



# The Relay

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We are an ecumenical congregation in a Presbyterian Church (USA) form.

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May  
Special Missions  
Offering

is for Todd Luke's cistern ministry in Campeche, Mexico.

## Help Wanted

The APC Child Development Center needs substitutes, to fill in when regular teachers are absent.

For these paid positions, teaching experience is preferred. Background checks are required. Flexibility is an excellent attribute.

Contact Dr. Goodman for more information, **through mid-May.**

## Kyle's Sabbatical Starts Soon!

### What to Expect at Alamance This Summer

Lead Pastor Dr. Kyle Goodman begins three months of sabbatical this summer. The last Sunday of regular rotation is **Sunday, June 2.**

### What happens after that?

Worship will continue **every Sunday at 10 a.m.**, though the faces in the pulpit will look different. Kyle will not be here, but Discipleship Pastor the Rev. Jess Rigel — and the rest of our capable staff — will facilitate worship throughout the summer.

The exact schedule is still being fine-tuned. You should expect something like this each month:

**First Sunday:** Jess preaches and leads worship.

**Second Sunday:** One of the *Art of Worship* teams will lead worship.

**Third Sunday:** Dr. Kate Guthrie, temporary supply pastor, preaches and leads worship.

**Fourth Sunday:** A different *Art of Worship* team leads.

During the week, the office will be open with its usual summertime hours; and all the typical summertime activities will happen. (We always pause programs like Open Door, Sunday school, Kids ROCK, and Youth Group over the summer.)

Children will still go to Passport Camp. Senior Highs will go on their Charleston mission trip in **June.** Vacation Bible School is scheduled for the **second week of July.** The Middle Schoolers will go to Cross Missions in Charlotte in **late July.**

Pastor Jess will be the acting Head of Staff. She will oversee everything in the office, except for the two weeks she is out of town. The rest of the staff will continue to fulfill their roles. Ministry teams and Session will keep all regular summer meetings.

The concern during a long absence is always, "What if there is a crisis?" The answer is that our church leadership and our staff are ready to handle anything that comes up. Jess is an excellent pastor and leader, and will do a fantastic job. She will be supported by the supply pastor, Kate Guthrie, as a colleague in ministry; our Session members are talented in many disciplines; and Salem Presbytery will be there to help if needed. Alamance will be in good hands during Kyle's sabbatical.

### What will Kyle do while he is away?

Kyle calls his project "American Thin Places." We know the term at Alamance from our Thin Place Gallery. A *thin place* is where the separation between heaven and earth seems just a little thinner; where people have long gone on pilgrimage to feel closer to the presence of God.

Kyle intends to spend the summer visiting places like these in 21 of the United States, most of them west of the Mississippi River. Along the way, he'll take photographs and collect stories for a book called **American Thin Places.** He envisions it as a coffee-table book that blends images, first-hand stories, spiritual reflections, and a theology of pilgrimage and place.

Kyle would love to keep the project going, and create at least one entry for all 50 states. In the meantime, he looks forward to sharing stories and reflections from this pilgrimage with the church, when he returns.

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## May Birthdays

- 1 Savannah Jones, Linda Reid
- 3 Pat Royal, Terry Schubert
- 6 Keegan Mendenhall
- 7 Mason Donoho
- 9 Sadie Hackett, Jason Long
- 10 Chris Fay
- 11 Norman Causey,  
Diane Hollingsworth, Albert Smith
- 12 Cayce Church, Elijah Young
- 14 Cheryl Ward
- 17 Connie Hackett
- 18 Madison Forbis, Mason Forbis
- 20 Birdie Church, Joanna Whitesell
- 22 Shirley Johnson
- 23 Loretta Allred, Conner Roys,  
Michael Skerlak
- 24 Clint Aydelette
- 26 Eileen Hogan, Freddie Michaels
- 27 Judy Uniatowski
- 29 Kennedy Dail
- 31 Ryan Brooks

