

WOMEN'S RETREAT - SPA FOR THE SOUL: Save the dates of February 25-27, 2022, for a wonderful weekend of fellowship, fun, rest, and inspiration led by Rev. Ansley Page at Tapoco Lodge in North Carolina. Register by January 18 either online or by calling 865.522.9804.



SHEEP REGISTRATION for currently enrolled families and siblings is February 1 and 2. Non-enrolled SHPC member registration opens on February 2. Registration for the community (those who are not currently enrolled and who are not members of SHPC) opens on February 15.

CHRISTIAN FORMATION

ON-SITE SUNDAY CHILDCARE: 8:30 A.M. Nursery (Room 204), Toddler (Room 209); 10:30 A.M. Nursery (Room 204), Toddler (Room 209), Extended Session (Room 220).

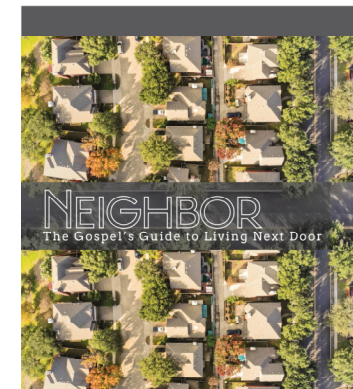
JOIN A 9:45 A.M. ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS! Current Sunday School topics include Peter (Bible Discovery), Grace and Gratitude (Foundations), Jay Howell leading (Adult Fellowship), (Adult Fellowship), The Vine Life (Christian Growth), and Louie Giglio DVD study (YAGO). Zoom links for Bible Discovery and Christian Growth are in the Sunday morning email.

13 L.I.F.E. (LIVING INTENTIONALLY FAITHFULLY EXPECTANTLY) SMALL GROUPS begin this month (some this week!) including new women's groups on Wednesdays and a new couple's group on Thursdays. More information is available in the pew racks. Register using the QR code or email Pastor Mark at MLampley@sequoyahchurch.org.



HIGH SCHOOL SKI TRIP: Registrations are on the SHPC youth webpage for our high school ski trip to Beech Mountain February 18-21.

CHECK OUT OUR FACEBOOK PAGE, INSTAGRAM, WEBSITE, AND WEEKLY EMAIL for the most up-to-date information.



SEQUOYAH HILLS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 SERVICE OF THE LORD'S DAY
 January 16, 2022 | 11:00 A.M.
 3700 Keowee Avenue, Knoxville, TN 37919
 865.522.9804 | sequoyahchurch.org
Sunday School 9:45 A.M.

PRELUDE *Prelude in Classical Style* by Gordon Young

WELCOME Dr. Jay Howell

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: This is the day the Lord has made
 People: **Let us rejoice and be glad in it.**

*HYMN #462 *Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies* RATISBON

*PRAYER OF CONFESSION (in unison) Rev. Rachel Hamburger
Lord, you have given us neighbors to serve, to love even as we love ourselves. Forgive us when we knowingly or unknowingly make it hard for a neighbor, or by word or action, lessen the great value they have in your sight. Forgive us when we are unjust in our decisions, or simply pass by a needy neighbor in the midst of our busy lives. Have mercy upon us, in your overcoming love, and make us new, even as we confess before you in silence . . .

*ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*ACT OF PRAISE (Congregation sings.) GLORIA PATRI
**Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;
 As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
 World without end. Amen. (Amen.)**

*PASSING THE PEACE

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.
 People: **And also with you.**
(Children are invited forward as we pass the peace.)

THE WORD

CHILDREN'S TIME Mary Emily Morris
(Children & Worship: Children ages four through first grade will leave with Mary Emily and may be picked up in the Kingdom, lower level of Spitzer building.)

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION Sara Pressel

OLD TESTAMENT Jeremiah 31:31-34 PEW BIBLE PAGE 735

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

SOLO *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* arr. Lloyd Larson
Shaquille St. John, tenor

NEW TESTAMENT Luke 10:25-29 PEW BIBLE PAGE 71

Leader: The Word of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON *Neighbor: Wriggling Out* Dr. Jay Howell

HYMN (seated) *Oh, How He Loves You and Me* PATRICIA

**Oh, how He loves you and me, Oh, how He loves you and me.
He gave His life, what more could He give?
Oh, how He loves you, Oh, how He loves me,
Oh, how He loves you and me.**

RESPONDING

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE /THE LORD’S PRAYER Rev. Mark Lampley

Our Father Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING

(As the plates are passed, any who have given online or by mail this week are invited to add an offering slip as part of our worshipful offering.)

