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# The Relay

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## Some Good News

Something happening at Alamance Presbyterian Church behind the scenes during this pandemic has been some cleaning up and cleaning out of storage spaces.

Like most churches our size, we have closets full of equipment, resources, and old "treasures" that have accumulated through the years ... and, in some case, decades.

One thing we have collected in abundance is curriculums. We have been good stewards of our curriculum resources. This year's Vacation Bible School was a recycled favorite from years ago — it was just as fun for our young people this year as it was the first time around. (Most of them were not born yet the first time we did it!)

But, as we follow the impulse to store good things we "might use again someday," we end up keeping more than we could ever use. New things always come along, and we try to keep a good balance here.

Over the last few months, your staff has taken time to inventory and evaluate our old curriculums. And as luck — or God's providence — would have it, we have found a good home for some it.

Michael & Catherine Holt's daughter, Beth, who grew up here at Alamance, now lives in Alliance, Alberta, Canada. (Alliance is about 2,300 miles from here.) Beth is the secretary for two small United Church of Canada congregations. The United Church of Canada denomination is made up of Presbyterians, Methodists, Congregationalists, and Brethren who banded together to help

establish churches in prairie towns of Canada, like the town of Alliance.

Those churches are small, and always in need of resources. Beth wondered if we had any curriculum we could share. Did we ever! In the months and years to come, those two small congregations in Alberta, Canada will have two different Vacation Bible Schools and eight different Sunday school curriculums for their children, thanks to Alamance Presbyterian Church.

Resources collecting dust in our closets will now inspire a new generation of young people 2,300 miles away from here. We have done some amazing "international mission" for the cost of shipping!

This very idea has already inspired us to partner with others. The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) just produced a new multigenerational curriculum called *Follow Me*. We think it's amazing, and we can't wait to share it with you.

The shipping of those old resources sparked the idea to share a new one. Rather than spending money on materials that will merely collect dust again, we've partnered with three other local churches to share the new curriculum.

The old way of thinking was that everyone had to buy it on their own. A better model for stewardship is collaboration and connection. Now, four churches will use *Follow Me*, meaning that the same resource will get four times the use! We've made our dollar go four times as far.

The whole idea began from the Holy Spirit moving as we emptied out a closet and replied to a simple request from up North.

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Volunteer schedules, hours of operation, how to use Livestream, etc.

Who knows where the next spark of inspiration will come from? Let us all keep an open mind and heart on how to be creative, collaborative, and connected; to make our gifts and our resources go farther.

In Christ's Love and Light,

*Kyle*



## On the Session's Agenda:

Going forward, we intend to keep the congregation up-to-date on the work of our Session.

In the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), the Session is a board of elected officers called elders ("Ruling Elders") who, together with pastors ("Teaching Elders"), are vested with authority to make decisions for the church. Our APC Session meets 10 times a year, usually every month on the fourth Sunday, with a break in the summer and for holidays.

In addition to these stated meetings, Session holds called meetings, to address specific issues as they arise.

The Session did not have a stated meeting in August. Here are some of the things they did in July:

- The Administration Team reported, and Session reviewed the budget through June. In the first half of 2021, the church is on track with its budget. Income continues to meet expenses — HVAC repairs tend to increase building expenses in the summer.

- The Christian Education Team reported on the success of Vacation Bible School; and plans for the new school year.
- The Congregation Care & Outreach Team reported on efforts to reach out to homebound members; and plans for a new design for the church's logo, branding, and website. The team hopes to present these for approval in September.
- The Fellowship Team recommended discussion about food service procedures in a pandemic. Session elected to proceed with potluck-style meals. Open Door meals may be plated for guests by volunteers, both for food safety and for fair portioning.
- The Fellowship Team recommended a compensation structure for cleaning the Coble House after use of that facility. This will operate on a trial basis at first; to be evaluated later.