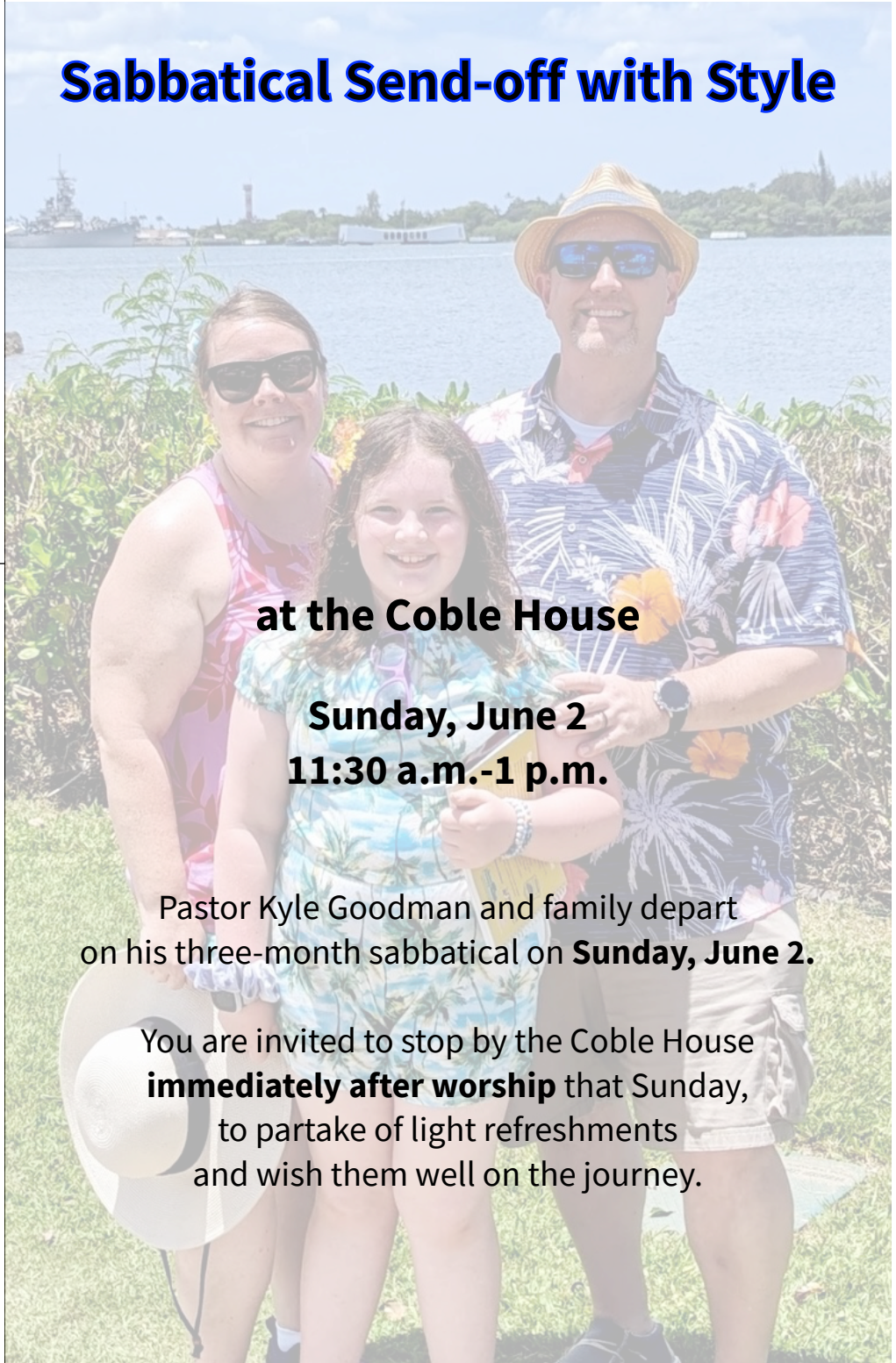
## June Birthdays

- 2 Ken Monroe
- 3 Billy Starr
- 5 Robin Long
- 6 Thelma Greeson
- 7 Lou Gonzalez
- 8 Owen Smith, Michael Ward
- 12 Bobbie Black, Bob Dagenhart,  
Lars Nilsen
- 14 Roger Blum, Sam Burgess
- 16 Barbara Garrett
- 17 Amos Roseman
- 19 Miranda Busby
- 21 Dianne Clapp, Richard Grubb
- 22 Geraldine Sharpe, Sherry Starr,
- 23 Jenny Kalbreyer
- 25 Marianne Cimino, Andrew Irwin
- 26 Nicholas Dawson
- 27 Elin Dimmick, Ryan Garrett
- 29 Nick Roys

And, he does intend to return to us. He's not getting away from our clutches that easily! For much of the journey, wife Michelle and daughter Maelyn will accompany Kyle; but they won't be with him for the entire summer.

