



ORDER OF WORSHIP

All Saints' Day

Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time

Shelby Presbyterian Church

November 2, 2025

10:00 a.m.

*Please rise as you are able.

PRELUDE: *"O God, Our help in Ages Past"* (arr. G. Young) Emily Monroe

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Drew Mangione

CALL TO WORSHIP (based on Psalm 116) Claire McCullough

Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of his faithful ones.

The Lord recognizes great honor in the life and death of all the saints.

The Lord delivers our souls from death, saving our whole selves.

May the Lord save our eyes from tears, and our feet from stumbling.

Like those who've gone before, let us keep the faith in every trial.

Gracious is the Lord, and just. Our God is merciful.

IN MEMORIAM

John Auten	Allen Callahan	Elaine Cerwin
Joyce Couey	George Cribb	Sandra Dwork
Shields Fletcher	Ina Harrington	George Rolling
Beverly Styers	Hailey Venable	Pat Wilkison

*HYMN #326: *"For All the Saints"* verses 1-3

CALL TO CONFESSION Claire McCullough

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: **Holy God, you say holiness is not found in how we look, but in what we do to learn goodness, seek justice, rescue the oppressed, and advocate for the abandoned. Forgive us, Lord. Help us to lay down our excuses and enter the suffering of others. Help us to love one another as you have loved us, so that by obedience, we will be washed and pure in your sight. Amen. (silent confession)**

ASSURANCE OF FORGIVENESS

Sisters and brothers, believe the good news!

In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven!

*GLORIA PATRI (sung): ***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 PEACE OF CHRIST

The Peace of the Lord be with you! **And also with you!**

MOMENTS WITH CHILDREN

Michelle Moser

FIVE CENTS A MEAL

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Claire McCullough

SCRIPTURE: Luke 19:1-10

ANTHEM: *"Death Be Never Last"* (Makeever)

*We walk in light of countless faces bright as beams of rising sun,
certain as the morning chases night in endless ages' run.*

*Turning eyes now to their shining memory, to their faithful past,
Saints be now the truth divining: death be now but never last.*

*When sorrow's heavy hand has weighted loss against the greater gain,
Pinning down that grief sore fated laden on the bed of pain.*

*When joy returns with laughter singing thanks to God for life's sweet song,
let us follow after bringing thanks to God for those now gone.*

SCRIPTURE: Isaiah 1:10-20 (NRSVUE)

Drew Mangione

SERMON: "Looks Can Be Deceiving"

*HYMN #726: *"Will You Come and Follow Me"*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH (Apostles Creed): **We believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.**

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried. He descended into hell. On the third day he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead.

We believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic Church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

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.

CALL TO PRESENT TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory: *"Take My Life"* (arr. D. Wagner)

Emily Monroe

*DOXOLOGY (sung): ***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise Him, all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

*Prayer of Dedication

*CLOSING HYMN #326: *"For All the Saints"*

verses 4 & 5

*CHARGE & BENEDICTION

Drew Mangione

*CHORAL BENEDICTION: *"Jeremiah 31 Benediction"* (Moser)

*Write it on our hearts, write it on our minds,
your covenant made new through the love of Christ.*

*CHIMING OF THE TRINITY

*POSTLUDE: *"For All the Saints"* (arr. Callahan)

Emily Monroe

Music Licenses: 1575277 (CCLI)/ A-739540 (One License)

Sound Board: David Grose & Joe Petrilli

Scriptures read in service are original translations, unless otherwise noted.

Feel free to read a familiar translation and listen for different word choices.

CHILDCARE is available for infants through preschool in the Nursery (Rm 102) and is staffed by Lilly Hamilton and Maggie Hohne. Please be sure your child is accompanied to the nursery by a parent or responsible adult caregiver.

ALL ARE WELCOME! If you are visiting with us this morning, please be sure to fill out one of our visitor/prayer request cards and put it in the offering plate as your gift. Don't worry, this is not for marketing. We just want to say hello and get to know you. **Is this your first time at SPC? Be sure to see an usher after the service and get a special gift!** If you have questions, ask a member, an usher, a pastor, or contact the church office Monday-Thursday, 9:00-4:00 and Friday, 9:00-12:00.

THE FLOWERS ARE GIVEN to the glory of God by the Couey Family in loving memory of Joyce Couey.

THE ROSEBUD is given in honor of Charles “Charlie” Briggs Yerger, born October 20, 2025. Charlie is the son of Jeff and Anna and little brother to James. Overjoyed grandparents are Charles and Anne Langley. Thanks, and praise to God for this new life!

VETERANS SUNDAY: If you served in the military, please call the church office by November 4th, if you think we may not have your name from last year. Names will be published in the bulletin on November 9th in honor of Veterans Day.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD & THE PRESBYTERIAN GIVING CATALOG are two amazing ways to share Christmas joy around the world.

❑ Get your OCC shoebox by Ellis Hall and fill it with small toys, craft items, games, puzzles, picture books, school supplies, and hygiene items, or just donate these items, all by **Sunday, Nov. 9th**. *Please, do not pack liquids, food, or war-related items.* See Debbie Hart for more details.

❑ The Giving Catalog lets you fund livestock, tools and training for farms, and clean water equipment! Go to pcusa.org/giving/giving-catalog/gifts to give and list Shelby Presbyterian Church as your congregation. For more details see the bulletin board outside the office.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPER
NOVEMBER 5TH AT 6:00
CHILDREN AT 5:45

TRIVIA NIGHT
with Zion Roberts

FOOD, FUN & FELLOWSHIP!

