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**Contributions from the Congregation *Budgeted

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November 16, 2014

Philadelphia Presbyterian Church

351 Morrow Road, Forest Park, Georgia 30297 404-366-1851



Our vision is to be a light in the community that brings all people to God through Christ-centered worship and ministry and nurtures their faith in order to extend His kingdom.

Welcome

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PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 351 MORROW ROAD, FOREST PARK, GA 30297, 404-366-1851

November 16, 2014 11:00 AM

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

Enter expectantly. Breathe prayerfully. Worship reverently. Greet others cordially. Leave thoughtfully.

In Gathering Around The Word

The Chiming of the Hour

The Choral Call to Worship

The Announcements and The Declaration "God is good – all the time!"

The Greeting and The Ritual of Friendship including signing of Pew Pads

The Gathering Song

The Introit: (Based on Psalm 90)

One: God, we know you are with us.

All: From everlasting to everlasting, you are God.

One: You have showered your love upon all generations, since the beginning of time.

All: From everlasting to everlasting, you are God.

One: Guide us now through this time of worship, and into the week ahead.

All: From everlasting to everlasting, you are God

*The Invocation

* Statement of Faith

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty; Maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended into hell¹; the third day He rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence He shall come to judge the quick² and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic³ church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*The Gloria Patri (Hymn No. 813)

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

In Prayers To God

Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honor and power and might, be to our God forever and ever. Amen Rev. 7:12

The Contemplation of God through Silence and Prayer

Prayers of Intercession and The Lord's Prayer (...forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors...)

*The Hymn of Preparation No. 680......" "All the Way My Savior Leads Me"

In Stewardship Of All Things

The Worship of God with Our Gifts and Offerings unto the Lord The Offertory

*The Doxology (Hymn No. 815)

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; praise Him all creatures here below; praise Him above, ye heavenly hosts; praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*The Offertory Prayer

In Proclaiming The Word

The Anthem

The Scriptures Lessons .. Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18 (OT 828).. 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 (NT 192)

Pastor: Holy Wisdom Holy Word. People: Thanks be to God.

Following The Word Into The World

*The Hymn of Dedication No. 763 (twice) "The King Is Coming"

*The Benediction, Choral Response

The Postlude

The holiest moment of the worship service is the moment when God's people – strengthened by preaching, song and sacraments – go out of the door into the world to be The Church.

*Those that are able please stand.

To all who mourn and need comfort, to all who are tired and need rest, to all who are friendless and want friendship, to all who are lonely and want companionship, to all who sin and need a Savior, and to whosoever enters, this church opens wide its doors in the name of Christ our Lord, and says welcome.

¹ "hell" means world of departed spirits; ² "quick" means alive; ³ "catholic" means universal

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, November 16, 2014

WELCOME! We at Philadelphia Presbyterian Church hope your worship today will be meaningful. We exist as a fellowship in His name, encourage you to participate in all aspects of our congregational life, and invite you to become part of our Christian family. If you are looking for a church home, we invite you to join with us.

FRIENDSHIP PAD – **Members:** Please remember to pass the ritual of Friendship pad down your pew and back to the center aisle. **Guests:** Please take a moment to sign the Friendship pad and record your address as well so that we may have a record of your visit.

MEMBERSHIP – Our elders meet for prayer and to receive new members each Sunday morning prior to the worship hour in the room to the left of the choir loft. If you are interested in membership, you may complete an application form (located in the back of the friendship pad) and speak with the minister, or take a completed form directly to the Session room to meet with the elders. The five questions/vows that you will be asked by the elders are printed on the form. If you would like to join but need further information, please speak with the minister or call the church office at 404-366-1851 for assistance.

THIS WEEK AT PHILADELPHIA

TODAY 8:30am – Session

09:45am – Sunday School

11:00am – Worship

12:00pm - Stewardship/Thanksgiving luncheon

Tuesday 9:00am – The Breakfast Club

10:30am – Busy Bees Circle

PLEASE NOTE: The December Crossroads will be going out before Thanksgiving.

Please send your information and articles to the church office asap.

