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

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#### SESSION COMMITTEES

Finance & Stewardship Rick Pierce '23, Finance Chair OutReach Team Philippe Karka '23 Outreach Chair

Property Management/Memory Garden Fred Rohrbach , Property Co-Chair Jim Phillips, Property Co-Chair

Christian Education & Fellowship Mary Smith '22, CE&F Chair

**Officers of the Corporation** 

Eliot Lawrence, Corp. Treasurer Rick Pierce, Corp. Secretary

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Local Benevolences (Pastor's Discretion)\*

Kinship Care Resource Center\*\*

Connie McWilliams, Community Missions

Greg Durden, Chair

Debbie Bray, Moderator

Pat Randolph, Historian

Calvary Refuge Center\*

Good Shepherd Clinic\*

\*Budgeted

Christmas Joy Offering\*\*\*

Child's Fund (PW)\*

Serena Staats '23, Admin. Chair

Worship & Music Committee Greg Durden '19, W&M Co-Chair Debbie Durden, W&M Co-Chair Clerk's Committee Jennifer Rohrbach '22, Clerk's Comm. Chair

#### OTHER COMMITTEES

<u>Funeral Stewards</u> Fred Rohrbach, Chair

Bereavement Committee Barbara Barlow, Chair

#### PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN Debbie Durden, Search Connie McWilliams, Spiritual Growth, Poinsettias Debbie Durden, Spiritual Growth, Advent Connie McWilliams, Cantata Reception Jennifer Rohrbach, Spiritual Growth, PW Retreat

#### 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\*

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

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

Forest Park Ministers Association\* Securus House (PW)\*\*\* Session & PW Misc. Benevolences\* Shared Mission - PC (USA)\* Souper Bowl of Caring\*\* The Gideons International\*\* Thank Offering (PW)\* Thornwell\*\*\* April 4, 2021

## Philadelphia Presbyterian Church

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



Welcome

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.

## Jennifer Rohrbach '22, Cle

Cemetery Committee Jim Phillips, Chair

PPC Men's Fellowship Jim Phillips, Chair

Pat Randolph, Yearbook

## PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

351 Morrow Road, Forest Park, Georgia 30297

April 4, 2021 11:00am **First Reading** Isaiah 25:6-9 The Service for the Lord's Day John 20:1-18 **Second Reading Easter Sunday** Sermon The First Witness **Rev. Jeanne Simpson** The Lord's Supper **Chiming of the Hour** Now the Green Blade Rises arr. Shirley W. McRae Hallelujah by Ludwig van Beethoven (virtual choir) Prelude Anthem Serena Staats, Liturgist Welcome and Announcements The Apostles' Creed **Affirmation of Faith Call to Worship** I believe in God the Father Almighty; Maker of heaven and earth; Alleluia! Christ is risen! And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary, Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia! suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; This is the day that the Lord has made; He descended into hell; the third day He rose again from the dead; Let us rejoice and be glad in it. He ascended into heaven, Alleluia! Christ is risen! and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; Christ is risen, indeed! Alleluia! from thence He shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; the holy catholic church; Let us worship the Lord. the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; Music Christ the Lord Is Risen Today the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen. **Prayer of Confession** 

All-knowing, all-powerful God, we confess our utter dependence on you, not only for life but also for faith, hope, and love. Without your astonishing appearance to our ancestors and your stunning presence throughout the ages, we would be lost. Forgive us our sin and transform us, that in every way our work and prayer will make whole what is broken and give peace on earth. Amen.

## Assurance of Pardon

By the grace of God and the witness of our ancestors, the good news of Jesus' resurrection is our rock and our salvation. We shall not die but live. Jesus, the rejected cornerstone, has become our strength and song. Our sin is forgiven, in the name of our risen Lord.

Thanks be to God.

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer Benediction

Benediction Response Because He Lives



## PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

#### SUNDAY, April 4, 2021

**WELCOME!** We are so thankful you chose to worship with us. 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.

**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.

## Protocol adjustments for congregation and visitors for the time being:

- 1. No ushers Fred will be at the back door and will provide guidance/info
- 2. Bulletins will be placed on a table in the Narthex for individuals to pick up
- 3. Masks will be REQUIRED and are to be worn throughout the service.
- 4. Hand sanitizer will be available on the pews that seating is allowed.
- 5. Doors will be open whenever/wherever possible
- 6. There will be NO CONGREGATIONAL SINGING during service.
- 7. Offertory plates will be in the Narthex. Members can place their tithes there.
- 8. Please sit with whomever you come with.
- 9. We encourage you to greet one another but please do not hug, etc.
- 10. If you don't feel well, please don't come to church.

## <u>THIS WEEK AT PHILADELPHIA</u>

- TODAY 11:00am In Person Worship Service and Livestream thru Facebook
- Thursday 07:00pm Mary & Martha Circle meeting (virtual)
- Saturday 10:30am Circle One meeting in Fellowship Hall

### 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!

03/03 Helen Carter (Pat & John's daughter) – lumpectomy with follow-up radiation

- 03/22 Jane Lovern (Tom Murphy's sister) recovering from lumpectomy
- 03/24 Carole Masdon—suffering with bone cancer
- 03/02 Richard Phillips (Jim's brother) liver cancer-radiation going well

# 03/31 Connor Rawls (Francis Youngblood's grandson) – recovering from brain surgery for infection, lost hearing in right ear

- 03/22 Wayne Schmeltz (Ann NeSmith's son-in-law) diabetic infection in feet
- 03/23 Mary Smith—recovering from gallbladder surgery on 4/1

OUR HOMEBOUND:Please refer to the Church Directory for contact informationNell CatesMarie FosterPatty BooneBecky HuieAnn NeSmith

Prayer Request: Call 404-366-1851, Email secyppc@bellsouth.net or call a Session member or Shepherd.

Thank You

To my Philadelphia Church family, Sincere thanks to Rev. Westlund and all of you who were with us this past Saturday to celebrate Charlie's life. God bless, Ann NeSmith and family