

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC (USA)

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Philadelphia Presbyterian Church

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Debbie Durden, Search
Connie McWilliams, Spiritual Growth, Poinsettias
Debbie Durden, Spiritual Growth, Advent
Connie McWilliams, Cantata Reception
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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*

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***

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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.*

Welcome

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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The Service for the Lord’s Day

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude

Call to Worship

by Maurice Whitney

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

O give thanks to the Lord, for he is good;
for his steadfast love endures forever.

Let the redeemed of the Lord say so,
those he redeemed from trouble.

They cried to the Lord in their trouble,
and he delivered them from their distress.

Let us thank the Lord for his steadfast love,
for his wonderful works to humankind.

For he satisfies the thirsty,
and the hungry he fills with good things.

Let us worship the Lord.

From Psalm 107

* Hymn

Blessed Assurance

No. 572

Call to Confession

Greg Durden, Liturgist

We strive to be strong and self-sufficient, but in truth we are in constant need of
grace. In penitence and faith, let us confess our weakness to God and to each other.

Prayer of Confession

Most merciful God, forgive us. We imagine we can live without you, when you
give us our very breath. We seek control over others rather than strive to live in
unity. We allow fear to overtake us, even though our lives are in your hands.
Draw us back into your steadfast love and shape us into the likeness of your Son,
Jesus Christ, in whose name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Sisters and brothers, the good news is this: grace is poured out like water; mercy
flows like a never-ending stream, bathing us in goodness and love. We can live, then,
as those who have received new life, knowing that our sin is forgiven.

Thanks be to God.

Let us now give our tithes and offerings in thanksgiving for God’s blessings.

Offering

To a Wild Rose

by Edward MacDowell

* Doxology

No. 815

First Reading

2 Corinthians 4:5-12

Second Reading

Mark 2:23-3:6

Sermon

Sabbath Laws

Rev. Jeanne Simpson

Anthem

Total Praise

by Richard Smallwood

* 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.

* Gloria Patri

No. 813

Pastoral Prayer and Lord’s Prayer

Benediction

* Benediction Hymn

What a Friend We Have in Jesus

No. 630

Picnic – Fellowship Hall

* Please stand as you are able

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. Bulletins will be placed on a table in the Narthex for individuals to pick up
- 2. Hand sanitizer will be available on the pews.
- 3. Doors will be open whenever/wherever possible.
- 4. If you are not totally vaccinated, please wear a mask out of respect for others.
- 5. If you don't feel well, please don't come to church.

THIS WEEK AT PHILADELPHIA

TODAY 09:45am - Sunday School
 11:00am – Worship Service
 12:15pm – 4th of July Picnic
 01:00pm – Service available on Facebook

Things to Know!

- **We need volunteers!!** We need a volunteer to help learn how to record the service - please see Fred Rohrbach or Rick Pierce if you can help.
- We will have **Special Patriotic Music** on July 4 to celebrate our nation's Independence Day.

THANK YOU!

As you can see, the pews are clear of all the tape and restrictions. This was done with a lot of help behind the scenes from folks who love this church and want it to look its best. Thanks also for those who have worked to make today's picnic a success. You are appreciated.

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 Rose Enow and family in the passing of Rose's nephew in Cameroon, Africa.

- 06/09 Nell Cates – is recovering from a fractured sacrum
06/22 Rose Enow—upcoming biopsy
06/08 Marie Foster – home from hospital to withdraw fluid around heart
06/22 Carol Hamrick (friend of Phillips') - hospitalized with abdominal pain-awaiting tests
06/02 Becky Huie – diagnosed with congestive heart failure, doing better now
06/02 Carole Masdon—cancer, outpatient surgery recently, see bulletin board for phone number
06/08 Butch Pierce (Rick's brother) – recovering from prostate cancer surgery
06/16 Rick Pierce - knee replacement surgery on 6/29

OUR HOMEBOUND: *Please refer to the Church Directory for contact information*
Nell Cates Marie Foster Patty Boone Becky Huie Ann NeSmith

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



We are having our annual 4th of July Picnic TODAY, immediately following service. The church will provide hamburgers, hotdogs, and drinks. We hope you will be able to join us.

HONORING OUR MILITARY
Stop by the display on our table of Military Honor.

