



**HOBE SOUND COMMUNITY
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**
The Heart of Hobe Sound

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SESSION

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ELDERS

2024	Raelyn Holmes	2025	Cynthia Cooper	2026	Carla Tinsley
	Arthur Ondich		Kathryn Oldham		Deborah Carrington

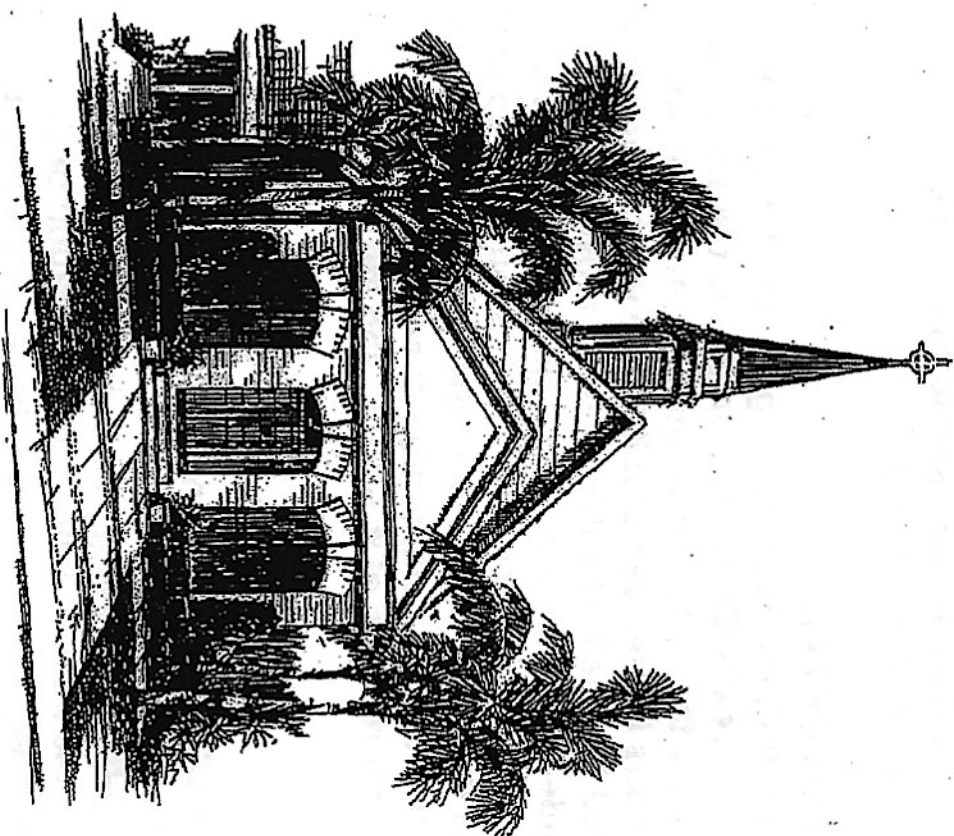
DEACONS

2024	Larabee Johnson	2025	Debra Monet	2026	Billie Yuszczuk
	Lou Ann Prestegard		Carole Reddish		Lisa Joiner

STAFF

Minister: Rev. Paul Bayerl (864) 684-3077
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*It is our mission and purpose at Hobe Sound Community Presbyterian Church
To S.O.W. God's love in the world.*

*We pray to the One Sovereign Loving God of all creation for continued blessing and
inspiration that, by power of the Spirit and example of the Son, we dedicate ourselves
to live the gifted life of faith and service to which we have been called. By the grace
of God, may this be our shared destiny in Christ...*

THE ORDER FOR THE PUBLIC WORSHIP OF GOD

January 5, 2025

The Second Sunday of Christmas

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: Praise God! For it is good to sing praises to our God; God is gracious and a song of praise is seemly.

PEOPLE: You send forth your command to the nations, making peace in its borders, your word runs swiftly; we praise you, O God, your house, O God, forever and forevermore.

LEADER: Let us Worship God.

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Maker of Heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; He descended into hell, the third day He arose again from the dead; He ascended into Heaven; and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and life everlasting. Amen.

