

PAXTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Ministers ~ All Members

SESSION

Erika Hanes (Clerk of Session)

- Connie Cochran Evangelism & Membership
- LaVerne Collins* Christian Education
- Jan Gough Christian Education
- Karen Herrold* Mission & Outreach
- Doug Hitz* Stewardship & Finance
- Don Laughery* Pastoral Relations & Staff
- Robert Martin Worship & Music
- Cindy Mory* Worship & Music
- Gary Myers* Pastoral Relations & Staff
- John Palmer* Property Management
- Mike Rotz* Property Management
- Kristian Stennett* Evangelism & Membership
- Kitti Taylor Stewardship & Finance

*Chair

BOARD OF DEACONS

Cathy Roland ~ Moderator

Sue McLain ~ Vice-Moderator

- Nan Bonnet
- Tara Frank
- Marti Greiner
- Jim Holtzman
- Brenda Martin
- John Moyer
- Hung Nuyyen
- Erin Peck
- Leigh Ramsey
- Leigh Shannon
- Bev Ziebell

**We are a Stephen Ministry Church
thankful for our Stephen Ministers
and Leaders**

STEPHEN LEADERS STEPHEN MINISTERS


- Helen Heidelberg
- Gary Myers
- Jane Rising
- Jane Sanford
- Ronald Brinkley
- Karen Herrold
- Cheryl Holtzman
- Janice Hutchison
- Annette Kilpatrick
- Bill LaDieu
- Donna Leaver
- Nancy Lengler
- Steve Miller
- Kathy Woodbridge



For confidential referral, or if you are interested in becoming a Stephen Minister please contact a leader.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

- Sun 9 9:00 Sunday School
- 10:00 Worship
- 11:00 Sunday Snacks
- Youth Fellowship
- Mon 10 10:00 Pastoral Relations & Staff
- Tues 11 6:30 Stephen Ministry
- Wed 12 8:00 Men's Fellowship Breakfast
- 9:30 Sewing
- 10:00 Lenker Manor Women's Club
- 6:30 E&M
- Thur 13 6:00 Lions
- 6:15 Bells
- 7:30 Adult Choir
- Sun 16 8:00 Cabin Worship
- 9:00 Sunday School
- 9:30 Blood Pressure
- 10:00 Worship
- 11:00 Soup Sunday



During the month of February
The Deacons will be collecting
PASTA, PASTA SAUCE & JELLO
for the Ecumenical Food Pantry

Please keep the Paxton Church Staff in your prayers.

- Pastor, The Reverend John W. Green*
- Director of Youth & Children's Ministries, Shawn Gray*
- Director of Music, Richard Fowler*
- Organist, Jeanne Bruce*
- Children's Music Leader, Melissa Dougherty*
- Treasurer, Laurence A. Kilpatrick, CPA*
- Office Staff, JoAnn Snyder, Financial Secretary*
- Judy Frankford, Church Secretary*
- Wedding Coordinator, Peg Elder*
- Custodian, Mary Bowers*

Paxton Presbyterian Church

Established 1732



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February 9, 2020 ~ 5th Sunday after Epiphany
Worship 10:00 AM

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

(Take time to prepare your heart to worship God.)

PRELUDE "Morning Song" arr. G. Martin
"I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light" arr. M. Burkhardt
"Sometimes a Light Surprises the Christian" arr. R. Powell

OUR LIFE TOGETHER
MUSIC INTERLUDE

TO GIVE PRAISE TO GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 42
As a deer longs for flowing waters, so my soul longs for you, O God.
My soul thirsts for God, for the living God. When shall I come and be hold the face of God?

These things I remember, as I pour out my soul: how I went with the throng, and led them in procession to the house of God, with glad shouts and songs of thanksgiving, a multitude keeping festival.

Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are you disquieted within me? Hope in God; for I shall again praise him, my help and my God.

