ANNOUNCEMENTS

This month our Fabulous Thursday will be Fabulous Tuesday and will be held in the CLC on March 4 at 5:30 pm. Pancakes with lots of delicious toppings will be served. Please join us for food, fun and festivities.

Please join us Wednesday evening, March 5, at 6:30 pm for our Ash Wednesday service which will include the imposition of ashes.

If you were unable to have your picture taken for our pictorial directory in February, you have one more chance today. Please see Christine in the choir room immediately following today's worship service.

Thanks to Sherry Smoak for an excellent Bible study which concluded last Sunday. We will continue with Bible studies held on Sunday afternoons at 4 pm. Christine Maston will conduct today's study. Pastor Mike will begin an Advent study next Sunday, March 9. All studies will be held in the parlor located in the Education Building.

Cooperative Ministries will be assisting with income tax preparation on most Saturdays through mid-April. Location is in the CLC from 9 am - 1 pm. See Bill Rose or Tiffany Phillips for more information.

This month's Operation Christmas Child donation is small stuffed animals and small cars and trucks.

This month's mission project is pasta products for the Rehoboth Food Pantry.

2025 FINANCES

2025 budget = \$125,000.00 Needed to Receive Weekly = \$2,404.00 Received for General Budget on 02/23/25 = \$2,765.00 Received Year-To-Date (2025) = \$20,316.00

WELCOME

We are honored that you have chosen to worship God with us at Rehoboth Global Methodist Church today, and we invite you to worship with us again.

We love that the walls of our building do not limit the impact of our ministry as we're joined by so many worshipping with us online.

As such, we would like to remind all in attendance that your presence in our worship service indicates your approval that you and all minors you represent may be included in the recording for our digital usage. This includes, but is not limited to, your image, name, and involvements in the service.

Please fill out a Welcome Card from the pew rack and place it in the offering plate.

PRAYER REQUEST

Before the service begins, please write your prayer requests in the book found on the podium at the back of the sanctuary. Your prayers will be lifted up.

GIVING

In addition to mailing in your gifts, we also offer an easy way to GIVE online. Just scan the QR Code.





REHOBOTH Global Methodist Church 6911 Two Notch Rd. Columbia, SC 29223



Serving God and Loving Our Neighbor

March 2, 2025

James 5:16-18 **PRELUDE** *SCRIPTURE LIGHTING THE CANDLES **SERMON** "Fervent Desire" Pastor Mike Maston The candles are lit to remind us that we PRAYER worship in the presence of the Living God. THE LORD'S PRAYER #895 **WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS** Judi Rose **OFFERING** *CALL TO WORSHIP **OFFERTORY** Dr. Lady Imperio Leader: If it had not been for God who was on our side, People: the troubles of our world would have swallowed *DOXOLOGY #95 us whole. Leader: If it had not been God who was on our side, SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION People: the sorrows of our times would have swept us *AFFIRMATION OF FAITH #880 away. Leader: Are any among us suffering? "The Nicene Creed" People: Come and pray. Leader: Are any among us sick? *HYMN "Take Our Bread" #640 People: Come and ask for healing. *EXTINGUISHING OF THE CANDLES Leader: Our help is in our God, People: the One who made heaven and earth. The relighting of the candle lighter and the extinguishing of the Leader: Call upon God, creator and rescuer candles is symbolic of our carrying the love of Christ All: God is on our side. with us as we go forth to serve the Lord. "Amazing Grace" #378 *HYMN *BENEDICTION *OPENING PRAYER *RESPONSE "Blessed Be the Name" #63

Father, enable within us the Spirit to proclaim the kingdom of God and teach about the Lord Jesus Christ with all boldness and without hindrance. In the name of Jesus, Amen.

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Please welcome our visitors and greet your neighbors.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Christine Maston

We invite any children to participate.

ANTHEM

Dr. Lady Imperio & Choir

"People Need the Lord"

The Prayer Rail is Always Open Throughout the Service for Personal Prayer as You are Led!

*Please stand in body or Spirit as you are able.

UPCOMING EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Monday, March 3 6:00 Women in Faith - CLC Tuesday, March 4 5:30 Fab Tuesday - CLC Wednesday, March 5 6:30 Ash Wednesday Service Saturday, March 8 9:00 - 1:00 VITA Tax Service - CLC Sunday, March 9 **Daylight Saving Begins** Thursday, March 13 6:30 Finance - ZOOM Thursday, March 13-16 EOM Men's Walk #56 - Camp Agape Monday, March 17 11:00 Communications - Crossroads Tuesday, March 18 6:30 Leadership - Parlor March 20-23 EOM Women's Walk #56 - Camp Agape Friday, March 21 4:00 Pathfinders Dinner - CLC

Saturday, March 22

9:00 - 1:00 VITA Tax Service - CLC

Monday, March 24

12:00 Worship - Crossroads

REOCCURRING EVENTS

Sundays

Bible Study 4:00, Parlor

Wednesdays

Choir Practice 5:30, Choir Room

Monday - Thursday

Food Pantry 10:00 - Noon, CLC