*HYMN 339

“Be Thou My Vision”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

O Most generous God, we confess that we have not made proper use of the gifts you have graciously given us in Christ. We have not lived as people chosen before the foundation of the world and destined in love. We have not acted as redeemed and forgiven people. And as a church we have failed to perform as a body whose head is Christ and whose fullness is in Him. Forgive us our failures we pray; inspire us anew with the glory, the power, the majesty of the one we serve; make us worthy agents of your grace and bearers of your love. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI – NO 579

Glory Be to the Father”

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

THE PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

*DOXOLOGY No 591

“Praise God from Whom all Blessings Flow”

Praise God from whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above ye heavenly host. Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.
PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

THE OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Jeremiah 31:7-14

(Page 734)

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

*HYMN 66

“We Three Kings of Orient Are”

THE PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen

THE NEW TESTAMENT LESSON Ephesians 1:3-6, 15-18 (Page 192)

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Rev. Paul Bayerl

“Pray for Good Vision”

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

The Invitation

The Words of Institution

The Supper

*HYMN (insert)

“We Would See Jesus”

*CHARGE AND BLESSING

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

“Let There Be Peace On Earth”

Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me. Let there be peace on earth, the peace that was meant to be. With God as our Father, brothers all are we. Let me walk with my brother, in perfect harmony. Let peace begin with me. Let this be the moment now. With every step I take, let this be my solemn vow: to take each moment and live each moment in peace eternally. Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.

*Those who are able may stand”

SUNDAY JANUARY 5, 2025

PASTOR PAUL'S HOURS

Pastor Paul is usually in the office from 9:30am – 12:00pm. It is suggested that you call the office (772) 546-5043 to set up an appointment.

SUNDAY COFFEE HOUR

Coffee Hour is hosted by the Deacons. You are invited to join them in **FELLOWSHIP HALL** and/or **THE COURTYARD** for refreshments and and fellowship following the Worship Service.

"THE MESSENGER" (weekly newsletter)

If you would like to receive our weekly email newsletter, you can subscribe on our Website by clicking on "messenger" in the menu list. Or, ask Pastor Paul or Karen Metzger to add your name and email address to the subscription list.

WORSHIP SERVICE PARTICIPANTS

The lay leader today is Karen Metzger
The ushers today are **Dari Bowman** and **Roy Kindberg**.
The ushers next week are **Art Ondich** and **Carla Tinsley**.

BIRTHDAYS

Jan. 07	Janet Jones
Jan. 11	Elora Fucigna
Jan. 13	Catherine Hilton
Jan. 15	Ingrid Krumdick

ANNIVERSARIES

Jan. 16 Mary and Jim Wiggin

BIBLE STUDY: Bible Study meets on **Tuesday mornings at 11am** and **Thursday afternoons at 4:30pm**, with study of the **Book of Revelation** at both sessions.

The assignment for **Tues. January 7** and **Thurs. January 9** is **chapter 9 of Revelation**

CHAIR YOGA with **Sandra Price:** **Tuesday and Thursday Morning at 10:00 AM** in the Fellowship Hall

SENIOR FITNESS with **Mary Dietz:** **Wednesday morning at 10:00 AM** in the Fellowship Hall

Cost for both is by donation

ART CLASSES: Church member **Debra Monet** is offering art classes on our campus. The cost for each 3 hour class is \$20, a portion of which will be donated to the **Church Building Improvement Project**. For more class details, or to schedule a class, contact **Debra. 772-240-2063**

A SEWING CIRCLE meets every **Thursday afternoon @ 1 pm** in the office parlor, with **Sheila Fortura** serving as hostess For information you can contact **Sheila** at psfortura@att.net, or **772-708-8983**.

THE CHURCH THRIFT STORE is open on Sunday mornings during Fellowship Hour. It contains a large variety of items, both decorative and useful, that are just waiting to find their new homes. All proceeds from sales are donated to help meet the financial obligations of the Church.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, January 5, 2025

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

MEN'S CLUB MEETING TODAY

The HSCPC Men's Club will meet today at **12:00 Noon in the Church Manse Parlor**. This will be an Organizational and Planning meeting for 2025. ALL male church members and friends are encouraged to attend and get involved with events and projects designed to serve our Church and Community

RAISE THE ROOF !!

Announcing a second \$1 for \$1 Match

Another anonymous donor has offered a matching pledge, this time to match up to **\$10,000** in donations by Members and Friends of HSCPC, for roof related expenses.

This is another wonderful opportunity to double the money donated toward badly needed roof replacement. All donations that have been made since the previous pledge was met will be included in this matching drive. Donation payments should be made to **HSCPC - Memorial & Centennial Fund**, with notation **For Roof Related Expenses**.