## September Birthdays

- 1 Dara Reece
- 2 Sandy Ford, Tami Holland
- 3 Willie Goncharow
- 6 Ron Medder, Joel Shores
- 7 Gwen Coble, Laurie Fields, Glenda Goncharow
- 8 Sam Nelson
- 9 Elisabeth Holt
- 10 Betty Oakley
- 13 Carson Burgess, Terri Busby, John Sullivan
- 14 Sam Dyson, Gary Trull
- 16 Tom Black
- 18 Catherine Holt, John Marsh, Dylan Reece, Amy Yow
- 20 Dana Adams
- 21 Jeanie Wyrick
- 24 Linda Causey, Mary Lou McAdams
- 25 Evan Sharpe
- 26 Lisa Winslow
- 27 Ariel Shores
- 28 Gabriel Shores
- 29 Chloe Mendenhall
- 30 Jerry Hartsell



## Confirmation Class

The 2021-22 Confirmation Class starts **October 2**. Any 7th-8th grader seeking to grow in faith is welcome to join the class.

This class provides a fun, fast-paced setting to explore the Christian faith, the Presbyterian denomination, and biblical stories. On this faith journey there will be classroom activities, group discussion, field trips, and meals.

An informational meeting for parents AND confirmands is on **Sunday, September 26, 9-9:50 a.m.** in the Coble House.

Confirmation kicks off with a half-day retreat on **Saturday, October 2**. Mark your calendars now — note that scheduling is subject to change due to COVID restrictions that may arise.

## A Sewist's Blessing

To those whose lives are tattered and torn:

With the blessing of the **pattern** do I bless you: to give you a guide for shaping your life.

With the blessing of the **shears** do I bless you: to cut away all in your life that is not needful to you.

With the blessing of the **pin** do I bless you: to prick your conscience, to join together the parts of your life that are coming apart, to mark what in your life needs work.

With the blessing of the **needle** do I bless you: to mend what is broken, and make it whole again.

With the blessing of the **cloth** do I bless you: to cover your nakedness, to mark you as chosen, to keep you in comfort and safety in all weathers.

With the blessing of the **sewist** do I bless you: to consider what shape your life will take, to make the alterations you need to follow the pattern, to pull your life together, to stitch your life together and make amends, to show your life to the world as a whole cloth.

## Missions Update:

Submitted by Jesse, Erin and Samuel Atkinson  
Wycliffe Translators,  
Oaxaca (wah-HAH-kah), Mexico

### We're in Oaxaca!

God continues to answer your prayers! We're so thankful! We were granted our temporary resident visas this past month. At last, the visa process is complete! The process was so much smoother than we expected, and we credit your prayers and God's goodness. We will apply to renew our visas in a year's time.

Our biennial conference also went very well, despite there being over 150 of us meeting via Zoom from many different countries! Thank you especially for praying for Erin as she took on interpreting duties (simultaneous English-to-Spanish) and sharing a devotional one morning. God gave strength, focus, and grace to us all!

### Looking ahead:

We continue to rely on God's grace and your prayers as we continue adjusting to life in Oaxaca as a family. Here are some upcoming prayer needs:

- **We hope to apply for Mexican driver's licenses as some point**, but the process for doing so is a little more complicated during the pandemic. Would you pray for appointments to open up for us to go apply, and for favor in this process? We've seen your

prayers pave the way time and time again with these official appointments!

- **We hope to start searching for a car to buy this month.** There are many cultural and practical considerations for what vehicle to get, and we hope to purchase something long-lasting that will work well for village life. Please pray for wisdom and God's clear leading, as well as for the logistics of actually purchasing the car and completing the paperwork as foreigners.
- **At the end of September, we will start a three-week orientation to life in Mexico.** While Erin is pretty familiar with life here, we're hoping that this will be a fruitful time of learning and also a chance to connect with some other new members of the Mexico Branch.

### **APC, we're praying for you!**

Thank you, thank you, thank you for your faithful partnership. We couldn't be here without you.