* HYMN 667 "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Great and loving God, your will for us in Jesus is the peace which the world cannot give. Calm our troubled hearts, forgive our sins, dispel our fears. Keep us steadfast in love and faithful to your word, that we may always be your dwelling place; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen.

(Please pause for a moment of silent confession.)

* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Friends, believe the good news.

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

* GLORIA PATRI (Hymnal Page 581)



FEBRUARY 26
7:30pm WORSHIP

FAMILY GAME NIGHT
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29
5:00—8:00 p.m.
Sponsored by the Seekers
GAMES, DINNER & MORE GAMES!



Presbyterian Women are comprised of **ALL** women of the church. We support local women's missions, such as: YWCA, *Silence of Mary House*, *Bethesda Mission for Women and Children* and *Lighthouse Ministries*. We help raise money for these mission efforts through the Soup Sale and our dues. (The Giant Gift Card Sales are a separate effort and that money has been used to help with long term maintenance.)

We are collecting **dues** during the **months of January and February**. The monies received in dues help to finance all the efforts of Presbyterian Women, including the above ministries, Presbytery ministries, Santa Shop, Valentine's Day, Mother's Day cards, Sewing Circle, the Fall Tea and many other things. Please consider contributing your dues to Presbyterian Women. You can decide on the amount. **Make the check payable to PW of Paxton or put cash in one of the envelopes in the gathering room addressed to PW of Paxton. Please include your name**, so we know who has paid. You can put it in the offering plate, drop it in the office or give it to one of us at the Giant table. Thank you so much for helping us in our efforts to support women in our church and in our community.



PRAYER SQUARE

As Christians we are called to pray for everyone in a difficult time of life. To protect the privacy of those for whom we are praying we ask that permission be received before a name is placed for prayer request.

Please keep the following members of Paxton in your prayers: Jo & Chuck Cain, Kathie Zimmerman, Nancy Wion, Christopher Bruce Family & Vera, Sally Killian, Linda Brillinger, Elsie Williams, Paul and Dottie Remaly, Brenda Brinkley, Barbara Mark, Harvey Roberts, Bert Wood, John Moyer, Isabelle Smith, Hank Jongsma, Cathy Roland

Continued Prayers: Krista Baer, Jim Gischel, Carmen DeLuccia, Erin Francis-Friel, Lori Giroux, Kathy Clark, Fred Purvis, Joyce Burd, Greg Brazil, Lynn McWatters, Dennis Otte, Anya Zvorsky, Carolyn Watt, Vicki Mays, Scott Witmer

February 9 — Rob Hess, Joe Colonello

PAXTON PRESBYTERIAN
NURSERY SCHOOL
REGISTER NOW FOR THE FALL!



All children turning 2, 3, or 4 years of age before September 2020 are eligible for our weekday church nursery school program!

2 Year Old Class—2 mornings a week	\$110/month
3 & 4 Year Old Classes—3 mornings/wk	\$135/month
4 Year Old Class—5 mornings a week	\$175/month

Registration forms are on the literature rack in the main entrance.

Please see Judy Frankford if you have any questions.

Please share with your friends and neighbors!

TO CELEBRATE THE FAMILY OF FAITH

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Happy Barber

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

And also with you.

MORNING PRAYER/LORD'S PRAYER

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

FIRST LESSON

Psalms 112 (OT Page 563)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM "Kingdom of the Light"

Adult Choir

Peter Choplin

GOSPEL LESSON

Matthew 5:13-20(NT Page 4)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

"Shine, Shine, Shine!"

Pastor Green

HYMN 753 "Make Me a Channel of Your Peace"

* APOSTLE'S CREED (Hymnal page 35)

TO OFFER OUR GIFTS AND OUR LIVES

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY "This Little Light of Mine"

arr. M. Rinehart

* DOXOLOGY (Hymnal Page 606)

TO GO REJOICING IN GOD'S NAME

* RECESSIONAL HYMN 700 "I'm Gonna Live So God Can Use Me"

* BENEDICTION

* CHORAL RESPONSE "Shine For the Kingdom"

Adult Choir

Choplin

POSTLUDE "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

J. Barnby, arr. J. Innes

* Those who are able may stand.

