CHURCH NOTES - December 29, 2019

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TODAY

NEW BABY Congratulations to David and Kiri Hahn on the birth of their son, Henry Conrad Hahn, born on December 17, 2019. His proud grandparents are Rick and Eleanor Hahn.

NOTES OF INTEREST

THE CHURCH OFFICE will be open until 1pm on December 30. The Church Office and Child Development Center will be closed on December 31 and January 1.

STEWARDSHIP 2020, FACE TO FACE Your commitment at any level matters. By making an annual pledge you support the vision and mission of SAPC. Please return your pledge card in the offering plate or to the church office. Or you may email your commitment to Church Accountant Tonya Moore, tonya@tmooreaccounting.com or pledge online: www.selwynpres.org/giving/.

GIVING REMINDER The IRS requires the church receive checks/stocks in 2019 to be counted as a 2019 contribution. If delivered in person, the check must be received in the office by 1pm, December 30, 2019. If mailed, your check must be dated 2019, and your envelope postmarked by December 31, 2019. Checks dated in 2019, but postmarked in 2020 must be credited, for IRS purposes in 2020.

GIVING STOCK Our stock account is with Charles Schwab & Co, Inc. When giving stock, please sign a letter of instruction for your broker as follows: Please accept this letter of instruction to transfer __shares of _____securities as a gift to Selwyn Avenue Presbyterian, account #6598-4201, DTC Clearing 0164, Code 40. When calling your broker, also contact church accountant Tonya Moore, tonya@tmooreaccounting.com or 704-996-5504, so she is aware of the transaction and can credit the proper amount to the correct member.

MONTCLAIRE ELEMENTARY To volunteer visit www.selwynpres.org/volunteer. Tutor with HELPS Fluency, Augustine Literacy Project or Heart Math, be a Teacher Partner, or volunteer at the Greater Enrichment (GEP) After-School Program. Help stock the Food Pantry by picking up a cloth bag from the narthex and returning it on Food First Sunday, January 5.

ROOM IN THE INN Monday nights through March Selwyn will host homeless neighbors and provide three meals and a warm, safe place to sleep. Please consider helping in the new year. Contact Michelle Bentley, mleebentley@gmail.com or sign-up through www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0e49aba723a20-room5.

THE EXODUS STUDY will resume on January 5, 4-5:30pm in the Grace Room.

AA MEETINGS Selwyn is the host site for two weekly Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. The times are Mondays, noon-1pm in the Bates House and Wednesdays, 8-10pm in the Fellowship Hall. All are welcome to attend.

CONSTRUCTION Phase Three is underway in the Spire hallway. The Spire door entry is no longer accessible. On Sunday mornings please enter through the Welcome Center or sanctuary. Thank you for your patience during this time. Please continue to call the church office for entry during weekday office hours, 704-372-6836.

PARKING LOT REMINDER The small parking lot is one-way, from the Selwyn Avenue entrance, down the hill, and out onto Glendale. When exiting, there is a stop sign at the bottom of the hill and a speed bump to remind drivers to exit carefully and slowly. Please do not enter from Glendale and drive up the hill.

THE 2020 FLOWER CALENDAR is available in the Fellowship Hall. Individuals and families are encouraged to sign up in honor or memory of people, occasions, committees or groups. Additional information can be found on the calendar.

THANK YOU to Selwyn members, CDC families and friends for your generous, loving hearts in helping support the SAPC Mission Christmas Trees. This year was such a wonderful response. Our Montclaire teachers were thrilled to recieve your gifts. Our Housing First Kit reciprients and RITI neighbors will also benefit from your generosity.

THIS WEEK AT SELWYN		
Sunday, December 29 9:30 Fellowship Time for All (FH) 10:30 Worship (S) 5:30 Youth Group (FH) Monday, December 30	Tuesday, December 31Church Office and CDC ClosedWednesday, January 1Church Office and CDC Closed8:00AA Meeting (FH)	Sunday, January 59:00Chancel Choir (S)9:30Sunday School for All10:30Worship (S)5:30Youth Group (FH)
12:00 AA Meeting (BH) 5:00 Room In The Inn (FH)	Friday, January 3 7:00 Men's Group (BH)	Church Notes deadline is Monday by 9am. Spire deadline is Monday, December 30, 9am.

NOMINATION FORM FOR CHURCH ELDERS:

We need your suggestions for Church Elders to begin serving June 7, 2020. If you like, you may give reasons why the people you are suggesting will make good officers (past service to this or other churches; spiritual leadership, etc.) You may submit your suggestions in one of the following ways: 1) Place this form in the offering plate, 2) return the form to the church office or 3) email your nomination to marshac@selwynpres.org where it will be passed to the Nominating Committee. Please submit your suggestions by January 12, 2020.

Nominations for Elder (9 will be elected - 3 year term)

Nominations for Youth Elder (1 will be elected - 1 year term)

LIST OF OFFICERS CURRENTLY SERVING AND THEREFORE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR NOMINATION:

Class of 2020: Ashley Armistead, Matt Baskerville, Pam Brownlee, Meg Dewey, Andrew McLellan, Jay Pfeifer, Kris Phillips, Olen Smith, Laura Stark Class of 2021: Emily Battle, Lee Bobbitt, Kim Claxton, DiAnne Cordell, Andy Johnston, Hunter Miller, Erin Mills, Daniel Smith, Heather Smith Class of 2022: Emily Cox, Janice Finein, Kipp Kiger, Emily Kincade, Bailey King, Tom Moore, Alyssa Sharpe, Allison Tibe, Clark Walton Youth: Jonah Cameron