



STAYING IN TOUCH...
HAPPENINGS WITHIN OUR
COMMUNITY OF FAITH

Steve's Corner

Hi, Gracelings! I hope the New Year will open well for you. This Sunday, as we read though Luke, I will preach on Luke 4:16-30.

The title of the sermon is:

"What Turned a Respectable Congregation Into A Lynching Mob?

Or, Amazing and Disturbing Grace."

If you have a chance, read it beforehand and apply your holy imagination!

This Friday is our annual church retreat. I hope you will come. I sent a letter yesterday outlining what we will do. If you haven't had a chance to read it, do. It will be an important time to be together!

Calendar

Wednesday

7:00pm - Choir Practice

Friday

6:00pm - Church Retreat

Sunday

10:00am - Sunday School

11:00am - Worship

Contact us at gracestatesville@gmail.com or visit us at www.gracestatesville.org.

The week of January 6 - 12, 2019

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

Our friends on homebound:
Mary Alice Woods,
Tressie Starrette, Nellie Grant,
Ernie Hendrix, Rosemary Rector,
Ernestine Lanford, Barbara
Robinson, Mary Jean Grose,
Beecher Grose.

Those issues close to us: Vernon
Tyson family, Randy Stutts,
Rosemary Rector,
LeAnn Seely's family, Bridgett's
family, Jessica Pritchard, Nancy
Milstead, Jane Long, Ron Thou,
Monique Tadlock, Debra Schultz,
Wally Davis, Jack Hickman, Matt
Jordan family, Karen Marlowe,
Sarah Shields, Casey Leslie,
caregivers, and healthcare
workers, homeless children, our
nations immigrants.

Those facing tough times,
those who are mentally ill, those
who are affected by violence,
those who are incarcerated.

In our community and in our
world, children who are a part of
the Guardian ad Litem program,
local law enforcement officers
and fire fighters.

Those in the military:
Molly Murphy, Greg West,
Josh Wingfield, James Pulliam,
Mark Staley, Adam Ivey,
Austin Frutig,
Mary Jane Johnson,
Travis Clower, Caleb Sisk.

NEW PRAYER REQUESTS

Celebrations:

Birthdays:

8 - Georgia Theriot
 12 -Tipton and Ezra Tosco

Katelyn and Marco are back from Ireland.

Steve has a new grandson, Aubrey
 Phyllis and John have moved to new home.

Concerns:

Hospice has been called in for Nellie Grant

Kathy Streetman's stepdad, Jerry, passed away on December 30th. Please remember her mom.

Linda Jolly with cancer.

Co-worker of Gina's.

Mary Jean Grose has moved to assisted living in Winston. New address will be on the bulletin board.

Gina's sister's friend, Russell had a stroke.

Tracey Barnes is in Hospice.

Lady from the mini mart.

Carole Hendrix's client.

Upcoming Events

*January 11 -
Church Retreat
6:00pm*

*January 12 -
Cabinet meets.
9:00am-12:00pm*

*January 19 - 21
MLK weekend with lots
going on. Info to come.*

*January 27 -
The Congregation is
invited to attend services
at First Baptist -Garfield.
Steve will be preaching.
10:30am*

*February 3 -
The Sisterhood of
Congregation Emanuel will
be hosting
Rabbi Judith Schindler on
Sunday, February 3
at 3pm.
Her topic will be Women in the
Inner Bible.
All are invited to attend.*

Scriptures for the Week

Luke 4:16-30

SUNDAY'S SERMON

*WHAT TURNED A RESPECTABLE
CONGREGATION INTO A LYNCHING MOB?
OR, AMAZING AND DISTURBING GRACE.*

Budget

Needed year to date: \$1964.75
Received year to date: \$4058.00
OVER budget: \$2093.25
Weekly needs: \$1964.75

Weekly Assignments

Church Maintenance
Nicholson/Davis

Worship Leader
Doug Hendrix

Worship Reader
Melissa Hendrix

Second Hour Helpers
**Andora Nicholson and
Marsha Angell.
Alt. Tom Wiberg**

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