

***WE WELCOME YOU** to worship this morning! We are glad you are here, and we invite you to worship with us regularly! If you are a visitor, or if you have a prayer or pastoral concern, please use the appropriate card in the pew rack.*

PRAYER CONCERNS –Chadwick Bazzrea, Paula Darraji (friend of Jeff Simmons), Connor Schrum, Dr. John Shayne, Jean Martin, Steve Wiseman, Guy Smiley, Bill Trimble, Betty Ott, Ruby Durham, Raymond Cline (Blue Ridge Christian Home, 85 Beulah Drive, Raphine, VA, 24472, ATTN: Raymond Cline) Nancy K. Cook, Ruth Rathburn, Phil Carter, Agnes Helmick, Katelyn Grace Robinson, Geneva Mader, Buddy Wright, Cpl. Daniel J. Santy, Raymond Shull, Mary Margaret Clifton (Kings Daughters Nursing Home, Room 334, Staunton), Ray Houser, Mike Fallin, Ronnie Boyers, Joyce Simmons, and Ronnie Giles.

THANKS TO TODAY'S GREETERS: Junior and Kathleen Gilmer; Nancy Cook. **Greeters for next Sunday, December 18** – John and Denise Lyle; Jean Miller and Betty Piner.

USHERS FOR DECEMBER: Noah and Lora Turnage; Larry and Gail Mayer.

Ushering: If you are scheduled to be an usher but will not be at church that Sunday please notify Tamme or Jan Botkin so that a substitute can be arranged.

CHURCH CALENDAR FOR WEEK OF DECEMBER 11, 2011:

TODAY	9:55 A.M.	Sunday School
	11:00 A.M.	Morning Worship
		Handbell Practice for 30 minutes following Worship
	6:30 P.M.	Youth Group
	7:00 P.M.	Bible Study
MONDAY	6:30 P.M.	Commitment/Witness Committee
TUESDAY	1:30 P.M.	Circles 1 and 2
WEDNESDAY	6:30 P.M.	Handbell Practice
	7:30 P.M.	Choir Practice
THURSDAY	7:00 P.M.	Session Meeting

ANNOUNCEMENTS

HEBRON'S COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS CARD is posted on the bulletin board in the hall. We ask that everyone sign the card and contribute money to the church that would be spent sending individual cards to members. Our benevolent cause recipient is the Verona Food Pantry. Please mark your donations "Christmas Card." Thank you for your support.

LAST FOUR WEEKS' OFFERINGS:

<u>Dec. 4 Offering</u>	<u>Nov. 27 Offering</u>	<u>Nov. 20 Offering</u>	<u>Nov. 13 Offering</u>
\$4,270	\$2,044	\$2,300	\$2,398

NEW ELDERS ELECTED: The congregation elected five news elders last Sunday to serve three-year terms as the Class of 2014: Jon Arneson, Nicola Cahill, Robert Christian, Michael Ruleman, and Noah Turnage. Thanks to Emily Breeden and Shirley Fallin who were also willing to be nominated; and thanks to the outgoing elders after serving three years: Jan Botkin, Lorrie Dean, Frank Henderson, Larry Mayer, and Lora Turnage.

HELPING LOCAL FAMILIES – You can still give money or buy gifts for the needy families. Money can be given to Carol Ratliff today, or notify Donna Kirtley if you intend to buy gifts. The gifts must be brought to the church no later than Sunday, Dec. 18. Thanks for your support!

CHRISTMAS JOY OFFERING – We will be receiving the annual Christmas Joy Offering throughout December. Special envelopes for this offering are in today's bulletin, or you can simply note "Christmas Joy" or "Joy Gift" on your check or offering envelope.

NEW HATS, SCARVES, GLOVES AND MITTENS for the Zacchaeus' Kitchen program to help the needy in Washington, D.C., will be collected on the tree under the clock in the Sunday School Building through Wednesday, Dec. 14.

THANKS TO ALL who rang the bells and contributed to the Salvation Army last Friday and Saturday. We had about 30 participants, and the Salvation Army reported that \$1,056.50 was collected during the time we rang the bells.

THANKS also to everyone for setting up the tables, washing the dishes, donating items to be bid on, buying the items and tickets for the quilt, and bringing food donations for the Presbyterian Women's *Evening of Comfort and Joy* last Tuesday. So far \$1,860 has been collected from the event, in addition to food collected for SACRA.

ANYONE who still needs to pay the PW for items bought at Tuesday's *Evening of Comfort and Joy* can give the money to Linda Dundas or Emily Breeden today.

THE CHRISTMAS TREE decorated for the Hospice of the Shenandoah's *Festival of Trees* by Hebron was sold for \$220. Thanks to all who donated costume jewelry for this year's tree, and to Jean Miller and E. Anne Willard for coordinating the Presbyterian Women's event and who decorated the tree.

