

WELCOME TO THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHESTNUT HILL!

**PLEASE SILENCE ALL ELECTRONIC DEVICES
BEFORE THE BEGINNING OF WORSHIP.**

Resources for those with special needs are available. Speak with an usher for assistance.

If you are a visitor and would like to meet the ministers, take a tour of the church, ask some questions or go to coffee hour, please speak with an usher.

If you need a ride to church, please call the church office at 215-247-8855.

If you need pastoral care, please speak with one of the ministers or call the church office.

If you need child care, a nursery for infants and children up to age 2 is available before worship in the Strouse building; children age 3 and older should accompany parents to worship and join in the Children's Moment, after which they will be dismissed for the Church School Gathering. Bags with coloring pages and crayons are available in the Narthex; please return the bags after the service.

In case of an emergency, there are three exit doors behind you in the Narthex. If you are sitting near the front of the sanctuary, use the door near the lectern.

In case of a medical need, please alert an usher – first aid supplies and a wheelchair are available.

Narthex News

November 2, 2014

CHURCH SCHOOL AT A GLANCE

11/2/2014	Room	Teacher	Topic
Birth - 12 Months	Room 101	Ms. Debbie	God's Care
1-2 Year Olds	Room 106	Ms. James	God's Care
Pre-K (3-4 Year Olds)	Room 211	Sandra and Tom McClintic	Godly Play
Kindergarten-Grade 1	Room 205	Shelli Katrina	Trust God
Grade 2-3	Room 208	Lyn Huertgen	Trust God
Grade 4-5	Room 209	Barbara and Jim Spause	Trust God
Grade 6-7	STAY	IN	WORSHIP

THANK YOU

OUR BROTHER'S PLACE

Thanks to Marci Corson, Carolyn Manwaring, and team coordinator Jeff Podraza, who served dinner to over 100 residents last Sunday, October 26, at Our Brother's Place homeless shelter, with enough for seconds for the grateful residents -- over 160 meals in total. This mission outreach from PCCH is both incredibly important and really fun, and we do it every fourth Sunday of the month. Thanks also to all who provided Sloppy Joes, and to Stu Hain, who continues to provide canned vegetables, fruit, and paper goods.

There are several ways for YOU to help in this important outreach -- you can sign up as a server on the Social Witness sheet outside the Reception Room, you can make a batch of Sloppy Joes for the meals, and/or provide desserts! (Recipe: brown 2 pounds of hamburger or ground turkey; drain the fat; mix with one large can of Manwich sandwich sauce; put in a Ziplock bag and place in the church freezer.) **Next service date is November 23** - the team will be led by Vee Barrett.

COUNTER VOLUNTEERS

Thank you to Conroy Anderson, John Armbruster, Janette Caplan, Nancy Hassold, and Susan White for volunteering their time to join our group of Tuesday morning counters.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

EMPTY BOWL BENEFIT DINNER DESSERT BAKERS NEEDED

Philadelphia Interfaith Hospitality Network is once again sponsoring their Empty Bowl Benefit Dinner on Wednesday, November 19, 2014 (see posters on any church bulletin board). They are asking for us to bake small treats like cookies, brownies, cupcakes, etc. to be used for dessert. There is a sign-up sheet located on the bulletin board outside the church office if you are able to help.

HOSPITALITY

Coffee Hour Hosting on Sunday morning involves making sure that the pastries are set out with a little style and the table is welcoming for family and guests. We need one host/hostess for each Sunday. Please sign up on the bulletin board outside the church office.

SOCIAL WITNESS COMMITTEE - LOOKING FOR YOU!

The Social Witness Committee encourages and supports the congregation's participation in activities that contribute to our common good - in ending homelessness, hunger, gun violence, human trafficking, and the erosion of our environment; and in supporting education and care for those among us who are poor, hungry, and homeless, and in need of medical care in our community and in the world. Curious? Want to contribute? Come join us as we plan for PCCH's holiday giving and talk about other upcoming events. Email Emily Camp-Landis at camplandis120@yahoo.com or contact the church office.

USHER VOLUNTEERS

We still need a few new ushers to serve once a month. For more information please contact Mike Baughman, Bill Chambers, or the church office.

THE CHURCH GATHERED

THE SECOND HOUR @ PCCH:

Today November 2, 2014, 11:30 am, Widener Hall, All Saints' Sunday

Table talk about tithing or "You want me to give what to the church?"

