## **ANNOUNCEMENTS CONTINUED**

#### JOIN THE CHOIR FOR CHRISTMAS

In addition to our weekly rehearsals on Wednesday evenings at 7:30, we will be having some extra rehearsals for the special services in the Christmas season:

**TODAY**, 4-6 pm Saturday, December 2, 2-4 pm

#### **POINSETTIAS**

If you would like to order a Poinsettia in Honor or Memory of a loved one, please fill out an order form along with \$10 and return to the church office. Deadline to order a Poinsettia is Wednesday, November 29th.

#### **CHURCH NOTE CARDS**

Church Note Cards are available for purchase for \$20. If you would like to order a set of cards, please fill out the order form insert and return to the church office.

#### WEEKLY AND MONTHLY UPDATES

If you are not currently receiving our weekly email updates and our month newsletter, and would like to, please contact the church office at office@fbcpiedmontsc.org or 864-845-7801.

## **PRAYER LIST**

Our Church: as important decisions are made about our church's future.

Military: \* Rob Campbell (Cousin of Anne Peden), Jon McCann—7760 Walnut Street– Shaw AFB, SC 2915

**Homebound:** Hazel Allen (Foothills Presbyterian), Maxie Freeman, \*Shirley Poston (Susan Allen's mother)- Foothills Retirement Community, Betty Tucker

**Other Concerns:** \*Dawson Barfield, Gerry Carraway, Lorelai Cloninger, Sheila Comer, \*Shirley Herd, Jerry Hooper, Bill Johnson, \*Ann Lane, David Lawless, \*Sheryl McKnight, Evelyn Roper, Jane Satterfield, \*Mary Ellen Wilkinson

#### **Special Requests:**

\*Family of Kali Alexander \*Jacob and Addie Brown and family

\*non-church members

If you have a prayer request or have a pastoral care need, please contact Stephen Clyborne at 864-354-8473 or pastor@fbcpiedmont.org.

FINANCIAL REPORT Sunday, October 29 Weekly Budget Requirements Budget Offerings

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**\$** 140,040.00 **\$** 85,100.30



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NOVEMBER 12, 2023

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## SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE November 12, 2023 • 11:00 A.M.

## **Our Unity in Christ**

Prelude

Ringing of the Bell

Welcome and Announcements		Stephen Clyborne
Call to Worship		Katherine Booker
_	Let All Things Now Living	
Invocation		Stephen Clyborne
Hymn of Praise #78	88 Now Thank We All Our God	Congregation
Pastoral Prayer		Tom DeVenny
<b>Choral Response</b>	All That I Need	Choir
Hymn of Reflection	n 535 Isk Ye What Great Thing I know	Congregation v
Scripture	1 Corinthians 2:1-5	Stephen Clyborne Pew Bible # 992
Offertory Hymn #7	786 Count Your Blessings	Congregation
Offertory Prayer		Crystal Selfridge
Offertory Music		Frances Ward
Anthem	In Remembrance	Choir
Sermon <i>Keep</i>	oing the Main Thing the Main T	Stephen Clyborne <i>hing</i>
Service of Commu	nion	Stephen Clyborne
Hymn of Decision	#425 Bind Us Together	Congregation
Benediction		Stephen Clyborne
Closing Chorus	Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love The fellowship of kindred m Is like to that above.	

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

November Deacon of the Month: Crystal Selfridge

#### WELCOME GUESTS!

We are delighted that you are here and want to do everything we can to make you feel welcome. Please complete the welcome card in the pew pack, give us whatever information you are comfortable giving and place it in the offering plate when it is passed your way.

#### YOUNG ADULT BIBLE STUDY/LUNCH BEGINS TODAY!

Immediately following the worship service in the Morgan Building.. Lunch will be free and delicious! All young adults are welcome. Contact Stephen Clyborne at 864-354-8473 for more information. If you would be willing to prepate or provide lunch any Sunday, contact Stephen Clyborne.

### WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER MEETING SERIES

New Testament Lessons from Old Testament Prophets Each Wednesday, at 7 pm in the Howard Room

This Wednesday, November 15: "Can These Bones Live?" (Ezekiel 37:1-14)

## MONTHLY SENIOR ADULT LUNCH GATHERING

Third Tuesday of each month beginning November 21 11 am in the Morgan Building Catered Lunch (\$9 per person) Menu: grilled chicken, tossed salad, scalloped potatoes, rolls, dessert, tea Program for November 21: The Clyborne Brothers Make your reservation by contacting the church office, Bettie Lown, or Sylvia Clyborne. Deadline for reservations: November 19.

## NO REGULAR WEDNESDAY EVENING ACTIVITIES ON NOVEMBER 22.

<u>CIRCLE OF FRIENDS</u> Circle of Friends will meet at Buffalo Cornbread on Tuesday November 14th at 5:45 pm.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

**10:00 am each Sunday morning** Children's Class: First floor, Main Building Multi-generational class: First floor, Morgan Building

## **BOARD OF DEACONS**

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