Plan now to stay after worship on **Sunday, June 2**, for a fare-thee-well reception at the Coble House, across the street from the sanctuary. See below for details.

## Sabbatical Send-off with Style



**at the Coble House**

**Sunday, June 2  
11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.**

Pastor Kyle Goodman and family depart on his three-month sabbatical on **Sunday, June 2.**

You are invited to stop by the Coble House **immediately after worship** that Sunday, to partake of light refreshments and wish them well on the journey.

## Potter's House

Greensboro Urban Ministry's Potter's House provides lunch to over 400 guests, daily; and 100 guests staying in GUM's Weaver House shelter are served breakfast and supper there. These two meals are frequently sponsored by church and civic groups that have been coming out for 15 years or more.

Work in the kitchen starts bright and early at 6 a.m., when volunteers arrive to prepare breakfast. Immediately after everything is cleaned up from breakfast, another volunteer shift starts preparing lunch.

Potter's House helps in more ways than offering food. In addition to a good meal, it provides a place where guests experience positive human connections. The material reality of homelessness is hard, and is compounded by feelings of invisibility. Giving people a place to belong and speak with others can make them feel seen and valued.

Potter's House staff and volunteers promote the dignity and well-being of these guests, through kind words and compassionate service.

APC has served supper to hungry guests at the Greensboro Urban Ministry Potter's House since 2004; on the **third Saturday of odd-numbered months**. Remaining 2024 dates: **May 18, July 20, September 21, and November 16**.

The work is intense, but not long: Arrive at **6 p.m.** to set up; serve food from **7-7:45 p.m.**; clean up and zip out the door by **8:15 p.m.** most usually.

Let Darren Hadley know that you or your group want to help with the work at Potter's House (darren.hadley@triad.rr.com).



## Food Pantry Special Collections

The APC Food Pantry asks for specific food items each month:

- **May:** Canned vegetables
- **June:** Macaroni-and-cheese
- **July:** Crackers
- **August:** Canned pasta
- **September:** Cereal, oatmeal
- **October:** Canned meats
- **November:** Dry pasta, sauce
- **December:** Soups
- **January:** Canned beans
- **February:** Canned pasta
- **March:** Peanut butter, jelly
- **April:** Canned fruits

Deposit food in the big box in the Gathering Place (and clean, dry, plastic grocery bags); or contact Amy Yow directly to arrange a transfer directly to the Food Pantry storage rooms (336.706.3550)

## Advice Worth Repeating, Again and Again

In every Presidential election year, there are questions about permissible activities by churches.

As a federal tax exempt 501(c) (3) organization, the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), at all levels (General Assembly, synod, presbytery, and particular church), is permitted to engage in a limited, insubstantial amount of witnessing or lobbying activities which attempt to influence legislation or issues.

It is strictly prohibited from engaging in political activity which includes — but is not limited to — participating or intervening, directly or indirectly, in any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for elective public office. Violation of these limits may result in the revocation of exempt status and the imposition of certain excise taxes.

Alamance Presbyterian Church encourages citizens to actively engage in the government of the United States, of North Carolina, of Guilford County and surrounding counties, and of local municipalities.

Alamance Presbyterian Church will not endorse any particular candidate, position, local issue, or political party. That would endanger both our status within the PC(USA) and as a tax exempt entity within the United States of America.

Please do not make Alamance Presbyterian Church lose its tax exempt status! The display of any campaign literature at the church, for whatever party, candidate or political position — *even at an event not directly sponsored by the church* — puts us at risk. If the event is held by another tax exempt group (such as Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, the American Red Cross, etc.) any display of campaign literature can also jeopardize *their* tax exempt status.

(From the **Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) Legal Resource Manual**; "Political Activity Guidelines for PC(USA) Organizations: Permissible Activities for Churches and Other Entities, Especially During Election Years," Oct., 2008)



Applebee's *Together We Care Tuesday* program partners with hunger-relief nonprofit agencies in local communities, to raise funds for those agencies.

