

NACCP Weekly News January 14, 2025

Calendar of Services—Services available In Person and via Facebook Live Streaming link sent out with each week's bulletin.

January 19 - Dr. Keith Ray

January 26 - Dr. Keith Ray

Current News and Announcements

Did you miss mentioning an announcement during the Sunday service? Use this Google form to submit <u>announcement requests</u> for the newsletter.

Thanks to Keith for his sermon on the Baptism of Christ, where Jesus was claimed as a beloved child of God, as we ALL are.

NACCP on YouTube. Since the beginning of this year, a small group of NACCPers have worked to make our gatherings available on YouTube. You can find us at NorthAndersonCCP on YouTube. You can live stream us, or see recordings.

Now we are recruiting others to be part of our NACCP AV Team. We would like to share recording/streaming among several people. We will offer training to anyone willing to help. Please let Cynthia (cynthiakwarner@mac.com) or Joanne (843.607.3862) know if you are interested.

Keeanagers resumes in 2025 with a luncheon at the church on January 15 at 11:30 am to get to know Salee and Abed, our visitors from Iraq. Lunch will be provided, so no need to bring any food; however, if you are inclined and able, Salee and Abed do have needs with setting up house in Anderson, so cash or gift cards would be greatly appreciated (although certainly not expected)! Hope you can come!

The Outreach and Missions Committee will meet after church on Sunday, January 19th.

Seasonal Choir will begin practices for the Lenten season on Sunday, January 26 at 9:25 AM in the choir room. Please come a couple of minutes early so you can put copies of the music in your folder and grab a pencil on your way into the choir room. New members welcome.

Reminder that PFLAG meets the second Thursday of the month at NACCP at 7 pm.

Church Clean-up days are the 2nd Saturday of the month at 9:30 am and usually take no more than 90 minutes. The sign-up sheet is in the church.

The Bible Study Group (BSG) meets Mondays at 6:30 pm via Zoom. Dave Johnson is guiding us through the book of Deuteronomy (editor's note: it's far more interesting than it sounds!). If you'd like to be added to the Zoom invite list then contact Cynthia at cynthiakwarner@mac.com.

Tithe Collection — The collection will be reported next week. Session is always grateful for your generosity!

Contributions may be mailed to:

North Anderson Community Church, Presbyterian, 4200 Liberty Highway 29621.

Online giving for regular contributions:

Go to NACCP's website, <u>nacepchurch.org</u>, and click on Missions and Giving. Scroll to "Donate Now" to create a profile and make a donation. If you need help, call Tom at 585-775-5863.

For News from Foothills Presbytery, click on the link here.

Prayers of the People

For this and all our blessings, God, we praise you!

Drew is celebrating the first birthday they've gotten to share with his recently adopted nephew who turned 6 years old!

God, in our mercy, hear our prayer.

Prayers for all who have been impacted by the fires in California, including those who have had to evacuate and lost their homes.

Jay Lyn asks for prayers for her friend who recently lost her son as she is still struggling with the grief.

Drew asks for prayers for him and Rosie as they battle seasonal illnesses.

Karen asks for prayers for the family of her granddaughter Carley's co-worker who died unexpectedly.

Prayers also for Carley who is struggling with the loss.

Rob asks for prayers for sister, Jane, as she moves to the Clemson Downs.

Autumn asks for payers for her good friend who has had a death in the family.

Happy January Birthdays and Anniversaries

January 1 - Jim Ross

January 2 - Bud Flier

January 2 - Sarah Shumpert

January 8 - Grace Earle

January 18 - Betty Jane Crandall

January 19 – Rose Lindsey

January 19 - Andrea Plis

January 29 - Mary Alice Mundy

Elders

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