



NACCP Weekly News
February 5, 2025

Calendar of Services. Services in-person and on YouTube at NorthAndersonCCP.

February 9 - Dr. Keith Ray

February 16 - Rev. Dr. Steve Morgan

February 23 - Dr. Keith Ray; Worship Committee meeting

Current News and Announcements

Did you miss mentioning an announcement during the Sunday service? Use this Google form to submit [announcement requests](#) for the newsletter.

Thanks to Keith for part two of his sermon on Jesus teaching at his home town synagogue. We are reminded to teach what is true, do good and show courage even when we are scared.

Souper Bowl Sunday is February 9. We will have a special collection for the Anderson Emergency Kitchen.

The Outreach and Missions committee will be hosting a Bingo night at New Foundations on February 7 at 5 pm. Let Ann Blackwood know if you would like to help.

The next Keenagers event will be the February 16 matinee performance of Ma Rainey's Black Bottom at the Market Theatre. Sign up with Karen Manley for group tickets.

Our next Adopt-A-Highway (AAH) Day is Saturday 15 February at 9:00 AM. We will collect trash along a one-mile section of Liberty highway on each side of our church. The more AAH "pickers" we have, the more trash we can collect! High temperatures of last summer and Hurricane Helene damage combined to collapse our trash collection plans. Please join us on 15 February. You do not need to bring anything but yourself. We have supplies for all who come.

A message from the Earth Care Team on 10 Ways to REDUCE Litter:

- 1) DON'T LITTER! AND Ask other people not to litter, too.**
- 2) Pickup one piece of litter every day.**
- 3) Call Litter Busters Hotline to report litter violations: 1-877-7LITTER**
- 4) TARP YOUR LOAD!**
- 5) Adopt-A-Highway or "Spot" in your community.**
- 6) Use recycling bins whenever possible; and empty trash cans regularly, so that they do not overflow.**
- 7) Keep a litterbag in your vehicle and use it.**

8) Pickup litter along your exercise route.

9) Celebrate teacher/student participation in KAB programs and contests available in schools.

10) Encourage elected officials to support KAB & pass tougher anti-litter laws.

A message from the DAT Team: With the approach of a winter storm, many people feel the need to buy traditional perishable food items. (Bread, Milk..) If you need them, buy them but a good rule is to keep at least 3 days of non-perishable food (extended shelf life) and 2 gallons of water per day per person.

United Way sponsors a snack program for Anderson school children. Children in need are provided snacks for the weekend so they are able to learn when they return to school on Mondays. Snackpacking consists of filling plastic bags with items and boxing the packs. They also include a handwritten word of encouragement provided by volunteers as well. This is a fun event that we have done in the past as a group. I have decided to sign up on Tuesdays as an individual because I think this is a very special program.

Current open dates are 2/10, 2/25, 3/3, 3/10. These are Mondays or Tuesdays. The shift is from 9-11 am,

If enough people are interested in working as a group, I will book us as a group. If you are interested in trying it out you can also sign up as an individual

at https://uwandsc.galaxydigital.com/need/detail/?need_id=1031432. You will need to set up an account and can then sign up any open date.

If you have any interest or questions, please feel free to call me. Vicki Wright 585-781-4620

“The Beach Ball” is happening on Thursday, February 13 at 7:00 PM at the Bleckley Station in Anderson. It’s a fundraiser for the Great Anderson Musical Arts Consortium (GAMAC). To reserve seats call (864) 231-6147 or visit GAMAC.org/specialevents by February 10.

New Foundations will be having a golf tournament on April 17. More details to come, but if you are interested in being on a team contact Tom Wright.

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, naccpchurch.org, 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!

Diane is celebrating her recent opportunity to meet with former colleagues to reminisce and catch up.

God, in our mercy, hear our prayer.

Prayers for Bonnie Marsden and family as they mourn the loss of Shea. If you would like to visit with Bonnie, please text first and wait for a response.

Jay Lyn asks for prayers for a friend who is experiencing medical issues. Prayers also for a former co-worker who has a spouse with dementia and is having a difficult time managing her care.

Andie asks for prayers for friends, Pete and Cassie as Pete goes through major surgery.

Happy February Birthdays and Anniversaries

February 1 - Howard and Cheryl Semones Anniversary

February 2 - Ed Yokley

February 12 - Cat Martin

February 15 - Johnny Martin

February 15 - Diane Lee

February 17 – Ann Blackwood

February 21 - Annette Buchanan

February 21 – Matt and Etta Wolf anniversary

February 23 - Tom Wright

February 26 - Scott Finley

February 26 – Keith Ray

February 28 - Glenn Burns

Elders

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and the journey to the answers.*

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