



2018 Poinsettia Dedications

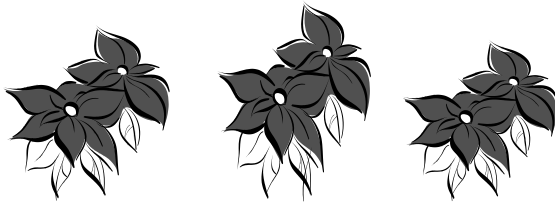
Memorial Poinsettias have been a tradition at PCPC for nearly fifty years. It allows the community of faith in the Christmas season to decorate the church, and also to lift up in public acknowledgement the gratitude we feel for loved ones, friends, and those whose lives are a particular blessing to us. In that sense, I understand them to be a sort of prayer.

There is a narrative regarding poinsettias as a Christmas flower. The plant's association with Christmas began in 16th-century Mexico, where legend tells of a girl, commonly called Pepita or Maria, who was too poor to provide a gift for the celebration of Jesus' birthday and was inspired by an angel to gather weeds from the roadside and place them in front of the church altar. Crimson blossoms sprouted from the weeds and became beautiful poinsettias. From the 17th century, Franciscan friars in Mexico included the plants in their Christmas celebrations. The star-shaped leaf pattern is said to symbolize the Star of Bethlehem, and the red color represents the blood sacrifice through the crucifixion of Jesus.

The contributions that accompany the flower dedications are used to support the upkeep of the church grounds. I am also grateful for the Flower Guild volunteers and staff who arrange the flowers with such love, decorate the Sanctuary, Connection space, church campus, and create the Dedication Booklet each year.

Thank you for sharing in these Memorial Poinsettias. I hope you enjoy looking at the lovely flowers, and I hope you find reading through the Dedications a moment that nurtures faith, hope and love in this season.

“Creator God, may the beauty of the flowers in the church lift up our prayers in memory, gratitude and hope this Christmas season. We pray remembering how Jesus said ‘Consider the flowers of the fields, they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you Solomon in all his glory was not clothed more beautifully than these.’” (Matthew 6:28)



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POINSETTIA DEDICATIONS

The poinsettias in the courtyard
are placed in memory of Beverly Farrior by
Jay, Christie, Thomas and Mary-Evelyn Farrior

FROM

DEDICATION

Anonymous

In honor of the Prayer Shawl Ministry
and the Knitting Group

“B” & Jim Armstrong

In memory of Mary Logan,
Bob Brawner and
Dorothy & Hazen Armstrong

“B” & Jim Armstrong

In gratitude for their children and
their spouses, Steve & Joe, Jeff,
Blaine & Tom, Claire & Mike,
and their children, Finn, Molly,
Jake, Tyler and Tanner

Hazel Arnett

In memory of her sister, Evelyn Webber,
and her brother & sister-in-law,
Allan & Beryl Gibson

Hazel Arnett

In honor of her PCPC Family

Laura & Steve Barber

In loving memory of Laura’s father,
Don Miller, and Steve’s parents,
Helen & Wilburn Barber

Laura & Steve Barber

In honor of her parents, Sharlene & Roy
Laudermilk

Linda & Ken Beckham

In honor of Alzena Bibb, and
in memory of Maurice Bibb,
A. Beckham, Marcia Beckham
and Terri Palombo

Dean & Leigh Berghane

In memory of Earl & Inez Berghane and
Merle & Anne Ickes and Brian Ickes

Russell Bogue, Jr.

In loving memory of his wife, Elaine,
and Katherine & Frank Seibert
and Mary Nell & Russell Bogue, Sr.

