meeting.



From **Lisa Canaday**:

Thank you, church family, for your thoughts and prayers for me, David, and our family. My surgery went well and I am healing and feeling better each day. Your calls, cards, and meals meant so much and were greatly appreciated.

From **John Mayes**:

Betty is still in rehab and doing well. She thanks everyone for all their prayers, thoughts, cards, and letters. They mean a lot to her!

From the **Thweatts**:

Thank you for your thoughts and prayers, God bless you all.

From **Brenda Lamb**:

Thank you for all your prayers for my recent surgery. All went well and I'm on the road to recovery.

From **Don Bickhart**:

My thanks to all through my sickness and hospital stay for your prayers, cards and thoughts and concerns. While I had the flu shot I guess it was the wrong one for this year. I am doing much better but now going through therapy. Hope you all keep well.

From **Hilda Sherman**:

To my wonderful church family: Your outpouring of prayers, cards, and love have been a source of great comfort to me. Thank you for being there for me. Will was a wonderful son, who loves and served his Lord. I am assured where he is and with whom.

From family of **William Sneddon**:

Thank you so much for your kindness over the years. He loved and felt so at home at Denbigh United Presbyterian. We will always remember the beautiful funeral service.

From **Dan, Tim, and Sharon Easter**:

I want to thank you each for the cards and well wishes. Mostly, we thank you for the continued prayers.

Adult Education and Spiritual Growth

Star Words for Epiphany

For the second year we will be offering Star Words for Epiphany which is January 6. The use of Star Words is a reminder of God's gifts to us and how the Magi responded with their own gifts to the young Jesus. The idea is that intention words, or guiding words, are printed and then distributed at random. Individuals are encouraged to place their Star Words somewhere they will see them regularly throughout the year to allow consistent reflection on how God has moved through, around, or in connection to that word.



New this year, you have the option to choose your Star Word by spinning a wheel! **On Friday, January 6, click here [DUPC Star Words](#) for your 2023 Star Word. Star Word cards will also be available at the counter by the church office beginning Sunday, January 8.**

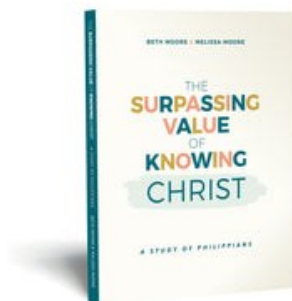
In the Digest each month suggestions on ways to use your 2023 Star Word can be found. If there were different ways you used your 2022 Star Word, please share! Send responses to vgamble@yahoo.com. They will be published in a future issue of the Digest.

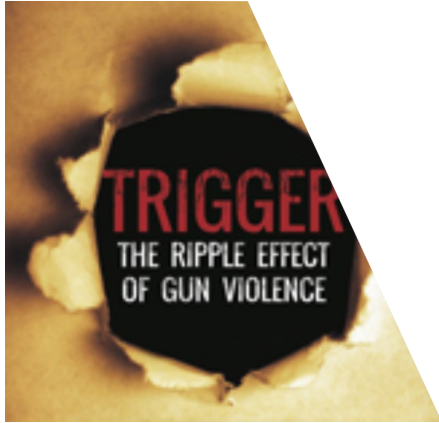
Adult Sunday School Class

The winter quarter of the Ancient Words Adult Bible study class will begin December 4 and continue through February 26, 2023. The class meets in the Conference Room Sunday mornings from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. Our study will focus on God's calling which is rooted in grace rather than merit. This study will include books in the Old and New Testaments and is for the novice as well as long-time readers of the Bible. Lessons are divided into weekly units in case you can't attend every Sunday in the quarter. All adults are welcome to join the conversation and participate in the conservation of Bible study.

Women's Bible Study Is Back in February

We will once again offer a Women's Bible Study for those in our church and our community. This year's study will be a study of Philippians titled *The Surpassing Value of Knowing Christ*. More details are forthcoming.





Trigger - the Ripple Effect of Gun Violence

Fifteen people registered for the recent four-week study *Trigger - the Ripple Effect of Gun Violence*. The video tells stories of gun violence from the viewpoints of family members who lost loved ones, a trauma surgeon, a hospital chaplain, a police detective, a school guidance counselor, children who lived with violence, a university researcher, activists and pastors. We usually had from 10-15 in attendance to view and discuss this video.