Nancy Muth, retired Presbyterian minister and friend of PCCH, will help us take an honest look at our lives from the perspective of our faith and our bank accounts. By the end of the morning, she will have us convinced that the "good life" is the "generous life."

SAVE THE DATE: PCCH FESTIVAL OF MUSIC AND ARTS

Friday, November 14, 8:00 p.m.

Aura Polyphonica: Masters of the Spanish Renaissance

Victoria - Requiem

Art Exhibit Reception

Aura Polyphonica (formerly the Rutgers University Collegium Musicum), a twenty-voice choir specializing in music of the Renaissance, will present a concert featuring works by the great composers of the Spanish Renaissance. Motets by Cristobal Morales, Francisco Guerrero, and Alonso Lobo will compliment Thomas Luis da Victoria's magnum opus, *Officium Defunctorum* - commonly known as his *Requiem*. These works for 4-8 voice parts represent the height of 16th-century polyphony penned by Spain's master composers of the era. The evening will close with a reception in Widener Hall where an exhibit of art from many of our talented members of the church will be displayed.

Saturday, November 15, 8:00 p.m.

PCCH Gallery Choir

Modern Spiritualists: A Tribute to John Tavener

Art Exhibit Reception

This concert will feature music of the late English composer John Tavener, who was one of the most widely recognized and performed composers of the past few decades. His music has been and continues to be performed and recorded by the world's foremost choirs, including a performance of *Song for Athene* (which can be heard at this concert) by the Westminster Abby Choir at Princess Diana's funeral. A composer of a significant body of choral music, his sonorities were unique, drawing on Byzantine chant and other ancient forms as his musical models. Following an era of serialism and anti-Romanticism in composition during the mid-20th century, his music has a transcendent quality, relying little on form and rhythmic devices. His textures grow from single-voice drones and chants to extraordinarily lush 16-part chords. Music that was influenced by Tavener will also be featured on the program, including his friend Estonian composer Arvo Part's [need umlaut on "a" of Part] *Magnificat* and Scottish composer James MacMillan's *A New Song*.

Sunday, November 16, 4:30 p.m. Reception; 5:00 p.m. Play Reading

Vanya and Sonia and Masha and Spike

Winner of numerous 2013 awards, this comedy centers on Vanya and Sonia, middle-aged siblings who have put their own lives on hold to care for their parents, and their glamorous sister Masha, a huge Hollywood star.

Festival of Music and Arts

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Play Reading: Vanya and Sonia and Masha and Spike

4:30 p.m. reception, 5:00 p.m. performance

Vanya and Sonia and Masha and Spike is the winner of numerous 2013 awards including the Best Play Tony Award.

Tickets are \$10 for each performance.

Series tickets available at a discounted price.

For more information or to purchase tickets,

visit www.chestnuthillpres.org.

THE CHURCH SENT OUT

COMMUNITY TO END GUN VIOLENCE

Tuesday, November 4, 3:30-4:30 pm

Neighborhood Partners to End Gun Violence continues to demonstrate on the first and third Tuesdays of each month, at Delia's Gun Shop on Torresdale Avenue. Contact Bob Fles (rfles@msn.com) for more information.

16TH ANNUAL PHILADELPHIA INTERFAITH HOSPITALITY NETWORK EMPTY BOWL DINNER

Wednesday, November 19, 4:00 pm to 8:30 pm

See posters on the bulletin boards for further information. Tickets available at www.philashelter.org. If you are interested in attending with the PCCH group at 7:00 pm, please contact Emily Camp-Landis at camplandis120@yahoo.com or the church office by November 16.

Empty Bowl Dinner 2014

**Wednesday
November 19, 2014**

four seatings

4:00-5:30 pm

5:30-7:00 pm

7:00-8:30 pm

**Lutheran Seminary
Brossman Center Benbow Hall**
7301 Germantown Ave., Philadelphia, PA 19119

Minimum Donation

Adult: \$20
Students & Children: \$10

Special Dinner Host:
Mike McGrath of WHYY's
"You Bet Your Garden"



Celebrating 22 years of helping families and our
16th annual Empty Bowl Dinner!

CHILDREN, YOUTH AND FAMILIES

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT SIGN-UP

Look for the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside the church office. Last date to sign up is Sunday, November 30.

JR. HIGH SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP

Sunday, November 2, 11:30 am – 1:00 pm: Lazer-tag.

Sunday, November 9, 2:00 – 6:00 pm: "Light the Night" walk to support Leukemia and Lymphoma.