Mary Lou Bondi & Family	In loving memory of Bob Bondi
The Boushall Family	In loving memory of John H. Boushall, Jr.
The Brabson Family	In honor of their family and friends
Dennis & Betsy Bradt	Remembering with love their family members, Frank & Marge Blaisdell, Ray, Vi, Mark Bradt, and Doug McDuffie, Jr.
Nancy & Carlton Calfee	In memory of Marion Moody and in honor of Jennie Calfee
Marjorie Weiler Carlson	In memory of Don & Ann Weiler and in memory of Don Weiler, Jr.
Becky & Ray Charles	In loving memory of James B. Charles, Jr., Margaret M. Charles and James I. Black, Jr.
Becky & Ray Charles	In honor of their children, Rebecca and Stuart Arrington, Maggie & Mike Packer and Mary Katherine & Ray Charles
Becky & Ray Charles	In honor of their grandchildren, Louise Arrington, Ellie Packer and Willis Packer
Circle 5	In memory of those of their Circle 5 sisters who have gone on before, including Jo Goldsmith, Marijane Waters and Marilyn Clifton
Dona & Paul Clark	In honor of their grandchildren
Mr. & Mrs. H.S. (Burk) Clark Jr.	In memory of Dr. & Mrs. Joseph P. McKell In memory of Mr. Herbert S. Clark; In honor of their precious grandsons, Gabel, Miles and Sutton Clark
Jeanne Clayton & Cathleen Clayton	In loving memory of their mother and father
The Compton Family	In loving memory of Jack & Dot Compton
Mitzi & Frank Cooper	In memory of James Rucker, Mitzi's father, and in memory of K.K. Cooper, Frank's wife
Lynn & John Cottrill	In honor of their seven grandchildren
Her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren	Frances Crawford

Duncan & Nancy Creedon & Family	In loving memory of George & Evelyn Krueger (her parents) and in loving memory of Roger & John Krueger, her brothers
Crowell Dawkins	In memory of Joann Dawkins
Sandra Dean	In memory of Betty Dean
Emalee DeBevoise	In honor of John DeBevoise
The DeBevoise Family	In honor of the PCPC Congregation and Staff
Diane Dees	In loving memory of her husband, Everett Dees
Paul & Mary Ann Dellegatto	In memory of Rita & Tony Dellegatto, Paul's parents, and in honor of their daughters, Rachel, Caitlyn & Lindsey
The Donaldson & Thaxton Families	In memory of Jay Donaldson
Betsy Doxey	In honor of her daughter, Jennifer Crumbliss, along with grandchildren, Kasey and Jeremy Crumbliss
Betsy Doxey	In memory of her mother, Marion Bailey, and her sister, Ann McDonald
Betsy Doxey	In honor of Peggy, Martha, John & Lucy McNamee
Kathy Ertell	In memory of her parents
Kathy Ertell	In memory of Stephen Eifert
Their children & grand- children	Margo & Hilliard Eure
Joyce & Alan Fisk	In memory of their parents, Paul & Lynette O'Neal and Jack & Edith Fisk
Janet Mae Ellickson Foster	In memory of her parents, Dr. Harry VanderKamp and Janet VanderKamp
Fred & Jane Frankland and the Frierson Family	In loving memory of Patti & Frank Frankland and Wayne & Rhea Millard
Fred Frankland & grandchildren Emma, Elly, Birdie, & Lily Frierson	In loving memory of Elizabeth Frankland

