

Hanging of the Greens: It is hard to believe that we are talking about Christmas already. Every year just seems to fly by so fast. As you know, the Shoppers Stroll is the day after Thanksgiving. We need to have our sanctuary decorated for Christmas for the Stroll. We always do it the Sunday before Thanksgiving. So, mark your calendars now. We will decorate Sunday, November 24th after Church. We always have a great turnout. Many hands make light work! And, we will have a luncheon first before we get to work. All of your help is greatly appreciated.

Christmas Poinsettias are available this year for those who wish to remember a loved one. Red, White, Pink or Ice Crystal (whitish-pink) colors are available for \$7.25. There are order forms in the back of the sanctuary. The plants can be picked up after the Christmas Eve service. The order deadline is **November 26th**. Questions? Call Judy LaGasse (315) 725-2217 or Janice LeFrois (315) 853-2933.

Hope House: They have a special request for **cereal & toiletries (especially shampoo and conditioner)**. Please contact Ceil Gilbert (853-8289) if you have any questions.

The Country Pantry will continue to collect food donations for the Holidays. Items such as stuffing, gravy, canned vegetables, canned fruits including cranberry sauce, soup for the cold months ahead and oatmeal. All donations are appreciated. And remember we have designated the third Sunday of the month as our collection for bringing donated items to worship as part of our monthly “offering” to the Country Pantry. Of course, we welcome bringing items in anytime.

The Fair Trade Shoppe: Today, folks celebrate Thanksgiving for a multitude of reasons. For some, it remains a way to express gratitude for the harvest, for family, or to a higher power; for others, it’s a holiday built upon being united as a family (in person or virtually) and sharing in a special meal. We have some beautiful dishware that will add elegance to your table this Thanksgiving. Colorful tabletop ceramics are intricately hand painted in bold floral designs, a traditional Palestinian craft. Our Yellow West Bank Bowl is microwave safe, but not oven safe. Your purchase of our West Bank Appetizer Plates helps handcrafters in the West Bank develop their social rights and communities through local handcrafting traditions and become active agents in their own livelihoods. These and many, many more uniquely handcrafted gift items from 38 different countries can be found at our Fair Trade Shoppe, Stone Presbyterian Church, 8 So. Park Row, Clinton. Our regular hours are 10am to 4pm every Thursday and second Saturdays. Purchasing Fair Trade items ensures artisans and small farmers fair wages and healthy working conditions, providing dignity, sustainable development and hope for marginalized people.



CALENDAR



Today – 11/17/24:	After Worship
Tuesday – 11/19/24:	12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.
Thursday – 11/21/24:	10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Sunday – 11/24/24:	10:30 a.m.

Deacon’s Meeting
CAM Meeting
Fair Trade Shoppe
Worship-Guest Preacher-LaDana Clark



Want to see what else is on the calendar? Go to our Web page – Stonepres.org & click on the “CALENDAR ICON”

Greeter & Host: Judy LaGasse

Prayer Chain: If you would like to add someone to our prayer list or would like to receive the prayer list for daily prayer, please go to our website www.stonepres.org and click on “Prayer Request”

Members/Friends of the Week:

Mary Chamberlain
 Juliann Scatko
 Howie & Rachel Shaffer

I already told you
 I am not turning your water into
 pumpkin spice latte



Prayer Request:

Linda Rance & Family
 Phil Conley
 Chris Conley
 The Christeler Family
 Nancy & Will Eisenhower
 Larry Bakos
 Carol Sherman
 Ewa Lawrence
 Conley Roberto and Family
 Cindy Chamberlain
 Ruth Hughes
 Erik Jones
 Andrew Bering
 Daniel Kolb and Family