OUR MISSION: To exhibit the kingdom of God to our community by being a witness to everyone who is within our reach that Jesus Christ is LORD. To proclaim the gospel by telling the good news of Jesus Christ while equipping all who will to be evangelist so the church will grow. To provide for the worship of God through traditional Sunday morning worship and offer alternative times and styles of worship to the community. To promote the ministry of compassion by providing opportunities for ministry and encouraging others to seek God's call for compassionate service. To preserve the truth of God's word by defending the faith against any deviation from the bible as objective truth. To educate the members of the body of Christ so they are equipped to live as becomes the followers of Jesus. To maintain the spirit of unity through the fellowship of the children of God. To expand the kingdom of Jesus Christ.

Core Values of Philadelphia Presbyterian Church

Radical Hospitality (Romans 12:9-21) Passionate Worship (John 4:21-24)

Intentional Faith Development (I Corinthians 9:19-24)

Risk-Taking Mission and Service (Matthew 25:14-30)

Extravagant Generosity (II Corinthians 9:6-15)

TO BE REMEMBERED IN PRAYER AND WITH CARDS (new info in bold)

Please notify us concerning updates. Inquiring minds – and prayerful hearts – want to know!

- 10/14 Russell Adair (Cindy's brother in law) carcinoid tumor in abdomen and blood clots in both legs
- 09/29 Patty Bormolini (friend of Pat Randolph) -terminal brain cancer blind, unable to walk, barely speaks
- 09/23 Amanda Burns (friend of Vandivers) recovering from serious auto accident, 20 yr old Sydney Burns killed
- 11/12 Anita DeBey Tim's cancer has spread to bladder and lost son-in-law in an accidental fall
- 11/3 Rose Enow's family sister-in-law, Ester, recovering from stroke, now sister, Susan, had stroke
- 11/5 Henderson Family (friends of Pastor Wilson) in the loss of their mother
- 11/5 Darlene Johnson (friend of Pastor Wilson) diagnosed with Stage 4 Lung Cancer
- 11/12 Cathy Morris being treated for colitis and tested for C-diff
- 10/20 Laralaine Morrow (friend of Barbara Barlow & Cindy Adair) very slow recovery from stroke, affected speech
- 10/29 Joan Murphy recovering from knee replacement, doing surprisingly well
- 09/22 Mary Hill Scott (Mary Smith's friend) kidney failure
- 10/20 Dawn Smith (Frances Youngblood's daughter-in-law) –omentum cancer, surgery on 11/19 at Northside
- 11/12 Pat White (Red & Gold Florist) at Grady Hospital treated for an attack during robbery at florist shop

OUR HOMEBOUND:

Please refer to the Church Directory for contact information

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Prayer Request: Call 404-366-1851, Email secyppc@bellsouth.net or click on www.ppc-usa.org.

THORNWELL THANKSGIVING OFFERING

November is our time to contribute to the Thornwell Offering. These gifts respond to the needs of the children and families who turn to Thornwell in their time of crisis.



ADVENT 2014

The Advent Season is fast approaching. The First Sunday of Advent will be observed on November 30th during the morning worship service. Individuals or family groups are needed to lead the congregation in the observance of Advent. If you or your family would be willing to participate in this special part of the Christmas season, please use the sign up sheet in the narthex to indicate your preference of dates available. All of the information you will need for the service will be provided.





THANKSGIVING/ STEWARDSHIP LUNCHEON

TODAY, there will be a <u>covered dish</u> luncheon immediately following worship service. We will be celebrating Thanksgiving and Stewardship. Please plan to join us for this GREAT celebration.

\$\$\$ Please get your Stewardship packets back in by TODAY. \$\$\$

Poinsettias



Each Christmas we decorate the sanctuary with poinsettias in honor or memory of someone special. We will order red and white plants, with gold sleeves. The cost will be \$11.00 per plant. You may order a plant in honor or memory of someone by filling out the order form and giving it to Connie McWilliams or the Church Office. It is not necessary to purchase more than one plant in order to honor more than one person. Make checks payable to Connie McWilliams and not to the church.

Order forms will be available soon inside the bulletin. The deadline to order is November 30.

FORM
NO. OF PLANTS(COST PER PLANT: \$11.00)
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DEADLINE TO ORDER – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2014

See the November Crossroads for details