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Oaxaca (wah-HAH-kah), Mexico



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# Habitat for Humanity Women Build 2021

Ten women — Karen Armstrong, Linda Causey, Marianne Cimino, Dee Geringer, Jeffrey Knotts, Kelly Mendenhall, Phyllis Monroe, Marybeth Padgett, Jess Rigel, Terry Schubert. — worked on the Habitat Women Build on Saturday, August 7. They installed nine windows, insulated and caulked, and had a great day working together.



## Special Collections

The APC Food Pantry has designated specific food items to be donated each month. Here's a list of the specific items for each month:

- **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
- **May:** Canned vegetables
- **June:** Macaroni-and-cheese
- **July:** Crackers
- **August:** Canned pasta

## Potter's House

APC has served supper to hungry guests at the Greensboro Urban Ministry Potter's House for 17 years; on the **third Saturday of odd-numbered months**. Remaining 2021 dates: **Sept. 18, Nov. 20**.

We serve breakfast there on the **first Saturday of each even month**. Next times: **Oct. 2** and **Dec. 4**.

This essential local hunger-relief ministry still operates under pandemic protocols. Physical distancing is practiced in the dining room. Servers wear masks and gloves. Guests wash their hands before being seated.

The work is intense, but not long. Arrive at **6 p.m.** to set up for the meal. Serve food from **7-7:45 p.m.** Clean up and nip out the door by **8:15 p.m.** most usually.

Your donation of home-made desserts are welcomed. Cakes, bars, and cookies are the easiest to serve, and for guests to eat. Pies and pudding are hard to serve and messy to eat.

Let Darren Hadley know that you or your group want to help at Potter's House. ([darren.hadley@triad.rr.com](mailto:darren.hadley@triad.rr.com)).

## From the APC Food Pantry Team: "Feed my sheep."

The Food Pantry seeks to serve up to 30 families a week. Please pick up a little extra when you grocery shop, for our hungry guests. We always need cereal, powdered milk, pop tarts, mac-and-cheese, spaghetti sauce, instant mashed potatoes, and other such groceries.

A blue bin at the door to Brown Fellowship Hall is the best place to leave donations of shelf-stable foods. The APC Child Development Center uses Brown Hall for classroom space, so entry there is not permitted on weekdays.

Contact the Food Pantry to arrange for donations of fresh produce: leaving it in the bin can lead to spoilage and insect infestation.

The Food Pantry always needs clean, empty, egg cartons to re-pack a weekly bulk donation of eggs. They always need clean, empty, plastic grocery bags, to pack food items for our hungry guests' convenience.

Contact Amy Yow (336-706-3550) with any Food Pantry questions (or if you need your items to be picked up). If you would like to volunteer, we ask that you sign up on the APC website, [www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org).

## Saturday mornings at the APC Food Pantry

APC's Food Pantry pre-packs food and delivers it to recipients in a car line. This is the most efficient and convenient way for clients to receive food.

Once each month, volunteers pick up food from Second Harvest Food Bank in Winston-Salem. Every Wednesday, volunteers pack grocery bags into carts.

A Food Pantry volunteer verifies needed information from clients by telephone, early each week. When clients arrive on a Saturday morning for food pick-up, they stay in their cars and provide their name to a volunteer. Once verified, other volunteers load up the car.

The Food Pantry can always use more Saturday morning volunteers to help with distribution (9-11:30 a.m.). Visit <http://signup.com/go/h2b6xy> to sign up to help. Please sign up rather than just showing up. Kris Levine, Volunteer Coordinator, needs to know ahead of time how many volunteers are expected, to make this a good experience for volunteers as well as clients! Questions? Please call Kris Levine at (336)-558-6759.



Carts full of food for our guests, awaiting Saturday distribution.

“Thank you!” to all the golfers who made this year’s tournament at Forest Oaks a wonderful event. This was our largest golf tournament yet: 140 golfers, and nearly \$7,500 to benefit the Alamance Presbyterian Church Food Pantry.

