

EPC FAMILY NEWS & NOTES

February 15, 2026



SUNDAY SERVICE We invite you and your loved ones to experience the uplifting atmosphere of our Sunday morning service at 9:00 a.m. Can't make it in person? No problem! We warmly encourage you to join us virtually through our live stream at <https://www.youtube.com/@epc0381/streams>. Let's come together, share in the joy, and grow in faith—no matter where you are!

MESSAGE FROM PASTOR KIM

I am enjoying getting to know folks in worship and in meetings - and in chair unloading and setting up!! And since I don't have the membership list memorized, I can't tell who are long time members and who are friends of the church. Which is just fine, as everyone is part of the family of God!! But, if there is anyone who is not a member and wants to make it "official" let me know. I would be happy to meet with anyone who would like to know more about the Presbyterian Church in general and Elizabeth Presbyterian specifically. Talk with me after worship or email me at kimnofelepc@gmail.com

LENTEN DEVOTIONALS

We will be sending 7 weekly emails from our Lenten Devotional for 2026: **Discipleship in a Divided Age - A Lenten Journey through the Gospel of Matthew**. The complete document is a 25 page front/back devotional so we will only print a few copies for those without access to downloading/email. Let us know if you need one mailed to you. Otherwise, the full color versions are viewable on your computer or tablet. The devotional begins on Ash Wednesday and continues through Easter Sunday.

PERSONAL PRAYER TIME

Sundays are a perfect time for personal prayer! Once our service concludes, assemble by the organ, where a dedicated individual will be on hand to facilitate both individual and small group prayer gatherings. We warmly invite everyone to engage in a way that is meaningful to you.

UPCOMING EVENTS

ASH WEDNESDAY SERVICE Join us for this week's Ash Wednesday Service on **February 18th** at 6 p.m. in the Church Sanctuary. This solemn service marks the beginning of Lent, a time of fasting and reflection leading up to Easter. Let us come together to receive the sign of ashes, a symbol reminding us of the fragility and temporary nature of human existence.



SENIOR GAME DAY Senior Game Day this month will be held on **Thursday, February 19th** from 11-2 pm in the fellowship area. We will be having scalloped potatoes with ham for lunch. Join us for a time of games, chatter and laughs.



ELIZABETH HIGH SCHOOL & CHAPARRAL HIGH SCHOOL MUSICALS Mark your calendars and plan to support EPC's own Sydney Tichota in "Anything Goes" and Annika Blaskovic in "Les Miserables" as they perform in their school's Performing Arts events. When purchasing tickets to "Anything Goes" please mention Sydney's name since the person who has the most referrals gets a prize. All tickets are \$15.
Anything Goes: February 26th, 27th at 7pm & February 28th at 2pm & 7pm
Les Miserables: February 19th, 20th, 21st, 26th, 27th and 28th at 7pm

MISSION SUPPORT

*For your convenience, there is a 'Food Box' and a 'Network Coffee House' box
Both are located in the ramp room where you can drop off your items.
Thank you! It's heartwarming to see the continued love for both of these missions.*

FOOD BANK NEEDS FOR FEBRUARY Please consider adding **ketchup, mustard and cold cereal** to your shopping list to donate this month.

NETWORK COFFEE HOUSE NEEDS FOR FEBRUARY The Network Coffee House needs for this month include: **hand warmers, gloves and coffee mugs**. Thank you! It's heartwarming to see the continued love for this Ministry.

WEEKLY MEETINGS

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL Each Sunday the group meets at **10:45 a.m.** Our new study is based on Rick Warren's book *Created to Dream: The 6 Phases God Uses to Grow Your Faith*. If you are interested in joining each week or only occasionally, please contact Phil Wood at woodwritings@gmail.com

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY The Journeymen group meets weekly on **Saturday mornings at 7 a.m.** in the church office to pray and study God's Word, and talk about how it affects our lives. The group has started at the beginning, and is now studying the Book of Genesis. Following the meeting, the guys go out for breakfast, when possible, to continue in fellowship. Please contact John Bussie if you have any questions.

WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP We invite everyone to join us each **Wednesday at 9 am** for some fun and camaraderie at Brews & Blooms by the Elizabeth Post Office. Please contact Barb Batt at (303) 646-1274 or batt49@myctl.net if you have any questions.

YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL CJ Biewenga is teaching our Youth Sunday School class each **Sunday morning at 11:00 a.m.** The current study is based on the Gospel of Luke. For more information or any questions, contact CJ Biewenga at 303-249-9471.

STAY INFORMED

Things are happening all the time at EPC so don't miss out. Read the weekly News and Notes bulletin at any time throughout the week. It is easy to find right on the EPC website at <https://www.elizabethpc.org/>. Just click on the **Current week: Newsletter: News & notes**

FINANCE & ATTENDANCE REPORT

EPC FINANCIAL REPORT

DECEMBER 2025

Tithes/Offering/Other Income	\$25,559.63
Expenses	\$51,238.58
Surplus/(Shortfall)	\$(25,678.95)

YEAR TO DATE 2025

Tithes/Offering/Other Income	\$191,046.82
Expenses	\$198,115.34
Surplus/(Shortfall)	\$(7,068.52)
Avg Monthly Income	\$15,920.57
Total Offerings 2/8/2026	\$4,670.00

59 people attended the Sunday service on February 8. The recorded service was viewed 34times.

PRAYERLINE

To submit a prayer request for email distribution, send your request to: prayerline@elizabethpc.org

To add names or remove names from this Newsletter, email winchell3997@outlook.com

Health Concerns

Pam Banta	Amy Biewenga	Bob Bucknam	John Dahm
Mary Ellen Dahm	John Davison	Margaret Davison	Mary Ann Quick
Phil Wood			

John & Mary Ellen Dahm's daughter, Kim Von Canon

Peggy Bussie's brother, Tim Gerstner

Mona Smith's sister-in-law, Jann Rasmussen

John & Mary Ellen Dahm's daughter, Teresa Trujillo

Dana & Alice Potter's grandson, Isaiah Kemp

Mike Banta's daughter, Elizabeth Banta

Bobi Besant's mom, Janice

Bonnie Franken's brother, Doug Klingenberger

Grieving

Annika Blaskovic and family in the loss of Annika's papa, Robert

Kelly Carmody, family and friends in the loss of Kelly's mom, Linda Pizzuto

Jeff Elwell and family in the loss of Sue and Hank Brandes

John Vossler and family in the loss of John's mother, Margie Vossler

Mike Banta and family in the loss of Mike's mother, Lois Banta

Freda Kilgore and family in the loss of Freda's sister, Naomi Alice Backlund

Oletha Tanin and family in the loss of Oletha's daughter, Vicki

In the Military

Jake Baggett	Zach Dees	Braede Merrell	Jim Von Canon
Jimmy Baggett	Chalub Dell	Lyndsey Olmskad	Tim Walton
Colin Bauerle	Karly Dortch	Chris Pinson	Nick Wilcox
Robert Beary	Tre Dortch	Skyler Short	Christopher Wilson
Josh Burton	Weston Haber	Brandi Streit	
Braedon Cambell	Mason Klingenberger	Adam Treptow	

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Building and Grounds – Mike Baggett, Christian Education – Marilyn Travis
Communication & Outreach – Allyn Bader Barclay, Finance – John Bussie
Missions – Barb Batt, Worship – Clark Hagan

OTHER CONTACTS

Deacon Moderator – Julie Baggett
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