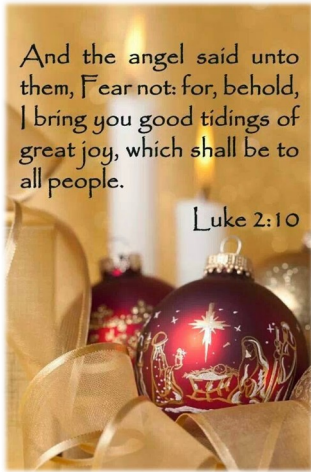


And the angel said unto them, Fear not: for, behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people.

Luke 2:10



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Special points of interest:

- CPC Supper Club
- We Care Food Drive
- Women's Christmas Party
- Officer Elections



SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20 — HANGING OF THE GREENS AT 9:00 AM

Everyone is encouraged to come and participate in decorating the church for Christmas! Families are invited to make this a fun morning of service together. Friday, Nov. 19 from 3:00-5:00 PM, we could use help unpacking and fluffing bows for Saturday.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28 — 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Worship Service at 9:30 AM featuring the Worship Choir. Sunday School at 10:45 AM

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 5 — 2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT/COMMUNION

Worship Service at 9:30 AM featuring the Worship Choir. Sunday School at 10:45 AM

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12 — 3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT/OFFICER ELECTIONS

Worship Service at 9:30 AM featuring the Worship Choir. Sunday School at 10:45 AM

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19 — 4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

Worship Service at 9:30 AM with special music by the Children's Choir. Sunday School at 10:45 AM

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24 — CHRISTMAS EVE

➤ CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE AT 5:00 PM

Take your Poinsettias!

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25 — CHRISTMAS DAY

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26

Worship Service at 9:30 AM. No Sunday School. Take your Poinsettias!

➤ DOWNING OF THE BROWNS—IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE SERVICE

MONDAY, DECEMBER 27

➤ CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED

OFFICER ELECTIONS — SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12

An important Congregational Meeting is scheduled for Sunday, December 12, during the 9:30 AM worship service to elect Elders & Deacons. Please make plans to attend this important meeting.



CPC SUPPER CLUB 2022 SIGN UP NOW!

It's time to sign up for CPC Supper Clubs for 2022. Get to know your brothers and sisters in Christ by dining together next year. **Sign up by December 15** with Lauren Dunn (mdunn2001@sc.rr.com, 803-345-1681 or text 803-513-0515).

WELCOME TO KAYCE SMITH OUR NEW CHILDREN'S DIRECTOR

I was saved at a young age, but it wasn't until my freshman year of college that I truly surrendered my life to Christ. I began to study God's Word daily and grow much deeper in relationship with Him. I married my husband Tim in 2007 and we have four sweet kids together- Bauer (12), Miles (10), Adele (7), and Tripp (5). We moved to Chapin earlier this year to be closer to family, and are currently building a home right next door to my Mom and Pops. I love being a wife and mom to the glory of God, love laughing with friends, long coffee dates, shopping,



french fries, chocolate chip cookies, and having dance parties with my kids. I am so humbled and excited that God has entrusted me with the precious children at Chapin Pres, and am looking forward to serving Him and all of you in the time to come. Soli Deo Gloria!

—Kayce Smith

WELCOME TO DANIEL TWEITO OUR NEW AUDIOVISUAL DIRECTOR

We are excited to welcome Daniel to CPC as our Audio Visual Director. He has extensive experience in sound production for churches. Daniel and his wife, Denise, live in Irmo. They have 2 grown boys and daughter-in-laws, and five grandchildren. Look for Daniel in our sound booth on Sunday mornings.



Please take a decoration from the Giving Tree located in the Main Hall (beginning Sunday, November 28) for Newberry Boy's Farm and other families in need in our community and **return as soon as possible (gifts under the tree and gift cards to the church office.)** Thanks for always generously supporting this important ministry.



