

HOBE SOUND COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



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SESSION

Clerk of Session – Karen Metzger

ELDERS

2024

Raelyn Holmes
Arthur Ondich

2025

Cynthia Cooper
Kathryn Oldham

2026

Carla Tinsley
Deborah Carrington

DEACONS

2024

Larabee Johnson
Lou Ann Prestegard

2025

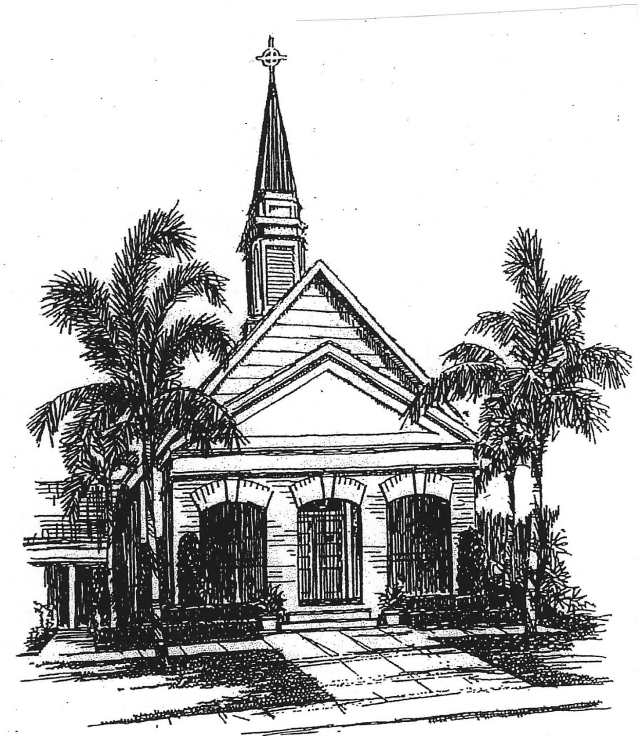
Debra Monet
Carole Reddish

2026

Billie Yuszyk
Lisa Joiner

STAFF

Minister: Rev. Paul Bayerl (864) 684-3077
Administrative Assistant: Diane Atkisson (772) 546-5043
Music Director: Dr. Anita Caswell (772) 546-5043



*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

February 23, 2025

Seventh Sunday after Epiphany

PRELUDE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: O Come, let us sing to the LORD:

PEOPLE: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation

LEADER: Let us come into His presence with thanksgiving

PEOPLE: Let us make a joyful noise to Him with songs of praise

ALL: 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 INSERT

“Jesus Calls Us”

THE CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

O God Most High, our bodies are perishable, but you have sent Christ, the promise of our resurrection. Aging limits us, disease burdens us, disabilities undermine our capacity to function. We are frail creatures at best. Yet we glorify these bodies; they are temples we worship. When some threat afflicts them, we are distraught or destroyed. We confess our idolatry. Teach us to number our days to your glory, and forgive our vain worship of ourselves. 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

Genesis 45:3-11 (Page 42)

Reader: This is the Word of the Lord.

Response: Thanks be to God.

*HYMN NO. 345

“Dear Lord and Father of Mankind”

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 GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 6:27-38 (Page 64)

Reader: This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Response: Praise to You O Christ.

SERMON

Rev. Paul Bayerl

“Mercy Makes Us Different”

*HYMN NO. 341

“Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine!”

*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

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”

CALENDAR

SUNDAY FEBRUARY 23, 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.

No Social Hour this Sunday due to the Annual Meeting.

Next week hostesses are **Lou Ann Prestegard and Helpers.**

“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 **Peter Sharp.**

The **ushers** today are **Roy Kindberg and Marilyn Nyman.**

The **ushers** next week are: **Art Ondich and Dari Bowman.**

FLOWERS

This week flowers are given to the Glory of God and in remembrance of Russell Perney Sr. the beloved father of David Perney. Russell passed away in June 2024 and his birthday would have been February 15. The second flowers are given to the glory of God and in remembrance of Harry Israel, husband of Jane Israel and father of Karen Perney.

BIRTHDAYS

- Feb. 19 Jim Norrish
- Feb. 24 Alex Albrecht
- Feb. 25 Judy Doverspikey
- Feb. 26 Paul LaPrise
- Feb. 27 Karen Kinzle

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	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



PRAYER REQUESTS

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| Paul Fortura | Joan Benedict | Linda Chambers |
| Gary Shriver | Ellen Hamlin | Jim Wiggin |
| Alan Reddish | Bob Atkisson | Tina Krumdick |
| Jan Norrish | Frieda Merz | John Frazee |
| Joyce-Anne Hamlin | Hamlin Family | Arline Holloway |
| Janet Jones | Mary Sexton | Derrick Roupp |
| Judy Doverspike | Sabrina Morse | Bill Hehli |
| Elizabeth Hubbard | Bobby Dwyer | Reddish Family |
| Mary Wilburn | John Kienzle | Michael Kaires |
| Connie Frazee | Stan Ball | L.Nielson Family |
| Jack Crowe | Wasielewski Family | Richard DiDora |
| Kehres Family | R. LeBlanc Family | |

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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS, February 23 2025

Our Worship Services begin with the PRELUDE. This music signals a time to quietly prepare for worship. It is not meant as a musical accompaniment for your continuing conversations. Please be respectful.

ANNUAL MEETING: The 2025 ANNUAL MEETING of the membership of Hobe Sound Community Presbyterian Church will be held today in the church Sanctuary immediately following the worship service.

At this meeting reports summarizing the church activities in 2024 will be presented. New Elder and Deacon nominees will be presented to the membership for a vote, as will the recommendation for Treasurer, and for the 2025 nominating committee members. The Pastor's Terms of Call will also be presented for a vote.

Guests are welcome to attend this meeting, but only active members can vote.

A hardcopy Annual Report will be distributed. Please take only one per family.

There will not be a Fellowship Hour today.

SCHOOL SUPPLIES MISSION PROJECT

When school starts in the fall the schools receive an abundance of supplies through government provided funds and school supply drives through many sources. But, come the new year, many supplies have been considerably reduced in number, and need replenishment.

Realizing this need, mission chairman **Carla Tinsley** has contacted the Hobe Sound Elementary School to inquire about their current supply needs. They responded that while they have enough of the typical school supplies, the following supplies are running low and will soon run out.

Tissues, boy's socks and underwear, size 5, and little bags of pretzels, popcorn and Cheese-its

Donations will be collected through March 2, and may be in the form of the items themselves, or cash that Carla can use to make purchases of the items in bulk. Make checks payable to the church (HSCPC), and indicate they are for school supplies.

ONGOING CHURCH ACTIVITIES

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. February 25th** and **Thurs. February 27th** is **chapter 15 of Revelation**

CHAIR YOGA with Sandra Price: Tuesday and Thursday Morning at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall Cost is by donation

SENIOR FITNESS with Mary Dietz: Wednesday morning at 10:00 AM in the Fellowship Hall Cost is by donation

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 are donated to help meet the financial obligations of the Church.