Fred Frankland & Nancy Frierson	In loving memory of Sue-Sue Frankland
Carol Garner & Family	In loving memory of Gary Garner and his parents, Mr. & Mrs. Harvey Garner and Carol's parents, Mr. & Mrs. John W. Moreland
Richard Gilbert	In memory of his parents, Donald T. & Sarah M. Gilbert
Bob & Farley Gilliam & Families	In loving memory of their parents, Robert & Becky Gilliam
Bob & Ann Glenn	In memory of their parents, Bob & Catherine Glenn, and Tom & Alice Youngman
Bob & Ann Glenn	In honor of their children, Catie Witherspoon, her husband, Clay, and Amanda Biesecker
Bob & Ann Glenn	In honor of their grandchildren, Charlotte & Knox Witherspoon and Kitty & Annie Biesecker
The Golden Family (Mom, Dad, Callie & Matthew)	In loving memory of Katie Golden
Don & Mary Catherine Gould, their children & grandchildren	In memory of Dr. & Mrs. Kenneth G. Gould, Sr. and Mr. & Mrs. Wellborn B. Hill
Their grandchildren, Ansley & Haile Gould	In honor of Don & Mary Catherine Gould
The Guagliardo and Lumia Families	In memory of Alfred S. Austin and Rose & R. S. Austin, Margaret & Sam Favata, Lily F. & Joe C. Guagliardo, Nina & Nelson Guagliardo, and Mary & James Lumia
Jennie & John Hampton	In loving memory of their parents and grandparents
Bob & Lindsey Hardaway	In loving memory of Love L. Hardaway
Margaret Harwell	In memory of Lacy R. Harwell, Sr.
The Doug Hartzell Family	In loving memory of their parents, Jim Reimink and Darlene Hartzell
Mary Hatton & Maree Maddux	In memory of J.W. Hatton and Jay Hatton

Jeff Hill & Charlene Tobie	In memory of Earl M. Tobie, Charlene's father; In memory of Anne & Ralph D. Hill, Jr., Jeff's parents; In memory of Clara & Ralph D. Hill Sr., Jeff's paternal grandparents; In memory of Ruth Hemphill Shields, Jeff's maternal grandmother
Margaret Hylton	In memory of Myron L. Hylton, Clara & John Young, and Bob & Beulah McLennon
Kevin, Jenay, Dario & Milana Iurato	In honor of their parents and grandparents Mr. & Josepyh Iurato and Mr. & Mrs. Erasmo Martinez
Kris & George Kant	In memory of their parents and in honor of their children and grandchildren, Logan & Madeline
Diane King and Family	In loving memory of McLeroy (Mac) King, his parents, Clark & Ann King, and his brother, Carl King, and In loving memory of her parents, Herman & Ruth Walker, and her brothers, Rodney & Chic Walker
Karla & Peter Kirkwood	In honor of their grandsons, Kirk & Peak Reiss, Jack & Caroline Nolan and Tucker & Peter Simpson
Rufie & Julie Kite-Powell, Graham & Gavin	In memory of Rufie's mother, Margaret Kite-Powell
Rufie & Julie Kite-Powell, Graham & Gavin	In memory of Rufie's father, Rufus Kite-Powell, Jr.
Georg & Esther Kleine	In memory of their parents
Chris, Susan & Claire LeBlanc	In honor of Martin & Karen Miller, Susan Peacock, Trey, Kimberly & Hailey Miller
Chris, Susan & Claire LeBlanc	In memory of their grandparents
The Lemon Sisters, Mary, Betsy & Ellen	In honor of Lorena MacGregor
The Lemon sisters, Mary, Betsy & Ellen	In honor of Stann & Bonnie Givens
Bill & Sheri Levens	In memory of Merry & Roland Levens
Suzanne Lewis	In memory of Ray Lewis

