

Stained Glass Gazette

First Presbyterian Church, Moultrie, GA

November 6, 2025

PLEDGE COMMITMENT SUNDAY IS *THIS* SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9th

PLEASE SUPPORT THE CHURCH WITH YOUR 2026 PLEDGE

We have been through some challenging times with our church and are making all efforts to move forward in faithful dedication to Christ. As we sort out the details, we still have obligations we must meet to keep the operations of the church going. We urge you to prayerfully consider joining with us in support of the church and plan to make your pledge by November 9, 2025, allowing us to reach our goal of \$534,000. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact any of us on the Finance Committee. Thank you in advance for your support!

The Finance Committee/Stewardship Campaign

Dear friends,

November is a month of both anticipation and thanksgiving. We anticipate God bringing new hope, new blessings, and new faces into our community—people who will join us in love, joy, and service. Most of all, we anticipate the season when we celebrate the birth of our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

As we look forward, we are also reminded to look back with gratitude. Each of us has been blessed in countless ways—with loved ones who care for us, a roof over our heads, and daily bread to sustain us. Because God has been so generous to us, our hearts are moved to respond with gratitude and generosity in return.

This month also marks a special season in the life of our church, when we dedicate our time, talents, and treasures to God's work. Through our giving, we help the church continue to feed the hungry, comfort the lonely, and share the good news of Christ's love in our community.

As you reflect on the many ways God has blessed you, I pray you will remember that generosity flows from generosity. God gives freely of Himself—sustaining us, saving us, and offering us an abundant life. When we give, we are participating in that same divine generosity, becoming instruments of His grace to others.

So I ask you, as you consider how God has blessed you this year, would you prayerfully consider how you might bless others through the life and ministry of the church? Together, we can continue to be the hands and feet of Christ, sharing His light and love with the world.



I pray each of you find joy during these seasons of celebration and thankfulness. I pray we also remember the many who will be spending these seasons in loneliness, grief, and hardship. Let us do all we can to make sure love is felt by all within our church and within our community.

Austin Pounds

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Sunday Worship at 11 a.m. Office Hours: Mon-Thurs 9-5 and Friday 9-4

To all who are weary and need rest, to all who mourn and need comfort, to all who are lonely and need friendship, to all who are glad and would serve others, to all who are complacent and need disturbing, to all who sin and need a Savior, this Church opens wide its door in the name of Christ, and bids you welcome.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FRIDAY, November 7 at 11 a.m. CORNERSTONES LUNCH ON THE ROAD—*new date!*
Sunday, November 9 PLEDGE/COMMITMENT SUNDAY
Sunday, November 9 AT 12:15 p.m. CORNERSTONES THEATRE TRIP
Monday, November 10 at 10 a.m. CHRISTIAN SERVICE
Monday, November 10 at 7 p.m. PW EVENING CIRCLE
Tuesday, November 11 at 10 a.m. PW MORNING CIRCLE
Wednesday, November 12 at 1 p.m. FINANCE
Wednesday, November 12 at 5:30 p.m. WATCH SUPPER
Thursday, November 13 at 4:30 p.m. CORNERSTONES THEATRE TRIP
Sunday, November 16 YOUTH AFTERNOON (*lunch, shoebox project and confirmation class*)
Monday, November 17 at 12:30 p.m. CORNERSTONES—MEXICAN RESTAURANT
Monday, November 17 at 4 p.m. MISSIONS
Tuesday, November 18 at 11 a.m. *Preschool Thanksgiving in the Fellowship Hall*
Tuesday, November 18 at 5:15 p.m. SESSION
Wednesday, November 19 at 5:30 p.m. WATCH / YOUTH BAKE AUCTION
Sunday, November 23 THORNWELL OFFERING
NO WATCH on Wed., November 26
Sunday, November 30 Interim Pastor Rick Douylliez will lead worship
Mark these dates in your calendar:
Sunday, December 7 at 3 p.m. ADVENT FESTIVAL
Wednesday, December 10 at 5:30 p.m. CHRISTMAS WATCH SUPPER
Sunday, December 14 at 11 a.m. CHRISTMAS CANTATA



Cathy & Rick Douylliez

Rick will be preaching Nov. 30, as he begins his tenure as FPC's Interim Pastor.

