

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 through 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 Summer 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

July 15, 2018

SUMMER CHURCH SCHOOL AT A GLANCE			
7/15/2018	Room	Teacher	Topic
Birth - 2 Year Olds	Room 101	Ms. Debbie and Ms. James	God’s Care
Pre-K (3-4 Year Olds)	Room 211	Steve Bishop and Emilyanne Shelley	Godly Play
Kindergarten-Grade 5	Room 205	Rebecca DePasquale and Sarah Wright	David Dances Before the Ark
Grade 6-7	STAY	IN	WORSHIP

PCCH YMGA CAMP

Yoga, Music, Gardening, and Art Camp at
The Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill
August 20-24 2018, 10am-2 pm, \$125 per child*



Explore the story of Jonah and the whale through yoga, music, gardening, and art! Classes are taught by professional, caring instructors. Campers ages 3-12 are invited to participate. Youth ages 13-18 are invited to serve as camp counselors. Register for camp online at

<https://goo.gl/forms/P49QjCXLuvgeWbdK2>

Campers are asked to bring lunches and water bottles clearly labeled with their names. Snacks and all yoga, music, gardening, and art materials will be provided!



*Limited scholarships are available based on need. Please contact Austin Shelley, Associate Minister, at ashelley@chestnuthillpres.org for more information or for questions regarding registration.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT TO HELP HOMELESS WOMEN

Harvey C. Miller, III is asking our help with his Eagle Scout Project to collect feminine products including tampons and feminine pads for homeless, sheltered, and recovering women in the Philadelphia area. He will partner with the non-profit Courage To Change located at 3605 N. 21st Street, Philadelphia and will plan, manage, and conduct a giving campaign that will impact the lives of many women of all ages that have difficulty securing feminine hygiene products on a regular basis. Shelters and recovery centers often receive food and clothing but the items most overlooked are the basic essentials. Feminine products are needed but due to the cost and lack of regular donation, are in scarce supply. You may drop off your donations in the church office and we will be in contact with Harvey for a collection date.

SAVE YOUR GROCERY STORE SHOPPING BAGS

Some of you may be familiar with the sleeping mats for the homeless project we've started at PCCH and the Center on the Hill. We are transforming donated plastic grocery store bags into sleeping mats. We started the project in January and we just donated 22 completed mats to Project Home! We've also partnered with the You Matter Marathon (youmattermarathon.com). Each sleeping mat is adorned with a "You Matter" card. The purpose of the You Matter Marathon is to create and enrich positive connections between people and within communities by sharing You Matter cards. (This marathon is taking place in 64 countries around the world!)

We still need for you to bring in your grocery store sized plastic bags as we are continuing to work over the summer months and into the Fall. We can **ONLY USE** Acme, Giant, Wegmans, Walmart, Dollar Tree, and Shop Rite bags. **IMPORTANT:** we CANNOT use newspaper bags, dry cleaning bags, plastic table clothes, trash bags, etc. PLEASE ONLY DONATE GROCERY STORE SIZE BAGS from the stores listed above. Thank you! If you have any questions, please contact Leslie Lefer at the Center on the Hill.

FACE TO FACE FUNDRAISER

Come Join Us for a "Taste of Haiti," Thursday, July 19, 6:30 pm, Face to Face Dining Room, 123 East Price Street, \$100 per person. All proceeds benefit Face to Face

Attendees of this one-of-a-kind event will be treated to soup, salad, an entree with the choice of two meats, dessert AND custom rum cocktails. Chef Al will be fresh off a two-week trip to Haiti, where he gathered all of the freshest foods the island had to offer. We hope you can join us at this tasty night out with our "Prince of Port-au-Prince." Tickets are available by contacting Jeanne at 215-849-0179 ext. 310.

OUR BROTHER'S PLACE

Next Sloppy Joe Pick-up Date is Monday, July 30

The Social Witness Committee would like to offer special thanks to all members who continue to help with our outreach at the OBP Shelter. We will continue to provide dinner on the last Sunday of each month, but will no longer send volunteers to serve. **We continue to need monthly donations of sloppy joes** (simple recipe: brown two pounds of ground beef or turkey, add a can of Manwich sauce, freeze flat in a Ziploc bag and bring to the freezer in the Church kitchen).

