



**Wilmington
Island
Presbyterian
Church**



Congratulations to:

Carla Moore, Richard Potts & Judy Walker
who were elected by the congregation this past Sunday
to serve as Elders on the Session.

and

Courtney Cox, Clare Utter, Diane Warren & Doug Nilsen
who were elected by the congregation
to serve as Deacons on the Deaconate.

And thanks to:

Elders Rhoda Voth & Dave Purvis
who are rotating off the Session,
and

Deacons Bill Harwood, J Wade & Zack Hoffman
who are rotating off the Deaconate.

Year-end Giving Opportunities

- As 2024 draws to a close, please remember the church in your **year-**

end giving plans. Your gifts to the General Fund will help ensure that we close the year (and begin 2025) on a positive note!

- The Mission Committee invites you to participate in the **Christmas Joy Offering** this year. This Presbyterian Church (USA) offering supports current and retired church workers and their families who have critical financial needs as well as racial-ethnic colleges and universities with ties to the Presbyterian Church (USA).
- The Personnel Committee invites you make a gift to the **Staff Appreciation Fund** as a way to say "*thank you*" for all our dedicated staff members do week-in, week-out, to serve God and our congregation.

Tithes, gifts & offerings can be made by using the on-line giving portal below, by mailing them to the church or by dropping them in the offering plate during worship. Please make sure your gifts are properly designated so that they get to the right recipients. **All gifts must be received (or post-marked) by December 31st** in order to be credited to this year for tax purposes.

2025 Giving

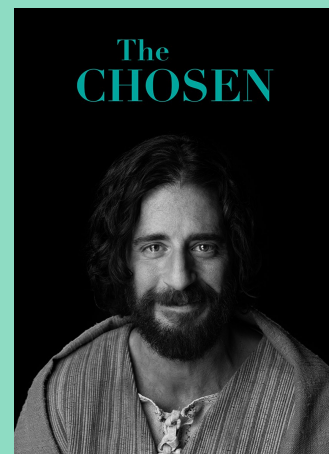
Don't forget to turn in/drop off/mail your pledge cards for 2025. By sharing your giving plans, you will help the Session as it seeks to be a good steward of our church's resources. Thank you in advance for your faithfulness!

The 2025 Offering Envelopes are located in the Narthex for anyone who has made a pledge. If you have any questions, please contact our church accountant, Christelle Giovannini, or the church office.

Online Giving

Our Adult Sunday School class has been watching and discussing episodes of ***The Chosen***, a television series depicting the life of Jesus and the Disciples based on the Gospel accounts (with a bit of creative license). **I believe it to be a wonderful tool to grow and expand your faith.**

If you have extra time off over the holidays, use some of it to watch ***The Chosen***. I might even encourage you to binge watch it (ask your grandkids if you don't know what that means...) which will get you hooked in and help you to be able to distinguish Andrew from John from Nathaniel. The link below will take you to the official website (sanctioned by the producers) which contains all the episodes from seasons 1-4, as well as a special episode on the very first Christmas and a teaser from season 5.



So, if you are tired of watching reruns of *Elf*, *A Christmas Story* and *Christmas Vacation*, tune in to **The Chosen**. You'll be glad you did. And then join us in January for Sunday School as we pick with season 3, episode 2

Andy

The Chosen



WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS

The *Kitchen Angels* are taking a break for the holidays. They will be back on January 8th with a special New Year's feast of:
Roast Pork, Black-eyed Peas, Collard Greens and Potatoes
(prepared by Rhoda Voth)

The 2025 Faith Enrichment Committee of The Savannah Presbytery
INVITES YOU TO ATTEND OUR
FAITH ENRICHMENT CONFERENCE
THRIVE
REVITALIZE ♦ ENERGIZE ♦ SPIRITUALIZE
FEBRUARY 21-22, 2025
Early Bird Pricing until January 8th



KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Rev. Dr. Graham Standish
Author of
"Becoming a Blessed Church:
Forming a Church of Spiritual Purpose,
Presence, and Power"

WORKSHOPS INCLUDED:

IMAGINE TOGETHER: THE SYNOD OF SOUTH ATLANTIC	OFFICER TRAINING	CHRISTIAN EDUCATION
PREACHING WORKSHOP	SPIRITUALITY PRACTICES	AND MORE...

EPWORTH BY THE SEA | ST. SIMONS ISLAND, GA

Make plans to take part in the **Savannah Presbytery's Faith Enrichment Conference as part of our church's delegation February 21-22, 2025** at beautiful Epworth by the Sea on Saint Simons Island. Several of our members attend every year so carpool options should be available. Enjoy worship, inspirational keynotes and energizing workshops with our siblings from across our presbytery and synod. Early Bird pricing ends on January 8th. **For details on workshops, the schedule, or to register click the button below!**

2025 Faith Enrichment Conference

Check out happenings within Savannah Presbytery:

Mid-December Savannah Presbytery News

Do you know where to find when church events are happening- such as lunches, learning activities or events?

Visit our Events Calendar
on our web page by
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