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD 2025

Join us as we partner with Samaritan's Purse to demonstrate God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world.

It's easy!

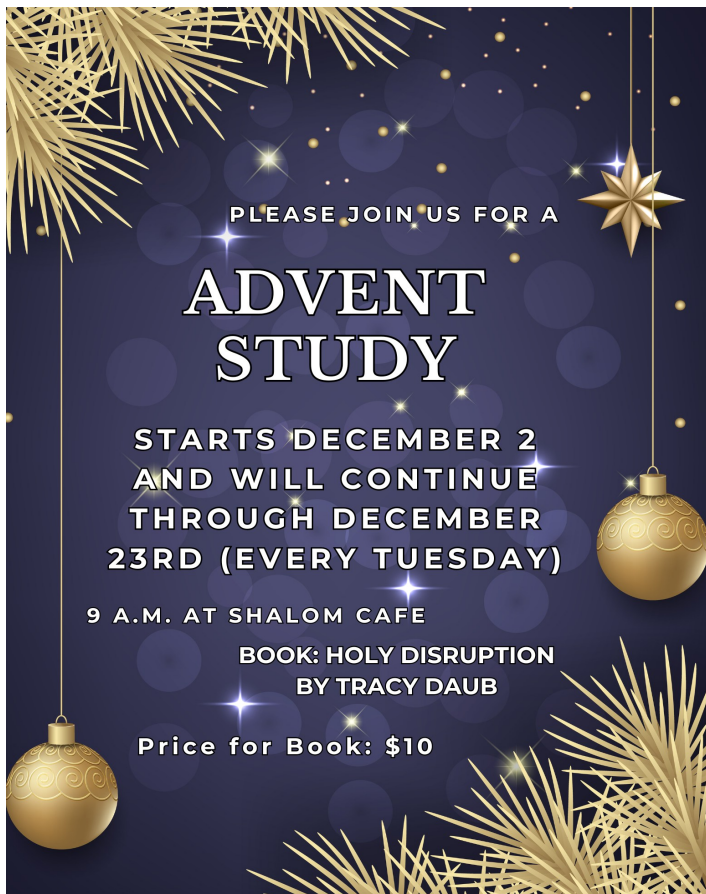
We will provide a box for you to fill. A list of recommended items will be on the lobby table. **By Sunday, November 23rd**, bring your box filled with the gift items for either a boy or girl and identify the age range (either 2-4 years old, 5-9 years old, 10-14 years old).

OR... THIS YEAR, YOU CAN LET OUR YOUTH DO THE WORK!

They will purchase and pack the items for you. Just make check's payable to MFPC with "Operation Christmas Child" in the memo line or place \$25 in an envelope marked for this project. You can bring your donation to the church office or put it in the offering plate.

Our deadline for donations to fund this Youth Group project is Friday, November 21.





OCTOBER SNAPSHOTS from Moultrie First Presbyterian



Heritage Sunday October 26th

FPC/FMC Fall Festival October 29th

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W.A.T.C.H. SUPPER

*Wednesday Nights at the Church
at 5:30 p.m.*

MENU: Wed., November 12

Everyone: Baked Potato or Sweet Potato Bar with all the fixings, Salad Bar

Desserts: Cinnamon Rolls & Cookies & Ice Cream

Make your reservation

Email firstpresmoultrie@gmail.com

Call 229-985-3158

HELPING HANDS **COLLECTION BOX**

This quarter, First Presbyterian is collecting money and food for the Colquitt County **FOOD BANK**. Bring in non-perishable items like canned food and peanut butter.

The Food Bank can maximize food purchases with dollar donations during this critical time. If you would like to donate money to feed local people in need, just write a separate check to FPC and put "Food Bank" in the memo line.