Most participants related that the recent uptick in gun violence in our own area or a personal connection to an act of gun violence — such as the Virginia Tech mass shooting — influenced their decision to attend the study. Our discussion topics included: the huge increase in numbers of gun deaths since 2019, gun violence as a public health issue and the implications of such an approach, risk factors for gun violence, the long-standing relationship between violence and place, including micro-geographic areas (in 2015 26% of gun homicides in US occurred in census tracts that contained only 1.5% of the population), the community wide effects of incidents of gun violence that leave whole neighborhoods traumatized and hopeless, and effective community based interventions. Participants received descriptions of 19 community based interventions programs in Newport News that address some facet of the multilayered problem. Finally each person was given the resource *10 Things You Can Do To Prevent Gun Violence* and encouraged to personally commit to some form of action.



The guest speakers will be the Rev. **Warren J. Lesane, Jr.**, Executive Presbyter/Stated Clerk, Synod of the Mid-Atlantic and the Rev. **Terri McDowell Ott**, Editor and Publisher of the *Presbyterian Outlook*. **Choir members from across PEVA** will come together to form the choir for the service. Green Acres Presbyterian Church is located at 3135 Hanley Ave., Portsmouth, VA 23703.

Outreach



Individual family needs:

- *Food was provided to one community member.
- *Provided transportation to a church member for doctor appointments.

PORT

*PORT is currently having guest numbers in the high 80s. They are registering as many as 17 new guests each night. In the first seven weeks, 24 families entered PORT, which is just one less than the total number of families in the 2021-22 season. As one of the directors said, "People are coming out of the woodwork from other areas also. MANY more of the guests are incontinent and disabled, using walkers and crutches, and MANY more with mental health issues than in the past. In the first seven weeks, the B sites, which are available for overflow, have been used for two weeks."

Foodbank

- *The Virginia Peninsula Foodbank hit a remarkable milestone with 200 million meals distributed due to the help of so many organizations and community support.
- *The warehouse is not supplied with as much food as it has been in the past, but there has definitely been more food available in the recent month. Hoping this is going to be a trend that will continue.

THRIVE

- *THRIVE distributed more than a half a million dollars in 2022 in financial relief for stable housing, childcare, and transportation.
- *Fifty thousand dollars was raised by 150 donors to provide Christmas for 650 children. Each child was provided a \$75 gift card to Walmart so the parents could give their children a Christmas they otherwise wouldn't receive.
- *Food Pantry needs: mac-n-cheese, canned chicken, mixed vegetables, and cereal.

Paul's Ministry

*Christmas food for 130 children and 109 adults was delivered to Paul's Mobile Home Park on December 19. This included Christmas dinner for the whole family and breakfast and lunch for the children for the 10 days they were out of school and not receiving free meals. Smithfield Foods provided us 40 hams for the Christmas dinners. The majority of the Christmas gifts were delivered later that week due to late shipments. Prime Timers purchased some adorable small stuffed toys for the children, as well. Many thanks to all of the volunteers for taking time out of their busy holiday schedules to help inventory and wrap gifts, pack food, and deliver all of the goodies to the families.

Clothing and More Giveaway

*The Clothing and More Giveaway on December 4 was successful. Thank you to the 50 volunteers who set up and cleaned up. The team has decided to do three events in 2023, instead of four. The date for the first event will be Sunday, April 2, 2023.

Menchville House

- *The 'Adopt-A-Family' program was a great success. With that program and other donations, there was a wonderful Christmas celebration for the families this year.
- *A true Christmas miracle occurred when a donation of \$25,000 was made from a couple that wanted to assist with paying the mortgage for Menchville House.

Clothing & More Giveaway Volunteers

Our thanks to the volunteers for their help in the Clothing & More Giveaway on Sunday, December 4, from the ministry team (Pat Terry, Janet Morrison, Joe Bender, and Kimberly Garriott).

Aliyana Davis
Amber Ahlmann
Amy Schmidt
Barbara Norman
Betty Joy
Bill Morrison
Boone Clayton
Carol Lynch
Carol Weaver
Cheryl Terry
Claire Dick
Connie Hunt
Dan Easter
Debbie Ames
DeeDee Smith
Dolores
Donna Hay
Donna Phillips
Dorothea
Ella
Emelian Parker
Emily Woollum
Greg Terry

Janet Ahlmann
Jemari Davis
Jennifer Morgan
Jim Hiltabidle
Joan Apley
Joan Minarik
Kadim Tshiek
Kamryn Keffler
Kathy Baldwin
Karen Hershberger
Kevin Gore
Lana and Lev
Lotus
Moses Lloyd
Mykaila Lloyd
Pauline Springer
Pete Manoso
Racheal LaFlamme
Robin Huffman, Donna Hay, Katie Hay
Sarah Cortes
Tiffany Keffler
Theal Edwards
Marlene Ferri

Our thanks to the AA members who set up our tables for us in Second Hall.