Sunday, November 16: No Youth Group

HIGH SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP

Sunday, November 2, 6:00 pm – 7:00 pm: SAT/ACT/College Prep Informational Session with Dan Ascher (Parents Welcome!)

Sunday, November 9, 2:00 – 6:00 pm: "Light the Night" walk to support Leukemia and Lymphoma.

Sunday, November 16, 11:30 am – 12:30 pm: Theology and Pretzels (Iron Hill)

Sunday, November 16. 5:30 – 7:00 pm: Youth Room Mural Painting Day.

CENTER ON THE HILL ... *the place for active adults*

To register for these programs, unless otherwise indicated, please call Leslie Lefer at 215-247-4654 or email llefer@chestnuthillpres.org

LIVING WITH THE CHALLENGING SYMPTOMS OF DEMENTIA

Tuesday, November 4, 10:30 – 11:30 a.m., Free

An interactive overview of recent research findings related to the nature and impact of dementia symptoms so that you have a better understanding of what these findings actually mean. This session will also offer treatment guidelines and tools for managing dementia symptoms.

FILM & DISCUSSION

Tuesday, November 4, 6:30 – 9:00 p.m., \$10 (Film starts promptly at 6:40 p.m.)

Pre-registration required.

Join us for an outstanding program including a viewing of the Golden Globe Winner for Best Foreign Language Film *Central Station*, the story of a young boy's friendship with a jaded middle-aged woman. The boy was looking for the father he never knew, and she was looking for a second chance. Following the film, a facilitated discussion will be led by Dr. Maurizio Giammarco of Temple University.

MAXIMIZE YOUR MEMORY: HOW TO REMEMBER WHAT YOU ARE STARTING TO FORGET

Tuesday, November 11, 12:30 – 1:30 p.m., Free

This is a fun-filled presentation about how the memory works and why it fails us. Topics include how we remember, why we forget, factors affecting memory, brain improving exercises, and strategies for improving your memory.

CAREGIVING: FOCUS ON STRENGTH

Monday, November 17, 10:00 – 11:00 a.m., Free

Caregiving responsibilities are on the rise, impacting families, work and financial lives of the caregivers. The role of a caregiver creates emotional, physical, spiritual and financial challenges, AND caregiving can be a powerful bonding opportunity. How can the Caregiver care for him/herself over the course of time? Come join a panel of dedicated caregivers and health care professionals to share their stories of creativity, strength and empowerment.

INTRODUCTION TO THE FRENCH LANGUAGE AND CULTURE

Tuesdays, November 18 – December 16, 2:30 – 4:00 p.m., \$50 for 5 sessions

Have you always wanted to learn more about the French language and culture? In this five-week course, you’ll learn some basic French vocabulary, especially words useful for those who are thinking about traveling to France. You’ll have an added opportunity to appreciate the French landscape and culture through viewing photos and a classic film.

THIS WEEK AT PCCH

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2

9:00 am	LORD’S SUPPER
10:00 am	Gallery Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
10:15 am	Worship (Sanctuary)
11:30 am	Church School (Strouse)
11:30 am	2 ND Hour Forum (Widener)
6:00 pm	Jr. High Fellowship (Youth Room)
	Sr. High Fellowship (Youth Room)

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3

4:30 pm	Girlchoir (Choir Room/Sanctuary)
6:15 pm	Yoga (Melcher)
6:30 pm	Girlchoir (Choir Room/Sanctuary)
6:30 pm	Penn Mindfulness Class (Chapel)
7:00 pm	MALT MS Publisher Class (Room 1&2)
7:30 pm	Philomusica (Widener)
7:30 pm	Crossing Board Meeting (Harris)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

12:30 pm	Jewish/Presbyterian Group Luncheon (Widener)
3:30 pm	NPEG Vigil (Delia’s Gun Shop)
7:00 pm	MALT Social Media Class (Room 1&2)
7:30 pm	Deacons Meeting (Widener)
7:30 pm	Scouts (Room 5)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

7:00 am	Rotary (Widener)
11:00 am	Bible Study (Harris)
5:30 pm	Super Bones Class (Room 3&4)
6:30 pm	Girlchoir (Choir Room)
6:45 pm	Awareness through Movement (Harris)
8:00 pm	Summit Group (Room 3&4)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6

6:30 pm	Cub Scouts (Widener)
7:00 pm	MALT LinkedIn Class (Room 1&2)
7:30 pm	Boy Scouts (Widener)
7:45 pm	Gallery Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

