



**What did you expect? Marriage Seminar**  
**February 3 (7 PM) & 4 (3 PM)**

Everyone's marriage morphs into something they didn't intend it to be. At some point you need something sturdier than romance. You need changed expectations, you need radical commitments, and most importantly, you need grace. Join Mark & Donna Mashburn in the sanctuary to learn how to develop a marriage of unity, understanding, and love. Information for inviting friends and neighbors can be found in the lobby.

*When the song of the angels is stilled,  
When the star in the sky is gone,  
When the kings and princes are home,  
When the shepherds are back with the flocks,  
Then the real work of Christmas begins:  
To find the lost, to heal those broken in spirit,  
To feed the hungry, to release the oppressed,  
To rebuild the nations, to bring peace among all peoples,  
To make a little music with the heart,  
To radiate Light in the darkness,  
To join with others doing the real work of Christmas  
Throughout this whole New Year! ~Howard Theron  
(submitted by Mary Farrow)*



**♥ Valentine Banquet ♥**

Everyone is invited to a Valentine Dinner on Sunday evening, February 19, at the Church Fellowship Hall. This will be an opportunity to enjoy a delicious vegetarian meal while supporting the Shenandoah Valley Trailblazers Pathfinder Club as they begin looking ahead to the 2024 International Pathfinder Camporee. You will become a part of the Camporee experience as you help club members raise the money for their trip with your contribution (minimum suggested donation \$20 per person). Please reserve your place at the dinner, by contacting Jan Osborne via phone or text at (540) 335-3399. Also, please indicate dietary restrictions (gluten free and/or vegan).



ROK Ministries annual Winter International Vespers will be on Friday evening, February 17 at 7:00 p.m. We will be highlighting the blessings of being a missionary, no matter where you go or who you are. Please come to enjoy this vespers, followed by food from the places highlighted in our service. You won't want to miss it!

**Remember with Prayer & Cards**

John Anderson, Sarah Jane Liers, Patty Foster, Joseph Csaba Nagy, Dennis and Shelva Norris, Donnie Orebaugh, Charles and Joan Ripley, Hiram Sanchez, Lee Swasey, Carolyn Wolters, Holly Payne, Briggs family, Gerald White

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Wednesdays til Feb 15:** Grief Seminar (10a-12p)  
**Jan 30:** ROK Cookie Monday  
**Jan 31:** Board Meeting  
**Feb 4:** Rick Labate, Guest Speaker  
**Feb 3 & 4:** Marriage Seminar  
**Feb 11-2:** SVA Middle School Basketball Tournament  
**Feb 17:** ROK Vespers  
**Feb 19:** Valentine Banquet  
**Feb 25:** Justin Kim, Guest Speaker  
**Feb 25:** PBE Conference Level, SVAE Talent Show



**Lunch Bunch Schedule**  
**Meet at 12:30 PM**

Feb. 21: El Ranchero Broadway  
Mar. 21: Olive Garden Harrisonburg

**Irma Lipscomb**

Our hearts and prayers are with Kevin Lipscomb and his family as they mourn the loss of their precious mother and grandmother, Irma Lipscomb.

**Piano Concert TODAY**



Bollero & Wainz, a piano duo from Argentina, will be sharing a musical tour through different periods, styles and aesthetics; painting both sacred & secular musical postcards. Come & enjoy at 6 pm in the SVA Auditorium.

**Contribution Statements**

Contribution statements for 2022 tax purposes have been e-mailed this week. If you requested a paper copy, these can be found in the church work/copy room.

**PBE Team Advances!**

Congrats to our Trailblazers Pathfinder Bible Experience team who will advance to testing at the conference level on February 25!

Sienna Dauer, Joshua Sosa, Kristopher Hoffman, Nathaniel Sosa, Marcel Jaen, Sadie Wilson



**Bathrooms** in the west wing are closed for renovation. The handicapped bathroom is still open as are east wing bathrooms.