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...AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

So the familiar song ends. Christmas preparations seem to begin earlier each year and end abruptly on the 26th. I experience a perennial let-down each year as a day so anticipated, so saturated with a blend of excitement, joy, expectations and angst is suddenly over. I do my best to hold onto Christmastide, that being the 12 Days of Christmas that begin on Christmas Day and end on January 5th (the day before Epiphany). And yet, it is difficult when we tend to give ourselves over to a Christmas culture where the 12 days has come to mean the countdown *to* Christmas rather than the days following.

So, why do we rush from “Merry Christmas” to “Happy New Year”? One possibility is that there is so much heightened excitement that we are relieved to put it away for another year, take down the tree, the lights, the nativity so we can calm down and get back into the routine. It is just so over-stimulating to be surrounded by the music, the food, the lights, the gifts, the parties. It is a lot to deal with...*He* is a lot to deal with. That’s right, there is that baby to deal with, that baby whose arrival changed the world. That’s right (we may think) he demands more time, or energy, or will power than we have. Perhaps that is why many Christians open the “church box” once, maybe twice a year, and say, “Yep, God is still here” and close it again.

But our God asks us to stay and ponder. In Jesus Christ, he burst into the world in the flesh so we had to deal with him, he will not be ignored. And yet, there is some little part in all of us that wants to put him back in a box in the attic for another 11 months.

We have heard it often said, “What if the Christmas Spirit were in our hearts all year long?” I think many of us tend to think that’s impossible. But is it? What is the Christmas spirit if not quite simply God’s motivation to send Jesus in the first place? Love. And not love expressed simply in gifts or greeting cards, but in self-giving acts and selfless expressions of care and compassion.

It seems to me that we can attend to the Christmas spirit more faithfully this year if we keep our eyes fixed on the gift of God in Jesus Christ and not leave the manger so quickly. As we gaze in wonder on the ultimate Gift of Love, we may begin to see ways we can express divine love as a year-long celebration of Christmas. We may find that as we help others have a truly “happy” New Year we will experience more fully what it felt like for God to send Jesus Christ to us. So, stay at the manger a while and see what wonders God has in store for you.

*Grace and Peace,
Patrick*

It's Christmas Day - What's next?



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NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS

[Excerpted from "Share Faith" web site]

New Year Resolutions



Making New Year's Resolutions was started by early Babylonians. Although this is generally assumed as accurate, no one really knows, but it's the stuff of great trivial conversation at social gatherings, particularly New Year's Eve parties. For the Babylonians, the start of the new year was a good time to return borrowed items, such as farming equipment, and so begin the new year with a clean slate. Some believe that New Year's resolutions began as promises made to the gods, negotiating or bargaining in the hope that the gods would grant some favor in return, such as a good harvest. It was also believed that breaking of a New Year's resolution brought bad luck.

The Bible does not speak for or against the concept of New Year's resolutions. Every day is the day the Lord has made, as Psalm 118:24 states, and "we will rejoice and be

glad in it." One can make a resolution or promise to oneself any day of the year, and keeping it or breaking it is in their hands. One thing the Bible does say in Ecclesiastes 5:2,4 and 5 is that if one makes promises or vows to God, it shouldn't be taken lightly.

"Do not be rash with your mouth, and let not your heart utter anything hastily before God. For God is in heaven, and you on earth; therefore let your words be few. When you make a vow to God, do not delay to pay it; for He has no pleasure in fools. Pay what you have vowed

– Better not to vow than to vow and not pay."

Setting a goal or several goals at the beginning of the new year can be stimulating, but it's the motivation to keep the resolution that is important. One can determine to pray more, read the Bible more, go to church regularly, or volunteer more, but these resolutions can fail without correct motivation. The incentive must come from within with purpose and a plan.

Even though there might be a setback at times, the best thing to do is to immediately start again. After months and months of tests to develop an electric light-bulb, Thomas Edison was interviewed by a reporter who asked Edison if he felt like a failure and if he thought he should just give up. Edison replied, "Young man, why would

I feel like a failure? And why would I ever give up?