The Alamance Presbyterian Church Food Pantry was featured at the Applebee's at 3200 Battleground Avenue, on April 23. That Applebee's donated 50% of the cost of five featured menu items to us

Thanks to the restaurant's generosity and the empty bellies of all the "Alamancers" who participated, \$750 found its way into the APC Food Pantry coffers!

The APC Food Pantry is not the only agency to benefit from *Together We Care Tuesday*, which runs **through June 1**. For more: <http://applebeesgreensboronc.com/>



### Foam Trailer 2.0

Last August, we collected a Special Mission Offering to support the Tiny House Greensboro Community Development effort to collect and recycle styrofoam containers into usable building material.

The Missions Ministry Team used donations from that offering and the one collected in March, 2024 to purchase a trailer — and have it wrapped with informative labeling — to park on church property so that the community has a local spot to recycle those sorts of goods.

This very trailer was featured at an Earth Day display in downtown Greensboro on April 20. Then, the Tiny House team drove it to our lot across the street, parked it, and installed an anti-theft device on the trailer's wheel.

*Trailer 2.0* will help us achieve the long-held dream of helping keep God's planet cleaner, AND help Tiny House Greensboro Community Development at the same time.

Thank you for your generosity in purchasing the trailer. It is now available for you to drop off **clean, dry** foam products and cardboard into the big open slot on the trailer.



## Missions Update:

Submitted by Jesse & Erin,  
Samuel, and Amos Atkinson:  
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Oaxaca (wah-HAH-kah), Mexico  
Serving the Zapotec people of San Dionisio

### WATER IN A DRY LAND

Every year around this time, **it feels like all of Oaxaca is holding its breath** as we wait for rainy season to start. For weeks and weeks, the air is hot, dry, and oppressive. Dust fills the air and obscures visibility (sometimes making the mountains seem to disappear), and it's just plain HOT.

**Everything is brown, the plants are dying, and we get little to no water from the city.** We wait desperately for the rains to come, bringing relief and LIFE to this brown, dry land.

Once the rains finally do start, it is the most delicious, exciting thing. We heave a huge sigh of relief as everything turns green again. **The air is cool and clear, plants spring back to life, the mountains look lush,** and we remember how much we enjoy the climate here! (Most of the time, anyways!)

**What a picture of the life that comes through God's Word.** Without it, we are left parched, dry, and dying. But once we gain access to the Living Water, we spring to life, producing fruit and becoming beautiful, just as the mountains around us do each rainy season.

But **what if we had to survive on just the occasional drizzle?** What if there was no rainy season? How could we thrive? This is the situation for our Zapotec brothers and sisters. They crave God's Word in its fullness so that they, too, can grow into the fullness of life available in Christ.

Thank you for being part of bringing God's life-giving Word to this community! It's our honor to be your hands and feet here in Oaxaca.

## LIFE LATELY:

Here are a few things that have filled our time last month:

- Regular Zapotec learning sessions with our three Zapotec tutors.
- Applying for (and receiving — WOOHOO!) permanent residency.
- Meeting with other missionary families for Hebrew study, playdates, and mutual encouragement.
- Amos started walking and is getting his molars!
- We transitioned Samuel to a “big boy” bed.
- Dealing with a broken toe for Erin. (Mostly healed now.)
- Homeschooling Samuel.
- Figuring out the verb class system in our variety of Zapotec. (Verbs divide into “classes” that tend to follow the same patterns for different aspects of the verb grammar.)



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## STAY CONNECTED:

**Our Wycliffe page/Giving:** [wycliffe.org/partner/JEAtkinson](http://wycliffe.org/partner/JEAtkinson)

**Facebook Group:** [facebook.com/groups/AtkinsonAdventuresInOaxaca](https://facebook.com/groups/AtkinsonAdventuresInOaxaca)

**Sign up for newsletters:** [jotform.com/form/92304614403144](https://jotform.com/form/92304614403144)

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**To give by mail:** Make checks payable to Wycliffe Bible Translators.

Include a separate note saying, “Preference for the Wycliffe ministry of Jesse & Erin Atkinson, account #398700.” Send to Wycliffe Bible Translators, P.O. Box 628200, Orlando, FL 23862.

