CLEMMONS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH // OCTOBER 25 2026

WEEKLY NEWS AND NOTES

BLESSED BY GIVING: MAKE YOUR 2027 PLEDGE

Our 2026 Stewardship Campaign, "Blessed by Giving from All We Have Received," began on October 11. More than an invitation to make a financial commitment, this season of stewardship is an opportunity to reflect on God's abundant gifts in our lives and to consider how we can faithfully share those blessings through the ministries of Clemmons Presbyterian Church. As you prayerfully consider your giving pledge for the coming year, we invite you to reflect on the many ways God has blessed your life and how your gifts can help extend those same blessings to others. You may return your pledge card during worship on Pledge Sunday, November 8 or submit your pledge online at **www.clemmonspresbyterian.org/EOG**. Your pledge, regardless of the amount, provides the foundation that allows our session and ministry leaders to faithfully plan and budget for another year of ministry and mission. Thank you for your generosity, your faith, and your love for Clemmons Presbyterian Church.

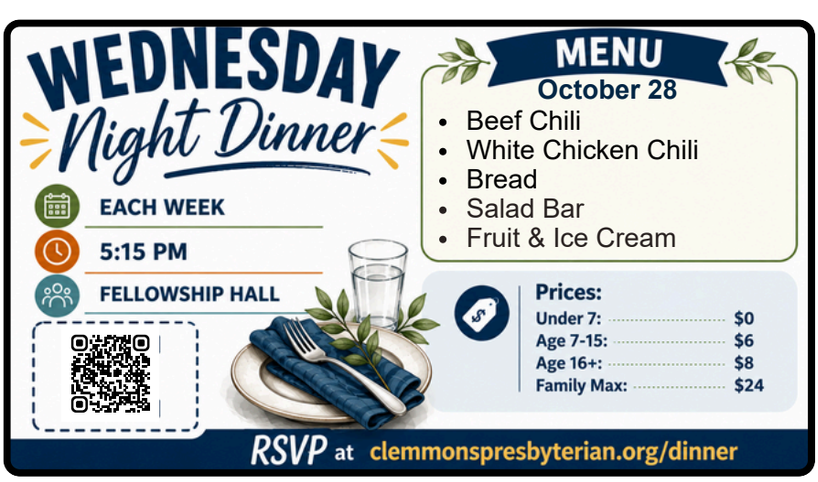
CPC WORKDAY

The fall cleanup day is Saturday, **October 31** from 8am-12pm. Outdoor work will include trimming bushes, spreading mulch, and pulling weeds. Please bring wheelbarrows, flat shovels, pitchforks, gloves, leaf blowers, hedge clippers, and anything else you think is needed. Indoors we will be cleaning tables, windows, and doors in the 100 building. Cleaning supplies will be furnished. Pizza will be served at noon! Please come out and help; “Many hands make light work”, as John Heywood said in 1546.

BLOOD DRIVE

American Red Cross

Our next blood drive is Thursday, **November 12**, 2:30-7:00 pm.
We have quite a few unfilled appointments this close to the drive. Please consider giving the gift of life. Our next drive after that is January 7. For an appointment to either drive you may contact Sam Boger (336-830-4034 phone/text, sboger262@gmail.com). You can also sign up at www.redcrossblood.org or on the Red Cross donor app.



CPC FAITH FAMILY TO REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Arbor Acres: Vicki Howie

Bermuda Commons: Nancy Shelton

Harmony at Brookberry Farm: Charlie and Nancy Stone

Kate B. Reynolds Hospice Home: Cynthia Nance

Faith Family: Rachel Moss, Michael Cooper, Eve Shaw, Willie Garvin, Ellen Hertz, Cat Hutchison, Terry Holt, Ken Lynde, Jan Royer

An **extended list** of prayer concerns is available online via a link included in the Highlights email each Friday, by scanning the QR code, and on paper in the narthex.

We grieve with those who have lost loved ones this year.

GOOTH: MIDDLE AND HIGH SCHOOL

Upcoming events:

Oct 25- Dinner / Bible study / games in the GOOTH room!