I now know definitively over 9,000 ways that an electric light bulb will not work. Success is almost in my grasp."

After over 10,000 attempts, Edison successfully invented the light bulb.

The point is, don't quit. If it's a worthy goal, it's worth sticking to, even if it means starting over a few times.

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Tuckahoe Youth Happenings

- January 4** 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Dinner and Worship...during our time of worship, we will learn that there are many different ways to pray, and we will put some of these into action through interactive prayer stations.
- January 11** 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Dinner and Regular Program Night...stay tuned for the topic to be discussed by the middle schoolers! High Schoolers will have the chance to hear from Greg Blevins on behalf of the Warinner Family Scholarship Fund; whether you are a freshman or a senior, there is important information to be had!
- January 18** 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Take a break from studying to come join your youth group friends for some food and fellowship at the Arby's at Regency Square. You have to eat! Why not eat with friends?!
- January 25** 1st Annual Presbyterian Bowl - This will be a chance for you to show off your bowling skills while also helping others. We will partner with Three Chopt Presbyterian Church for this fun event that will raise money to help those in need. More details to come!

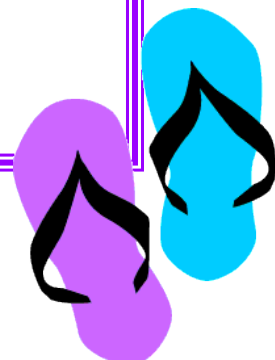
CONFIRMATION CLASS

We will begin the 2015 confirmation class with an orientation on January 4, 2015 at 4:30 p.m. for interested confirmands, parents and Covenant Partners. For the following weeks, we will dive into learning more about our faith, what it means to be a Christian, and what it means to join the church.

The confirmation class will then join the church on May 3, 2015. If you are in the 8th or 9th grade, and not yet confirmed, and are interested in being a part of this class and joining the church, please contact Sherry Flournoy at her email: sherryflournoy@comcast.net.

ATTENTION HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH

The High School Beach Retreat at Sandbridge will be February 13-16. Registration forms will be due Sunday, February 1st.



CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

LOOKING AHEAD IN CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

January 4 The Second Sunday after Christmas Day - Christmas / Epiphany Term begins in Sunday School. We welcome new teachers, assistants and snack server! Regular lessons in all classes. Library time, in addition to regular lesson, in Class of the Flames (2nd-3rd grades). Godly Play Children's Church during worship, following "Moments with the Children": story, scripture and work of "Epiphany".

January 11 Baptism of the Lord - Godly Play in Class of the Dove; library time and regular lesson in Class of the Font; regular lesson in Class of the Flames; and assembling lunches for Salvation Army Shelter, along with regular lesson, in Class of the Scripture.

January 18 Godly Play in Class of the Flames; regular lessons in other classes.

January 25 Regular lessons in all classes, in addition to library time in the Class of the Dove.

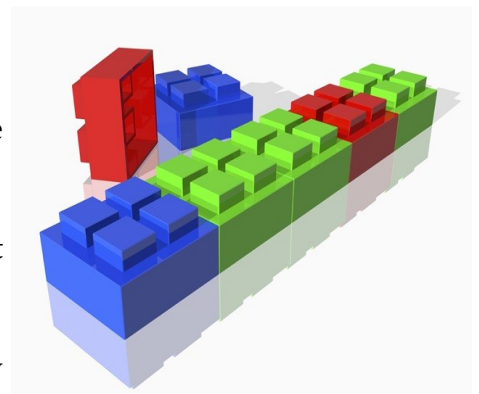
February 1 Godly Play Children's Church during worship, following "Moments with the Children".

Wednesday evenings Following dinner with our church family at 6:00, M&M Kids and Skittles gather for singing, drama, and other fun activities. Occasionally, the children join in with the adults for an intergenerational program. Join us!