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11AM - 1PM

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## Kids R.O.C.K.

Kids Reaching Out to Christ's Kingdom is a fellowship group for children in grades 2-5. On April 14, a bodacious bunch of the bairns took a trip to Backpack Beginnings. The local nonprofit organization's mission is to connect children in need — and their families — with resources they need to thrive.

BackPack Beginnings is a 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to delivering child-centric services to feed, comfort, and clothe children in need. It serves children in Guilford, Forsyth and Alamance Counties with, the aid of over 200 partners.

By ensuring that food and basic necessities are given directly to children, Backpack Beginnings makes a positive and lasting impact on their health and well-being. Tangible, basic needs are provided directly to children and families. Food, fresh produce, formula, baby food, comfort items, hygiene products, school supplies, diapers, clothing, shoes, books, baby accessories and baby equipment are distributed from their Greensboro warehouse.

Kids R.O.C.K. children and adult helpers spent a productive few hours at the warehouse, sorting toys and clothing, and bagging up goods to include in backpack distributions to the over 23,000 children served by the charity.



## Blood Drive

The American Red Cross took over Brown Fellowship Hall on Friday, April 12.

With the able assistance of Alamance liaison Tom Cimino, they were able to collect 45 pints of blood. Thank you, Alamance community, for opening your hearts (and your veins) for the cause.

The next scheduled blood drive in dear old Benjamin F. Brown Fellowship Hall is on **Friday, June 14**, in the afternoon and early evening. Get plenty of rest, drink lots of fluids, and take your vitamins and minerals on a regular basis. (Do that anyway, not just because you're gearing up for another blood donation. It's just good, common sense to take care of yourself.)



## Youth Sunday

Naomi Church, a senior at Southeast High School, delivered the sermon on Youth Sunday, April 21.

By all reports, the worship service that day was a rousing success.







## Ladies' Tea at APC

High tea was hosted by LIFT (Ladies In Fellowship Together) on Saturday, April 27. Every room was decorated beautifully; and the food and tea were reported to be delicious. A good time was had by all.

Ladies of a wide range of ages were in attendance. Hats and "fascinators" abounded. Good manners were exercised throughout the afternoon.

Donations from the tea will be used to purchase a new range for the Coble House kitchen. This will make the house an even better place to hold events, in the future. At the latest report, a total of \$2,126 was raised for the cause!



## Children at Church

- submitted by Joy Thomas,  
Director of Children's Ministries

Have you noticed new families with small children at APC? Heard there is a new baby in our APC family? What a beautiful sight, to see new little faces at church!

To help guide them along their faith journeys, and to allow parents to worship without tending to their baby, I NEED YOUR HELP!

Would you give some prayerful consideration to helping with at least one of the Children's Ministries programs? Even for just one Sunday — if everyone gave just one Sunday — things would be covered.

There are lots of opportunities for you to serve! If you are willing to help, sign up at this link: <https://signup.com/go/YNHVjxB>. (If online signups drive you crazy, email or call me; and I will sign you up.)

### Here are ways you can help:

Nursery during Sunday school - **Two people** (per our Child Protection Policy) to watch our tiniest friends during Sunday school. You need to arrive **by 8:50 a.m.** so parents can get to classes on time. Stay until about **9:50 a.m.**, when the worship crew arrives or parents pick up their child. Enjoy time rocking, singing, reading, and playing with our infants and toddlers.

Nursery during Worship - **Two people** from **9:50- around 11:30 a.m.** Enjoy time with infants and toddlers during worship service; so that parents can engage completely with the service and relax, knowing their child is cared for by loving adults.

Godly Play Assistant - **One person** to serve as a "Door Person." Arrive by **8:50 a.m.** The Door Person will greet the children as they arrive, have them put a sticker on the attendance chart,

and assist with snacks. Then you pretty much get to sit back and enjoy the lesson as we "wonder" through God's word together. You will be finished in time for **10 a.m.** worship!

Children's Church Helper - **One person** to assist downstairs at Children's Church. We leave the sanctuary after the Children's Message, and try to be back in time for the offering. No planning is required by you! You are there in case someone needs to go to the bathroom, for crowd control, and to interact with children.

