



## THE INN-FORMER

February 8, 2018



### WINTER WEATHER

As we move into winter, the Worship and Property Committees will work together regarding the church schedule. We will follow the Greenville County Schools schedule during the week. Please check WYFF 4 for information regarding Sunday worship services. Updates will also be posted to the church's Facebook page, and we will try to send out email reminders.



The Minister, Session and Congregation extend best wishes to newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. William Sloan Garrett, who were married on December 9, 2018 at First Baptist Church in Greenville. Sloan and Christine reside at 107 Bleckley Avenue, Greenville, SC 29607. Sloan is the son of Julie and Berry Garrett.



### PRAYER CONCERNS

Adam Allenspach (his mother)

Becky Brewer

Linda Cochran

Marci Cummings

Ryan Conti (his mother)

Tony Hannon (his father ~ prayers of thanksgiving with his improved health)

Brenda Mays (orthopedic surgery ~ prayers and cards are welcome)

Lorraine Paxton (her mother)

Tracy Ricard (his mother)

Bill Tumblin

**ONGOING CONCERNS**

Jane Bailey (her father)

Lib Fowler

Sara Fowler

Edna Trip

Diana and Dick Wilson

**RESIDENTIAL CARE**

Dr. Alan Elmore (Daniel's father)

Elsie Goerke



**Wes Looney**



(Son of Revonda & Jimmy Looney, grandson of Sara Looney & nephew of Marthie Snow) ~ stationed in San Diego, CA

**Sullivan Mayfield**



(Son of Shea & Charlie Mayfield, brother of Rebekah & Torre Mayfield) ~ stationed in Japan



**Serving FIPC ~ February 11**

    Ringing the Hour ~ Hayden Bell  
    Acolyte ~ Mack Rambo  
    Children's Usher ~ Kaylin Bell  
    Elders at the Door/Member Care Team ~ Trip Gilreath & Courtney Rambo  
Ushers: Melinda Gilreath (Head-usher), Stewart Garrett, Doug Bowen, Sam Phillips  
    February Session Devotional ~ Trip Gilreath  
    Nursery: Donna Ricard  
    Session Devotional ~ Doug Bowen



**FEBRUARY 14 ~ ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE**

**ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE** Please plan to attend our Ash Wednesday service on February 14<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm in the sanctuary.



**FEBRUARY 14 ~ MARCH 21 ~COMMUNITY WEEKLY LENT SERVICES**

**COMMUNITY LENTEN LUNCHEONS** Trinity United Methodist Church, 403 S. Weston Street, Fountain Inn SC 29644 is hosting this year's Lenten Worship services and lunches beginning February 14<sup>th</sup> through March 21<sup>st</sup>. A brief worship service led by various pastors will begin at 12:00 pm followed by a light lunch in the social hall. All members of the community are invited to attend. FIPC is providing lunch on March 14<sup>th</sup>.



**FEBRUARY 20 ~FOOTHILLS PRESBYTERY MEETING ~ Fort Hill Presbyterian Church**

Stated Commissioner: Becky Loe

Alternate: Trip Gilreath



### **BACKPACK BLESSINGS NEWS**

“The Backpack Blessings program has grown tremendously since we moved to FIPC and we are bursting at the seams! While we have LOVED being here, we have been given the opportunity to occupy a much larger space. The decision to move did not come lightly, and we are sad to be leaving. Alice and I look forward to your continued support and thank you from the bottom of our hearts for all you have done for us over the years. We will be moving to a space at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in mid-February. Thanks again, Ellen Lane and Alice Prevatte”. Commitment Committee/FIPC will continue supporting Backpack Blessings by having bins in the church office entry where you may place your usual donations. Thank you for your continued support of this very valuable ministry.



### **CANDY DONATIONS**

#### **Individually Wrapped Candy Needed for Easter Eggstravaganza**

Children's Division is collecting candy contributions for the upcoming Easter Eggstravaganza held on Saturday, March 31st at the Garrett residence. Individually wrapped pieces of candy are **needed by Sunday, March 25th** - please no chocolate! Marked tubs are located throughout the church.



### **MARCH 31 ~ EASTER EGGSTRAVAGANZA**

Attention: FIPC Families! Please join the Children's Division in celebrating at our annual Easter Eggstravaganza at the home of Rita and Stewart Garrett on Saturday, March 31st from 10 am until 12 pm. Activities will include pictures with the Easter Bunny, a visit by the Easter Lady, egg hunt, crafts, and a bunny sack race. Remember to bring a basket to collect eggs and a blanket or chairs. A light brunch will be provided.



### **APRIL 7 ~ HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD-DATE FOR FIPC**

FIPC will staff the volunteers for Habitat for Humanity on April 7. Ken Weinel is the rep for FIPC/Commitment Committee, and as such will be recruiting all (male, female, older teens) to help; there is always something for everyone to do regardless of skill-set. Please contact Ken to be included on the schedule; be that the morning shift, afternoon shift or all day. FIPC will be providing snacks, beverages, and lunch for volunteers on this day. The building site is on Hill Street in Simpsonville, SC.



## February

Bonnie Sherbert ~ 2/2

Michelle Stone ~ 2/3

Susie Flynn ~ 2/6

Connie Cleveland-Nolan ~ 2/6

John Jackson ~ 2/8

Daniel Elmore ~ 2/12

Beth Phillips ~ 2/12

Marcy Lawter ~ 2/13

Spencer Williams ~ 2/14

Margaret Garrett ~ 2/15

Rich Hanning ~ 2/15

Stewart Garrett ~2/18

Bill Ledgerwood ~ 2/19

Jason Price ~ 2/20

Sarah Phillips ~ 2/20

Madeline Williams ~ 2/23

Sallie Stone ~ 2/24

Garland Lane ~ 2/26

Glenn Campbell ~ 2/27