Questions? Would you like to volunteer to help? Contact Becky Goode, Director of Children's Ministries: phone: 201-0571 and email: krebeccagoode@gmail.com

WISH LIST FOR CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL AND CHILDREN'S CHURCH

- ◆ Used cafeteria trays (for Godly Play)
- ◆ Flat pieces of corrugated cardboard, as in the base of a case of bottled water
- ◆ 6-pack boxes of Model Magic, "Natural Colors" (found at Michael's or A.C. Moore - 6 individual packs in a box)
- ◆ Basic Lego sets (small size, not Duplo) for oldest nursery group (age 4 -1st grade) and Godly Play



CHILDREN'S MINISTRIES

SEASONAL WORD MEANINGS ALL ABOUT EPIPHANY

The word "Epiphany" comes from the Greek word which means "showing forth, appearance, revelation, manifestation". Epiphany of the Lord is always celebrated on January 6, the day after the Twelve Days of Christmas. It proclaims the good news that Jesus revealed God to all humanity. When we see Christ, we are seeing God.

At Christmas, the Church celebrates the birth of Jesus, when God entered fully into the human experience. Epiphany takes the Christmas proclamation a step further. The divine revelation of Jesus was revealed to the world when the Magi came from far in the east. Jesus was no longer the newborn in a manger, but a toddler in a house.

Why three Magi, wise men, kings? The Bible doesn't tell us how many kings there were, but because three gifts are mentioned, the number of kings has been traditionally given as three.

Do the Magi have names? In the Bible, the Magi aren't named, but tradition holds their names to be Caspar, Melchoir, and Balthasar.

Why were the gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh given by the Magi to the Christ Child? Gold was a gift given to kings, because of its value and beauty. Frankincense was used in the Temple of God. People then, and in some churches today, burned frankincense as a way of showing that they hope their prayers will be lifted to God. First there is black smoke, and then when the smoke turns white there is a fragrance, a scent, that is released. This was a gift of worship. Myrrh was not a gift for an ordinary king. Myrrh was used to anoint the dead, burned at funerals, and placed with the dead for their burial. This was a gift for someone whose death would be important.

On Epiphany, and during the Time after Epiphany, our journey through the Mystery continues.



EPIPHANY AND TIME AFTER EPIPHANY THROUGH THE EYES OF A CHILD

What Jesus did and said helps us to know who God is and what God is doing for us:

Jesus called his friends to be with him and to help him in his work.

Jesus came for all the people of the world.

Jesus is like a light, helping us to see better.

We are baptized into God's family, the Church.

OUTREACH

Thanks to the many people who bought gifts and delivered them to families for the **Ministry of Prison Fellowship "Angel Tree" project.**

Once again, it was a huge success!

This project helps incarcerated men and women provide Christmas presents to their children who live in the Richmond area. These presents provide a tangible reminder to these children that their parent loves them even though they cannot be with them at Christmas. This year we sponsored 24 children from 12 families. Each child received two gifts, including toys and clothing. It is a heartwarming reminder of how our congregation reaches out to the community with such a generous spirit.

WANTED: TPC TEAM TO BUILD RAMP FOR PROJECT HOMES

Interested in a one-day, local outreach project? We need 8 Tuckahoe Volunteers to build a wheelchair ramp, under the guidance of a Project Homes supervisor. This 9 am to 1 pm, indoor project is done at PH's warehouse, and allows a ramp to be built to specs and stored until warmer weather, when it is put in place. This allows a Richmond-area resident to stay in his home and come and go as needed, thanks to you! This is a great way to chase away February cabin fever, as well as give back. One morning of your time will help another person move freely every day!

Contact Nancy Millsaps at 804-288-0996 or nhmillsaps@gmail.com to sign up. A sign up sheet will be on the Outreach Bulletin Board, near the mailboxes and the office.



THANK YOU FROM "HEARTH"

Thanks to all who contributed to the HEARTH Thanksgiving Box program this year. We prepared 19 boxes to help out those in our community who are less fortunate. As always, your compassion and generosity are greatly appreciated!