Come join us for a night full of laughter, friendly competition, and great company at WNS Trivia Night!

We'll be serving up a delicious dinner featuring baked spaghetti from Toscanos, fresh salad, garlic bread, and sweet desserts to top it all off. Gluten-free options will be available!

There's no set price—just come hungry and bring a monetary donation if you'd like to contribute. Bring your friends, test your trivia skills, and enjoy a great evening of food and fellowship!



11 O'CLOCK CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE: if you are interested in participating in the 11:00 pm Christmas Eve service please contact Carolyn Billings (704-300-0931).

THIS WEEK (NOVEMBER 2-8, 2025):

Today	11:00 am	Handbell Rehearsal in Bell Room
	5:00 pm	Youth in Youth Room
Monday	11:00 am	Food Ministry at Harrill House
	6:00 pm	Discipleship Committee in Back Parlor
	7:00 pm	Boy Scout Troop 100 in Scout House
	8:00 pm	AA in Ellis Hall
Tuesday	10:30 am	Staff Meeting in Ellis Hall
	7:00 pm	Worship & Music in Back Parlor
Wednesday	6:00 pm	Growing in Grace
	6:00 pm	Wednesday Night Supper – Children at 5:45
	7:00 pm	Choir Rehearsal in Choir Room
Thursday	7:00 am	Men's Breakfast at Ken & Mary's
	11:00 am	Member Life Committee in Back Parlor
	8:00 pm	AA/AI- Anon in Ellis Hall/Back Parlor
Saturday		Youth Trip to Camp Grier
	9:00 am	Officer Training

COLLEGE STUDENTS' ADDRESSES: Parents, please send in your **student's current college address** so we can include them in our upcoming care package mailings! We want every student to feel connected to their church family, no matter how far away they are. **We need these by November 12th. If we do not have the address, we cannot send a box.**

CIRCLE OF FRIENDS will meet for lunch Thursday, November 20th at 11:30. The location will be announced closer to the date.



FEEDING KIDS CLEVELAND COUNTY & Shelby Presbyterian are joining with other Community Partners to host the annual Community Table Thanksgiving Meal on **SATURDAY, November 22nd** at our **NEW LOCATION** - Bobby Bell Pavilion at 4:00 pm. We need **YOUR HELP** for this upcoming event - setting up activities, bringing desserts, decorating, serving food, clean up, and joining in for an afternoon of community fun with our Uptown Shelby neighbors! Food, Fun and Fellowship for everyone! Keep your eyes and ears out for links to sign up, and please contact **Marie Jackson** for more information.

SPC Youth Ski Trip January 16-19

SPC Youth will be going on a ski trip to Winter Place Ski Resort in West Virginia. We will leave Friday, January 16 at 12 pm and will return Monday, January 19 around 5:00pm

The cost of this trip -
\$350 for skiers,
\$250 for snow tubers and
\$225 for anyone NOT skiing

The cost of this trip covers 4 days lodging, food and **2 days** ski rentals/lift tickets.

We are going in with another church in order to make it possible for us to stay in a house on the slopes.

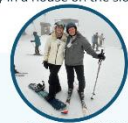
Deposit

\$200 deposit is due by November 16th-we are limited to the number of youth we can take so get your deposit in as soon as you can.

No late sign-ups!

This would make a great Christmas present!

Text or email for more info
704-473-3850
carolann@shelbypres.org

HAVE YOU MADE YOUR PLEDGE TO SPC? Last month, the Stewardship Task Force sent a letter and materials asking for your pledge to pray, serve, and give financially to SPC. **What we give is a promise we make to God and to the present and future of our church.** Please fill out your pledge, send your interest form, and put your prayer card in a prominent place at home. If you did not receive one, Miranda can send it to you. Your financial pledge of any amount is seen only by her, and the total of all pledges is used to help make next year's budget. As of October 30th, 50 families have pledged \$255,360.00. Last year 113 families pledged \$543,236.000. Thank you.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER (also see ongoing prayer list in newsletter) . . .

JoAnn Beattie, Kim Blackburn, Charlie Jo Botts, Sid Bridges, Robert Burns, JoAnn Callahan, Joe Carpenter, Hannah Carpenter, Karen Carpenter, Myra Carpenter, Sandy Carpenter, Wade & Cindy Carpenter, Conway Carter, Randy Clark, Chip Cloninger, Rita Consolvo, Lou and Judy DuBois, Debbie Ferrell, Melton Gardner, Erin Hines, August Hohne, Kevin Jones, Chuck Laughlin, David LeGrand, Rhonda Lingerfelt, Frances Greer Malcolm, Brooke McCurry, Camille McGeachy, Samantha Moss, Pauline Persing, Graham Phifer, Ellen Poston, Jennifer Price, Clay Pruett, Tina Richardson, Lin and Blannie Robinson, Dot Roark, James Salvator, Theo Small, Larry Stern, Sharon Sundquist, Bill & Patty Thorne, Tiffany Timson, Amanda Warfield, Jackie Weathers, Jack Weller, Brenda Wilson, Teresa Wingo, Michelle Woodruff, our homeless neighbors; victims of natural disaster and war, including in Ukraine and Gaza; all in military service and families; Food Ministry; Turning Point Academy, Rainbow Connection, our sister church, Monte los Olivos; Tenwek Hospital; Christians worldwide who are persecuted for their faith.