PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC (USA)

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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)*

**Contributions from the Congregation *Budgeted

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN Debbie Durden, Search Connie McWilliams, Spiritual Growth, Poinsettias Kathy Banke, Spiritual Growth, Advent Connie McWilliams, Spiritual Growth, Cantata

MISSION OUTREACH

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

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.

Jim Phillips, Chair PPC Men's Fellowship Jim Phillips, Chair

Cemetery Committee

Frances Youngblood, Busy Bees Chair Jovce Smith, Circle One Chair Kathy Banke, Mary & Martha Chair Pat Randolph, Yearbook

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*** January 21, 2018

Philadelphia Presbyterian Church

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Welcome

***Budgeted + Contributions from the Congregation

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January 21, 2018

11:00 AM

THE WORSHIP OF GOD

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

Chiming of the Hour & Choral Call to Worship	
Welcome and Announcements	Greg Durden, Pulpit Assistant
The Gathering Song	

*Opening Hymn # 11..... "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing"

Call to Confession

*Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

Sometimes, God, we do not know what to confess. We seek to keep your law, but the right course is not always clear. We want to follow your direction, but it is hard to discern what is true. Sometimes it is difficult to care about people whose values are different from ours. How can we be one with those who do not share our beliefs? At times, our own faith is shaken – our faith in ourselves and our faith in you. We need your help, God, so our sins will not have dominion over us. 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 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

In the spirit of Christ, we give our best for the world. Your rule among us, O God, is more to be desired than riches. Therefore, we share what you have allowed us to use, giving thanks for the joy of helping others and entering into partnership with them. This is only the beginning of our offering, for we dedicate here our varied gifts as apostles, prophets, teachers, healers, helpers, administrators, speakers, workers. In all we do, we will seek to serve you by sharing your love. Amen.

*Hymn of Preparation #591 "Have Thine Own Way, Lord" Anthem

Scripture...... Luke 15: 1-10

Now the tax collectors and sinners were all gathering around to hear Jesus. ² But the Pharisees and the teachers of the law muttered, "This man welcomes sinners and eats with them." ³ Then Jesus told them this parable: ⁴ "Suppose one of you has a hundred sheep and loses one of them. Doesn't he leave the ninety-nine in the open country and go after the lost sheep until he finds it? ⁵ And when he finds it, he joyfully puts it on his shoulders ⁶ and goes home. Then he calls his friends and neighbors together and says, 'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost sheep.' ⁷ I tell you that in the same way there will be more rejoicing in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous persons who do not need to repent. ⁸ "Or suppose a woman has ten silver coins and loses one. Doesn't she light a lamp, sweep the house and search carefully until she finds it? ⁹ And when she finds it, she calls her friends and neighbors together and says, 'Rejoice with me; I have found my lost coin.' ¹⁰ In the same way, I tell you, there is rejoicing in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents."

The Message Rev. Jack Westlund

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 # 552 "I Am Thine, O Lord"

Benediction, Choral Benediction & Postlude

*Those who are able, please stand

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, January 21, 2018

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

TODAY09:30am - Prayer Time
09:30am - Sunday School
11:00am - Worship ServiceMondayCROSSROADS DEADLINE - please send your info & articles to the office asap
11:30am - Craft Group @ O'Charley's, Stbg

\$ <u>2017 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS are available in the narthex.</u>

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!

12/07 Carolyn Allen (Dot Pearce's sister) - leukemia

12/07 Angela Brantley (Dot Pearce's niece) - double mastectomy for breast cancer

12/19 Diane Kitchen - recovering from foot surgery

12/19 Pam Langley – recovering from knee surgery

12/18 Melvin (private man) - Cindy's friend being treated for pancreatic cancer

12/20 Pastor Dave Omerod - treated for severe infection in knee

12/21 Linda Smith (Joyce Smith's sister) - continuing heart problems

01/02 Michael Trotter (Joyce Smith's brother) - recovering from pneumonia

12/05 Lea Turner (Joyce Smith's sister-in-law) - diagnosed with lung cancer

<u>OUR HOMEBOUND:</u> 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.



Come join us at the Souper Bowl Sunday – February 4, 2018. It's that time of the year again. We will have our **6th annual Chili Cookoff**. If you are interested in providing a chili or soup there will be a sign up sheet in the Narthex. We hope you will plan to participate or at least stay and share the meal on Feb. 4th. We are collecting soups, canned goods and non-perishables to be donated to a local ministry. Cash donations are also accepted. *Connie McWilliams Community Missions*

