ELDERS

"Be on guard for yourselves and for all the flock among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God which He purchased with His own blood." ACTS 20:28

> **JIM FLOWERS LESLIE SMITH**

MINISTER

"... preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort, with great patience and instruction." 2 TIMOTHY 4:2

LARRY FIFE

So You Know...

- Hearing Assistance Units are available in the Sound Room at the rear of the auditorium.
- Please remember to silence all cell phones and pagers when entering the auditorium.
- Please help us to keep the auditorium looking **neat and clean** by picking up any trash from your seat and the surrounding seats.
- A Nursery is available near the foyer, for children up to two years of age.
- A "Child Training Room" is located at the rear of the auditorium. This room is provided to train small children for appropriate behavior in worship. We kindly ask this room by used only by parents involved in training their small children.
- A Note from the Elders: The Elders welcome new members! If you would like to be identified as a member of the Cary church of Christ, please speak with any elder so that we may schedule a short meeting to get better acquainted with one another. We also wish to share our vision for the Cary congregation and our position on several important issues and matters of doctrine.

DEACONS

"For those who have served well as deacons obtain for themselves a high standing and great confidence in the faith that is in Christ Jesus."

1 TIMOTHY 3:13

FLOYD BARCO Men's Activities & Visitation

FORREST BOOZER Benevolence

JASON BURNS Finance, IT & Elementary (Cradle Roll - 6th Grade)

JONNY CANNON College/Young Professionals

ROBERT COLLINS Congregational Worship

JEFF ESSIC External Communications, Library

JASON GIVENS Ground Maintenance

Education (Grades 7-12)

STEVE SIMPSON Building Maintenance

OZIE STALLWORTH Congregational Involvement

STUART SPENCER Ladies Programs

As we step into a new year, our hearts are overflowing with gratitude for the journey God has brought us through, the blessings He has so graciously given us, and the path He is lovingly laying before us. Our theme for 2025 is "Walking in Love," inspired by Ephesians 5:2: "And walk in love, as Christ also has loved us and given Himself for us, an offering and a sacrifice to God for a sweet-smelling aroma."

This year, we are called (2 Thessalonians 2:14) to let love guide every thought, every word and every action. Love is the very essence of who Christ is and as His followers, we are invited to reflect His love in every area of our lives Waling in love means rooting all that we do in the selfless, sacrificial love of Christ. It means cultivating relationships built on kindness, humility, and forgiveness. It is about service on another and our community with open hears and generous hands and sharing the hope and truth of the gospel with a spirit of compassion.

May our worship this year overflow with awe and gratitude. May our fellowship be strengthened by grace, and may our mission be energized by the truth of God's Word! As we walk in love together, we will grow deeper in faith, stronger in unity, and closer as a family of believers. Let us commit to seeing God daily, allowing His love to shape us, and flow through us in all we do.

May 2025 be a year where we embody the love of Christ in every step we take! - Larry

A Little Sweetheart is on the Way! Baby Shower Honoring Tyler and Maggie Bishop!



Tyler and Maggie Bishop are expecting a little sweetheart! Ladies - please mark your calendars for Sunday, February 2nd, at 1pm in our Family Room as we celebrate the impending arrival with Tyler and Maggie! Watch your mailboxes for more information and make plans to join us!!

JANUARY 2025 - MONTHLY EVENTS & CALENDAR

Cary Church of Christ

2025 Theme: Walking in Love Ephesians 5:2