FACE TO FACE

Next serving date is Saturday, August 25 (Prep and Serve).

(Also Prep only on Saturday, September 29)

The Social Witness Committee is happy to inform the congregation that our service at Face to Face is doing extremely well. All are welcome to join us. Face to Face is a well rooted, well managed community service organization located in Germantown, just 15 minutes from church. It provides various services to area residents. Face to Face also provides them with meals—and this is where PCCH is helping out. There is a sign-up sheet on the table below the Social Witness bulletin board outside the church office. Those who would like to involve themselves in this service opportunity should contact Melissa Montgomery (melissamon70@yahoo.com) or Beth Vaccaro (bethnellvaccaro@gmail.com).

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@chestmuthillpres.org

DIABETES WORKSHOP

Wednesdays (ongoing), 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm, \$5

You can live well with diabetes, pre-diabetes or gestational diabetes. Rachel Hykel, certified Health Education Specialist, will help you understand managing diabetes to stay healthy. Topics include: developing healthy food awareness (including reading labels), understanding blood sugar levels, setting realistic goals and healthy cooking tips. All are welcome to take part. Participants receive personalized attention and learn what it takes to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

MAH JONGG – OPEN PLAY

Fridays, join at any time, 1:00 pm – 3:30 pm, No registration is necessary, \$2

This is an opportunity to simply enjoy others' company and play the game of Mah Jongg. Not for beginners: participants should be familiar enough with the game to play without formal instruction. Over the past years, a small group of people have been meeting to play and would like to expand the number of players.

THIS WEEK AT PCCH

SUNDAY, JULY 15

9:00 am Soloist Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
10:00 am Worship (Sanctuary)
10:15 am Church School (Strouse)
11:15 am Fellowship (Front Lawn/Widener)

MONDAY, JULY 16

6:15 pm Yoga (Melcher)

TUESDAY, JULY 17

7:15 pm **OIL TANK REMOVAL
PARKING LOT CLOSED ALL DAY**
Royal Scottish Country Dancers (Chapel)

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18

7:15 am Rotary (Widener)
9:00 am Organ Practice (Sanctuary)
10:30 am Mysticism Discussion (Reception Room)
8:00 pm Summit Group (Room 3&4)

THURSDAY, JULY 19

9:00 am Organ Practice (Sanctuary)

FRIDAY, JULY 20

9:00 am Organ Practice (Sanctuary))

NEXT WEEK AT PCCH

SUNDAY, JULY 22

9:00 am Soloist Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
10:00 am Worship (Sanctuary)
10:15 am Church School (Strouse)
11:15 am Fellowship (Front Lawn/Widener)
6:00 pm Mission Study Committee (Harris)
7:30 pm Pastor Nominating Committee (Harris)

THIS WEEK AT CENTER ON THE HILL

MONDAY, JULY 16

9:30 am Sketching and Drawing Class (Room 1&2)
12:30 pm Bridge Game (Room 5)
2:00 pm QiGong (Room 3&4)
2:15 pm Gentle Therapeutic Yoga (Harris)
2:30 pm French Conversation (Room 1&2)

TUESDAY, JULY 17

**OIL TANK REMOVAL
CENTER CLASSES CANCELLED**

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18

10:00 am Tai Chi Classes (Room 3&4)
11:30 am Bridge Game (Room 1&2)
12:00 pm Diabetes Workshop (Room 5)
2:30 pm Golden Yoga (Harris)

THURSDAY, JULY 19

9:00 am PCCH Bridge Group (Room 1&2)
9:00 am Qigong (Harris)
10:00 am Bridge Game (Room 5)
1:00 pm Individual Medicare Counseling (Room 1&2)
4:00 pm Zumba Gold in a Chair (Room 3&4)

FRIDAY, JULY 20

9:30 am Yoga with Attitude (Harris)
10:00 am Scrabble (Room 5)
11:00 am Mah Jongg Private Group (Room 1&2)
11:30 am Yoga, A Chair and You (Harris)
1:00 pm International Folk Dancing (Room 3&4)
1:00 pm Mah Jongg Open Play (Room 5)
2:30 pm Golden Yoga (Harris)