PRAYER REQUEST

Our Outreach Division's prayer emphasis for the month of January is our volunteers, under the guidance of Jennifer Albertson, that welcome and support our CARITAS guests in February. While guests did not come to Tuckahoe last year, welcoming them to our church has been a long time tradition for our congregation. It is an endeavor that requires many hands and hearts. Please give heartfelt consideration to where you can place your efforts to support this tradition at Tuckahoe.



CARITAS IS COMING BACK

We will welcome back the families who need shelter through the winter, provided by CARITAS, during the week of February 7-14, 2015. Many of you may remember that we provided a week of food, shelter, laundry services, and encouragement to homeless families in the past, previously around Thanksgiving. We are very pleased to be serving these needs in our coldest of months!

Look for a Volunteer Poster outside the Fellowship Hall during January Sundays after worship. During the week, that Volunteer Poster will be on the Outreach Bulletin Board, in the hall near the mailboxes and the office.

PLEASE SIGN UP TO HELP WITH DINNERS, OVERNIGHT SUPPORT, LAUNDRY, AND OTHER DUTIES.

This is a perfect example of many hands making light work! Invite friends for a cooking team, engage Sunday School classmates to assist in some aspect, or sign up in an open spot to help us with this effort. Your assistance can make this February warmer for these families who are in need of our Tuckahoe welcome!

Contact Jennifer Albertson at 804-615-5262 or jhalbertson@yahoo.com if you have questions.



MISSION TRIP INFO MEETING JANUARY 11TH

All who are interested in volunteering for our TPC Summer 2015 Mission Trip are encouraged to attend our Info session on January 11th, following worship in Room 106. This year's trip will be June 21-27, with a possible departure on June 20, depending on our final destination.

Whether you are a newcomer to this annual Mission effort, or an experienced hand, this meeting will outline plans for this summer's trip. We will continue to work with Appalachian Service Project to help those in need stay warmer, safer, and dryer. This summer, we will travel to Tennessee. In years past, TPC volunteers have been blessed by their work with ASP families. We have replaced rotten floors and walls, built ramps and porches, and made other home repairs. Our Mission Trip volunteers have given a lot through their work, but most will tell you they have received more in return. And the fun we have with each other, across generations, is a big plus.

If you have questions or want to sign up, please contact Nancy Millsaps at 288-0996, or email her at nhmillsaps@gmail.com. Sign up sheets will be posted on the Outreach Bulletin Board, located near the officer mailboxes in January.

OUTREACH

LIBERATION FAMILY SERVICES

For many years dedicated members of our Tuckahoe congregation prepared meals for families and individuals in the care and service of Freedom House Community Shelter. In May of 2013 insurmountable financial challenges caused Freedom House to close their doors. Liberation Family Services was gifted with the ability to acquire Freedom House and their building at 1201 Hull St. on Richmond's Southside. Liberation Family Services has continued Freedom House's 30-year mission of providing food, shelter and the power to change for individuals in crisis.

"LFS is fortunate that we were in a position where we could assume the programs within the scope of our original mission."

Today, Liberation Family Services (LFS) is focused on serving homeless veterans. Their primary goal is permanent housing and self-sufficiency. Their transitional housing program provides an opportunity for veterans to receive the services and support they need to rebuild their lives.

A member of the staff at LFS recently reached out to our Outreach Division to ask if we could commit to any of their available dates to provide dinner for the residences at their facility.

The Outreach Division is interested in helping LFS and the veterans they assist; but, we are looking to the congregation for additional support in the form of a cooking team to help provide a meal.

Twelve to fourteen members are needed to form a cooking team. We can provide dinner anywhere from 3 - 6 days in a 6 month period. The dates and number of times a year is still to be determined based on support.

If you are interested in being a member of this new cooking team or if you have questions please contact Shawna Shade, 266-8536 or shawnashade@verizon.net.

You can learn more about Liberation Family Services at; <http://www.lfsrichmond.com>. Thank you for your consideration of this call to our Outreach Division.



AROUND THE CHURCH



Fellowship Time

WON'T YOU HOST THE AFTER CHURCH FELLOWSHIP TIME?

