

# November 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>8</b> <b>Commitment Sunday</b>  <b>Worship 9:30 a.m.</b>  <b>Session Mtg. after Fellowship</b>	<b>9</b>  <b>AA Noon</b>	<b>10</b> <b>Bible Study</b> 10:30 am  <b>WW Quilters</b> 10 a.m.–2 p.m. <b>AA Noon</b>  <b>AA</b> 7:00 p.m.	<b>11</b> <b>Prayer Group</b> 8:30 a.m.  <b>AA Noon</b>  <b>Ladies' AA</b> 7:30 p.m.	<b>12</b>  <b>AA Noon</b>  <b>AA</b> 8:00 p.m.	<b>13</b>  <b>AA Noon</b>	<b>14</b> <b>Jack Bagent &amp; Bob Buck Yard Crew</b>
<b>15</b> <b>Worship 9:30 a.m.</b>  <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Luncheon</b> <b>Emphasis on Heifer International</b>	<b>16</b>  <b>AA Noon</b>	<b>17</b> <b>Bible Study</b> 10:30 a.m.  <b>AA Noon</b>  <b>AA</b> 7:00 p.m.	<b>18</b> <b>Prayer Group</b> 8:30 a.m.  <b>AA Noon</b>  <b>Ladies' AA</b> 7:30 p.m.	<b>19</b>  <b>AA Noon</b>  <b>AA</b> 8:00 p.m.	<b>20</b>  <b>AA Noon</b>	<b>21</b> <b>John Dye &amp; Mike Groves Yard Crew</b>

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- Here you will find opportunities to
- Connect with God in spirit and in truth,
  - Connect with the Community of Faith in worship, study, and fellowship,
  - Connect with the Neighborhood Community in friendship and service.

**Connect with God in spirit & in truth**

### Worship Leaders for November 8, 2015

Interim Pastor ..... Rev. Linda L. Kelly  
 Liturgist ..... Doris M. (Skippy) Thompson  
 Ushers..... Mike & Connie Leonard  
 Hospitality..... Mike & Connie Leonard  
 Music Director..... Dr. Kit Loong Yee (Raymond)

*The flowers are presented  
 in honor of Mary Perry's birthday  
 And in loving memory of Bill Perry  
 By Elizabeth "Tootie" Perry*

*Check it out ...*

- ✓ **Session will meet** today, immediately following our Congregational Fellowship Time. Elders, please check your mailboxes for the agenda and any supporting documents prior to the meeting. Our Session devotion will be led by Tom Tucker. Incoming Elders will be examined at this meeting in preparation for Installation in January. Let's keep them and our current Session in our prayers!
- ✓ **Sunday, November 15**, is a 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday -- and that means **Lunch** after worship! The entrée is baked ham. Sign up for side dishes and desserts on the bulletin board in the fellowship area. The **Lunch Money** from the donation basket next Sunday will go to **Heifer International**.

*Every day may not be a good day  
but there is something good in every day!*

**Pastor Kelly**

**Pastor Kelly** will be in Baton Rouge this week Tuesday through Thursday. If you would like to contact her at any time, please feel free to call or text her at **337-849-2212** or to email her at [lindakelly@cox.net](mailto:lindakelly@cox.net).

Anniversaries

Jack and Betty Bagent      November 21

Birthdays

Dudley Payton      November 4  
Mary Perry      November 11  
Bonner Stewart      November 24

**Commitment Sunday**

**Today is Commitment Sunday**, a day we set apart to rededicate ourselves to the ministry and mission of Highland Presbyterian Church and to the furtherance of Christ's kingdom here in our community and around the world. Likened to a tree, we are firmly rooted in the Presbyterian Church (USA) and bearing fruit in search for Jesus Christ, our Lord.



**“Not a Silent Night”**

Pastor Kelly will facilitate an Advent study titled “Not a Silent Night.” This will **begin on November 22, in Sunday Study**, and then **continue on Tuesday Mornings during the month of December** at the regular Bible study time, 10:30 a.m.

“Not a Silent Night” begins at the end, with Mary at the crucifixion and resurrection, then travels back in time as she witnesses her son's life and ministry, and ends at the stable, the beginning, the Christ Child born.

This is a DVD-based study presented by Adam Hamilton, a United Methodist pastor and Biblical scholar. Let's prepare our hearts for the coming of our King.

**Prayers of thanksgiving and intercession**

Shelby and Mary Etta Brown, Eva Fuller, Catherine Hackney, Joe Heath, Lexi and her parents Audrie & Jacob John, Jeanette Lambert, Jean Nasse, Jane Payton, ***Kirby Perry***, Mary Perry, Ms. Dell Perry, Earl Rabe, Irlée Redmann, Deanna Lewis Sklar, Bonner Stewart, Mike Tucker, the Congregation and leaders of Matanzas Central Presbyterian Church (Cuba), First Presbyterian Church of Iberia Parish, the Congregation and leaders of Highland Presbyterian Church, and the Pastor Nominating Committee of HPC.  
***(New names added to prayer list are in bold italics.)***