

UPC DECEMBER 2025 NEWSLETTER

BIRTHDAYS

05-Carol Chapman
14-Tucker Howieson
14-Ali Schmid
17-Katelyn Kruger
29-Brooke Nerlien
29-Sherri O'Brien

GREETERS

07-Kristen & Dustin Brott
14-Andrea/Greg Cowl & Iris Eriksen
21-Jill & Jeff Watne
28-Kakacek Family

USHERS

Pat O'Brien

ACOLYTE

Ushers

COMMITTEE OF THE MONTH

Presbyterian Women

Blood Drive

Tue, Dec 2 1:00 – 5:30 PM

Men's Bible Study

Wed, Dec 3 6:00 AM

Deacon meeting

5:00 PM

Men's Group

Sat, Dec 6 8:00 AM

Worship

Sun, Dec 7 9:00 AM

Adult SS

10:30 AM

Men's Bible Study

Wed, Dec 10 6:00 AM

Session Meeting

3:00 PM

Men's Group

Sat, Dec 13 8:00 AM

Worship

Sun, Dec 14 9:00 AM

Adult SS

10:30 AM

Men's Bible Study

Wed, Dec 17 6:00 AM

Men's Group

Sat, Dec 20 8:00 AM

Worship

Sun, Dec 21 9:00 AM

Adult SS

10:30 AM

Men's Bible Study

Wed, Dec 24 6:00 AM

Christmas Eve Service

Time to be announced

CHRISTMAS

Thu, Dec 25

Men's Group

Sat, Dec 27 8:00 AM

Worship

Sun, Dec 28 9:00 AM

Adult SS

10:30 AM

Men's Bible Study

Wed, Dec 31 6:00 AM

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Session Minutes

United Presbyterian Church

Clarion, Iowa

November 12, 2025

The Stated Meeting of the Session was held Wednesday, November 12, 2025, 3:00p.m. in the Conference Room. Those in attendance were: Peg Bun, Kevin Kakacek, Greg Polzin, Frank Sharp, Deb Olson, Clerk, Rev. Gordon Moen, Moderator; excused: Todd Studer. Rev. Moen opened with devotions and prayer.

TREASURER'S REPORT: It was moved, seconded, carried (m/s/c) to accept September and October's reports.

CLERK'S REPORT: It was m/s/c to accept the September Session Minutes.

Communion servers for November 16 - Kevin & Todd.

Bob EnTln was approved for use of the kitchen and fellowship hall on November 27, 10:00-4:00, for a fee of \$150.00 for nonmembers.

Nancy has a doctor's appointment November 20 and will work 8:00-10:00. It was m/s/c to approve the following vacation days for Nancy: November 17, 21, 26 & 28; December 5, 12, 19, 24 & 26.

Per capita for 2026 will be \$50.00.

The Presbyteries of North Central Iowa, Prospect Hill, and Des Moines are considering merging.

Kevin will work on the 2026 budget.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMMEN: \$1,500.00 is the approximate profit from the Ham Ball Dinner.

NOMINATING TEAM: Mary Kallem will be the member at large for this team. New Elders for 2026: Shawn Devoid. New Deacons for 2026: Andrea Crowl & Tricia Polzin.

PERSONNEL TEAM: Greg will meet with Nancy and Dan for a yearly evaluation.

WORSHIP TEAM: A children's Christmas program was discussed.

It was m/s/c to adjourn at 3:55p.m.

Rev. Moen closed with prayer.