

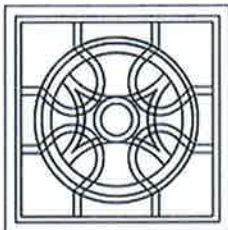
# THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHESTNUT HILL

*An inclusive community of faith*

Sunday, November 21, 2021

10:00 a.m.

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY



8855 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

## WELCOME!

*Welcome to the Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill!*

*Whether you're a first-time guest or a long-time member, we are grateful for your presence. There's a place for you here!*

See an usher for hearing devices or large-print bulletins.

Nursery care for infants through age 2 is available in the Strouse building – ask an usher for assistance. Children age 3 and older depart from worship for church school.

We encourage you to fill out the black fellowship pads in the pews, to help us to get to know all who've shared worship with us today.

All are invited for refreshments and fellowship immediately following the service on the south lawn (weather permitting).

We send regular email updates about worship, church life, and other events. Please contact the church office if you'd like to receive them.

Please silence all electronic devices.

*Find more information about PCCH on page 12.*

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

There are many things that shall have to be accomplished if a genuine theology and praxis of stewardship is to take its appropriate place in the church today. But this is the basic necessity, the “bottom line”: the resurrection faith of the people of the cross must mean, quite correctly, that this world must not be abandoned, that this world is worth all the care and love and sacrifice that we can devote to it.

—Douglas John Hall

*“The Steward: A Biblical Symbol Comes of Age”*

### ORGAN VOLUNTARY

*Praise the Lord With Drums and Cymbals*

Sigfrid Karg-Elert  
(1877-1933)

### INTROIT

Arthur Wills  
(b. 1926)

○ Lord, open thou our lips:  
and our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

○ God, make speed to save us:  
○ Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.  
The Lord's name be praised.

## CALL TO WORSHIP (from Psalm 93)

Leader: God is robed in majesty, girded with strength.  
God has established the world; it shall never be moved.

People: **God's throne is established from of old; God is everlasting.**

Leader: More majestic than the thunder of mighty waters,  
more majestic than the waves of the sea.  
God is majestic on high.

People: **God's decrees are very sure; holiness benefits your house,  
O God, forevermore.**

\*HYMN 551

*Come, Ye Thankful People, Come*

ST. GEORGE'S, WINDSOR

## PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Righteous God, you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all. We confess that we have not bowed before him, and are slow to acknowledge his rule. We give allegiance to the powers of this world, and fail to be governed by justice and love. In your mercy, forgive us. Raise us to acclaim him as ruler of all, that we may be loyal ambassadors, obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

## KYRIE ELEISON

Kile Smith  
(b. 1956)

The musical score is written in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). It consists of three staves. The first staff has two parts: 'Cantor/Choir' and 'Congregation:'. The lyrics are 'Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.' The second staff also has two parts: 'Cantor/Choir' and 'Congregation:'. The lyrics are 'Christ, have mer - cy, Christ, have mer - cy.' The third staff has two parts: 'Cantor/Choir' and 'Congregation:'. The lyrics are 'Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.' The music features a mix of quarter, eighth, and half notes, with some rests and a final double bar line.

## PROMISE OF THE GOSPEL

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.  
People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

## \*GLORIA PATRI

Smith

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and  
to the Ho - ly Spir - it, as it was in the be - gin - ning, is  
now, and ev - er shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

## FOCUS ON STEWARDSHIP— Faith Formation for Children and Youth

## PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION *(unison)*

Sovereign God, let your word rule in our hearts and your spirit govern our lives until at last we see the fulfillment of your realm of justice and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**EPISTLE LESSON**

Revelation 1:4b-8 (p. 245)

Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth. To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion forever and ever. Amen. Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen. "I am the Alpha and the Omega," says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.  
People: Thanks be to God.

**PSALTER**

Psalm 93

PLAINSONG

**Choir: Antiphon**



The Lord shall reign for ev-er and ev-er.

**Congregation: Antiphon**

The Lord is King; he has put on splendid apparel;  
the Lord has put on his apparel and girded himself with strength.

He has made the whole world so sure  
that it cannot be moved;

Ever since the world began, your throne has been established;  
you are from everlasting.

**Congregation: Antiphon**

The waters have lifted up, O Lord,  
the waters have lifted up their voice;  
the waters have lifted up their pounding waves.

Mightier than the sound of many waters,  
mightier than the breakers of the sea,  
mightier is the Lord who dwells on high.

Your testimonies are very sure,  
and holiness adorns your house, O Lord,  
for ever and for evermore.

**Congregation: Antiphon**

### CHILDREN'S SERMON

*Children through fifth grade may process to the Chapel.*

### HYMN (*seated*)

TALLIS' CANON

Go with us, Lord, and guide the way  
Through this and every coming day,  
That in your Spirit strong and true,  
Our lives may be our gift to you.

### GOSPEL LESSON

John 18:33-37 (p. 113)

Then Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" Jesus answered, "Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?" Pilate replied, "I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?" Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here." Pilate asked him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice."