Without the crew of hard-working volunteers, this not have been possible. Thus, an even larger thank you is due to everyone who worked behind the scenes: check in, breakfast, course set up, lunch, and clean up.

The biggest thank you of all goes to Chief Kevin Bowers of the Alamance Fire Department. He slaved over a hot grill all day, to make sure that the golfers were well fed. He apparently has asbestos in his DNA.



# Here's the winners of the day:

## Flight One

### Low Gross

Rich Arneson  
Michael Gromko  
Ben Knotts  
Brady Moran

### First Low Net

Willie Goncharow  
Tim Williams  
Brant Hilton  
Garland Amick

### Second Low Net

Todd Apple  
Patrick Apple  
Matt Bowman  
Chad Cecil

### Third Low Net

Jamie Strickland  
Kurt Snyder  
Mitch Rayl  
Josh Ryan

## Flight Two

### Low Gross (54)

Marty Redden Jr.  
Marty Redden Sr.  
Tyler Moretto  
Danny Hilton

### First Low Net

Matt McBee  
Alex Magid  
David Wall  
Phet Vongsavaul

### Second Low Net

Chad Cox  
Bill Ramey  
Mike Oakley  
Scotty Frazer

### Long Drive: Women

Shorty Coblentz

### Long Drive: Senior

Jim Paschal

### Long Drive: Men

Bryan Colquitt

### Closest to the Pin: Women

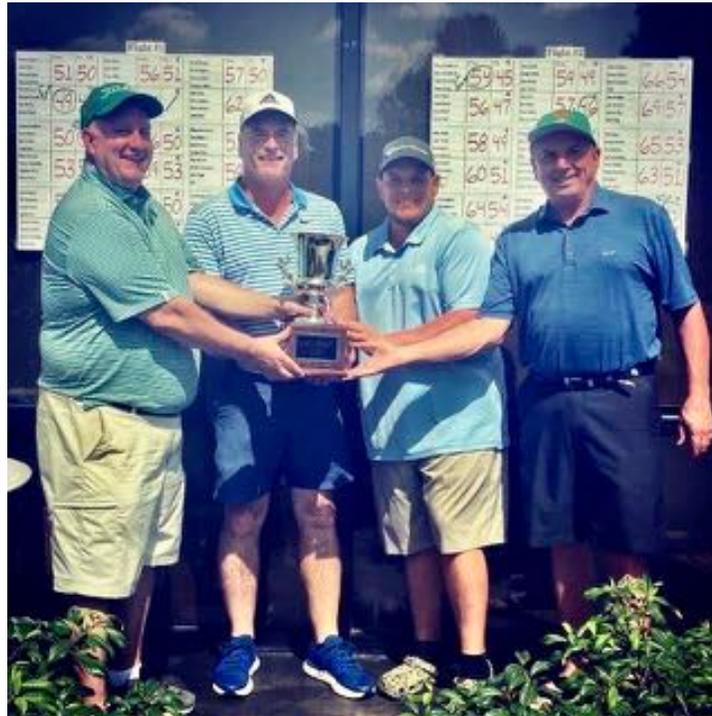
Shorty Coblentz

### Closest to the Pin: Senior

Sam Nelson

### Closest to the Pin: Men

John Riley



Happy Golfers





A Good Time Was Had by All



## MEETS Meets Again!

- submitted by Kathy Fay

MEETS has restarted in-person gatherings! The Fellowship Team provides oversight for MEETS, and plans the gatherings.

MEETS stands for “Meet, Eat, Entertain, Travel, Socialize.” MEETS is a fellowship group focused on the interests of individuals in the empty-nester age group. Most of our members have completed their child-rearing years but have not reached the Seniors & Friends era yet. However, **any** adult age 21 and up is welcome at all MEETS functions — including friends, neighbors and family members. **Individuals as well as couples** are encouraged to attend MEETS functions.