Suzanne Lewis	In honor of her children, Cathy, Julie & Charles
Tom, Nancy & Ryan Little, Bryant, Regina, Jordan & Brad King	In memory of their parents and grandparents, Rex Andrews King, and Ann Crago King
Anne & Bill Loomis	In loving memory of their parents and grandparents and their brother, Charles
Jean Mattison	In memory of Joel Mattison and in honor of her family
Julianne McKeel	In honor of the Staff of PCPC
Roger, Maree, Michael and Matthew	In honor of Roger's parents Harold & Mary Maddux
Martin & Karen Miller	In honor of Susan, Chris & Claire LeBlanc, Trey, Kimberly & Hailey Miller and Susan Peacock
Martin & Karen Miller	In memory of John & Betty McKay, Bill & Dee Miller, Margaret Higgs and Dot Miller
Judy More Tony & Judy More	In memory of Oliff Smith and Ann Geuther In honor of their grandchildren, Grady, Henry, Davis, Katie, James, Lillian and Margaret
Cathy & Stan Moore, and Suzanne Lewis	In memory of Lillia Grace Morris
Hal & Anne Mullis	In honor of their children, Rip, Merrill & Ashley, and their grandchildren, Max, Benny, Burke and Adaleah
Nancy & Clay Mynard, Allison, Charles & Cameron	In loving memory of Nancy's parents, O. J. & Doris Harvey
Jacqueline O'Connor	In loving memory of Thomas J. O'Connor
Jacqueline O'Connor	In memory of her parents, Dr. & Mrs. James Holdstock and her grandmother, Mabel Bean
Orebaugh Family	In loving memory of Wynn Jones and in honor of Claire Fyvolent

Virginia Owen	In memory of Sarah & Edwin Owen, Edwin Owen, Jr., and Katherine & Harry Bates
Jenifer & T.J. Ownby	In celebration of the wedding October 27 th of Katie Ownby & Jaime Simoes
Reed & Mary Pavan	In celebration of their grandchildren, Adeline Margaret & Molly Reed Watson
The Peacock & Bartos Families	In memory of their parents and grandparents
Susan Peacock	In loving memory of John & Betty McKay
Mary Pat Pead	In honor of Mary Hatton and in memory of J. W. Hatton
Patricia & David Pead	In honor of Mary Pat Pead & Thomas Stafford
Kippy & Donald Pitisci	In memory of Mr. & Mrs. I. C. Pitisci and Mr. & Mrs. W. Martin Noland
Kippy & Donald Pitisci	In memory of Martin H. Noland and Gilbert J. Pitisci
Don & Susan Preston	In memory of Andy Preston & Amy Preston Kemp
Don & Susan Preston	In honor of Josh, Micah, Lillie, Eric, Andy & Maddie
Brooke Hayes Rathmanner, her husband, John, and their son, Jake	In loving memory of Brooke's mother, Sandy Touchton
Cheryl Reeves & her children	In memory of J.D. Jackson (Cheryl's father), Mr. & Mrs. Charles Niblack, and Mr. & Mrs. John Jackson; In honor of Mrs. Dorothy Jackson
Marsha Reimink	In loving memory of her husband, Jim Reimink
Lynn Reynolds & Family	In memory of her parents, Haven Poe & Charles Poe and Jay Wolf
Gay, Brooks, Franklin and families	In loving memory of A.B. (Papa) and Martha Anne (Gran) Reid
Austin & Jen Richardson	In memory of Horace A. Smith
Carolyn Robinson	In loving memory of Edward Rodes Sandefer

The Robinson Family	With love to those who surround us and in memory of those we have lost
Richard Roth	In memory of his wife, Glenda B. Roth, and his mother, Norma
Maxine Roy	In memory of her husband, John
Their children and grand- children; Jeanne, Vernon, Shane & Jeanna Lee	In loving memory of Margaret & O. D. Howell, Jr.
Tim Ruff	In memory of Cindy Ruff, Ruth Hill, Ruth Ritter, Eldon Ruff, Connie Ruff and Marlene Hill
Marsha & Tom Rydberg	In loving memory of Glen & Virginia Rydberg and Jack & Nibia Griffin
Ann Cooper Schell	In loving memory of her sons, Gray & Brax Schell
Beth & Richard Sessums	In memory of Beth's father, Todd Woods, and Richard's mother, Neva Sessums
His Mom, Jodi Shields, and sisters, Lauren Shields and Camille Chaumont	In loving memory of Andrew Shields
Ashley Hayes Shook, her husband, Doug, Jr., and their children, Doug, Brooke and Hayden	In loving memory of Ashley's mother, Sandy Touchton
The Shreaves Girls	In memory of their parents, Mr. & Mrs. M. Brooks Shreaves
The Smeltzer Family (Beverly, Kim, Kevin, Kristen & Jonathan)	In memory of Abel H. Rigau. Annetta H. Rigau and Donald L. Smeltzer
Liz & Larry Smith	In honor of their grandchildren, Adele, Macy & Smith Cassidy and Amelia & Evans Sasso and Tripp & Minnie Smith
Joanne Snyder	In memory of her parents, Josephine & Harold Snyder, Sr.; her brothers, Harold, Jr. and F. Robert Snyder
Sally Speer	In memory of Jack Cramer and Bunny & Bill Wilson and In celebration of her children, Pete, Samantha, Ben, Bill & Mary

