

March 5, 2017

**MAR. 5**

**USHERS:** Misty Hambright, Tim Boyd, Adam Blanton, Tim Tucker, Jake Wood, Brayden Parks

**GREETER:** Tim & Nancy Boyd

**COUNTERS:** Tim Boyd & Darren Springer

**SOUND SYSTEM:** Daniel Farmer

**PRE-SCHOOL HELPER:** Jane Gerwig & Marjorie Pegg

**BUS DRIVER:** Bill Lee

**MAR. 12**

**USHERS:** Joe Hambright, Carl Kelly, Wayne & Bess Powell, Larry Spitler, Gant Taylor

**GREETER:** Chris Kicidis & Gant Taylor

**COUNTERS:** Dave Sampson & Tim Tucker

**SOUND SYSTEM:** Daniel Farmer

**PRE-SCHOOL HELPER:** Darren & Eden Springer

**BUS DRIVER:** Wes Hasty

**MAR. 19**

**USHERS:** Matt Hasty, Billy Chapman, Randy & Melissa Hull, Bill Leslie, Jimmy Mansfield, Randy Smith

**GREETER:** Tracy & Patty Newsome

**COUNTERS:** Franke DeVita & Melissa Hull

**SOUND SYSTEM:** Daniel Farmer

**PRE-SCHOOL HELPER:** Christina Duvall & Jo Ann Roy

**BUS DRIVER:** Terri Farmer

**MAR. 26**

**USHERS:** Dave Sampson, Johnny Holtzclaw, Brad Mansfield, Billy & Penny Rudisill, Alice Huddleston

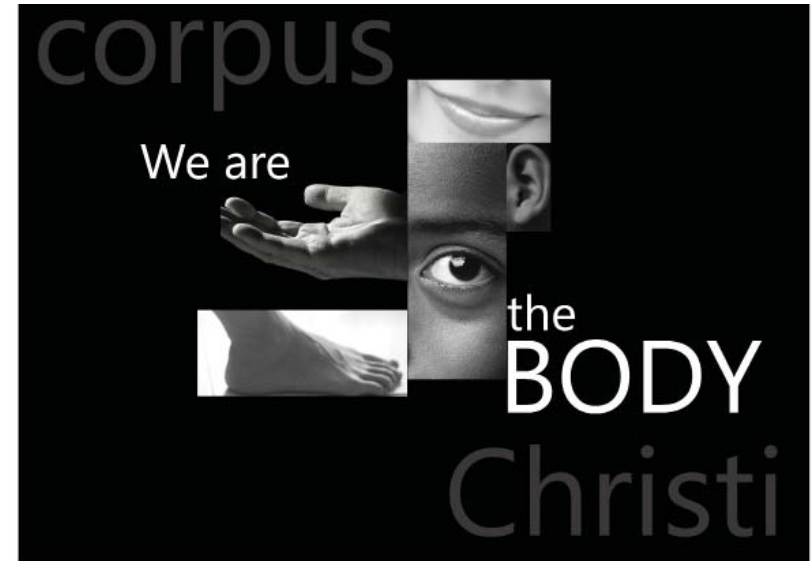
**GREETER:** Bill Leslie & Alice Huddleston

**COUNTERS:** Sherill DeVita & Wes Hasty

**SOUND SYSTEM:** Daniel Farmer

**PRE-SCHOOL HELPER:** Melissa Holtzclaw & Wanda Leake

**BUS DRIVER:** Tony Garrett



**Welcome Word to our Guests**

It is our hope that you find this to be a casual, welcoming place. Any way we can be helpful, please let us know. Regardless of who you are or where you've been, you can discover a meaningful relationship with God and experience a community of real friends at Pelham Road.

We are glad you are here.

## Lent and Letting Go

As you entered worship this morning you received a stone. As you can see there are flower pots on the communion table.

There are plenty of things we need to “let go.” Our communion table holds six pots labeled with things we need to “let go.” The Past, Certainty, Division, Control, Prejudice, and Fear. During Lenton Confession, you will be given an opportunity to consider what you need to “let go” during Lent. Even if your issue does not fall neatly into our “pots” we invite you after the Lenton Confession to come forward and drop your stone in the appropriate pot. By taking this action we are confessing to God that we are letting go.

There are sins to “let go”, this is repentance. There are habits to “let go”, this is turning. And there are events to “let go”, this is starting over. Our scripture ask us to cast all of our cares on God, because he cares for us. Let us not carry them one Sunday longer, the time has come to “let go.”

## Season of Lent

Our clergy will be in clerical robes during the season of Lent. Purple is the color for this season. Typically our pastor will wear a coat and tie, and our Associate Pastors dress in business casual. However, we wear robes during the High Holy Days of Lent, Holy Week, Easter, Advent, and Christmas. You are always encouraged to come wearing whatever you feel is comfortable. We do not have a dress code here.

## 3 on 3 basketball

Join us on March 5 at 3 p.m. for pick-up basketball 3 on 3 style. Men, women, and children above 7 are invited.

## Youth Game Tournament

There will be a youth game tournament with ping pong, foosball, and more on March 19 at 3pm in the youth room. See Kelly to sign up.

## The Cafe

**Mar. 8** Menu: Pulled pork, cole slaw, green beans, and dessert. Cooking: Ellen Cobb, Jo Ann Roy, Jack Anthony, Billy & Bethanne Chapman

## Church Staff

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**Debbie Vaughan**, Pianist

## The Body of Christ



## Pelham Roadsters

Pelham Roadsters will eat lunch and visit the Upcountry Museum on Thursday, March 23. The Museum has two exhibits, The Art of Dr. Seuss and the art of Ansel Adams. The cost for the museum is \$6 which includes a guided tour. We will leave the church at 12p.m. Save the date for April 27th at 4 p.m. We will have a *evening* trip to Carmi Lodge in Tryon, NC for supper.

*Top: The handbell choir.  
Bottom: the “girls”.*

## Deacon meeting

There will be a deacon’s meeting Wednesday, March 8 at 6:15 p.m. in Room 209.

## Summer camp

Grades 3-5 will travel to Camp Prism at Bonclarken in Flat Rock, NC on July 11-14. The cost will be \$160.