Please consider serving as a host for our traditional after church fellowship time each Sunday. We encourage you to "keep it simple" ...just punch and cookies is fine!

There are instructions, if you have questions, on our web site under *News and Resources*. There is a brand new sign-up calendar in the hallway between the narthex and Duntreath Hall.

Many thanks to all who have hosted this past year. If you haven't done it before, grab a few friends, your Circle, your Sunday School Class or your family members and sign up!

AN OPPORTUNITY TO GLORIFY GOD

The lovely flowers in the worship service each week add beauty and meaning to our worship experience, glorifying God for his everlasting grace, and enhancing our spirit of "welcome." We ask you to prayerfully consider adding to your personal ministry

by bringing a part of God's colorful, "outdoor" world into our Sanctuary. A

thirty-five dollar donation will be sufficient. Also, know that your flowers will be delivered to members who cannot worship with us, brightening their home and reminding them that they are a blessing to us. In your dedication to God you may add the commemoration of anyone special to you, if you wish. Please call the church office, 282-2860, soon to reserve your Sunday.



CHANCEL FLOWERS

CONGRATULATIONS!!

Congratulations to Steve and Dianne St. John on the birth of their twin granddaughters, Madison Estelle and Olivia Ruth born on December 10th.

Congratulations to Bob and Linda Ramsey on the birth of their granddaughter, Genevieve Claire Ramsey (Evie), born December 22 in Ashburn, VA to Taylor and Susan Ramsey.

Congratulations to Stan and Donna Sauer on the birth of their grandson, Xander Louis Roberson on December 23rd to Dr. and Ms. Rowland Roberson in Asheville, NC.

Congratulations to Joan Neff and family on the birth of her granddaughter Drew Susan Perry Gurney born on Christmas Day in Colorado Spring, CO to Patrick and Hilary Gurney.

A Grandchild fills
a space in your



that you never
knew was empty

AROUND THE CHURCH

FROM PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Many thanks to all who helped to make the Christmas luncheon a festive occasion.

Circle meetings will resume the week of January 5th. All women are welcome. Contact Becky Theuer at 364-8161 for more information.



A HUGE THANK YOU!

The Stewardship and Finance Division of Session would like to express its gratitude to Laura Kewer for her three years of service to Tuckahoe as our Assistant Treasurer.

In that role Laura has been responsible for maintaining accurate records of all financial contributions made by members. As part of that responsibility she generated quarterly statements for members so they could confirm what they had donated to that point in the year. She has been a key resource in the prediction of the total donations of our members based on pledge cards received, history, and current trends. It is the tradition of Tuckahoe that only the Assistant Treasurer is privy to the membership financial records. She has performed these tasks in a first class manner. We all appreciate her quality service.!

John Flournoy has agreed to serve as Assistant Treasurer as of January 1.

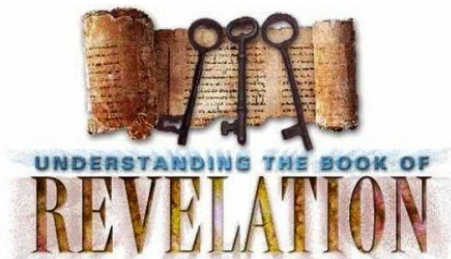


We extend our Christian sympathy and prayers for God's comfort to Jim Thornhill and his family upon the death of his mother, Carolyn Bishop Thornhill, on December 19th in Beckley, WV.

We also extend our Christian sympathy and prayers for God's comfort to the family of Betty Jo Lee who passed away on December 29th. Plans for a memorial service are not yet complete.

HAVE YOU EVER READ THE BOOK OF REVELATION?

The answer to this question for most Christians is "no". It might be because of its strange, apocalyptic imagery. So for us, the question is should we read it? We'll explore this question as we consider what the book might have meant to the earliest Christians and what it might mean to us as Christians today. This Bible study is one of three options you can choose for your Wednesday night programming on January 14, 21 or 28.



FOOD & FELLOWSHIP

NEW PROGRAMMING FOR WEDNESDAY NIGHTS!