Grace Space Helper - **One person** to sit in the Grace Space during the Message, to assist children if needed. You don't have to miss any

of the service, and you can sit in a comfy rocking chair!

Kids R.O.C.K. helper- **One person** to assist with the Kids Reaching Out to Christ's Kingdom fellowship group for children in grades 2-5 (**4:45-6 p.m.**). You will be responsible for greeting children, helping get supplies, cleaning up, and having fun!

Thank you, for your previous support and your prayerful consideration of helping again.

Joy's phone number is 336.697.0488 extension 132. Her email address is [joy@alamancechurch.org](mailto:joy@alamancechurch.org).

## The Grace Space: A Quiet Spot for Children in Worship

Wasn't it a joy to have so many young children in worship on Palm Sunday? The buzz and hum of their voices — and the amazingly insistent noise generated by some exceptionally energetic use of crayons — could be heard all over the sanctuary. How wonderful that each child was made to feel at home.

Parents and guardians can feel free to join their children in the Grace Space: there are rocking chairs, and the front pew is cushioned.

It would be nice if parents of even younger children (babies, really; and wee toddling tots) could relax into worship, too. When the nursery is well-staffed, parents can be assured that their offspring are safe in the loving care of adults who have made time to tend to those children, each Sunday morning.

Should you feel led to be one of those nursery workers, please jump right in! You need to have a current background check: Many of you have already taken this step. It's good for three years, so be certain yours is not out of date. Contact Dana Adams in the church office ([dana@alamancechurch.org](mailto:dana@alamancechurch.org), 336.697.0488 ext. 127) to accomplish any background check tasks.

Director of Children's Ministries Joy Thomas still needs help in the nursery every Sunday moving forward. Helpers are desired for both the Sunday school hour, and for the worship service. Here's the link to reserve your slot to serve: <https://signup.com/go/YNHVjxB>

Remember: If you've signed up to be in the nursery on any given Sunday, don't volunteer for anything else that will take you away from the nursery, thus abandoning the little ones who are waiting for you to show up! It is far, far easier for church staff to grab a warm body to hand out bulletins or take up offering, than to find a last-second substitute for the nursery.



### The Coble House

This lovely dwelling served as a pastor’s manse for years and years and years. It was built to replace a smaller house around the corner and up the hill.

The manse was decommissioned as a preacher’s house in 2018, and re-named. Coble House is dedicated to the memory of the Honorable John Howard Coble, a long-serving U.S. Representative, and life-long member of Alamance Presbyterian Church.

The mission of Coble House is to extend the hospitality and welcome of our church to all who seek a space to gather, celebrate, find retreat, and renew their faith.

Coble House may be reserved for church-sponsored events such as Bible study, Presbyterian Women Circle meetings, confirmand retreats, and Seniors & Friends gatherings.

Coble House is also available to rent for private events. Need a place for out-of-town guests to perch for a night or two? Want to host a baby shower? Don’t want to clean your own house just for a two-hour meeting of your service group? Seek a pleasant venue for a small wedding and/or reception? Coble House may well serve your entertaining needs.

For more information, contact Marianne Cimino or Phyllis Monroe ([coblehouse@alamancechurch.org](mailto:coblehouse@alamancechurch.org)); or look on the Coble House page on the church website ([www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org)).

### Calling All Graduates

Is your sweet honey darling baby boy or girl perched on the edge of adulthood, ready to spread their wings and fly out into the wild world all on their own?

In short, is he or she scheduled to graduate from high school, college or university, trade school, or post-graduate school?

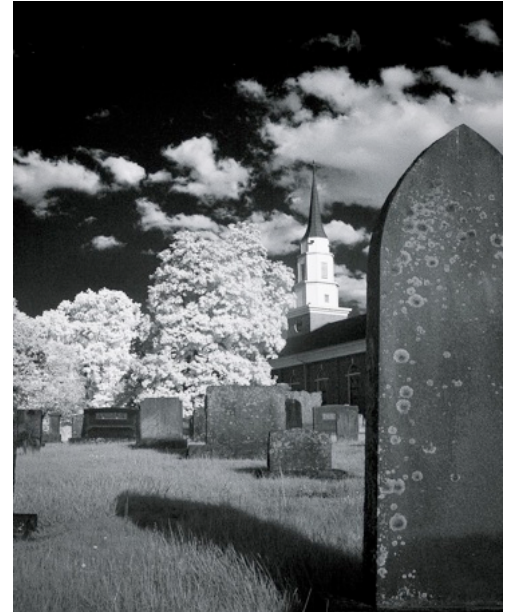
Put notice of their name(s), school, degree, and major into the semi-capable hands of the church secretary so that this congregation can pay due homage to those hard-working students. There’s no cash prize; still, recognition from friends and neighbors is worth more than you might imagine.

