

PRAYER CONCERNS

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Pray for the safety of all our troops.

January 5: Dee Fuller

December 29: Fred Vaughan and Family (death of Barbara Vaughan)

December 22: June Stanley Family, Gary Lewis, Lib Bowyer, Sylvia McCullough,
Phyllis Puckett

December 15: Andy Grose, Patsy Paxton, Lannie Ballard, Bob Smith (Clyde Keen's
brother-in-law), Alice Coomer (Clyde Keen's sister)

Remember Our Shut-Ins...

At Home: Dot Fuller, Bonnie Slater, Maxine Smiley

Bright View Baldwin Park: Harry Carter

English Meadows: Dr. Charles E. O'Roark

Havenwood: Kenton Nicely

Kendal: Wilson Bowyer, Roberta Grist

Shenandoah: Peggy Lewis

The Palmettos: Joan Huff

Benevolence Offering

The ushers will be stationed at the exits this morning to take up an offering for those in need in our community.

Volunteers Needed

Today immediately after the worship service we need volunteers to help take down and pack up all the Christmas decorations. If you can help in any way please meet at the front of the sanctuary after the service.

WMU January Mission Project

Our mission project for January is cleaning supplies for Project Horizon Lisa's House. Paper towels and toilet paper are particularly needed but all cleaning supplies are welcome.

Bible Readings

The Bible Readings for the week of **January 6 - 10**: Monday: John 1:29-34, Tuesday: John 1:35-42, Wednesday: John 1:43-51, Thursday: John 2:1-11, Friday: John 2:12-17.

Backpack Ministry

Packing backpacks **Wednesday at 11:45 am** will be Lee Higgins, Erin Kneer, Patti Roscoe and Gordie & Lois Valentine. Gordie Valentine will deliver them.

Wednesday Fellowship Meals

During January and February we will take a break from our Wednesday night fellowship meals. Please consider inviting people to your home or gathering at a local restaurant for dinner and fellowship. This is a wonderful opportunity to form new friendships with people in our church!

Youth Group (6th - 12th Grade)

Wednesdays from 6:00 - 7:30 pm, join us for dinner, games and Bible study!

Sunday, January 19, we will leave right after church to travel to Roanoke for lunch and ice hockey!
Please RSVP with Molly Kay by Wednesday, January 8. Youth are asked to bring \$ for their meal.

Journey Youth Weekend

Journey Youth Weekend at Eagle Eyrie is **March 13-15!** This interactive weekend will be a time for youth to learn about what God's mission is and what that looks like in their lives and the community of faith. A **\$60 non-refundable deposit is due by Wednesday, January 29.**

Cake & Casserole Ministry

Join us on **Saturday, January 11 at 9:00 am** for a time of fellowship preparing cakes for the Community Table and casseroles for those in our church and community.

Business Meeting

We will have our quarterly Business Meeting on **Wednesday, January 15 at 6:15 pm.**

Deacons Meeting

The Deacons will meet **Sunday, January 19** immediately following the worship service.

Adult Choir

Are you interested in joining the Adult Choir? If so, now is the time! We will be rehearsing for our regular Sunday anthems and starting on the Easter cantata before long. Please contact Lucy Wilkins (wilkins.lucy@gmail.com) if you have questions.

Rockbridge Area Relief Association

Item of the month for January is **canned fruits or vegetables**. Please leave your donations in the box outside of the nursery or choir room. Thank you!

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