Forget cooking and join your church family and friends on Wednesday nights for dinner and new program options. At least one Wednesday a month, a group program will be offered. On the other Wednesdays, you may choose to be a part of Patrick's Bible study, or join Sarah Dennis and Sarah Morgan (a/k/a/ "the Sarah's") for a faith in films program, or enjoy the fellowship of others while you read, work on a craft, or just catch up on the week's events.



<u>DATE</u>	<u>MENU</u>	<u>PROGRAM & LOCATION</u>	<u>PROGRAM CHOICES</u>
January 7	Covered Dish	Annual Chinese Gift Exchange in Duntreath Hall	Bring a wrapped gift to re-gift and enjoy the fun and strategy of the gift exchange!
January 14	Cooking Team 3- Chicken and Wild Rice Casserole, Hot Fruit, Green Salad, Rolls, and Dessert	We'll begin our new "multiple choice" programming:	
January 21	Meat loaf, mac & cheese, salad, rolls & dessert		
January 28	Tuckahoe's Cooking Team 2		

FAITH IN FILM

We live in a culture where we are bombarded with images. At least once a day, most of us watch TV...the news, a show, a movie. Film, in all its forms, has a huge impact on our lives, and our faith. The way we understand who God is, who our culture is saying God is and how we relate to each other as people made in God's image are all relationships and dimensions that are explored in film. Each week we will discuss a film from it's theological and faith application perspective. We will pick our films in advance, so we will not actually watch them in class, but our discussion will be based on the preselected film. Our first film will be *Stranger Than Fiction* (2006), starring Will Ferrell, Emma Thompson and Dustin Hoffman.

This study is one of three options you can choose for your Wednesday night programming on January 14, 21 or 28.

FROM STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

To: Fellow Church Members
From: Dick Mateer, Church Treasurer

Since the end of our church's fiscal year is at hand, I would like to make our membership aware of the church's financial status for 2014, as well as to share the results of our recent stewardship campaign and its impact on the 2015 operating budget. The first thing that must be said is a loud THANK YOU! As of the end of November, the church had received \$425,826.37 in gifts toward the budgeted figure of \$460,500.00 (92.5%) in envelope contributions. Since income through November exceeded expenses by \$3,393.77 the Stewardship & Finance Division of Session believes we should finish on the positive side of the ledger.

Local writer, Jim Doherty, recently published his book, Finish Strong, in which he encourages us to stay involved and contributing to society, particularly as we age. It is my hope that all members of our congregation will consider using Jim's directive and "finish strong" with respect to completing their financial commitment. We also will be appreciative and thankful for those additional financial gifts provided.

Our stewardship campaign for 2015, "Consider the Impact," gave rise to 147 pledging units (couples or singles) who indicated they would provide \$456,061 in envelope contributions. We would like to point out that during 2014 a number of members who were pledging units joined the church triumphant. Nevertheless, we have more pledging units for 2015. There are members who prefer not to announce their financial commitment, yet do provide financial gifts. There will be individuals who enjoy worshipping with us and elect to join Tuckahoe. Finally, there will be guests who attend one or more worship services. All told, the Stewardship & Finance Division believes the envelope contributions will total approximately \$466,541. We anticipate other income from the use of our facilities by outside groups, loose offering, and bank interest to provide \$13,459. Finally, we will transfer \$11,144 from the church's Reserve Fund to create the Operating Budget for 2015 of \$491,144.

If you have questions about any of this information, please feel free to contact me by email (rmateer@richmond.edu) or by phone (270-6932).

