## **Worship Committee 2025 Annual Report**

Our Worship Committee is devoted to glorifying God through our actions. Our responsibilities encompass a wide and diverse variety of duties related to acts of worship as well as our actual worship services. The specific areas include: the Altar Guild, Flowers, Holiday and Seasonal Decorationing, Ushering, Paraments and Banners, Special Service Volunteer Recruitment, as well as anything else that may present itself to aid in worshiping God during all of our regular and special services.

Our Chapel is blessed with a faithful and reliable group of volunteers. The level of dedication each of our volunteers demonstrates is a visible testament of our Chapel's devotion to and love of our Savior, Jesus Christ.

Our **Altar Guild** continues to be faithfully led by Sandy Jones. Communion is served weekly during the 11:15 service and monthly at the 9:00 service. Preparation includes the organization of Communion elements, setting the Communion Table, as well as linen care and ordering the supplies.

**Flowers**-floral arrangements are donated by our members each Sunday. They are given to celebrate or commemorate a special event or in loving memory of a special person. For those who wish to participate in this ministry, there is a Flower Calendar located in the Narthex. Christmas poinsettias and Easter hydrangeas dedications are also available to donate during the appropriate holiday season.

**Paraments and Needlepoint Banners-**Jim and <u>Barbara Tucker</u> care for and change our beautifully crafted handmade pieces. They are rotated according to the Liturgical Calendar. An additional special set of Advent Paraments (and candles) have been ordered for the upcoming Advent season.

**Ushers**- Buddy Jacobs organizes and oversees a devoted group of ushers to ready the Chapel for our Worship Services. They assist, greet, and distribute the bulletins, and collect the offertory. The 11:15 service has Jay and Mary Ann Niles as well as Bruce Comrie as the faithful volunteers to assist with these duties.

**Holiday Decorations-** Advent, Christmas and Thanksgiving are the perfect time to serve our Chapel through volunteering. Palm Sunday, Easter, and various National Holidays are additional celebrations which need a variety of volunteers.

Respectfully Submitted, Carmen Fenn Drake