THE LECTOR this morning is Elder LaVerne Collins. LaVerne is the chair of the Christian Education Ministry.

THANK YOU FOR VISITING WITH US TODAY! We are happy to share this Sunday with you and hope you come back soon! Please fill out the yellow card and be sure to include your name, address, and phone number for our records. If you are interested in membership at Paxton Church, please indicate this when the friendship folder is passed or speak to the Pastor or Lector following worship.

THE USHERS joyfully serving the month of February: Tom Clark, Captain; Bob Frank, Norm Daniels, Dave Elder, Rebecca Haner, Ryan Haskins, John Palmer, William Sanford, Scott Cranston.

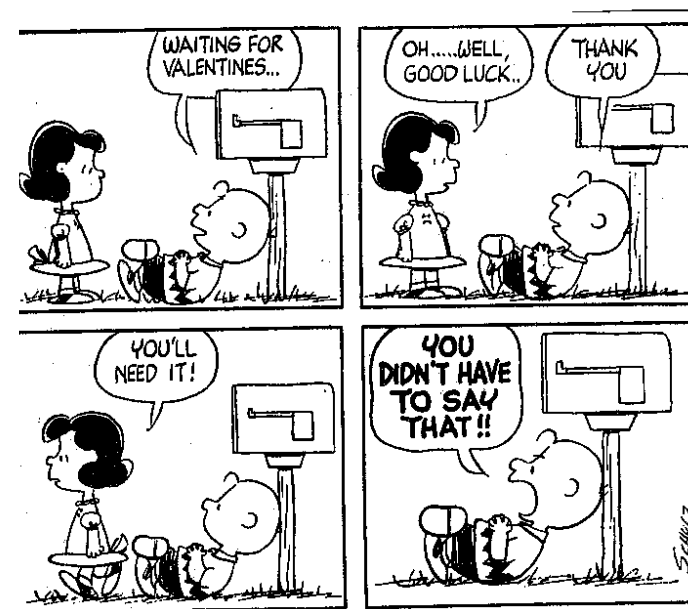
TODAY Pastor Green will greet at the south door, the lector will greet at the porch door and an usher will greet at the parlor door.

THERE ARE TWO FLORAL ARRANGEMENTS in the chancel this morning. One is placed to the Glory of God for Paxton Church, its members, and staff for a heart-warming month of February and a year of joy, by Judy Daniels. The other arrangement is placed in memory of the 75th wedding anniversary on February 12 of Lillie and Tom Daniels by their loving family: Judy, Tom Jr., MaryAnn, and Mark Daniels.

FEBRUARY'S COINS FOR CARING ~ The coins for caring will be used for Paxton's Church World Service school supply bags project. It will help us purchase supplies and the shipping of the bags to areas suffering from disasters and crisis. Thank You.

WORSHIP IN THE CABIN next Sunday, February 16th at 8:00AM and **SOUP SUNDAY** at 11:00AM.

SERMON HELP



MARKER/CRAYON RECYCLING



During February and March, the Mission committee will be collecting old, broken, unwanted crayons and old, dried up markers/highlighters. These items will be sent to be recycled, keeping

them out of landfills. Look for the collection bin in the Gathering Room to deposit your old markers and crayons. Thank you for helping us protect our beautiful planet.

PAXTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SECURITY UPDATE/REMINDERS FOR 2020

- Sunday and PM Sanctuary Services will follow our newly (2019) implemented security measures which include locking all Church Doors (including the Sanctuary) during worship services. Locking will occur approximately 15 minutes after the start of the Service.
- Ushers will monitor all doors during the Service, and late entry to Worship Services will be through the Boyd Doors.
- Non emergency exits during the service shall be through the Parlor.
- All Members are reminded to review Evacuation and Lockdown Emergency Information Cards that have been placed in all pews within the Sanctuary.