# PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC (USA)

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\*Budgeted \*\*Contributions from the Congregation

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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. February 11, 2018

# Philadelphia Presbyterian Church

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



Welcome

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

February 11, 2018

<u>11:00 AM</u>

The Apostles' Creed

## 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	Rick Pierce, Pulpit Assistant
The Gathering Song	

\*Opening Hymn # 33..... "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

## **Call to Confession**

# \*Prayer of Confession (In Unison)

We tremble before you, O God, for we have sinned. You already know what we have done and what we have failed to do. Hear us now as we recognize and admit our actions and inaction in violation of the trust you have placed in us. Enter into our excuses and our pretensions, Holy One, that we may be saved for ministry and mission. Amen.

# \*Assurance of Pardon

# \* Affirmation of Faith

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**

Thank you, God, for choosing us to speak for you and to act on your behalf. It is an honor to share with others what you have entrusted to us. Our offerings represent our selves and the depth of our commitment. We rededicate to you the talents, abilities, and resources you have placed in our hands. May we be faithful in our mutual ministry. Amen. \*Hymn of Preparation #656 ...... "Take Time to Be Holy" Anthem

Scripture...... John 15: 1-17

"I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. <sup>2</sup>He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes<sup>[a]</sup> so that it will be even more fruitful. <sup>3</sup>You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. <sup>4</sup>Remain in me, as I also remain in vou. No branch can bear fruit by itself: it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless vou remain in me. <sup>5</sup>"I am the vine: vou are the branches. If vou remain in me and I in vou, vou will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. <sup>6</sup> If you do not remain in me, you are like a branch that is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up, thrown into the fire and burned.<sup>7</sup> If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. <sup>8</sup> This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples. <sup>9</sup> "As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. <sup>10</sup> If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commands and remain in his love. <sup>11</sup> I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. <sup>12</sup> My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you.<sup>13</sup> Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends. <sup>14</sup> You are my friends if you do what I command. <sup>15</sup> I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you. <sup>16</sup> You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you. <sup>17</sup> This is my command: Love each other.

The Message ...... HOW TO MAINTAIN INTIMACY WITH GOD ...... 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 # 676 ...... "O Jesus, I Have Promised" Benediction, Choral Benediction, Postlude

## \*Those who are able, please stand

#### PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

#### SUNDAY, February 11, 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

TODAY08:30am - SESSION<br/>09:30am - Prayer Time<br/>09:30am - Sunday School<br/>11:00am - Communion Service<br/>12:15pm - Secret Pal Reveal Party - covered dish<br/>11:30am - Craft Group @ Carrabas, Mt. Zion<br/>09:00am - Workday

**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 Scott Holloway and family in the death of his uncle. James "Don" Huie.

01/07 Carolyn Allen (Dot Pearce's sister) - leukemia
01/07 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
02/06 Darrell Morrow (Barbara Barlow's son-in-law) – in hospital for infection in leg with diabetes
12/18 Melvin (private man) - Cindy's friend being treated for pancreatic cancer
12/20 Pastor Dave Omerod – treated for severe infection in knee
01/21 Linda Smith (Joyce Smith's sister) - in & out of hospital with continuing heart problems
01/18 Gwen Steele – receiving chemo treatment for lung cancer
01/02 Michael Trotter (Joyce Smith's brother) – recovering from pneumonia on oxygen
01/05 Lea Turner (Joyce Smith's sister-in-law) – chemo for lung cancer

OUR HOMEBOUND:Please refer to the Church Directory for contact informationPatty BooneBecky Huie

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

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# **Secret Pal Revealing Party**

The Secret Pal Club will meet TODAY in the Fellowship Hall, immediately following church service for a covered dish lunch and a revealing party. We will reveal our identity and draw names for this coming year. If you <u>are not</u> a member of this club, but would like to be, either join us for lunch and draw a name, or have someone draw a name for you. We only give two gifts a year. One is on our Secret Pal's birthday and the other @ the revealing party. We send cards and pray for our pals all year. Join us for fun and fellowship.





Workday 9:00am—February 17

