

November 19, 2017

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC (USA)

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MISSION OUTREACH

Calvary Refuge Center*
Child's Fund (PW)*
Christmas Joy Offering***
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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



SUNDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS: 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.

Welcome

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

November 19, 2017

11:00 AM

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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

Chiming of the Hour & Choral Call to Worship

Welcome and Announcements

Rick Pierce, *Pulpit Assistant*

The Gathering Song

*Opening Hymn # 797..... “Come, Ye Thankful People, Come”

Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Mighty God, we confess the arrogance of our doubts and the falsehood of our denials. We have neglected to pray and have forgotten to give thanks. Many activities have become more important to us than gathering for worship. Our busyness crowds out times of private prayer. We shake our heads at the evil around us but do little to witness to a better way. Your law is seldom consulted, and your pathways of self-sacrificing love rarely explored. Turn us around, God. Only you can meet our need. Amen.

*Assurance of Pardon

* Affirmation 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 hell; 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 quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

*The Gloria Patri (#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.

We Worship God with Our Gifts and Offerings

Offertory

Doxology

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heav’nly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Offering Prayer

Our hearts are glad and our souls rejoice in the opportunity to share. Here are the fruits of your generosity and our hard work. In thanks for the perfect offering of Jesus Christ, we bring ourselves with our gifts. Show us how to combine our efforts to build wholesome relationships, extend your church, and minister in your name throughout the world. Amen.

*Hymn of Preparation #790 “We Gather Together”

Anthem

Scripture..... *Ephesians 1:16-20*

I have not stopped giving thanks for you, remembering you in my prayers. ¹⁷I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better. ¹⁸I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, ¹⁹and his incomparably great power for us who believe. That power is the same as the mighty strength ²⁰he exerted when he raised Christ from the dead and seated him at his right hand in the heavenly realms.

The Message Rev. David Omerod

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. Lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory for ever and ever. Amen.

*Closing Hymn # 788 “Now Thank We All Our God”

Benediction & Choral Benediction

Postlude

*Those who are able, please stand

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, November 19, 2017

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 09:30am – Prayer Time
09:45am - Sunday School
11:00am – Worship Service
12:15pm – Thanksgiving/Stewardship Luncheon
Afterward - Make sandwich lunches for Calvary Refuge Center
- Monday **Crossroads deadline**
05:00pm – SESSION
- Tuesday 09:00am – The Breakfast Club
10:30am – Busy Bees Circle
- Thursday Happy Thanksgiving – church office closed
- Next Sunday Last day to order Poinsettias**

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)

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 Bob & Rebecca Huie and family in the homegoing of their son-in-law Terry Folsom on November 14.

11/07 Regina Allen (Dot Pearce's niece) – in hospice care for ovarian cancer and breast cancer

10/17 Angela Brantley (sister of Regina Allen) – diagnosed with breast cancer

10/30 Diane Brown (the Steele's niece) – fractured arm in fall

11/14 Charles Dunaway (Joan's brother) – at Piedmont Henry recovering from heart attack

10/19 Cheryl Harris (Jennifer's friend) – diagnosed with cancer

11/9 James "Don" Huie (Scott Holloway's uncle) - under hospice care for bone cancer in multiple areas of the body - has been in pain for over a year

10/05 Pastor Dave Omerod – recovering from knee procedures

10/31 John Randolph – procedure went well. Thank you for your prayers.

10/31 Lynn Vandiver – recovery from hip replacement surgery

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

Patty Boone Becky Huie

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

Giving Thanks



-There will be a **Thanksgiving/Stewardship Luncheon** TODAY, November 19, 2017 immediately after service. Session will provide the meats and members are asked to bring sides and desserts.

-After the meal, please plan on staying and help with making sandwiches and lunch bags for **Calvary Refuge Center**. This is the Sunday before Thanksgiving and we will be making extra sandwiches and lunch bags since school is out that week and they will need more to feed the children who would otherwise eat at school.

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 \$12.00 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. The deadline to order is November 26.

POINSETTIAS ORDER FORM



PLACED BY _____ NO. OF PLANTS _____
(YOUR NAME) (COST PER PLANT: \$12.00)

COLOR PREFERENCE: ____ RED ____ WHITE ____ NO PREFERENCE

IN HONOR/MEMORY OF: _____

(circle one)

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DEADLINE TO ORDER – SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2017