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

*A Truth-Telling King*

John Wilkinson

*Following the sermon, all are invited to come forward, row by row, and place your pledge cards in a basket. We will then proceed to the singing of the hymn.*

\*HYMN 559

*We Gather Together*

KREMSER

\*A LITANY OF GRATITUDE

Leader: Because of our faith in you, O God,  
People: **we acknowledge you as the source of all that we have and all that we are.**

Leader: Help us to hear your call to be good stewards of all your gifts...  
People: **by sharing them for your purposes.**

Leader: Help us challenge each other, as followers of Jesus Christ...  
People: **to put our faith into action.**

Leader: We do this, O God, as a sign of our love..  
People: **and in thanksgiving for the many blessings we have received.**

Leader: As stewards, we pray we have a joyful spirit of mind and heart.  
People: **Bless our giving and bless our life together, that as we gather, are blessed, and depart to serve, we may give witness to your strong love, made known to us in Jesus Christ. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER (*unison*)

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.



## OFFERING

### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

*E'en So, Lord Jesus, Quickly Come*

Paul Manz  
(1919-2009)

Peace be to you and grace from him who freed us from our sins,  
who loved us all, and shed his blood that we might saved be.

Sing holy, holy to our Lord, the Lord, Almighty God,  
who was and is and is to come; sing holy, holy, Lord!

Rejoice in heaven, all ye that dwell therein;  
rejoice on earth, ye saints below, for Christ is coming soon!

E'en so, Lord Jesus, quickly come, and night shall be no more;  
they need no light nor lamp nor sun, for Christ will be their All!

### \*DOXOLOGY

OLD HUNDREDTH

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise God, all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host:  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

### PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

All: **Eternal God, you sent Jesus Christ to rule over all things,  
and made us servants in your kingdom. By your spirit  
empower us to love the unloved, and to minister to all in  
need. Then at the last bring us to your eternal realm where  
we may worship and adore you and be welcomed into your  
everlasting joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**\*HYMN 555**

*Now Thank We All Our God*

NUN DANKET ALLE GOTT

**CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

**CHORAL BENEDICTION**

John Rutter  
(b. 1945)

God be in my head and in my understanding.  
God be in mine eyes and in my looking.  
God be in my mouth and in my speaking.  
God be in mine heart and in my thinking.  
God be at my end and in my departing.

**ORGAN VOLUNTARY**

*Now Thank We All Our God*

Karg-Elert

*\*Please stand as you are able.*

## LEADING WORSHIP TODAY

### PREACHING

John Wilkinson

### LITURGISTS

Brian D. Russo

Roberta J. Kearney

Beth Shalom Hessel

Amy Raphael

### MUSIC

Gallery Choir

Daniel Spratlan Conductor

Ken Lovett Organist

### GREETERS

Margaret Spencer and Beth Nell Vaccaro Elders

Deborah Robinson and Edie Russo Deacons

### USHERS

William Cobb Team #2 Leader; Robert Bausman, Peter Cooke, B. Graeme Frazier and Douglas Olson

### FLOWER GUILD

Diane Cornely and Grace Stewart

**FLOWERS IN THE CHURCH** are given to the glory of God and **in honor of the children and teachers of the PCCH church school** by Roy and Allison DeCaro.

### COVER ART

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## GOOD TO KNOW

If you are interested in exploring membership at PCCH, please contact John Wilkinson at the church office or at [jwilkinson@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:jwilkinson@chestnuthillpres.org).

Sunday worship is live-streamed at [chestnuthillpres.org/live](https://chestnuthillpres.org/live) and is recorded for later viewing. This offering extends our reach across the country and beyond. Visit us when you're away and tell your friends about this new opportunity to join us.

Please share any pastoral care needs or concerns with Brian Russo at the church office or at [brusso@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:brusso@chestnuthillpres.org).

If you would like to receive a ride to church for Sunday worship, please contact the church office.

Please see the back cover for information about our church staff and how to contact and connect with us. You can access today's Bulletin online (with links to more information) by scanning the QR code.



The Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill has committed itself to be a Matthew 25 congregation, joining an initiative of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) focused on three areas: building congregational vitality, dismantling structural racism, eradicating systemic poverty.

### MATTHEW 25

Get connected in these ways:

- Read “400 Souls: A Community History of African America, 1619-2019” and join our discussion.
- Visit the Souls Shot Portrait Project exhibition in Widener Hall and reflect on the underlying causes of gun violence, and our response.
- Support our partners at ACHIEVEability and Germantown Avenue Crisis Ministry and reflect on the root causes of poverty in our city.

# THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

## TODAY AT PCCH

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### Stewardship 2022



### TODAY IS STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY!

Thanks to all who are offering their pledges today during worship. Additional pledge cards are available in the pews.

Please join us following worship for our traditional Stewardship Pancake Brunch, COVID style, hosted by the Stewardship Committee. Everyone is also invited to make an Advent wreath.

If you are not pledging today, you may send your pledge to the church office or send a confidential email to [mmcgowan@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:mmcgowan@chestnuthillpres.org).

