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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.

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THIS MONTH'S BIRTHDAYS

02/10 Jeff Randolph 02/11 Mary Smith 02/18 Hal Banke 02/21 Barbara Barlow

THIS MONTH'S ANNIVERSARIES

02/10 Becky & Bob Huie

THIS MONTH'S USHERS

Fred Rohrbach Mary Smith David Hatch Debbie Bray

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 In-law families of the Rohrbach's – having health issues

01/23 Ruth & Erwin Gettys—continuing health problems

12/07 Eliot Lawrence – rehab for partial leg amputation

01/04 Angela McWilliams (Connie's daughter) - treatment for rash on hand & foot

01/10 Mark McWilliams (Connie's son) – making progress with recovery from fall

01/07 Becky Proto (Ginger's Westlund's sister) - recovering from brain aneurysm

01/16 Darren Queen (Serena's cousin) - diagnosed with polymyositis

12/14 John Randolph -chemo for tumors in bladder

01/23 Andy Rhodes (Serena's friend, Patty's BIL) - diagnosed with Pancreatic Cancer

01/19 Charles Trotter (Joyce's brother) –weakness from pomanoid fibrosis & heart condition

01/19 Doris Turner (Joyce Smith's sister) - congestive heart failure

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.

SECRET PALS REVEALING PARTY



The Secret Pal Group will meet for their annual Revealing Party February 11 in the Fellowship

Hall for a covered dish lunch immediately following Morning Worship

Ladies if you would like to be a part of our group please join us for lunch and add your name to be drawn for the coming year. We only give our Secret Pal a gift on their birthday and one at the Revealing Party. We send cards and pray for our pals all year. If you are unable to stay for lunch, get in touch w/ any of the Pals and have your name added to the drawing. In turn she will draw a name for you. Join us for fun and fellowship.

Barbara Barlow

The Craft Group

FEB 13 , 11:30am - Craft Group @ Long Horns Steak House Mt Zion, Morrow

FEB 27, 11:30am - Craft Group @Gabino's Restaurant, Rock Quarry, Stockbridge

WORKDAY

SATURDAY, February 17 @ 9AM



Many things to do.

Please help out if you can.

PW MESSAGE CORNER:

FEB 10—10:30am—Circle One

FEB 15—07:00pm—Mary & Martha Circle (virtual)

FEB 20—10:30am—Busy Bees Circle





SOUPER BOWL OF CARING

This year's Super Bowl luncheon and Chili Cook-off is the 1st Sunday of Febru-

ary. If you don't wish to enter the cook-off but would still be joining us, please consider bringing side dishes, dessert, or drinks. You may find the signup sheet in the narthex.

Thomas Thigpen, CE & Fellowship

FOOD DRIVE

We are accepting soups, canned goods and non-perishables to be donated to a local food pantry during the months of January & February. If you wish to make a monetary donation, make your check payable to Philadelphia Presbyterian Church and mark it for Super Bowl/Food Pantry.

Connie McWilliams, Community Missions



The Babb Project—Community Outreach

We have all the uniforms for the "uniform closet" at the school for homeless and other transient or disadvantaged students who have no uniforms.

We are always in need of **food items** for the bags we give them each week. See the bulletin board for a complete list. Keep in mind that the food items we give the students need to be in cups or containers that can be eaten out of and be individually wrapped when purchased. It is better if the milk is in bottles that are easily poured from.

Monetary gifts are also welcomed. Make you check payable to PPC and mark it for the Babb Project.

For more info, see Cathy Morris.

PPC CLERK'S CORNER

Greetings from the new (old) Clerk of Session. What goes around comes around as they say. This is my 4th or 5th round as Clerk. Every year we welcome new opportunities and address new challenges. We are a small but dedicated group of faithful stewards and God has great things in store for us as we seek His guidance in all things. This year we welcome two first-time elders, Cathy Morris and Thomas Thigpen. Both have been active in the church, but now they take on new responsibilities; Cathy with Outreach and Thomas with Christian Ed & Fellowship. Both will welcome any and all church members taking part in their committees. Please step up if asked to help with planning and participation. Elders take on the role as church leaders, but it takes all of us to make the church function. The Session met on Tuesday, January 16, 2024, via Zoom to conduct our monthly business.

For the month of December, our pending financial information was as follows:

Total Assets - \$95,235.76 Monthly Total Revenue - \$17,950.00 YTD Revenue - \$177,645.84 Monthly Total Expenses - \$19,005.67 YTD Expenses - \$171,965.63.

While our December expenses increased slightly, our total revenue for the year exceeded our total expenses by \$5,680.21. God is Good! We begin the year with Rev. Jeanne and husband, Jim, off on a grand Pacific adventure. We pray that their travels are safe and rewarding and that they return in good health. Meanwhile, we are blessed to have Rev. Jack and Rev. Katie filling the pulpit in their absence.

Happy New Year!!!

Rick



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)

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