*DOXOLOGY (Congregation sings.) OLD HUNDREDTH

**Praise God from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH *The Apostles’ Creed*

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; he descended into hell; the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

SENDING

*HYMN #384 *O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go* ST. MARGARET

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *Postlude on “Lancashire”* by Stanley E. Saxton
** Please stand if you are able.*

CALENDAR

Sunday

- 8:30 A.M. - Nursery for 8:45 Service (Room 204)
- Toddler Childcare for 8:45 Service (Room 209)
- 8:45 A.M. - In-Person Worship (Barron Hall)
- 9:45 A.M. - Lemonade/Coffee/Doughnut Fellowship (Bell Tower)
- Preschool Sunday School (Spitzer Main Level)
- Kingdom Sunday School (Gathering Area)
- Middle School Sunday School (Room 302)
- High School Sunday School (Room 311)
- Adult Fellowship Class (Room 320)
- YAGOs (Room 322)
- Bible Explorers (Chapel/Zoom)
- Christian Growth (Room 232)
- 10:30 A.M. - Lemonade/Coffee/Doughnut Fellowship (Bell Tower)
- Nursery for 11:00 Service (Room 204)
- 11:00 A.M. - In-Person (Sanctuary) and Livestream Worship

Monday—Office Closed for Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday

Tuesday

- 9:00 A.M. - FISH (Barron Hall)
- 9:30 A.M. - Staff Meeting (The Loft)
- 4:30 P.M. - Youth Serve at Thrive Parkridge (offsite)

Wednesday

- 9:20 A.M. - Howell & Zeanah L.I.F.E. Groups (The Loft)
- 10:30 A.M. - Dotterweich Bible Study (Fowler Conf. Room/Zoom)
- 4:30 P.M. - Children’s Choirs (Front Lawn)
- 6:00 P.M. - L.I.F.E. Groups (Rooms 322 and Zoom)
- Youth Middle School Group (The Loft)
- 6:30 P.M. - L.I.F.E. Group (Saunders’ home)
- 7:00 P.M. - Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
- Youth High School Group (The Loft)

Thursday

- 8:00 A.M. - Men’s Bible Study (Zoom)
- 6:30 P.M. - Smith L.I.F.E. Group (Smith’s home)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN-PERSON WORSHIP is available at 8:45 A.M. in Barron Hall and at 11:00 A.M. in the Sanctuary.

IF YOU ARE WORSHIPING with us as a visitor, welcome!

Please sign the Fellowship Pad found on each pew near the center aisle. For more information about any of our ministries, email Pastor Mark Lampley at mlampley@sequoyahchurch.org.



SHPC’S ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING will take place on January 23 at 11:00 A.M. in the Sanctuary. Business includes presenting the 2022 budget, electing officers, and approving pastors’ terms of call.

STEWARDSHIP UPDATE: Thanks to everyone who has already joined in our pledge campaign for 2022. Currently we have received 242 pledges totaling \$2,038,528. If you're ready to submit your pledge, you can do so online, by mail, or by returning it to the church office. God is good!

WORSHIP

YOUTH SUNDAY will be on February 6 during both the 8:45 and 11:00 services.

MISSIONS AND OUTREACH

A VISITORS AND NEW MEMBERS GATHERING will be on Sunday, January 30, from 9:45-10:45 in the Fowler Conference Room. Learn more about our congregation and how to join if interested. RSVP to Megan at Megan.Landers55@gmail.com.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

YOGA has been postponed at this time. We are without an instructor for the class and are busily searching for a replacement. Please contact Lorette Beekman, Parish Nurse, if you have any questions, or an instructor referral.

HEALTH AND WHOLENESS’ FOCUS ON HEALTH: "Nutrition Ammunition" with Madden Wilson, RDN, LDN, is on Thursday, January 27, at 6:00 P.M. in Room 322. Coffee and dessert will be served. Please call 522-9804 to register ASAP, and include a topic or question of interest to help our dieticians plan the program.

IF YOU OR SOMEONE YOU KNOW could benefit from the care of a Stephen Minister, helpful information is included in the pew racks and brochures are available at the Sanctuary exits. *“Bear one another’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.” Galatians 6:2*

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

CONGRATULATIONS to Lynlee (Wolfe) and Brad Fox on the birth of their son, Hudson Andrew Fox, on December 30.

BRING THE HEAT! COOKS NEEDED FOR OUR CHILI COOK-OFF on Sunday, February 6, at 5:30 P.M. with guest speaker Russell Biven. Use the QR code or call 522-9804 today and sign up to bring your best chili for a friendly competition with a fun first-place prize!

