

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
Jennifer Rohrbach, Spiritual Growth, PW Retreat

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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*

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

351 Morrow Road, Forest Park, Georgia 30297

January 16, 2022

11:00am

The Service for the Lord's Day

Chiming of the Hour

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship

The voice of God resounds upon the water.

The Spirit of the Lord hovers over the stream.

The Son of God is named, "Beloved."

And all who worship shout out, "Glory!"

Ascribe to the Lord majesty and strength.

For God is present in holy splendor.

From Psalm 29 and Luke 3

Let us worship the Lord.

*** Opening Hymn**

Come, Christians, Join to Sing

No. 22

Call to Confession

Debbie Bray, Liturgist

Knowing we are eternally forgiven and infinitely loved, let us boldly confess our sin before God.

Prayer of Confession

We are precious in your sight, yet we often forget that we are your beloved. We confess that our love is fickle and inconstant. We follow selfish goals and deny that our way of life harms others and hurts your world. We are sorry and we want to change. Create in us a clean heart, strengthen our resolve, reconcile us one to another, and bless us with your peace. Through Jesus Christ we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

Beloved brothers and sisters, know that our sin is pardoned by a God who forgives, so love the Lord and serve the world in peace.

Thanks be to God.

Call for the Offering

As people who have been redeemed, let us make our grateful offerings to God our redeemer.

Offering

*** Doxology**

No. 815

First Reading

1 Samuel 2:18-21, 26

Second Reading

Luke 2:41-52

Sermon

Growing Up

Rev. Jeanne Simpson

Anthem

*** 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 Hymn**

More About Jesus

No. 560

*** Benediction**

*** Choral Response**

Shine Jesus Shine (Chorus)

No. 431

**Shine Jesus shine, fill this land with the Father's glory.
Blaze Spirit, blaze; set our hearts on fire.
Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy.
Send forth Your Word, Lord and let there be light.**

*As you are able, please stand

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SUNDAY, January 16, 2022

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 vaccinated or have been unmasked in the public, please wear a mask.
5. Please keep an empty row between seating.
6. Masks are needed during Sunday School and in the choir.
7. 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
 01:00pm – Service available on Facebook

Tuesday 10:30am – Busy Bees Circle
 07:00pm – SESSION virtual

Saturday 10:00am – Elder Retreat & Training

SCRIPTURE IN YOUR POCKET: We encourage you to sign up for sharing your favorite scripture on the 3RD Sunday of each month. Just let Cindy know ahead so she can print it so folks can take it home in their pocket!

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!

- 12/31 Verena Anders—facing hip replacement surgery for avascular necrosis
- 11/30 Phyliss Allen (Randolph’s friend) –heart surgery
- 12/19 Ray Morgan – recovering from intestinal surgery
- 12/15 Barbara Sutton (Joyce’s niece) spine cancer, chemo treatment
- 12/15 Sarah Trotter (Joyce’s niece) breast cancer, taking chemo
- 12/28 ByeonSoon Yoon (Heawoon’s mom) – diagnosed with cancer, Heawoon is in Korea

OUR HOMEBOUND: *Please refer to the Church Directory for contact information*

Nell Cates Patty Boone Becky Huie Ann NeSmith

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



Although this event should be the first Sunday in February of the Super Bowl, we are beginning this month collecting canned goods and non-perishables for the Morrow Food Bank. Cash donations are also accepted, just mark your donation as “Souper Bowl”.

Thanks,
Connie McWilliams,
Community Missions

SECRET PAL REVEAL PARTY

The Secret Pal Group will meet February 13, at 12:15 in the Fellowship Hall of the church for a covered dish lunch and revealing party. Bring a gift for the person you drew back in 2020. If you would like to join the group, you are invited to meet with us for lunch and draw a name for the coming year. We only buy two gifts each year, one for our pal’s birthday, the other for the revealing party. The rest of the year we send cards and keep her in our prayers. If you need additional information, contact **Barbara Barlow**.

(No one can even remember when this group first started, we do know it is at least 40 - 42 years old.)

