

Westminster

Presbyterian Church

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Westminster Presbyterian Church is pleased to announce we have a new, full-time pastor. His name is Edward Suey, III (Trey) and he is coming to us from Mt. Juliet, Tennessee. He will be living in Florence with his wife, Marlee, and their two daughters, Eden (5) and Ira (3). Trey has experience in the ministry and also in business. He will

join a wonderful team of leaders and staff to move Westminster forward serving the Lord in new ways.

August Birthdays

Florence Duncan	2
Kathy Bruninga	7
Gay Sandlin	7
Kim Eckl	8
M. Q. Parker	13
Susan Johnson	16
Linda Seme	19
Sandra Perry	27

Our new t-shirts and church fans have the slogan, “serving others with a joyful heart” and that is what the congregation does. A couple of weeks ago we had a Sunday we called, “God’s bounty.” Members of the congregation brought fresh produce from their gardens, the farmer’s market or the grocery store. We delivered boxes and boxes of fresh vegetables to the Help Center in downtown Florence. Some of the members also deliver Meals



on Wheels, prepare meals for the Soup Kitchen, serve on boards of non-profits around the city and so much more to be the hands and feet of Jesus. We even dance at the church when we host the Midnighters for the Handy Fest where we serve cookies and lemonade! I am grateful to have had the opportunity to serve as the Interim Pastor at Westminster for the past year.

Blessings, Susan



and the tears of bittersweet joy



PASTOR
APPRECIATION
LUNCHEON





Susan, we don't have words that are adequate to show you what you've meant to the WPC family.

You came to us during the lowest point in Westminster's life. We had lost John McKell, our Pastor of 25 years. We didn't know if we could hold our small congregation together, because sometimes we only had 12-15 in attendance. We truly believe that God heard our prayers and sent you to not only save us, but lift us up. You've not only healed our hearts, but inspired us to be better and stronger than before! We have seen your compassion on our shut-ins and you have taught us the importance of loving and caring for each and every one of us. You've brought life to our worship hour showing us that it's okay to laugh, dance, joke & have fun while worshipping! We have loved all of your skits and life examples.

You have prepared us for changing times, even if you had to call us a little "stiff & stuffy"! Some of us have even left our ties hanging in the closet, brought out our tennis shoes and have actually felt casual and comfortable during worship. Although we are selfish and don't like the idea of letting you go, we know there's a time and season for everything. We are excited for Trey Suey and his sweet family to continue where you left off. God has truly blessed us and we pray blessings on you and Paul in all the plans He has for you.

Susan, we are so proud to hang your picture in our hallway as our 3rd Interim Pastor. The plague loving says, "Rev Dr Susan D. Parker, June 2024-July 2025, "A year full of healing, changing, growing & blessings!" Susan and Paul, we want to say Thank you & We Love You !!!!! Come worship with us anytime!



WELCOME
OUR NEW
PASTOR



“And the Lord said to him, ‘But I will be with you...!’ —
Judges 6:16

In the warmth of God’s hand, we are stepping into ministry alongside the beloved community of [Westminster Presbyterian Church](#) in Florence, Alabama.

This Sunday marks the beginning of a special chapter in our journey within the movement of Jesus of Nazareth.

Over the past few months, we’ve had the privilege of growing in love and connection with this church and the Florence neighborhood. Our hearts are full as we ride the winds of the Spirit together.

With deep love and gratitude—for all we have known and all we will come to know—we press on in the calling of God.



Trey





We want to thank Magan Bullock for the colorful balloon columns she made for the Handy Event! While she was busy with that project, Marsha had her granddaughters helping make visitor packets to give out! Thank you Sophia, Brookelyn & Lydia!



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WG HANDY Music Festival

NEIGHBORHOOD LEMONADE PARTY

We're "fans" of the THE MIDNIGHTERS



Westminster
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

HANDY MUSIC & LEMONADE
TUES JULY 22 7 PM
SUNDAY SERVICES
SS 10 AM WORSHIP 11 AM