Nov 1 - Outdoor movie night @ Andy’s house! (address in emails)

Nov 8 - TOAST walk @ Tanglewood (please RSVP, we have tickets for 4 cars)

In addition, please make sure you are receiving GOOTH communications (texts, emails, etc) because sometimes events change due to weather, attendance, or other circumstances.

Questions?
Please reach out to Kaylee Hilston (khilston@clemmonspresbyterian.org) or youth elder Brittany Harold (bmcgowan224@gmail.com)

NEED A RIDE TO THE POLLS?

Ride Share volunteers are offering rides to and from the polls on Election Day, Tuesday, **November 3**. To request a ride please contact Linda Showers at 336-416-5403.

NOVEMBER NEW MEMBER CLASS

New to CPC and want to learn more about our church family? Come join us for our next new member class on Sunday, **November 15 and 22** at 9:00 am in the parlor. Please call the church office if you have any questions.

VETERANS DAY BRUNCH AND RECOGNITION

On Sunday, **November 8**, we will recognize and celebrate our veterans and active military members following worship in the fellowship hall.
If you have served or are currently serving, please share with us:

- Your branch and years of service
- A photo of you in uniform, if available
- A short bio or reflection about your military experience
- Whether you'd be willing to briefly share your story at the event

We'll enjoy brunch provided by the fellowship committee, fellowship, and patriotic music led by pianist Joni Hanna. We'd also love volunteers to join a "Congregational Patriotic Choir" to help lead the music! **Please RSVP by November 1 at clemmonspresbyterian.org/signup**.

TWO CHURCHES, ONE JOYFUL AFTERNOON OF MUSIC

Join us on Sunday, **November 15**, at 4:00 pm for a special afternoon of beautiful choral and handbell music!
The Clemmons Presbyterian Church Sanctuary Choir and Sanctuary Bells will join with the Clemmons First Baptist Church Choir for a musical collaboration celebrating the joy of music. The concert will take place at Clemmons Presbyterian Church, Admission is free, and a free-will offering will be received. Childcare will be provided. We hope you'll join us for this wonderful afternoon of music and fellowship! All are welcome, so invite your friends, family, and neighbors!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Operation Christmas Child (OCC) is underway at CPC! Its mission is to spread God's love to children around the world in a tangible way. All shoeboxes have been claimed. Please fill shoeboxes with personal items, toys, and school supplies (see brochure or Operation Christmas Child | Shoebox Outreach of Samaritan's Purse for more information.) After you fill the shoebox, stick the label (found inside your shoebox) on top of the box. A $10 donation is requested with each shoebox to help cover shipping, materials, and processing. You may choose to place $10.00 cash in the shoebox to be collected or you may choose to pay the $10.00 online. Please pray over your box. When you scan the QR code on the label you will be able to track the destination of your box. Shoeboxes can be dropped off anytime **before November 15** and placed back on the table in the atrium hallway. Bridget Hollomon is the project leader for CPC. Feel free to contact her with any needs or questions. Thank you for your support!

THIS WEEK AT CPC

SUNDAY 10/25

9:00 am Faith Formation (Sunday School)
10:00 am Worship Service (In-Person & Online)
11:15 am New Member & Outreach Committee (Room 206)
5:30 pm GOOTH

MONDAY 10/26

10:30 am Genesis Study (Bermuda Village)
6:00 pm Officer Training (Room 206)

TUESDAY 10/27

7:00 pm AA (Old Fellowship Hall)
8:00 pm Al-Anon (GOOTH Room)

WEDNESDAY 10/28

5:15 pm Joyful Noise (Room 211)
5:15 pm Wednesday Night Dinner (Fellowship Hall)
6:15 pm Music Makers (Room 213)
6:15 pm Handbell Choir (Handbell Room)
7:15 pm Sanctuary Choir (Sanctuary)

THURSDAY 10/29

10:00 am Women's Bible Study (Room 206)

FRIDAY 10/30

7:00 pm AA (Old Fellowship Hall)

SATURDAY 10/31

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Fall Church Workday

SUNDAY 11/1 ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY

9:00 am Faith Formation (Sunday School)
10:00 am Worship Service (In-Person & Online)
4:30 pm Officer Training (Room 206)
5:30 pm GOOTH