Clothing & More Shenanigans

Marlene Ferri

Girl Scouts Troop #1013 Celebrates Achievements





Children's and Youth Ministries

Sunday School Classes

Children's and youth Sunday School classes are offered weekly at 9:15 a.m. Breakfast is provided. We hope to see you there! Please contact Kathy Baldwin, Jean Kyle, or Jessica Shildt if you are interested in volunteering to teach Sunday School, drive children to and from church, or sit with children during worship.

Kathy kmbwin@gmail.com, Jean jsekyle@cox.net, or Jessica jessica.shildt@gmail.com

Faith Weaver Friends (FWF)

Faith Weaver Friends will resume Wednesday, January 11, 2023, for our Spring Term. We had a meaningful Fall term reaching 32 children age 4 through high school.

FWF will meet on:

1/11, 1/18, 1/25

2/1, 2/8, 2/15

3/15, 3/22, 3/29

4/12, 4/19, 4/26

Will not meet:

2/22 (Ash Wednesday)

3/1, 3/8 (PORT)

4/5 (Newport News Spring Break)

Nursery

We still need nursery volunteers each Sunday as each nursery must have two caregivers. If you can help, please call or text Kathy Baldwin at 757-373-1459. A background check is required for nursery volunteers.

Children's Sunday School					
Attendance	11/20	11/27	12/04	12/11	12/18
Teachers	4	4	5	4	4
Students	16	20	20	10	18
Visitors		—	—	—	
TOTALS (as of 12/29/22)	20	20	25	14	22

Christmas Eve—4:00 Worship Service

We had our traditional Impromptu Christmas Nativity at our 4 p.m. Christmas Eve service. Thank you to all the children and youth who participated!



OTHER NEWS

Walking

It all begins with DUPC (Determination, Untiring, Persistence, and Camaraderie)

It's a new year and although I am not big into Resolutions; I did set some goals for myself for 2023. One being to get out and walk more in the fresh air. If anyone is interested in walking with me on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 4:30 p.m., please let me know. My goal is to start with a 1/2 mile the first week, 1 mile the second week and then continue on adding a 1/2 mile each additional weeks until I reach 5 miles a day.

Once I reach the 5 mile goal, I plan on attending community walks on Saturday mornings and would love for others to join me. If any of this interests you, please text me at 757-790-9946 or email me at k.a.garriott4@gmail.com. This is not a Denbigh United function. It's a 2023 new start to feeling stronger, healthier, more energetic, and less tired from COVID. It's time to move on to better, more positive things.

Love, Kimberly Garriott



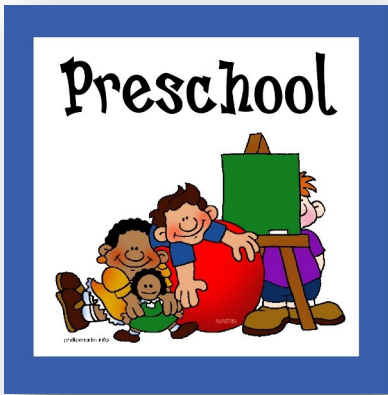
Prayer Chains

If you are not already on the **email prayer chain** and would like to be added, please contact **Elaine Minch** at elainem33@cox.net.

If you would like to be on the **telephone prayer chain**, please contact **Carol Lynch** at 757-930-0678.



**February 2023
Digest Deadline
Monday, January 16, 2023**



# of Days	Registration/Supply/ Activity Fees	Monthly Tuition
3 days (3 years) Tues./Wed./Thurs.	\$175	\$175
4 days (4 years) Mon./Tues./Wed./Thurs.)	\$215	\$215

December brought fun, excitement, and anticipation. The four-year-old class enjoyed hearing the story of the Gingerbread Man and decorating their own gingerbread men. All of the children were busy creating beautiful gifts for their families and making special reindeer food so Santa would be sure to find their house. Mrs. Claus paid us a visit and read a special story to the children. Most importantly we remembered the real reason for the Christmas season, the birth of Jesus. The children rocked baby Jesus gently and heard about that very special night in the stable. We held our annual Christmas Chapel program with many families attending. The children did a wonderful job singing and ringing their jingle bells for their families.

Registration for next school year will begin for Denbigh United Presbyterian Church families and returning preschool families in February. Be on the lookout for more information about the classes offered and registration/tuition fees.