9:00 am	Girlchoir (Sanctuary/Choir Room)
2:00 pm	Edwards Memorial Service (Sanctuary/Widener)

NEXT WEEK AT PCCH

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 9

9:00 am	Gallery Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
10:00 am	Worship (Sanctuary)
10:15 am	Church School (Strouse)
11:00 am	Church School Sings (Chapel)
11:30 am	2 ND Hour Forum (Widener)
2:00 pm	Jr. & Sr. High Fellowship (“Light the Night” Leukemia and Lymphoma Walk)

THIS WEEK AT CENTER ON THE HILL ... the place for active adults

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3

9:00 am	Level II Super Bones (Room 3&4)
9:30 am	Sketching Class (Room 1&2)
10:00 am	Advanced Italian (Reception Room)
10:00 am	Life Stories Group (Melcher)
10:30 am	Awareness through Movement (Room 3&4)
12:30 pm	Bridge Game (Room 5)
2:00 pm	QiGong (Room 3&4)
2:15 pm	Gentle Therapeutic Yoga (Harris)
4:30 pm	Zumba Gold Class (Room 3&4)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 4

9:00 am Zumba Gold Class (Room 3&4)
 9:30 am Watercolor Class (Room 1&2)
 10:00 am Beginning Bridge (Room 5)
 10:30 am Living with Dementia (Harris)
 1:00 pm Life Stories (Room 1&2)
 2:00 pm Intro to Guitar (Room 3&4)
 4:00 pm Yoga Nidra (Chapel)
 6:30 pm *Central Station* Movie and Discussion (Harris)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

10:00 am Tai Chi Classes (Room 3&4)
 10:00 am Internet and Email Class (Room 5)
 10:30 am Elementary Italian (Reception Room)
 11:30 am Bridge Game (Room 1&2)
 12:00 pm Diabetes Education Class (Widener)
 1:00 pm Life Stories Group (Reception Room)
 2:30 pm Golden Yoga Class (Harris)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6

9:00 am PCCH Bridge Group (Room 1&2)
 10:00 am Refresher Bridge (Room 3&4)
 10:00 am Bridge Game (Room 5)
 10:30 am Super Bones Class (Harris)
 2:00 pm Medicare Counseling (Room 5)
 2:00 pm Group Singing (Room 3&4)
 2:00 pm Life Worth Celebrating (Harris)
 5:45 pm Soul Line Dancing (Room 3&4)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7

9:30 am Yoga with Attitude (Harris)
 11:30 am Yoga, A Chair and You (Harris)
 1:00 pm International Folk Dancing (Room 3&4)
 1:30 pm Mah Jongg Open Play (Room 5)
 2:30 pm Golden Yoga (Harris)

2014 Operating Fund Summary

The Budget and Actual Financial Standing through September 2014

	Our Projections for the Year	Where Should We Be Today	This is Where We Are Today	Here is the Difference
	2014 Annual Budget	2014 YTD Budget	2014 YTD Actual	2014 Variance
Congregational Response * <i>(Annual Pledges & Offerings)</i>	\$588,563	\$441,420	\$377,299	(\$64,121)
Endowment Draws <i>(Our Invested Funds Available)</i>	\$132,375	\$99,281	\$85,682	(\$13,599)
Other Sources of Funds	\$142,500	\$106,875	\$108,986	\$2,111
Our Total Sources of Funds	\$863,438	\$647,577	\$571,967	(\$75,610)
Our Expenses & Mission Outreach <i>(This is How We Use the Funds)</i>	\$863,438	\$647,577	\$651,426	(\$3,849)
DIFFERENCE	\$0	\$0	(\$79,459)	(\$79,459)

* Please remember to keep your pledges up to date.

Did You Know? Your pledges help to repair our plumbing, elevator maintenance, and for guest musicians among other things....

Mission Outreach includes: Heeding God's Call and Our Brother's Place among others!

Mission Highlights This Month:

Heeding God's Call- Heeding God's Call is a faith-based movement to prevent gun violence.

They unite people of faith in the sacred responsibility to protect people. For more about Heeding God's Call, see www/heedinggodscall.com.

Our Brother's Place- Is a shelter near Center City where we have served thousands of meals featuring our Sloppy Joes, for over 15 years.

The Shelter houses more than 150 men a night and provides day services for many more.

Often, over 250 show up for an evening meal.