Lynn Barnes, secretary at Alamance Presbyterian Church, can be reached at 336.697.0488 ext. 121 (leave a message if she doesn’t pick up the phone); or send a message to [lynn@alamancechurch.org](mailto:lynn@alamancechurch.org).

### Memorials and Honoraria

**To the Operating Fund:** In memory of Lorine Finch Totten, by Celyn Holt.

**To the Coble House Fund:** In honor of the Ladies of LIFT by David Wray.



### Vacation Bible School 2024

Vacation Bible School 2024 is *Camp Firelight: A Summer Camp Adventure with God*, based on **Psalm 56:3**: "When I am afraid, I put my trust in you."

**When: Sunday evening, July 7- Thursday evening, July 11**

Meal is at **5:30 p.m.**, program is **6-8:30 p.m.** each evening.

SPACES ARE LIMITED.

Use this link to sign up your child for VBS: <https://alamance-presbyterian-church.mycokesburyvbs.com/>.

Volunteers may sign up at the same link: <https://alamance-presbyterian-church.mycokesburyvbs.com/>



Joy Thomas, Director of Children’s Ministries, also has an Amazon wish list for VBS supplies.

Here 'tis:

<https://www.amazon.com/hz/wishlist/ls/OVOYSERHWDF3...>



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We are a Hunger Action congregation.

**CHURCH STAFF**

- Rev. Dr. Kyle Goodman**, Lead Pastor
- Rev. Jessica Rigel**, Discipleship Pastor
- Andrew Long**, Youth Director
- Katie Long**, Director of Music
- Rebecca Oden**, Pianist
- Joy Thomas**, Dir., Children’s Ministries
- Dana Adams**, Financial Coordinator
- Lynn Barnes**, Secretary

**Ryian Gunn**, Director,  
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**Missionaries: Jesse & Erin Atkinson**,  
Linguists, Wycliffe Bible Translators

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**Current Officers**

The Session is the governing body of our congregation. Officers are called Elders. Each “class” serves a three-year term. Stated meeting is on the **fourth Sunday of each month, at 2 p.m.** in the Uffman classroom (unless otherwise noted).

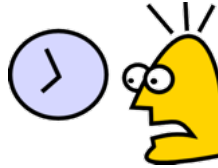
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| <b>Class of 2024:</b> | <b>Class of 2026:</b>    |
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| Willie Goncharow      | Kitty Wells              |
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**Live-streaming Worship Services**

Look and listen to Sunday morning worship at Alamance live, on-line. Here’s how:

1. Go to our website, [www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org). At the top of the page, choose *Livestream*. That option takes you directly to the latest worship service, and any prior recorded services that are still available for you to view.
2. **Before you can access the live streaming service**, you must open an account with Vimeo, either with your e-mail or your Facebook account.

**Newsletter  
Deadline**



Deadline for the **June, 2024** issue of *The Relay* is **Friday, May 24**. The deadline is printed on the back page of each issue of the newsletter.

Post your articles by U.S. mail, by e-mail ([lynn@alamancechurch.org](mailto:lynn@alamancechurch.org)), climb on a giant bunny and hopS here in person, or phone the office (336-697-0488 x 121) to deliver the news. Newsletter policy is posted on the website, [www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org).

**QR** stands for "Quick Response." QR codes store lots of data. Scan with the camera function on a smart phone to access information instantly.

APC now has a QR code to connect you quickly to our website ...



... **and** one that will take you directly to the Serve page, for info about how to volunteer.

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No one from the church will **EVER** email you, phone you, or message you to ask you to send gift cards. This form of request is a scam. Do not respond to these sorts of requests.

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