Worship Volunteers

January 5		January 12		
Greeter:	Fran Jameson*	Greeter:	Jessi Stevens*	
Lay Welcomer:	Charlene Fetterly*	Lay Welcomer:	: Rhett Bush*	
Lay Readers:	Jeff Fogle*	Lay Readers:	Jo Hood*	
	Fran Smith**		TBD**	
Media:	Jeff Knox, TBD*	Media:	Jeff Knox, TBD*	
	Carson Daley, Harrison Daley**		Carson Daley, Harrison Daley**	
Nursery:	Debbie Lizzi*	Nursery:	Meg Edwards*	
	Judy Daughtridge**		Caitlin Daley**	
Ushers:	Ann Lyons**	Ushers:	Ed Shigley**	
	Sally Smith**		Pat Shigley**	
* Contemporary Service — ** Traditional Service				

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- **Buford and Sudie McKelvey Scholarship** This scholarship is for High School Seniors from Pickens County who have a need for financial assistance to pursue a degree at a four-year accredited college or university. The deadline for applications and supporting documentation to be received at Easley First United Methodist Church is February 28, 2025. Visit the church website (easleyfumc.org) for an application.
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