THE STONEWALL BRIGADE BAND will present its annual Christmas Concert on Monday evening, Dec. 19, 2011, at 7:30 P.M. in the Sanctuary of St. Paul's United Methodist Church, 2000 Shutterlee Mill Road, Staunton. The 80-member concert band will present a variety of popular and sacred selections for the holiday season. Admission is free, and an offering will be received to benefit the 2012 St. Paul's United Methodist Youth Guatemala Mission Trip.

HEBRON'S CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE will be at 8:00 P.M. on Saturday, December 24.

This will be the only service on Christmas Eve this year and will include a Service of Lesson and Carols with a candlelight singing of *Silent Night, Holy Night* at the close. Please join us for this special service as we celebrate the coming of Christ into the world!

THE NEW HOPE DETOX CENTER at Western State Hospital needs donations of clothing. Their clothes closet is almost empty. Donations can be left at the church in the box in the hall near the Pastor's Office and they will be delivered for you.

VOLUNTEERS are needed to deliver our contributions to the SACRA office at 205 North Augusta Street, Staunton each week. A sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board with the hours and days they are open. You may sign up for one week, two weeks, or an entire month.

VALLEY MISSION NEEDS – The Commitment/Witness Committee asks for donations to Valley Mission. **Priority Needs:** New twin blankets, new twin sheets, new bath towels, men's and women's deodorant, men's and women's razors, large bottles of shampoo to refill shower dispensers, sugar, coffee, fruits and vegetables, lettuce, powdered milk, 95-quart plastic storage containers for guests' belongings. **Ongoing Needs:** Food Items: cereal, sugar, powdered milk, fresh fruit, coffee, creamer. Shelter Items: toilet paper, paper towels, disposable latex gloves. Resident needs: travel alarm clocks, adult underwear, adult Depends, deodorant, hair nets (for use in kitchen), caps, head scarves.

CHURCH DIRECTORY 2011

*Rev. Frank Wyche, Pastor and Moderator
Ben Heizer, Minister of Music*

Tamme Flory, Church Secretary

*Larry Mayer, Clerk of Session
Mike Ruleman, Treasurer*

ELDERS

Class of 2011

*Jan Botkin (Worship, Cemetery), Lorrie Dean (Fellowship/Service, Congregational Ministries),
Frank Henderson (Property), Larry Mayer (Cemetery, Stewardship), Lora Turnage (Christian Education)*

Class of 2012

*Hannah Bush (Christian Education, Worship, Personnel), Tom Cook (Property, Personnel),
Theresa Moore (Personnel, Stewardship), Robin Moyer (Fellowship, Commitment/Witness), Martha Sieck (Commitment/Witness)*

Class of 2013

*James McGavock (Property), David Obenschain (Property, Commitment/Witness),
Richard Rathburn (Property), Eric Shiflet (Christian Education), Joann Weikert (Worship)*

MISSIONS

*Missionary to Haiti Mark Hare (e-mail: haremark@yahoo.com; blog: <http://haremark.wordpress.com/>);
and Local Mission Needs*

ELDERS EMERITUS

Raymond Cline, John Ott, Giles Trimble, Elva Tuttle

DEACON EMERITUS

Bill Trimble

MUSIC

Ben Heizer, Minister of Music: Organist, Choir Director, Handbell Choir Director

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Linda Dundas, Superintendent

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

*Mike and Robin Ruleman, Advisors
David and Theresa Moore, Advisors*

BOY SCOUTS AND CUB SCOUTS

Judi Roach, Cub Master

Mike Walus, Scout Master

Mike Fallin, BSA Charter Representative

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

*Joyce Coleman and Hilda Dundas, Co-Moderators
Joan Wright, Church Historian*

Meredith Arneson, Memorial Service Coordinator

*Hilda Dundas, Secretary
Donna Kirtley, Treasurer*

MEN OF THE CHURCH

President Vice President

TRUSTEES – CHURCH AND CEMETERY

Elton Hewitt, Jr., Giles Trimble, Elva Tuttle

CEMETERY COMMITTEE

*Guy Wright and Larry Mayer, Co-chairmen; Jan Botkin,
Linda Brown, Raymond Cline, Mike Dundas, Eric Shiflet, and Noah Turnage*

PRAYER CIRCLE

Mildred Ruleman, Chairman (886-6793), Hilda Dundas, Assistant (886-0059)

FELLOWSHIP PREPARATION COMMITTEE

Jon Arneson, Mike Dundas, Larry Mayer, Fred Smiley

DISASTER ASSISTANCE – Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA), our denomination's disaster response and assistance program, is receiving contributions from any who wish to contribute to help areas suffering natural disaster, including recent flooding on the east coast caused by Hurricane Irene. You can give through Hebron by indicating on your check or gift that you wish it to go to PDA. Please specify whether you wish to make a general gift, or name the disaster relief area you wish to support.

VOLUNTEERS AVAILABLE – Once again the Congregational Ministries reminds the congregation that volunteers are available to help transport members of Hebron to and from doctor's appointments if there is a need. If you need this service, or if you could help with this need, please contact the church office at 885-1648.

REMEMBER to check the church's website (www.hebronpc.com) for upcoming church events and schedules.