The staff of Denbigh United Presbyterian Preschool wishes all of you a Happy New Year filled with many blessings!

Many Blessings,
Nancy Kerns, DUPP Acting Director
Email: dppk@denbighunitedpres.org
Phone: 757-898-1043



In our Thoughts and Prayers . . .

***Anne Avery
 Joe, Brenda, and Racheal (LaFlamme) Bender
 Lisa Canaday
 Anneliese Collins
 Joanna Daniel
 Shelby Daniel
 Danny and Sharon Easter
 Tim Easter
 Aurelia Grant
 Evalene Hicks
 Robin Huffman
 Dave and LuAnn Jusino
 Don and Suzanne Kinkade
 Earl Lassiter
 Sara Sue Law
 Iris Lewis
 Ryan (Carol Lynch’s grandson)
 Ruth Magill
 (Jack Schweickardt’s sister)
 Darlene Mays-Tittman
 Delbert Melton (Darlene Mays-Tittman’s son)
 Rosemary Murphy
 Becky Powell
 Kathleen Rohlfs
 Jim Robinson
 Jack Schweickardt
 Hilda Sherman
 Aaron Thiessen
 Franz and Helen Thiessen
 Maynard and Phyllis Thweatt
 Beth (Ann Wagner’s daughter)
 Darlene Wickline***

OUR ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY

<i>Michael Cohen</i>	<i>Nixon Fombele</i>	<i>Tom Joyner</i>
<i>Cameron Dail</i>	<i>Savannah Gore</i>	<i>Jacob Mayes</i>
<i>Grey Davenport</i>	<i>Morgan Henretta</i>	<i>Joshua Silva</i>
<i>Lazaro Durruty</i>	<i>Kevin Huss</i>	

RESERVES

*Christian Jones
 Jeff Schildt
 Jonathan Graebener
 (Nephew of Joanna and Bev Daniels)*

OUR MISSIONARIES

***Bruce and Deb Robinson
 Meredith and Sandy Elder***

We express our sympathy to the following families. May God bring comfort and hope to all who grieve.

†To Pat Murawski and family on the death of his brother.

†To Dee Dee Smith and family on the death of her mother-in-law Cookie.

†To Hilda Sherman on the death of her son Will.

†To Joanna Daniels, their children Lisa and Scott, and their entire family on the death of husband and father Bev “Red.”

†To Jim Hiltabiddle and Becky Skaar on the death of Jim’s 13-year-old grandson Oliver.

God comforts us
 2 Corinthians 1:3-4

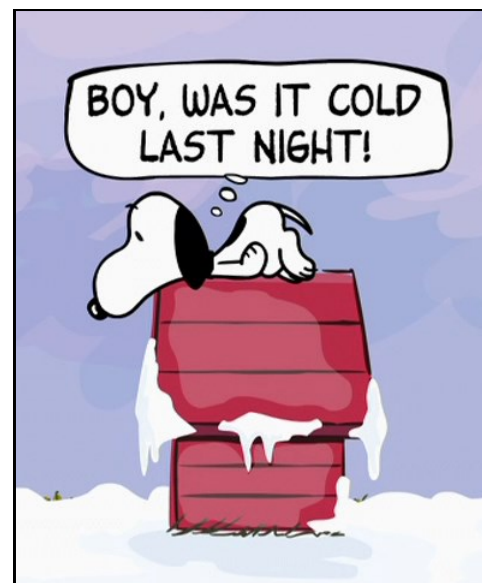


January 2023

DAY	NAME
4	Suzanne Kinkade
5	Katje Roach
6	Terry Dudash
6	Jackie Judd
6	Heaven Lamb
7	Tyler Spruill
9	Joanna Daniel
10	Santana Carlson
10	Thomas Nyenty
10	Keith Pennell
11	Scott Jones
12	Cameron Dail
13	Meagan Kyle
14	Kyle Temple
A15	Thomas & Linda Nyenty
15	Connie Hunt
15	Betty Joy
15	Jennifer Lambert
16	Daniel Ellis
17	Pat Morgan
17	Janet Morrison
19	Mary Lee Dunn
19	Linda Kerns
19	Yeung Sook Lee
20	Jeanne Bensten
21	Evan Jones
21	Alicia Lewis
22	Adrienne Crick
22	Carter Melvin
23	Roz McCreery

DAY	NAME
A24	Al & Sherry Buchanan
24	John Robert Amos
25	Norman Baffer
25	Aliyana Davis
25	Leone Harrison
25	Maria King
25	Dallas Timmons
A26	Mike and Nancy Langrehr
A27	Tim and Debbie Jacoby
27	Donna Dellinger
28	JewLeigha Harris
28	Jasmine Woollum-Tshiek

Happy
Brrrday and
Anniversary!



