

**PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC (USA)**

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January 14, 2018

*Philadelphia Presbyterian Church*

351 Morrow Road, Forest Park, Georgia 30297

404-366-1851

**CHURCH STAFF**

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**SESSION COMMITTEES**

**Administrative**

Eliot Lawrence '20, Admin. Chair

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Darr Johnson '20, Finance Chair & Treasurer

**OutReach Team**

Diane Kitchen '20, Outreach Chair

**Property Management/Memory Garden**

Fred Rohrbach , Property Co-Chair  
Jim Phillips, Property Co-Chair

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Greg Durden '20, W&M Co-Chair

**Clerk's Committee**

Jennifer Rohrbach '19, Clerk's Comm. Chair

**Christian Education & Fellowship**

Beverly Johnson '20, CE&F Chair

**OTHER COMMITTEES**

**Officers of the Corporation**

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**Cemetery Committee**

Jim Phillips, Chair

**Bereavement Committee**

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**PPC Men's Fellowship**

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Debbie Bray, Moderator  
Nancy Phillips, Secretary/Treasurer  
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Connie McWilliams, Community Missions  
Barbara Barlow, Worldwide Missions

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

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Kathy Banke, Mary & Martha Chair  
Pat Randolph, Yearbook

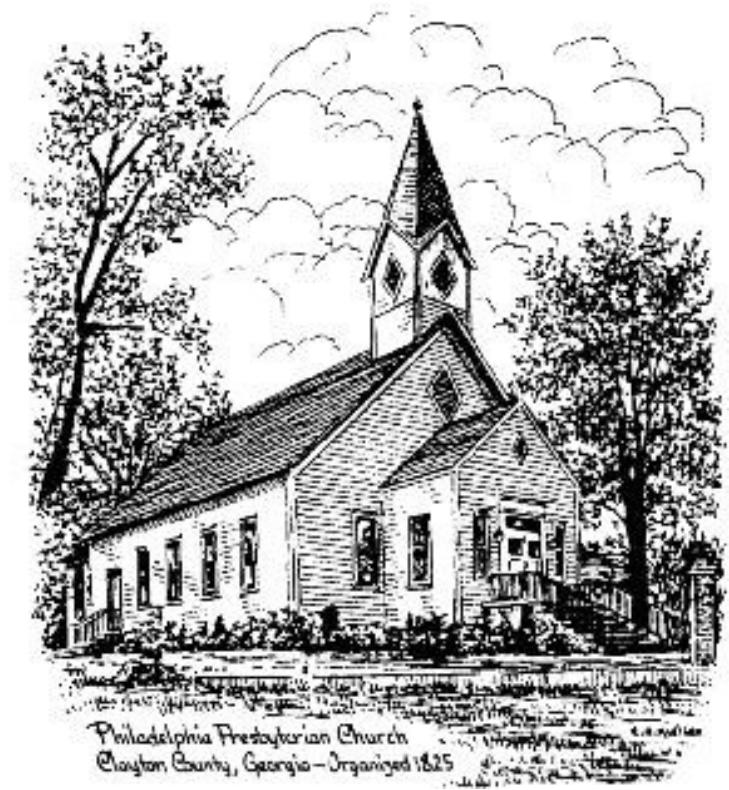
**MISSION OUTREACH**

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



**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

January 14, 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 # 683..... “The King of Love My Shepherd Is”

Call to Confession

\*Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

God of the heathen and the righteous, we confess that we have moved away from our commitment to Christ. We have denied your gifts, ignored your inspiration, and wandered from your healing presence. Yet we cannot escape your claim on us, for wherever we go, you are there. How precious is your steadfast love that saves us from our selfish desires to live for higher values! Strengthen us to do as you tell us, as Christ demonstrated among 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

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

God of our baptism, whose Holy Spirit fires our imagination and fills our lives with purpose, we rejoice to commit ourselves anew with our gifts. May what we share strengthen your children spiritually, inspiring each person to invest fully in the work you set before us. The varieties of gifts you entrust to us can be realized only if they are used. Thank you for granting us this joy. Amen.

\*Hymn of Preparation #656 ..... “Take Time to Be Holy”

Anthem

Scripture..... *John 1:45-46*

Philip found Nathanael and told him, “We have found the one Moses wrote about in the Law, and about whom the prophets also wrote—Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph.”

<sup>46</sup> “Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?” Nathanael asked. “Come and see,” said Philip.

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 # 692 ..... “God Will Take Care of You”

Benediction, Choral Benediction & Postlude

2017 Elder Ordination & Installation

Diane Kitchen & Darr Johnson

2017 PW Officers Installation

*(See insert)*

\*Those who are able, please stand

**PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

**SUNDAY, January 14, 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**

TODAY      09:30am – Prayer Time  
                  09:30am – Sunday School  
                  11:00am – Worship Service

Monday     MLK Holiday – church office closed

Tuesday    9:00am – The Breakfast Club  
                  10:30am – Busy Bees Circle

**\$ 2017 CONTRIBUTION STATEMENTS are available in the narthex. \$**

**PLEASE NOTE:** We will be closing out the ledger for 2017 this week. If you have any receipts to turn in, please do so by Wednesday.

**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!*

**Jackie Hill's** arrangements are tentatively as follows: Visitation at Ford Stewart Funeral Home on Friday, 1/19, from 6-8pm and the service will be here on Saturday, 1/20, at 1:00pm.

- 12/07 Carolyn Allen (Dot Pearce's sister) - leukemia
- 12/07 Angela Brantley (Dot Pearce's niece) – double mastectomy for breast cancer
- 11/28 Carol Hamerick (friend of Jim & Nancy) – recovering from heart bypass surgery
- 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
- 01/08 Charles NeSmith –cataract surgery went well, Thank You for your prayers**
- 12/20 Pastor Dave Omerod – treated for severe infection in knee
- 11/30 Erin Randolph – recovering from jaw replacement surgery
- 11/30 Jeff Randolph – recovering from surgery for herniated disc
- 11/21 Linda Smith (Joyce Smith's sister) - 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

**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](mailto: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

**PW Officers being installed to new terms:**

**Nancy Phillips** - Secretary/Treasurer - 2018-2019  
**Joyce Smith** - Circle One Chair - 2018-2019  
**Debbie Durden** - Advent – 2018

**Pat Randolph** - Historian - 2018-2019  
**Connie McWilliams** - Poinsettias - 2018  
**Connie McWilliams** - Cantata Reception – 2018