FROM STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

TUCKAHOE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

<u>Administration/Personnel Division</u>	\$338,517
Staff Compensation and Benefits	
Insurance	
Office Equipment/Maintenance	
Office Supplies/Postage	
Telephone/Web/Internet	
Training/Background Checks/Admin Support/Child Care	
Stock Commissions/Service Charges	
Financial Review	
Stephen Ministry	
<u>Christian Formation Division</u>	15,000
Children/Youth Ministries	
Curriculum/Education Supplies	
Fellowship	
Library/AV	
DCM Cont. Ed/Special Projects	
All Church Retreat/Wednesday Night Suppers	
<u>Outreach Division</u>	11,827
Missionary Support	
Presbyterian Related Organizations (e.g. Camp Hanover)	
Mission Trip	
Community Ministries	
<u>Stewardship/Finance Division</u>	600
Contribution Envelopes	
Stewardship Luncheon/Miscellaneous	
<u>Property Division</u>	90,000
Utilities	
General Repair & Maintenance/Service Contracts	
Supplies	
Cleaning Services	
<u>Worship/Membership Division</u>	4,400
Membership Initiatives/Publicity-Banners	
Music/Guest Musicians/Pulpit Guests	
Flowers & Candles/Sound System/Worship Resources	
Communion	
<u>Higher Courts</u>	30,800
General Assembly, Synod, Presbytery of the James	
Theological Education	
TOTAL	\$491,144



JANUARY 2015 CALENDAR

TPC Events, Adult Education, Birthdays, Children's Ministry, Community Events, Outreach Events, TPC Events, TPC Meetings, Worship and Music Ministry, Youth Ministry, Holidays in United States Jan 2015 (Eastern Time)

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
<p>9:30am - Sunday</p> <p>11am - Sunday Worship</p> <p>12pm - After Church</p> <p>12:30pm - Warinner</p> <p>4:30pm - Confirmation</p> <p>6pm - Youth Group-1st</p>	<p>3pm - Swing Band @</p> <p>7pm - Circle 2 @ Ruth</p>	<p>11am - Circle 1 @ Room</p> <p>7pm - (No title) @</p> <p>7pm - Richmond POPS</p>	<p>9:30am - Staff Meeting</p> <p>5:30pm - KMD Bells</p> <p>6pm - WNS Supper &</p> <p>6:30pm - M & M Kids;</p> <p>7:30pm - HandBells @</p> <p>7:30pm - VA Terrier</p>	<p>New Year's Day</p> <p>Office Closed</p> <p>8pm - AA meetings @</p> <p>7am - Men's Bible</p> <p>7:30pm - Chancel Choir</p> <p>8pm - AA meetings @</p>	<p>10:30am - Meals on</p>	<p>10</p>
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<p>9:30am - New Member</p> <p>9:30am - Sunday</p> <p>11am - Confirmation</p> <p>11am - Sunday</p> <p>12pm - After Church</p> <p>12:30pm - BP Check @</p> <p>12:30pm - Mission Trip</p> <p>4:30pm - Confirmation</p>	<p>1pm - Tuckahoe Artist</p> <p>3pm - Swing Band @</p> <p>4pm - SPARC @ Rooms</p> <p>6:15pm - Advanced</p> <p>7pm - Christian</p> <p>7pm - Outreach</p>	<p>4:30pm - SPARC @</p> <p>5:30pm - Emergency</p> <p>7pm - Richmond POPS</p> <p>7pm - Stewardship</p>	<p>9:30am - Staff Meeting</p> <p>5pm - Fellowship</p> <p>5:30pm - KMD Bells</p> <p>6pm - WNS Supper &</p> <p>6:30pm - M & M Kids;</p> <p>7pm - Worship/Member</p> <p>7:30pm - HandBells @</p> <p>7:30pm - Property</p>	<p>7am - Men's Bible</p> <p>9:30am - Lamb's</p> <p>7:30pm - Chancel Choir</p> <p>8pm - AA meetings @</p>	<p>10:30am - Meals on</p>	<p>16</p> <p>17</p> <p>9am - SPARC @ Rooms</p>
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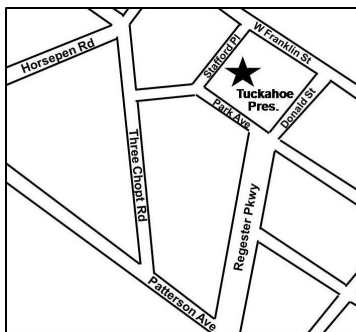
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