

CHURCH NOTES - August 24, 2025

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PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY are extended for Bobbie and Hank Hankins in the death of their daughter, Laura Jane Hankins, on August 12, 2025. Our condolences are also extended to Laura's sister, Marsha Thrasher, and her family. Prayers and sympathy are also extended for the family of Thomas Lake Elrod on his death August 13, 2025.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 31 Join us at 9:30am for a time of fellowship and conversation. Sunday School classes will not meet.

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 Our new Sunday School series will begin for children, youth, and adults at 9:30am. There is a place for everyone. All Church Worship will be held at 10:30am on the Selwyn Avenue campus. Members from both campuses will combine to hear special music and receive communion. The All Church covered dish picnic will follow worship at 11:30am. The church will provide fried chicken. Please bring a side dish and/or dessert to share. Remember to bring a chair or a blanket for the front lawn.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THESE IMPORTANT DATES

- September 14, Rise Against Hunger food packing event following Worship. Questions, contact Brian Daoust.
- November 15-16, All Women's Retreat at Bethelwoods Camp with speaker Reverend Gail Henderson-Belsito. Enjoy a weekend of spiritual enrichment, personal growth, and connection. A day option is also available.
- April 24-26, All Church Retreat at Montreat.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS You are encouraged to sign up in honor or memory of people or occasions. To reserve a date, contact Marsha in the church office. After the date is confirmed, online payments or checks can be made to the church indicating "sanctuary flowers."



HABITAT FOR HUMANITY Our next workday will be October 4 during the annual October Charlotte Church Partners build. Twelve volunteers are needed, plus lunch for twenty people. See the weekly email for the signup link.

OUR COMMUNITY OF FAITH AFFORDS US THE OPPORTUNITY to engage with the spirit and unite with Christ. If you have not returned your stewardship commitment card, we hope you will turn to Acts 4:31-35 in the spirit of faithfulness and generosity as you consider filling out your 2025 estimate of giving. Please return your commitment card to the church office, email church accountant Tonya Moore, or enter your commitment via the church website.

SELWYN CAMPUS BUDGET UPDATE For 2025 Selwyn member Pledges total \$811,272. Goal for pledge receipts through August Year to Date (YTD) are \$540,848. Actual Pledge receipts YTD are \$427,786. Deficit is \$113,062.

- Text to Give: 704-734-9818 Enter an amount. The first time you will be prompted to SHELBY to confirm set up. You do not need a key word if giving to the annual fund. You may also give by scanning the Giving QR code.
- Giving Stock: Our account is with Charles Schwab & Co, Inc. When giving stock, please sign a letter of instruction for your broker: Please accept this letter of instruction to transfer __ shares of _____ securities as a gift to Selwyn Avenue Presbyterian, account #6598-4201, DTC Clearing 0164, Code 40. When calling your broker, also contact church accountant Tonya Moore, or 704-996-5504, so she is aware and can credit the proper amount to the correct member.

THIS WEEK AT SELWYN

Sunday, August 24 9:00 Chancel Choir (S) 9:30 Education Sunday (Front Lawn) 9:30 Visitors Orientation Class (L) 10:30 Worship with Blessing of the Backpacks Church Notes deadline is Monday by 9am Spire Deadline is Monday, August 25 by 9am	Monday, August 25 7:30 BSA Troop (SH) Tuesday, August 26 6:15 Session Meeting (FH) Friday, August 29 7:00 Morning Men's Group (BH)	Sunday, August 31 9:00 Chancel Choir (S) 9:30 Fellowship Time 10:30 Worship Monday, September 1 Labor Day The Church Office and CDC will be closed.  Montclair Elementary  Give to SAPC
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