News of upcoming MEETS events is posted on the MEETS Facebook page. When timing works out, we post in *The Relay*. We send

evites to those whose email addresses we have. MEETS plans are often included in Sunday morning announcements.

If you would like to be added to the evite list, please send your email address to [kathyefay@gmail.com](mailto:kathyefay@gmail.com). Questions? Ask a member of the Fellowship Team or contact Kathy Fay at her email address. Next event is at Guilford Lake Mackintosh, at **12:30 p.m. on Sunday, September 12**. Bring your own food, beverages (alcohol is not allowed at the park), paper goods, and chairs. Bring any outdoor games you'd like to play.

Check the evite <http://evite.me/rGhvfHC6sd> for details about amenities and fees at Lake Mackintosh.

In case of inclement weather, the **September 12** event will be postponed until **September 20**.

## What is the Fellowship Team?

- submitted by Kathy Fay, Moderator

We have a Fellowship Team at APC! The team is hard at work behind the scenes, planning and overseeing many fellowship opportunities for church members and some other groups. There is often crossover with other committees. The team has been tasked by Session with developing certain policies and procedures. The troupe meets monthly.

The cadre oversees Seniors & Friends, Culinary Arts, Coble House, MEETS, StepSouls exercise group; and special events such as Big Meeting, Grasshoppers' games, and Potters House meals. Basically, the Fellowship Team is all about the fun!



## A Reminder

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, commonly known as HIPAA, is a federal law that requires public entities to respect the privacy of individuals regarding information about their health.

Sometimes people ask that Alamance Presbyterian Church not reveal details about why prayers for health are requested.

We are bound both by a polite consideration for their request for privacy, and also by federal law, not to reveal those details.

## Why are experiential learning and hands-on experiences important when teaching children?

- ☆ Experiential learning **helps kids remember more.**
- ☆ Experiential learning **welcomes play.** For kids, **play is learning.**
- ☆ Experiential learning **helps kids understand the world naturally.**
- ☆ Experiential learning **builds relationships.**
- ☆ Experiential learning **fosters real-life discoveries.**
- ☆ Experiential learning is **just more fun!**

What are telltale signs that children aren't engaged and learning? And what can teachers do about it?

Here are six signs, plus practical suggestions for how teachers and children's ministry volunteers can use experiential learning to re-engage children:

1. **Kids can't keep hands to themselves?** Keep them busy with tactile activities.
2. **Kids daydream?** Engage their imaginations by guiding them back to Bible times, to experience Bible truths.
3. **Kids answer questions but don't ask them?** Choose experiences that naturally get kids thinking and wondering.
4. **Kids become distracted by something that's not part of the lesson?** Keep lessons moving and active — there's no time to focus minds elsewhere.
5. **Kids are bored?** Give them something to do!
6. **Kids interrupt and disrupt?** Create space to ask for kids' thoughts and ideas, and provide options to let kids choose what's next.

## September Stuff

- Rally Day breakfast to start the 2021-22 Sunday school year is **Sunday, September 12, 8:45 a.m.** at the Picnic Pavilion.
- Kids R.O.C.K. and Youth Groups kick off the 2021-22 school year with a family cook-out for both groups (and family members) on **Sunday, September 12, 5-7 p.m.** at the Lynwood Lakes picnic area. Supper is provided. Bring your own towel. Wear your own swimsuit.
- “Being Presbyterian” classes led by Pastor Goodman start **Sunday, September 19, immediately after worship.** 15-minute instruction sessions are followed by time for Q&A. No need to pre-register: your presence indicates your interest.
- Confirmation class 2021-22, for 7th-8th graders, provides a fun, fast-paced exploration of Christian faith, the Presbyterian denomination, and Bible stories; through classroom activities, group discussions, field trips, and meals. COVID permitting, an info meeting for parents AND confirmands is **Sunday, September 26, 9-9:50 a.m.** at the Coble House. Confirmation starts with a **Saturday, October 2** half-day retreat. Contact class leader Laverne Vance with your questions (336-601-9724).
- APC Book Club: Rev. Jess Rigel leads the study. Meets at 7 **p.m. on the fourth Tuesday of each month**, to discuss that month’s book. Contact Jess to join the club ([jess@alamancechurch.org](mailto:jess@alamancechurch.org)). Next meeting: **Tuesday, September 26.**