SAMARITAN'S PURSE OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

**PLEASE RETURN YOUR FILLED
SHOEBOXES BY
NOVEMBER 21**

MISSION TRIP OPPORTUNITIES FOR 2022

ECUADOR MISSION TRIP—MAY 7-13, 2022

Short term mission trip with The Pates in Ecuador. 9 slots available. **Deadline to sign up is Sunday, Nov. 14.** Cost: \$640 plus airfare. Contact: Don & Dolly Montgomery (803-345-1957, hjmontgo22@gmail.com).

KEY WEST — MARCH 22-30, 2022

Short term mission trip with Mission of Hope in Key West. Cost around \$500 depending if team drives or flies. Sleeping and most meals would be on a ship named "True North" or in 2 partnering churches. Plenty of slots available. **Deadline to sign up is Sunday, Nov. 28.** Contact: Doug Roberts (803-260-1635, drdoug19@bellsouth.net).



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News & Events:

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE FOR WE CARE THROUGH NOVEMBER 21 WE CARE COLLECTION BOXES ARE LOCATED IN THE MAIN HALL

We Care will give out **Thanksgiving food baskets** to families this year. **Items needed:** Canned green beans, instant mashed potatoes, turkey gravy mix, canned sweet potatoes, canned cranberry sauce, boxed stuffing. If you would like to donate a ham or turkey, please contact Sean Cassidy (803-276-4716 or sean.cassidy6@icloud.com) to arrange delivery to We Care.



Greeter Ministry

DOOR GREETER DEC. SCHEDULE — 9:30 AM

1st Sunday — Bill & Gail Calhoun
2nd Sunday — Weston & Beth Curtis
3rd Sunday — John & Frances Derrick
4th Sunday — Luke & Betsy Bonnett & Family

RECEPTION DESK DEC. SCHEDULE — 9:30 AM

1st Sunday — Sheila Sargent
2nd Sunday — Steve & Retta Yandle
3rd Sunday — TBD
4th Sunday — Judy Weathersbee



SAVE THE DATE
SAINTLY SENIORS
VALENTINES' DINNER
FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 6:00 PM
We hope to see you there!



DEC. 1	Fran Campbell Jose Correa Dave Herndon Robyn McCaskill	DEC. 12	Terry Stoker	DEC. 28	Mike Campbell
DEC. 2	Andrea Looney Layton Stauffer	DEC. 13	Jim Hanna	DEC. 29	Elizabeth Bonnett
DEC. 3	Karis Kubacz Johnnie Looney	DEC. 14	Dede Fischer Clara Timmons Millie Tyler	DEC. 31	Lisa Campbell Audrey Taylor Keith Wilkes
DEC. 4	Toney Higbe Lee Parker	DEC. 18	Benjamin Bonnett Zelle Thomas Joseph Timmons		
DEC. 6	Jason Vick	DEC. 20	Bill McMillin		
DEC. 8	Abbey Carmody	DEC. 22	Judy Seals		
DEC. 9	Kim Seals	DEC. 23	Savannah West		





HISKidZ News

The HISKidZ memory verse is **Psalm 135:5-6** "I know that the Lord is great; our Lord is greater than all gods. The Lord does whatever He pleases in heaven and on earth, in the seas and all the depths." The preschool version is **"The Lord is great."**

Here's a link to a song that will help your children hide this in their hearts:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tWGuAWaSM5w>

Here is our upcoming schedule of lessons:

- 11/21: Melchizedek blessed Abraham, Genesis 14, Hebrews 5:7
- 11/28: God provided Isaac, Genesis 21-11

Our memory verse for December is Isaiah 9:6 "For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon His shoulder, and His name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."

Here's a link to help learn this one: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kO-5_IROLxg

Lessons for December will center on our saviors birth.

