

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC (USA)

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Philadelphia Presbyterian Church

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Greg Durden, W&M Co-Chair
Debbie Durden, W&M Co-Chair

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OutReach Team

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OTHER COMMITTEES

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Cemetery Committee

Jim Phillips, Chair

Bereavement Committee

Barbara Barlow, Chair

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

Debbie Bray, Co-Moderator
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Nancy Phillips, Secretary/Treasurer
Jennifer Rohrbach, Historian
Connie McWilliams, Community Missions
Barbara Barlow, Worldwide Missions

Debbie Durden, Search
Spiritual Growth, Retreat
Connie McWilliams, Spiritual Growth, Poinsettias
Kathy Banke, Spiritual Growth, Advent
Carol Masdon, Spiritual Growth, Cantata

Frances Youngblood, Busy Bees Chair
Joyce Smith, Circle One Chair
Kathy Banke, Mary & Martha Chair

MISSION OUTREACH

Calvary Refuge Center*
Child's Fund (PW)*
Christmas Joy Offering***
Columbia Friendship Circle (PW)**
Good Shepherd Clinic*
Kinship Care Resource Center**
Local Benevolences (Pastor's Discretion)*

Mission Haven (PW)***
One Great Hour of Sharing (Easter)***
Presbyterian Homes***
PW Birthday Objective**
PW Blessing Boxes**
PW Least Coin**
PW Presbyterian Mission Pledge*

Samaritans Together for Clayton County*
Securus House (PW)***
Session & PW Misc. Benevolences*
Shared Mission - PC (USA)*
Souper Bowl of Caring**
The Gideons International**
Thank Offering (PW)*
Thornwell***

*Budgeted **Contributions from the Congregation ***Budgeted + Contributions from the Congregation



Welcome

For the benefit of the congregation, please try to give announcements to Cindy before Wednesday. When that doesn't work, please write them down for the Pulpit Assistant or come to a microphone to speak. Your consideration is appreciated.

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351 MORROW ROAD, FOREST PARK, GA 30297, 404-366-1851**

August 21, 2016

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

Jim Phillips
Pulpit Assistant

RESPONSIVE CALL TO WORSHIP # 71

Bless the Lord O My Soul (Psalm 103)

Opening Prayer

Everlasting God, you have made us your people and have allowed us to come together in Christ’s name.
By the power of your Spirit, may we offer worship that is right and fitting to the glory of your name, through
Jesus Christ, our Lord.

***Unison Words of Praise**

Praise the Heavenly Father, the judge of the living and the dead. Praise the Lord Jesus Christ, the
mediator of a new covenant. Praise the Holy Spirit, the fire from heaven that descends to enliven
our souls. Praise the triune God, whose perfect communion is worthy of our worship.

***Hymn of Praise # 63** “**All Creatures of Our God and King**”

In Prayers to God

The Contemplation of God through Silence and Prayer
Intercessory Prayer
The Lord’s Prayer.....forgive us our debts, as forgive our debtors

In Stewardship Of All Things

We Worship God with Our Gifts and Offerings
The Offertory
*The Doxology (#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.**

In Proclaiming The Word

***Hymn of Preparation #244** “**Come, Thou Long-Expected Jesus**”

Scriptures . . . Isaiah 58:9b-14 (OT-653) . . . Hebrews 12:18-29 (NT-211) . . . Luke 13:10-17 (NT-72)

Anthem

Sermon **WORSHIP AND WORK** Pastor Wilson

Commissioning of the Pastor Nominating Committee

Following the Word Into the World

***Closing Selection** (seated and silent) “**People Need the Lord**”

Benediction

Postlude

*Those that are able please stand.

*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.*

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.

Our Mission: is to offer spiritual peace in a chaotic world through the stability of traditional Christ-centered teaching, worship and prayer.

Our Core Values: 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)

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, August 21, 2016

WELCOME! We hope your worship today will be meaningful. We 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 – Please complete the Friendship Pad and pass it toward the center aisle. Visitors are asked to provide an address and phone number.

MEMBERSHIP – Please speak with an Elder or the Pastor if you would like to receive Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior or if you would like to become a member of Philadelphia Presbyterian Church.

I WISH CARDS - PPC is a praying church and a caring church. We welcome your thoughts, comments and prayer requests on the blue cards. You may drop them in the offering plate when it is passed. If you provide your contact information the pastor will be happy to visit or pray with you.

THIS WEEK AT PHILADELPHIA

TODAY **08:30am – SESSION**
 09:30am – Prayer Time
 09:45am – Sunday School
 11:00am – Worship Service

Tuesday **11:30am – Craft Group @ Louisiana Bistro, Hapeville**

Next Sunday **12:00 noon – Annual PW Meeting**

PLEASE NOTE: Monday is the deadline for all articles and information for the September Crossroads. Please send them to the church office as soon as possible.

Many of you have asked for an address to send a Sympathy Card to Tye Bryant’s family. You may find that information on the Bulletin Board.

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

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

Christian Sympathy is extended to the family of Martha Smith who passed away on August 15.

08/01 Beth Brogdon (Patty Boone’s cousin) – recovering from infection

07/20 Rev. Penny Hill –dealing with stage 4 cancer

07/01 Dene Long (Nancy Phillips’ sister) – recovering from double mastectomy – facing treatments

08/15 Wayne Schmelz (NeSmith’s son –in-law) – recovering from surgery to remove part of foot

07/14 Nancy and Shelvis Smith-Maher - in Atlanta, please hold them and the Sudanese people in prayer

08/15 Dawn Smith (Frances Youngblood’s daughter-in-law) – continuing chemo

07/28 Linda Smith (Joyce Smith’s sister) – recovering from defibrillator replacement

08/03 Bud Steele – dealing with shingles

07/13 Dot Upchurch – recovering from various health issues

08/01 Amy Warren (Cindy’s friend) – multiple cancer tumors

PNC: Barbara Barlow, Greg Downing, Marie Dossouvi, Emory Pearce and Mary Smith. **ALTS:** Debbie Bray and Darr Johnson

OUR HOMEBOUND: *Please refer to the Church Directory for contact information*

Becky Huie JoAnn Tatzel Dot Upchurch

Prayer Request: Call 404-366-1851, Email secyppc@bellsouth.net or fill in the I WISH card and drop in the offering plate.



PW ANNUAL MEETING: Next Sunday, August 28, we will have our annual Presbyterian Women Meeting following worship. We will present and approve our 2017 PW Slate of Officers & 2017 PW Budget. All women of the church are invited to attend.