## Halloween Is Coming! Daylight Saving Ends! Thanksgiving Day Is Coming! Christmas Is Coming!

Trunk or Treat at Alamance will be celebrated as a drive-through event on **Sunday, October 24, from 4-5:30 p.m.** Let Director of Children’s Ministries Joy Thomas know that you want to decorate your car and park along the way. She’ll also happily accept donations of treats and candy for distribution.

Daylight Saving Time 2021 ends at **2 a.m. on Sunday, November 7.** Set your clocks back one hour to mark the return of Eastern Standard Time.

Thanksgiving Day is **Thursday, November 25.**

Christmas is on a Saturday this year. Christmas Eve worship service will be at **7 p.m. on Friday, December 24.**



**Mercy Chefs**  
Feeding Body and Soul

## Special Missions for September

**Mercy Chefs** is a faith-based, non-profit disaster relief organization. Mercy Chefs provides professionally prepared, restaurant-quality meals to victims, volunteers, and first responders in natural disasters and national emergencies. Mercy Chefs partners with existing like-minded organizations to further the shared mission to provide food service in underserved communities across the country.

Special missions offerings in September will buy meals for those affected by recent natural disasters.



**PRESBYTERIAN  
DISASTER ASSISTANCE**  
**OUT OF CHAOS, HOPE**

**Presbyterian Disaster Assistance** enables congregations and mission partners of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) to witness to the healing love of Christ through caring for communities adversely affected by crises and catastrophic events. Our special missions offerings in September will purchase clean-up kits, to be distributed through PDA.

## Knit, Pray, Love Ministry

- submitted by Linda Aydelette

In God's great love and grace — and because God has blessed our hands to create items filled with love — two boxes were delivered to the Multiple Myeloma Society to kickstart a new ministry of prayer shawls.

Sue, a patient who received one of our prayer shawls a few years ago, made this request of us. I thought we could only get possibly five or so. YOU all created over a dozen!!!

We shipped 10 shawls to MMS. Other shawls were kept in reserve. and have already been delivered to others in need.

Shawls were provided to the family of Dolly Jacobs, one of the ministers at First Presbyterian, Greensboro. She passed away suddenly two weeks ago. Dolly was from New Orleans and LOVED Mardi Gras. God does indeed always provide. We delivered three prayer shawls rich in the colors of Mardi Gras: purple, gold and green.

A total of 35 shawls has been created and delivered in 2021. Since 2005, we've provided 1,335 shawls!

## Thank-you Notes

We feel so blessed by all the meals we received during the last month of upheaval.

Thank you to all who have fed us, sent cards, called and lifted us in prayers. There are truly no words to express how much this has all meant to us

Love,

*Susan Marsh*

Thank you, thank you, to everyone who has pitched in and helped this congregation continue to provide public worship on this hill.

It takes the concerted efforts of many, many people over a long, long time to build and maintain a reputation as a community leader. It takes a congregation dedicated to doing God's work in this part of the world, as a vital part of that community. Thank you.

## Memorials and Honoraria

### To the Todd Luke Cistern Ministry:

In memory of Jackie Chandler by Geneva Boswell.

### To the Lift Van Fund: In memory of

Laura W. Fogleman by Darrell Parker. In memory of Bill & Carrie Hobbs by Harold & Barbara Alexander. In memory of Bob Jobe by Jackie Haines. In memory of Garland & Martha Ann Jobe by Jackie Haines. In memory of Marion Haines by Jackie Haines. In honor of Thelma Greeson by Darrell Parker.

