

CARRILEA'S CORNER

Church is more than a place we show up on Sundays. It's a community we shape together. And one of the ways to belong at Grace is to offer your voice, your energy, and your gifts to a part of the church's life that matters to you.

As we look ahead to the coming year, we're asking each of you to consider:

Which group or "board" of the church do you feel drawn to right now? Where do you want to be a part?

Education – helping form our faith across generations

Mission – guiding how we show up in the world and serve our neighbors

Stewardship – stewarding our shared resources with transparency and care.

GIFT (Grace in Future Tense) – imagining the future and dreaming creatively about what Grace can become

Worship – curating our worship life through music, liturgy, visuals, and sacred space

Deacon -- Like a care team, this group intentionally offers care and support to the people in our community. They also connect with people newer to our community and help connect them to others.

You don't need to be an "expert." Just willing. Just curious. Just you. Whether you're newer to Grace or have been around for decades, this is how we grow together—by making space for each other's gifts and investing in something larger than ourselves.

If one of these teams speaks to you—or if you're not sure and want to talk more—please reach out!

**Gratefully,
Carrilea**

November 30-December 6, 2025

December Birthdays

6 - John Barnard

6 - Bob Rawls

9 - Cohen Bryce Hayes

19 - Marsha Angell

24 - Lauren Berryhill

26 - Eben Coarsey

27 - Diane Hamby

Anniversary

11 - Jim and Janna Brown

BEER AND HYMN DATE IS DEC. 6, 6PM

Our Advent offering this year is collecting items for the Homeless served by 5th Street Ministries PATH project.
Food items mostly.

The food should be single serving, not requiring a can opener and preferably finger foods not needing to be heated. Examples are: Vienna sausages, protein bars, cheese sticks, etc. Cutlery is also helpful. And as always money donations can be put to use.

***December 16th is our Grace Church Christmas/ 5th Street Resident Staff Potluck. 6 PM**

Bring your favorite dish or 2 to share.

Deacons will provide drinks and bread.

**ICM NEEDS ANYTHING
AND
EVERYTHING!**

BUDGET

Needed year to date: \$95,616.00

Received year to date: \$101,695.01

OVER budget: \$6079.01

Weekly needs: \$1,992.00

This Week's Offering: \$1430.18



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