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CHURCH CONFERENCE UPDATE Vote on Deacon Election Process Results *Church Conference Held Wednesday, April 3*

There was a motion to endorse the proposed Deacon Election Process for 2024. This motion passed with 120 ballots cast: 100 in favor, 19 opposed and 1 abstention.

There was a motion to suspend Constitution and Bylaws Provisions for Deacon Election for the 2024 Election. This motion passed with 120 ballots cast: 102 in favor, 17 opposed and 1 abstention.

Thanks to all who attended for your participation.



VOICES OF APPALACHIA CHOIR Tuesday, May 7 at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary

The Alice Lloyd College choir, the Voices of Appalachia, tours annually to various regions of the US performing the hymns and ballads of the Southern Appalachian highlands. Join us for their upstate performance here in our sanctuary.

We will provide dinner for the students prior to the concert, but we need four host homes who would be willing to house some students that evening after the concert and bring them back to the church the next morning. If you would be willing to help, please contact Janice Hinnant at janice@esbcgreenville.org.



OPERATION INASMUCH Saturday, April 27

On Saturday, April 27, we will spend the day in our community helping other organizations and people with missions projects. This is a great way to get involved and meet new people: both inside and outside our church! There will be projects for every age group and every skill group. Click the link below for more information about the projects and to sign-up!

- **Breakfast Crew:** setup, serve and clean-up breakfast
- **Preschool and Children's Group:** creating/delivering care packages to Earle St. neighbors
- **Triune Mercy Center:** spread mulch and other various yardwork
- **Notes of Encouragement:** write notes to armed forces overseas and local public schools
- **Habitat ReStore:** organize, process donations and assist with displays
- **Marie Younts Girls Home:** yardwork, window washing, planting flowers and lunch with residents
- **Greenville Middle Academy Accessible Courtyard:** help build accessible sensory courtyard
- **Northwest Crescent Child Development Center:** paint race track and sensory path on concrete play area
- **United Ministries:** light landscaping

[Click here to register for a group!](#)

**"Inasmuch as you serve the
least of these, you serve me."
-Jesus**

JOIN US IN WORSHIP

Sunday, April 7
9:15 am: Sunday School
10:30 am: Worship
Second Sunday of Easter

Anthems: *At Calvary* by the Sanctuary Choir

Scripture: Matthew 5:1-12, 38-48

Sermon Series: The Beatitudes

Sermon: "Persecuted Because of Me"
by Gary Strickland

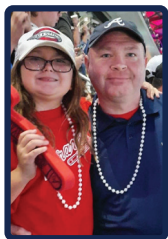
WELCOME HOME

BLANCA HENDRIX



Blanca joined on Sunday, March 31, 2024 by statement of faith. Welcome Home, Blanca!

DEACON OF THE WEEK



Calder Standridge is a native of Greenville and a graduate of The University of South Carolina. After spending twenty years in the service industry, Calder became a sales representative for Republic Nation Distributing Co. In addition to being a Deacon, Calder also leads Children's Worship Service, 2K and 3K Sunday School, coaches girls basketball, works in the Imagination Station during VBS, and serves on the Ordinance and Youth Ministry Committees. Calder enjoys spending time with his daughter Scarlett and cheering on the Gamecocks and Atlanta Braves.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER

Wednesday, April 10

5:00 - 5:45 pm in the Fellowship Hall

Click the link below to make your reservation!

Main Entree: Lasagna, Tossed Salad, French Bread

Salad Entree: Grilled Chicken Salad with Toppings

Pizza Entree: Two Slices of Pizza

[Sign Up for Dinner](#)

ATTENDANCE REPORT

Week of March 31, 2024

Sunday School Attendance

On-Campus.....189
*Virtual/Zoom.....2
Total..... 191

Worship Attendance

Sanctuary301
Preschool/Children Department44
Total..... 345
Virtual140

* Virtual refers to the total number of times the livestream has been viewed by publication of this newsletter.

BUDGET REPORT

Report for March 31, 2024

Weekly Budget Requirements.....\$23,238
Budget Gifts (this week)\$18,479
Budget Requirements to Date.....\$302,088
Budget Gifts to Date\$222,459
Global Missions Offering.....\$10,944

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

VOLUNTEER DAY

Friday, April 12, 2024

Earle Street traditionally joins with other churches in the annual Faith Build, providing financial resources and volunteer labor in helping Habitat build a new home for a qualifying family. This year, at Habitat's request, Earle Street will join with other faith partners and direct its funding and volunteer efforts for the Home Preservation program. This program is designed to provide health and safety repairs that can help a family maintain a safe and stable home. These families are mostly elderly, and all have income under 80% of AGI.

Earle Street has been scheduled to provide 8 volunteers (age 16 and up) for Friday, April 12. Activities scheduled include work on deck, ramp, and bathroom repair. A home in Greer is presently scheduled for this date. Detailed information will be provided. If you are willing to volunteer, please click the link below and sign up.

For more information on the Home Preservation Program and process click here. Contact Ed Hogan, Habitat Liaison if you have questions at ehoganbnc@gmail.com.

[Volunteer at Habitat](#)



Thank You!

CHURCH FAMILY,

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR SUCH A BEAUTIFUL BABY SHOWER LAST WEEK. WE ARE SO THANKFUL FOR SUCH A SUPPORTIVE AND LOVING CHURCH FAMILY. WE LOVE ALL OF YOU!

CATHERINE, MALACHI, AND MAVIS CARNES



XYZ MONTHLY MEETING AND MEAL
for all senior adults
Thursday, April 25
11:00 am in the Fellowship Hall

Lunch Menu: Baked Chicken, Brown & Wild Rice, Broccoli Casserole, Beets, Banana Pudding, and Rolls

John Nolan, owner of Greenville History Tours, will be presenting his fascinating program of “Greenville: Then and Now.” You will see side by side photos from all around the city showing what things looked like from earlier eras compared to the same location today. John will explain what Greenville was like in these old comparison photos along with current developments going on in these locations! Invite your friends and neighbors to join you! Sign up at the link below.

Sign Up for XYZ

From the Minister of Music

Janice Hinnant (ext. 202) – janice@ESBCgreenville.org

Youth Choir and Earle Street Ringers—We are back to regular rehearsals this Sunday. See you then!



SHARE YOUR PHOTOS

Remember to tag us in your photos! You can follow us online @esbcgreenville on Instagram and Facebook. We love to see them! #esbcgreenville