**To the CDC Playground Shade special offering:** In memory of Bill & Carrie Hobbs by Harold & Barbara Alexander.

**To the Cemetery Care Fund:** In memory of Becky Hall by Floyd Fogleman; Loretta Allred; Darrell Parker; Jo, Michael, and Bradley Starr. In memory of Howard Coble by Darrell Parker. In honor of Darrell Parker by the family of Laura W. Fogleman.

## Knit, Pray, Love Hats and Baby Items

APC KPL has an ongoing project: baby hats, receiving blankets, and burp cloths for Women's and Children's Hospital at Cone Health. Their maternity and newborn departments average 25 babies born every day.

Suggested patterns are posted on Facebook. More about KPL can be found in a video at [www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org).

Our baby hat production is moving right along! Around 70 were delivered in early August, bringing our baby hat donation total to 1,400. You can now begin creating autumn-themed

hats; pumpkins, jack o'lanterns, candy corn, footballs, even turkeys if you would like! The parents and babies LOVE them, as do all the wonderful nurses and staff at the hospital.

Their thank you notes are so sweet. Ms. Langley, volunteer director there, said in one note, "Your team amazes me with every single delivery! What a blessing you all are to so many people!"

In the meantime, contact Linda Aydelette for KPL information at [linda.aydelette@gmail.com](mailto:linda.aydelette@gmail.com).



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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 6 p.m.** in Brown Fellowship Hall unless otherwise noted.

**Class of 2023:**

Connie Fish  
Darren Hadley  
Tim Hobbs  
Judy Uniatowski

**Class of 2021:**

Pam Dixon  
Randy Maness  
Wendy Mills  
Keith Morris  
Gary Trull

**Class of 2022:**

Barbara Alexander  
Tom Cimino  
Scott Mendenhall  
Steve Starr  
David White

**Youth Elder:**

Nathan Garrett

**Clerk of Session:**

Graham Dail

**Live-streaming Worship Services**

Look and listen to Sunday morning worship at Alamance live, on-line.

1. Go to our website, [www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org). Scroll down the homepage for the *Live Sunday Worship & Info* box. Choose that option, to go to the *Worship* page. (Or, get to *Worship* from the *Connect* drop down list.)
2. On the *Worship* page, the box for *Worship Live Streaming* is on the **top right** of your screen. It sends you to the Livestream page for Alamance Presbyterian Church ([www.livestream.com](http://www.livestream.com)).

3. **Before you can access the live streaming service**, you must open an account with Livestream, either with your e-mail or your Facebook account. The Livestream site will send you an e-mail that will instruct you how to enter a password of your own choosing.

4. On [www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org), the *Worship Live Streaming* page has all the recorded services still available — and options for not-yet-happened services so you can log in on *those* Sundays at **10 a.m.**, in real time.

Sometimes, Livestream does not work as well as we expect it to work. Bear with us! With God’s grace, we’ll all get through this together.

**Once Reformed,  
Always Reforming**

Stay tuned for announcements about our updated website, as it evolves. We strive to provide you with a user-friendly place to easily find out what you want to know about the life of the congregation.  
[www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org)



**Connect with Us  
Electronically**

**“Like us” on**

**Facebook** We maintain several pages on the social media site Facebook. “Like” the pages to receive automatic notice on your own Facebook wall.

**... and check our 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.



**Newsletter  
Deadline**

Deadline for the **October, 2021** issue of *The Relay*, our church newsletter, is **Friday, September 24**. Post your articles by “snail mail,” by e-mail ([lynn@alamancechurch.org](mailto:lynn@alamancechurch.org)), phone the office (697-0488 x 121) — or find your skate key and strap on a pair of sidewalk skates to roll down the hill to deliver your news.

[www.alamancechurch.org](http://www.alamancechurch.org)