JANUARY 2023

AA—Alcoholics Anonymous CCC—Congregational Care Committee ChR—Choir Room CR—Conference Room EW—Education Wing FWF—Faith Weaver Friends GS—Girl Scouts OA—Overeaters Anonymous OL—Online LRPC—Long Range Planning Committee N—Narthex, OS—Outside P—Parlor PL—Parking Lot PEO—Philanthropic Education Organization PSW—Preschool Wing RR—Reverent Ringers S—Sanctuary SH—Second Hall SS—Sunday School V—Vacation V&P—Worship Vision and Planning Team Zm—Zoom

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 9:00 Chancel Choir (S) 10:30 Worship/ Communion	2 <i>New Year's Day</i> Observed Preschool Closed Church Office Closed 6:30 GS #1013 (Rm 9, 3)	3 9:15 Preschool Resumes 6:30 GS #4151 (L) 7:00 OA (Rm 9)	4 9:15 Preschool 10:00 Congregation- al Care Committee (CR) 4:15 Choir Parts Rehearsal (ChR)	5 9:15 Preschool 8:00 AA (SH)	6	7 10:00 AA (SH) 10:00 Al-Anon (Rm 9) Upward Basketball Games and Cheer- leading Warwick Memorial UMC 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
8 9:00 Chancel Choir (S) 9:15 Children's/Youth SS (EW) 9:15 Ancient Words SS (CR) 10:30 Worship 11:30 Congregational Meeting 11:45 Onesimus Team (CR)	9 9:15 Preschool 5:30 Kidz'NGrief (All)	10 9:15 Preschool 6:30 GS #4151 (L) 7:00 OA (Rm 9)	11 9:15 Preschool 4:15 Choir Parts Rehearsal (ChR) 5:30 FWF (EW, SH)	12 Deborah—Away 9:15 Preschool 7:00 Preschool Board Mtg. (CR) 8:00 AA (SH)	13 Deborah—Away	14 Deborah—Away 10:00 AA (SH) 10:00 Al-Anon (Rm 9) Upward Basketball Games and Cheer- leading Warwick Memorial UMC 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
15 9:00 Chancel Choir (S) 9:15 Children's/Youth SS (EW) 9:15 Ancient Words SS (CR) 10:30 Worship 4:00 PEVA MLK Service at Green Acres PC, Ports- mouth	16 Martin Luther King Jr. Day Preschool Closed Church Office Closed DIGEST DEADLINE 6:30 GS #1013 (Rm 9, 3)	17 9:15 Preschool 11:00 Staff Mtg. (CR) 6:30 GS #4151 (L) 7:00 OA (Rm 9)	18 9:15 Preschool 9:45 Preschool Par- ent Coffee (SH) 4:15 Choir Parts Rehearsal (ChR) 5:30 FWF (EW, SH)	19 9:15 Preschool 10:00 Prime Timers (SH) 11:00 Website Team Mtg. (Zm) 7:00 Session (CR, Zm) 8:00 AA (SH)	20	21 10:00 AA (SH) 10:00 Al-Anon (Rm 9) Upward Basketball Games and Cheer- leading Warwick Memorial UMC 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
22 9:00 Chancel Choir (S) 9:15 Children's/Youth SS (EW) 9:15 Ancient Words SS (CR) 10:30 Worship/Baptism 12:00 Upward Soccer Meeting (CR)	23 9:15 Preschool 5:30 Kidz'NGrief (All)	24 9:15 Preschool 11:00 Staff Mtg. (CR) 6:30 GS #4151 (L) 7:00 OA (Rm 9)	25 9:15 Preschool 4:15 Choir Parts Rehearsal (ChR) 5:30 FWF (EW, SH)	26 Preschool Closed (Staff Only) 11:00 Website Team Mtg. (Zm) 8:00 AA (SH)	27	28 10:00 AA (SH) 10:00 Al-Anon (Rm 9) PEVA Meeting at First United PC Nor- folk Upward Basketball Games and Cheer- leading Warwick Memorial UMC 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
29 9:00 Chancel Choir (S) 9:15 Children's/Youth SS (EW) 9:15 Ancient Words SS (CR) 10:30 Worship	30 6:30 GS #1013 (Rm 9, 3)	31 6:30 GS #4151 (L) 7:00 OA (Rm 9)				



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