JANUARY FRIDAY MISSION DINNER

Friday, January 10, 2025

5:30 - 7:00 pm - Eat in or Take-out \$15.00

BBQ PORK DINNER

Served with potato salad, cole slaw, . Baked Beans and assorted home made deserts

Reservations required by Wednesday, January 8 and can be made by calling the church office (772-546-5043) or submitting a reservation form (available in the Sunday bulletin.)

CALENDAR

Sunday Service		10:30AM
Tuesday	Chair Yoga	10:00AM
Tuesday	Bible Study	11:00AM
Girl Scouts		5:00PM
2 nd and 4 th Tuesdays of the month		
Wednesday	Chair Yoga	10:00AM
WEDNESDAY	COUNCIL ON AGING	1:30PM
PRESENTATION (see enclosed flyer)		
Wednesday	Boy Scouts	5:00PM
Wednesday	AA Big Book Meeting (Hall)	7:00PM
Thursday	Chair Yoga	10:00AM
Thursday	Sewing Circle	1:00PM
Thursday	Bible Study	4:30PM
Thursday	AA Joe & Charlie Study (Hall)	7:00PM
Saturday	AA Speaker Meeting (Hall)	7:00PM

*** Art Classes by appointment***
Call Debra Monet @ 772-240-2063



PRAYER REQUESTS

Paul Fortura	Joan Benedict	Linda Chambers
Gary Shriver	Ellen Hamlin	Jim Wiggins
Alan Reddish	Bob Atkisson	Tina Krumdick
Jan Norrish	Frieda Merz	John Frazee
Joyce-Anne Hamlin	Hamlin Family	Artline Holloway
Janet Jones	Mary Sexton	Elliot Phillips
Judy Doverspike	Sabrina Morse	Derrick Roupp
Elizabeth Hubbard	Bobby Dwyer	Nancy Taylor
Mary Wilburn	John Kienzle	Limman Family
Connie Frazee	Stan Ball	Art Ondich
Bill Hehli	Samantha Seegott	Michael Kaives
Carole Reddish	Jesse Quinn Family	Suellen Millroy

Names will be removed from the prayer list after three weeks unless a request is made to keep them there for a longer period of time.

BOXES OF OFFERING ENVELOPES ARE AVAILABLE FOR 2025

Individual boxes of offertory envelopes for 2025 (one per family) are available. They contain an Offering Envelope for each Sunday of the year, plus Mission Envelopes for the 1st Sunday of each month, special offering envelopes for Easter, Thanksgiving and Christmas, and an envelope for the Per Capita payment required of each active member of the Church by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church.

It is hoped that all church members, and friends of the church who attend services on a regular basis, will choose to use these envelopes during the year. They are a valuable aid to the financial book-keeping in the church office, and are available at no cost to the user.

You should find a box with your name on it on the Sanctuary Porch on Sunday. If you do not find a box with your name on it, please sign the request list on the table and one will be made available to you.

Please plan on using these pre-printed envelopes in 2025.

ABOUT THE PER CAPITA ASSESSMENT

Per Capita consists of funding to the three levels of governance beyond the Session of each congregation - the Presbytery of Tropical Florida, the Synod of the South Atlantic, and the General Assembly.

For 2025 the per capita apportionment per member is \$37.89. This is divided as follows: Presbytery - \$25.55, Synod - \$1.50, General Assembly - \$10.84.

Each congregation's per capita apportionment assessment for 2025 is based on the membership reported in its Annual Statistical Report for 2024 (as of December 31, 2023). The per capita apportionment for Hobe Sound Community Presbyterian Church is \$2,690.19., based on a reported membership of 71 active members.

The Presbytery has designated **Sunday, January 19 as Per Capita Sunday**. If you are an active member of HSCPC, please submit this payment by that date. If you are unsure of your membership status, please see Karen Metzger, Clerk of Session.

COUNCIL ON AGING MARTIN COUNTY

On January 8, 2025 at 1:30PM Lesley Vestrich,
Community Liaison for Martin County Council on Aging
will be presenting a program reviewing accessible resources
regarding Senior Citizens:

- Activities
- Health and Wellness
- Caregiver Support
- Occupational Therapy
- Nutritious meals
- Free Senior Lunch Programs
- Care Coordination
- Sugar Busters Support Group
- Brain Fitness
- Dementia Care
- Kane Center
- Government Programs

There are actually too many to list. Please plan to attend.

Lesley will have flyers and pamphlets to distribute and will be available to discuss the many opportunities for Martin County's Senior Citizens.