

PRAYER REQUESTS

We are here to pray for you!

Help carry one another's burden, and in this way you will obey the law of Christ. Galatians 6:2

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| Paul Buskey | Debbie Lucas |
| Steve Chaplin | Sarah MacCorkle |
| Grayson Coleman | James Mayo |
| Bill Clark | Danny McClung |
| Lyle Crossman | Linda McGee |
| Sam Hall | Pete Norcross |
| Gary Hartley | Heather Pace |
| Adam Hoofnagle | El & Maryanne Pultz |
| Gladys Kuehne | Keith & Barbara Putbresi |
| Sergei Kuehne | Jessica Whitesell |
| Vera Kuehne | Pastor Luther Witt & Judy |
| Family of Mary Lipscomb | |

Congregation Members with Special Needs:

Steve Heizer

Those in Military Service:

Adam Hoofnagle, Albert Miller Jr., Robert & Sharon Miller, Wayne Perez, Markus Strecker, Ben Switzer, Clint Taylor

Our College Students:

Brett Turpin

Our Missions Near & Far:

WRE, RARA, Gideons International, Relay for Life, Young Life, Theological Seminaries, Habitat for Humanity, Blue Ridge Food Bank, Kings Way Help Center, Presbyterian Disaster Assistance, Massanetta Springs, Rockbridge Area Hospice, Samaritan's Purse, Living Waters of the World

News & announcements for Sunday's **BULLETIN** must be sent **by Wednesday** of each week.

The deadline for **NEWSLETTER** submissions is the 22nd of each month.

SUNDAY, February 6, 2022 — Baptism of the Lord

9:30AM Sunday School—Week 4 of Luke Reassurance
11:00AM Worship Service
Ordination and Installation Elders & Trustees

MONDAY, February 7, 2022

7:00PM Session Meeting

THURSDAY, February 10, 2022

4:00PM Compassion & Fellowship

SUNDAY, February 13, 2022 — 2nd Sunday Epiphany

9:30AM Sunday School—Week 5 of Luke Reassurance
11:00AM Worship Service —**4-cents-a-meal offering**

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

The usher for February — Donna Lanaghan
February 13th— Annual Congregational Meeting

#SPEAKUP

for those who cannot speak for themselves. Proverbs 31:8



2022 BABY BOTTLE CAMPAIGN

ComfortCare Women's Health offers FREE and confidential services that put you at the center of the appointment. As we seek to empower women with honest and accurate information, we implement a holistic approach that tends to your physical, emotional, and spiritual needs. Every woman deserves that attention and therefore, all clinic services are FREE regardless of your income level.

The 2022 Baby Bottle Campaign is here! This campaign gives the ministry of ComfortCare the much needed funding to support the women and men in our community who are facing difficult unplanned pregnancy decisions. The FREE services provided include pregnancy testing, limited OB ultrasound, and counseling on all pregnancy options. We provide all of these services in a safe, non-judgmental environment while also sharing the love and compassion of Christ with each individual who walks through our doors.

Psalm 29

- 1 Ascribe to the LORD, O heavenly beings,
ascribe to the LORD glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the LORD the glory of his name;
worship the LORD in holy splendor.
- 3 The voice of the LORD is over the waters;
the God of glory thunders,
the LORD, over mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the LORD is powerful;
the voice of the LORD is full of majesty.
- 5 The voice of the LORD breaks the cedars;
the LORD breaks the cedars of Lebanon.
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf,
and Sirion like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the LORD flashes forth flames of fire.
8The voice of the LORD shakes the wilderness;
the LORD shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 9 The voice of the LORD causes the oaks to whirl,
and strips the forest bare; and in his temple
all say "Glory!"
- 10 The LORD sits enthroned over the flood;
the LORD sits enthroned as king for ever.
- 11 May the LORD give strength to his people!
May the LORD bless his people with peace!

Second Reading Acts 8:14-17

Now when the apostles at Jerusalem heard that Samaria had accepted the word of God, they sent Peter and John to them. The two went down and prayed for them that they might receive the Holy Spirit (for as yet the Spirit had not come upon any of them; they had only been baptized in the name of the Lord Jesus). Then Peter and John laid their hands on them, and they received the Holy Spirit.

Gospel Luke 3:15-17, 21-22

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."