Martha Spicklemire	In loving memory of her parents, Betty & Bill Spicklemire, and her Brother, David Spicklemire; In memory of Joseph, Dora & Joey Tennies
Marc & Jennifer Stauffer	In honor of our Mammie & Poppy (Judy & Tony More) from Grady, Katie, Henry, James, Davis, Lillian & Margaret
Margaret Stevens	In memory of her loved ones
Scott, Sarah, Mason & Reese Stichter	In honor of Scott's parents, Don & Ellen Stichter, and Sarah's mother, Doris Bethune and in memory of Sarah's father, Tom Bethune
Scott & Sarah Stichter	In honor of Mason & Reese Stichter
David & Susan Taulbee	In honor of their families
Dee & Bill Thaxton	In memory of Jay Donaldson
Patti & Clay Thomas, Walker & Wynne Thomas	In loving memory of Patti's mother, Jan Wynne
Phil & Camille Thomas	In memory of Camille & Luis Oms, and Sama & George Thomas; In honor of children & grandchildren
Doug, Heather, Lizzy, & Jake Thullbery	In loving memory of Nancy Thullbery and Gretta Stuart
Charlie & Janice Touchton	In memory of his wife, Sandy, and his parents, Charlie & Thelma Touchton, and Jan's parents, Richard & Ivaloo Black
John & Susan Touchton	In honor of their parents, Tom & Lee Touchton and John & Sandra Lem
John, Susan, Jack, Catherine, & Ryan Touchton	In honor of their church family at PCPC
Nick Trusewitsch	In memory of Leo & Evelyn Trusewitsch and Jack & Lillian Freeman
Martha Tunno	In honor of her parents, Patricia Angel & Champ Tunno
The Ullmann Family	In loving memory of Carole Ullmann
The David Vetromile Family	In memory of our most cherished loved ones, Papa Reimink, Grandma and Grandpa Vetromile, and Uncle Doug Vetromile

Helen Webb	In loving memory of her husband, Don Webb, and their daughter, Denise Webb Moorman
Liz Welch	In honor of Lois & Harry Livingston
His Loving family	In memory of Gary Wellman
Wellman and Fisk Family	In honor of Coretha Johnson
Wellman and Fisk Family	In honor of Melva Knight
Earl Whitlock and Joyce Haines	In memory of their parents and in honor of their children and grandchildren
George & Paula Wilson	In loving memory of their parents and in honor of their family
Trina & Dave Winter	In memory of Dave's parents, Robert & Naoma Winter, and his sister, Karen Winter
From their parents	In honor of Charlotte & Knox Witherspoon
Clay, Charlotte & Knox Witherspoon	In honor of Catie Witherspoon
Clay, Catie, Charlotte & Knox	In honor of Ann & Bob Glenn
Clay, Catie, Charlotte & Knox	In honor of Norma Witherspoon
Mom & Dad	In honor of Charlotte & Knox Witherspoon
His family	In memory of John Knox Witherspoon, Jr.
Jennifer, Boyd and Brendle Wolf	In memory of Jay Wolf
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Barbara Woods	In memory of Bob Bishop
The Woodward Family	In memory of Bruce Hall and Sue Woodward