- 12/05: Gabriel visits Mary
- 12/12: Joseph's Dream
- 12/21: Angels visit the shepherds
- 12/26: Wise men visit Jesus

The Hanging of the Greens is at 9:00am on Saturday morning, November 20th. HISKidZ have a tradition of making ornaments and decorating the 'Names of Jesus' tree in the family center. We will also be doing a service project, making ornaments for our homebound members and neighbors. All children through 6th grade are invited to join us, along with their parents. Let me know if your family plans on coming. Jackiel@chapinpres.com

I love you! -Mrs. Jackie



We have had some awesome children's sermons in November! Hope to see you all this Sunday.



GRAVITY (5-6th grade ministry)

"Draw near to God and He will draw near to you."

—James 4:8

Sunday morning lessons:

- 11/21: Peter the Rock
- 11/28: The Hypocrites-Pharisees

In **December** the lessons will center around **Advent**.

GRAVITY NOVEMBER/DECEMBER SCHEDULE:

- 11/21: GTime at CPC from 5-7 pm
- 11/28: Gravity at The Cooper's Home from 4:45—6:45 pm
- 12/5: **December Service Project**—we will be making cards and putting together stockings for our homebound members.
- 12/12: **Gravity Christmas Celebration** from 5-7 PM. All 5th-6th graders are welcome to come to Gravity and bring friends, too!
- NO GRAVITY on December 19th or 26th.** We will not meet over the holidays.



Livestreaming from our Website: go to www.chapinpres.org and click on media tab for livestream.

Online Giving is available through our church website www.chapinpres.org, Realm Connect on your phone, or by texting 73256 and entering chapinpres.

CHARITABLE CONTRIBUTIONS FOR 2021

All charitable contributions must be received in the church office or postmarked by **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 30 at 4:00 PM** in order for them to be counted for 2021. Thank you!



Student Ministry Stuff: (Mark your calendars)



SMALL GROUPS

Small groups are studying Romans. Below are the dates / times of each group:

- Tuesdays 7:00-8:30 pm: Middle School Guys
- Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 pm: High School Guys
- Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 pm: High School Ladies & Middle School Ladies

NO SMALL GROUPS:

Wednesday, Nov. 24 (Thanksgiving)

Wednesdays, Dec. 22—Jan. 12 (Winter Break)

For more information about our student ministry email Mitch Van Thof, Student Ministry Director at mitch@chapinpres.com

ReFormed Community Night! (7th-12th grade)

Sunday nights from 5-7 PM

Join us as we continue our study in Genesis.
Bring a friend for fun and fellowship!

NO RCN on Nov. 21, Nov. 28 and Dec. 26

ReFormed Christmas Party at The Huggins Home Saturday, December 11—Time TBD

- Dinner
- Bonfire and S'mores
- White Elephant Gift Exchange (\$10 limit)
- Wear your Ugly Christmas Sweater
- A short encouragement from God's word.

We hope you all can join us for a fun Christmas celebration and bring a friend!



MARK YOUR CALENDARS! CMS & CHS CONCERTS AT CPC

CHAPIN MIDDLE SCHOOL CHORUS CONCERT

Tuesday, December 6 @ 7:00 PM

CHAPIN HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS WINTER CONCERT

Friday, December 10 @ 7:30 PM

ALL IN THE FAMILY

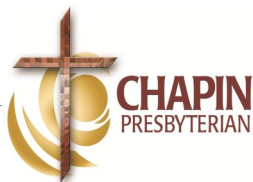
Oh my, I am afraid you are going to get tired of hearing it but once again I have nothing but gratitude for many! Thank you, thank you and thank you to all of you who answered the call on short notice and brought food for the reception for the Musick family following the Memorial Service for Tim. We even sent a goodie bag home with the family.

And then the day after the reception was Anniversary Sunday. What a wonderful crowd we had, more than ever. I am sorry that I didn't order quite enough food but I hope you all had a good time. Once again my heart is filled with gratitude for all of you who helped with so much; from putting tablecloths on tables to setting up and cutting desserts, to cleaning up afterwards and wiping and folding all those tablecloths, and finally the dismal task of doing the dishes! THANK YOU!!!!

