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## SCR Annual Tree Lighting and Prayer Ceremony

St. Claire Regional's (SCR) annual Tree Lighting and Prayer Ceremony was held on Thursday, December 5 at the hospital's main entrance.

Mark J. Neff, SCR President/CEO, welcomed everyone and Sister Marla Monahan, SND, Provincial, Sisters of Notre Dame, Covington, KY, gave the opening prayer.

The tree, purchased by the SCR Auxiliary from Hutton & Lloyd Tree Farm, was lit by forty year staff members, R. Thomas Fossett, MD, Orthopedic Surgeon; Delores Franklin, Manager, Accounting and Rhonda Lewis, Home Health Aide.

The Rowan County Senior High School "Select Choir," directed by Diana Knoll, entertained with beautiful Christmas carols. Sr. Judine Lambert, SND, Pastoral Minister at SCR and Acting Director of Mission Integration, presented the closing prayer. Immediately following the ceremony hot chocolate and cookies were served for all.

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St. Claire Regional  
Medical Center

*Wishing You A Happy & Healthy Holiday Season*



**40 year staff members light the tree.**

L to R: Delores Franklin, Manager, Accounting; Rhonda Lewis, Home Health Aide and R. Thomas Fossett, MD, Orthopedic Surgeon



Sr. Judine Lambert, SND, Pastoral Minister at SCR and Acting Director of Mission Integration; Sister Marla Monahan, SND, Provincial, Sisters of Notre Dame, Covington, KY and Mark J. Neff, SCR President/CEO



The Rowan County Senior High School "Select Choir"



# Three St. Claire Regional Pharmacists Receive Board Certification



Congratulations to Dr. Abigail Hay, Dr. Philip Hutchinson and Dr. Erin Wornall who achieved board certification as pharmacotherapy specialists in October. Board certification through the Board of Pharmaceutical Specialties (BPS) has become recognized as the gold standard for determining which pharmacists are qualified to contribute at advanced practice levels. Through the rigorous standards mandated by BPS board certification and recertification, the BPS board certified pharmacist stands out as the most qualified to take on today's expanding professional expectations. BPS was established in 1976 as an autonomous division of the American Pharmacists Association (APhA). The mission of the Board of Pharmacy Specialties is to improve patient care and increase awareness of the need for BPS Board Certified Pharmacists as integral members of multidisciplinary healthcare teams through recognition and promotion of specialized training, knowledge, and skills in pharmacy and specialty board certification and recertification of pharmacists throughout the world. BPS offers certification in the areas of ambulatory care pharmacy, nuclear pharmacy, nutrition support therapy, oncology pharmacy, psychiatric pharmacy and pharmacotherapy which encompasses all of the preceding groups.

Nationally, only 5.6% of pharmacists are board certified, but at SCR 54% of the pharmacists on staff have achieved this credential. This reflects very favorably upon the SCR Pharmacy Residency program (all three received their residency training at SCR) and the interdisciplinary approach to patient care within our organization. These practitioners are yet another reason why SCR can provide Amazing Medicine Close to Home!



Erin Wornall, PharmD, BCPS; Philip Hutchinson, PharmD, BCPS and Abigail Hay, PharmD, BCPS





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## 2013 - 2014



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## UPCOMING C.E. Programs

### December 5 & 6 | ACLS Provider

8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

CHER 102ABC

RSVP with KaSandra Stone at ext. 6830 or  
KNStone@st-claire.org

### December 6 | Tumor Board

7:30 - 9:00 a.m.

TC Conference Room

Credit: ACPE, Category 1 AMA, Nursing

### December 10 | Morbidity & Mortality

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

SCR Education Room

Credit: Category 1 AMA

### December 10 | BLS Check Off

1:00 - 4:00 p.m.

CHER 102C

RSVP with KaSandra Stone at ext. 6830 or  
KNStone@st-claire.org

### December 20 | Tumor Board

8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

TC Conference Room

Credit: ACPE, Category 1 AMA, Nursing

# St. Claire Regional *Welcomes* New Staff

**Lindsay Nicole Brown** | 3rd Floor North

**Hannah Beth Conn** | FM - Morehead

**Richard Hager Darnell** | Infusion Solutions

**Joshua Freeman Gallagher** | Central Transport

**Elizabeth Morgan Harmon** | Pharmacy

**Andrew Brent Harris** | Radiology

**Linda Gail Ison** | Float Dept - Unit Sec

**Lesley Margaret Jackson** | MMS Clinical Services

**Regina Leah Pennington** | Surgery

**Paul Denzil Pozzie** | Infusion Solutions

**Lindsey Reneigh Rankin** | CT Scan

**Meleah Rae Roe** | Patient Access

**Glennis Matthew Sigmon** | Infusion Solutions

**Tammy Sue Stephens** | Environmental Services





# Merry Christmas

## Staff Christmas Party Hours

SCR Main Cafeteria

Night shift - Thursday

12/12 10:00 p.m. to 11:30 p.m.

Day/Evening Staff - Friday

12/13 7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. &  
2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

*Staff Christmas Gifts may be picked up during  
Christmas party hours.*



\* Don't forget Santa will be here to  
spread holiday cheer!

A message from...  
 **St. Claire Regional  
Medical Center**  
Human Resources





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## Books R Fun

**Date:** Tuesday, Dec. 10 - Wednesday Dec. 11

**Location:** Café B & C

**Time:** Tuesday: 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. | Wednesday: 7 a.m. - 4 p.m.

For more information,  
contact Thelma Johnson at ext. 6517  
or [Thelma.Johnson@st.claire.org](mailto:Thelma.Johnson@st.claire.org)

## Masquerade

*\$5.00 Jewelry Sale*

**Date:** Sunday, Dec. 15th - Tuesday, Dec. 17

**Location:** Café C

**Time:** 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

For more information,  
contact Thelma Johnson at ext. 6517  
or [Thelma.Johnson@st.claire.org](mailto:Thelma.Johnson@st.claire.org)

## Rowan Co. Christmas

**Reminder:** All gifts for seniors must be turned in to SCR's Foundation House or Gift Shop by Monday, Dec. 9. Monetary donations will be accepted until Tuesday, Dec. 10

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