

# CHURCH NOTES - May 10, 2026

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**PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY** are extended for Jennifer and Scott Daily and family in the death of Jennifer's father, Larry Joe Monteith, on April 26, 2026.

**NEW BABY** Congratulations to Ben and Calli Klinker on the birth of their son, Charles Rhodes Klinker, born on April 27, 2026. His big sister is Reese.

**PASTOR'S BIBLE STUDY** All are invited to participate in person this Wednesday, May 13, 11:30am on the Quail campus.

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS** Registration is open. Please see the weekly email to register. A Preschool VBS will be offered on the Selwyn campus on June 1-4, 9:30-11:30am, for ages 4-5 years old. Our theme will be *Light and Wonder*. Cost is \$40. Register by May 20. An Elementary VBS will be offered August 4-6, 9am-1pm, on the Quail campus for ages 4-10 years old. The cost is \$60. The Quail campus will be using the curriculum *On a Roll with God*.

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL SERIES, 9:30AM** The Sunday School class meets in the Parlor and welcomes all adults. Now through June 7, we will delve into a new teaching and preaching series, *I Am, We Are*. Join us as we see God revealed through the "I Am" sayings of Jesus. The teaching and preaching series will conclude June 7.

**PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S HONORARY LIFE MEMBERSHIP, MAY 17** The recipient will receive a silver membership pin and personalized certificate in worship on May 17. A churchwide reception will be held following the service.

**MONTCLAIRE FOOD PACKING, MAY 18** Help stock the pantry by purchasing requested grocery items and return to the church. Needs include canned fruits and vegetables, one-pound bags of rice and beans, nut-free snack packs, and individually wrapped breakfast items. Items will be bagged May 18, 10am in the Fellowship Hall.

**ADULT MILESTONE CLASS** Selwyn will offer a two-week Baptism class on Sunday, June 7 and 14, at 9:30am in the library. This class is designed for parents interested in learning more about the sacrament and wanting to schedule their child's baptism.

**SAVE THE DATE - JUNE 7** All Church Worship on the Selwyn Campus at 10:30am. Communion will be observed, and the Elders Class of 2029 will be ordained and installed. Following worship, we will have the annual Spring Picnic. The church will provide fried chicken and drinks. Members are asked to bring a side dish and/or a dessert to share.

**MONTREAT YOUTH CONFERENCE, JULY 12-18** All rising ninth through graduating high school seniors are invited to participate in the week-long conference. Join us for worship, recreation, hiking, small groups, fellowship, and homemade brownies. See the weekly email for sign up information.

**STEWARDSHIP 2026** Thank you to everyone that has returned their 2026 pledge commitment. If you have not, will you please pledge to support Selwyn's mission and many ministries in 2026? Your confidential estimate of annual giving (of any amount) is a sign of your commitment to God and the church. Please make a pledge by returning your commitment card to the church office, email accountant Amy Read, [amyread@carolina.rr.com](mailto:amyread@carolina.rr.com), or enter your commitment via the website.



**SELWYN CAMPUS GIVING** For 2026 Selwyn member Pledges total \$840,000. Goal for pledge receipts through April Year to Date (YTD) is \$280,000. Actual Pledge receipts YTD are \$257,127. Total deficit is \$22,873.

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 Amy Read, [amyread@carolina.rr.com](mailto:amyread@carolina.rr.com), or 704-819-5390, so she is aware and can credit the amount and member.

**MONTCLAIRE ELEMENTARY** There are a variety of ways to assist the Montclair community this summer. Sign up through the church website, weekly email, or contact Ellen Harris or Karey Tom.

**SANCTUARY FLOWERS** You are encouraged to sign up in honor or memory of people. To reserve and confirm the date, contact the church office. Online payments or checks for \$65 can be made to the church indicating "sanctuary flowers."

<b>THIS WEEK AT SELWYN</b>		
<p><b>Sunday, May 10</b>            9:00 Worship (Quail)            9:30 Visitors Orientation Class (L)            9:30 Sunday School for All            9:45 Chancel Choir            9:50 Formation and Fellowship (Quail)            10:30 Worship with High School Senior Recognition (Selwyn)</p> <p><b>Monday, May 11</b>            6:30 BSA Quail Troop (Quail)            7:30 BSA Selwyn Troop (SH)</p> <p>Church Notes deadline is Monday by 9am.            Spire Deadline Monday, May 25 by 9am.</p>	<p><b>Tuesday, May 12</b>            10:00 PW Circle (Quail)            6:00 Mission Group            7:00 PW Circle (Quail)</p> <p><b>Wednesday, May 13</b>            11:00 Daughters of Faith I (P)            11:30 Pastor's Bible Study (Quail)            7:00 Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Quail)</p> <p><b>Friday, May 15</b>            7:00 Morning Men's Group (BH)</p> <p><b>Saturday, May 16</b>            9:00 Presbytery Meeting (Bethpage)</p>	<p><b>Sunday, May 17</b>            9:00 Worship (Quail)            9:30 Visitors Orientation Class (L)            9:30 Sunday School for All            9:45 Chancel Choir            9:50 Formation and Fellowship (Quail)            10:30 Worship with PW Honorary Life Recognition (Selwyn)            11:30 All Church Reception            11:30 Christian Education Group            11:30 Worship Group            11:45 Incoming Elder Training</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>Give to SAPC Selwyn Campus</p>  </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> <p>Montclair Elementary</p>  </div> </div>