And finally, as we approach Thanksgiving, I thank the Lord practically every day for the wonderful privilege, pleasure and blessing that He gives me in being able to work with you all; my joy is abundant!

Happy Thanksgiving! —Helen





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**Duty Deacons
for December**
Will Culler & Guy Gierhart



WE CARE ITEMS MOST NEEDED:

Jam/Jelly, Canned corn, Pork & beans/Baked beans, Canned peas, Chili beans, Soup (all sizes), Pancake mix/syrup, Corn muffin mix, Ramen noodles, Oatmeal. They also always need laundry detergent, paper products & personal toiletries. Thank you!



**The Church Office will be
closed on Monday, December 27
for Christmas.**

CPC STAFF INFORMATION:

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CPC Highlights of the Month:

SUNDAY—NOVEMBER 28

1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:30 A Worship Service (Each Sunday Morning)
10:45 A Sunday School (For all ages)
4:00 P Communicants Class
4:45 P Gravity Service Project (5th-6th grades) @ The Coopers

WEDNESDAY—DECEMBER 1

9:00 A Retired Men's Bible Study/RM 134 (Each Wednesday)
9:30 A Women of the Word Bible Study (Each Wednesday)
2:00 P Women's Exercise Class/FC (Each Wednesday)
6:00 P Worship Choir/WC (Each Wed.)
6:30 P ReFormed Small Groups/MS & HS Ladies (7th-12th grades) (Each Wed.)
6:30 P ReFormed Small Groups/HS Guys (7th-12th grades) (Each Wed.)
7:30 P Praise Team Rehearsal/WC (Each Wed.)

SATURDAY—DECEMBER 4

11:00 A Women' Christmas Brunch/FC

SUNDAY—DECEMBER 5

2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT & COMMUNION

9:30 A Worship Service (Each Sunday Morning)
10:45 A Sunday School (For all ages)
4:00 P Communicants Class
5:00 P ReFormed (7th-12th grades) (Each Sunday)
5:00 P Gravity Service Project (5th-6th grades)

MONDAY—DECEMBER 6

4:00 P CMS Chorus Rehearsal/WC
6:00 P Session Meeting

TUESDAY—DECEMBER 7

7:00 P CMS Chorus Concert/WC
7:00 P ReFormed Small Groups/MS Guys (7th-12th grades) (Each Tues.)

WEDNESDAY—DECEMBER 8

Regular Wednesday Schedule

THURSDAY—DECEMBER 9

4:00 P CHS Chorus Rehearsal/WC

FRIDAY—DECEMBER 10

7:30 P CHS Chorus Concert/WC

SATURDAY—DECEMBER 11

ReFormed Christmas Party/The Huggins (Time TBD)

SUNDAY—DECEMBER 12

3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT & OFFICER ELECTION

9:30 A Worship Service (Each Sunday Morning)
10:45 A Sunday School (For all ages)
5:00 P ReFormed Community Night (7th-12th grades) (Each Sunday night)
5:00 P Gravity Christmas Celebration (5th-6th grades)

MONDAY—DECEMBER 13

6:30 P Diaconate Meeting
6:30 P Women Seeking God Bible Study/Takachs (2nd & 4th Mondays)

WEDNESDAY—DECEMBER 15

Regular Wednesday Schedule

SUNDAY—DECEMBER 19

4TH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:30 A Worship Service (Each Sunday Morning)
10:45 A Sunday School (For all ages)
5:00 P ReFormed (7th-12th grades)

MONDAY—DECEMBER 20

7:00 P MTW Committee (3rd Monday every month)

FRIDAY—DECEMBER 24

CHRISTMAS EVE

5:00 P Christmas Eve Service/WC

SUNDAY—DECEMBER 26

Regular Sunday Morning Schedule

MONDAY—DECEMBER 27

Church Office Closed

TUESDAY—DECEMBER 28

6:30 P Facilities Committee Meeting/RM 134

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