### INFO TABLE AT BRUNCH

At the Stewardship Brunch this morning, you can sign-up for three opportunities:

- Children participation in the Christmas Pageant (see Roberta Kearney or Brian Russo for details).
- Our second Casserole Day for Face to Face on December 5—either to volunteer your time or to donate meal items.
- Christmas gifts for the Achievability Program.

### NEW MEMBER GATHERING

We are convening a gathering for those who might be interested in church membership. Please contact John Wilkinson at [jwilkinson@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:jwilkinson@chestnuthillpres.org) to learn more or express your interest. Even if you're not ready to join and would like to learn more about PCCH, we'd welcome that conversation!

## **CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES**

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### **SUNDAY SCHOOL UPDATE**

Following the Children's Sermon we will dismiss and head to the chapel where we will keep our masks on and maintain physical distancing. Rehearsal with the Joyful Noise choir occurs immediately after Sunday school in the chapel.

Nursery care is available for children ages two and under and is staffed by two fully vaccinated, fully background-checked adults.

We are grateful for our teachers (and potential teachers) who are ready to teach our children as soon as parents feel comfortable returning to worship. Please contact Roberta Kearney at [rkearney@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:rkearney@chestnuthillpres.org) for more information on involving your children or to teach our children.

During Advent, Sunday school children will be interacting with a series of Wondering Stories. Families can celebrate Advent at home using the Advent devotional found in the Reverse Advent box, available on November 21 and 28.

### **JOYFUL NOISE**

All children ages 3 through 5th grade are invited to participate! Weekly rehearsals will begin immediately following church school and end at approximately 11:30 a.m. Parents, your children will be brought to you today at the brunch.

### **YOUTH CHOIR**

Youth choir practices following worship/church school. All young people in grades 6 through 12 are welcome. Rehearsals are held in the youth room of the Strouse Building.

### **CHRISTMAS EVE PAGEANT SIGNUP**

All children are invited! If you wish to participate in the Christmas Eve Pageant on December 24 at 4:30 pm, please see the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board outside the church office. The last day to sign up is Sunday, December 5. There will be a mandatory pageant rehearsal on Sunday, December 12 immediately following worship. Questions, please contact either Brian Russo at [brusso@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:brusso@chestnuthillpres.org) or Roberta Kearney at [rkearney@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:rkearney@chestnuthillpres.org).

**JR. HIGH YOUTH FELLOWSHIP (5th–7th Graders)**

Sunday, November 21: 11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m.: Brunch and Advent Workshop

Sunday, November 28: 11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m.: Church School Cleanup Project

**SR. HIGH YOUTH FELLOWSHIP (8th–12th Graders)**

Sunday, November 21: 11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m.: Brunch and Advent Workshop

Sunday, November 21: 5:00–6:00 p.m.: A Very Youth Group Thanksgiving

Sunday, November 28: 11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m.: Church School Cleanup Project

## OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN & CONNECT

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### UPCOMING SECOND HOUR

Please join us for Second Hour, stimulating discussions on faith and life covering a broad range of topics. All are welcome! We begin at 11:30 a.m. following coffee hour.

- November 21: See you at the Stewardship Pancake Brunch
- November 28: Happy Thanksgiving
- December 5: “*Four Hundred Souls*,” Part three. We have had meaningful conversations about this important work. You can join us anytime.
- December 12: Caring for God’s Creation, Part two, Ecological Principles. Led by Greg Dickinson
- December 19: Christmas Carol Sing
- December 26: Merry Christmas

### THEOLOGY ON TAP

Tuesday, November 30, 7:30 p.m.

Theology on Tap is returning to Campbell’s Place on Germantown Avenue. All are welcome. Please contact Brian Russo with any questions ([brusso@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:brusso@chestnuthillpres.org)).

### BIBLE STUDY

We will meet weekly in December, Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. in the Reception Room.

Mark you calendars: December 1, 8, 15 and 22. All are welcome to join us!

### **CHURCH-WIDE BOOK STUDY**

The Adult Education Committee is commending “Four Hundred Souls: A Community History of African America, 1619-2019” as a book to read for the upcoming program year. Edited by Ibram X. Kendi and Keisha N. Blain, this work is an anthology, written by eighty authors from different fields—novelists, historians, sociologists, political scientists, activists, lawyers, and ten poets; each takes a five year period for their brief chapter. The chapters are divided into ten, 40-year sections, and each section is capped by a poem. **Next session: December 5, Part Three.** A copy of the book for borrowing is available in the church office.

## **OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE**

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### **USHER TEAM OPPORTUNITIES**

As we return to worship, we are looking to refresh several of our usher teams. Ushering is a great way to serve, to get to know people and to provide hospitality. Typically, ushers are members of a team that serves once a month, and substitute options are available. If you'd like to serve, or to learn more, contact Michael Baughman at [michael.baughman@troutman.com](mailto:michael.baughman@troutman.com).

### **FOOD DONATIONS RECEIVED EVERY SUNDAY AND ALL WEEK**

As food insecurity grows, PCCH will continue to receive shelf stable food donations to support several mission partners. You may bring items to the church every Sunday and during the week. **NO GLASS CONTAINERS PLEASE.** Thank you for your support.

### **WORK DAY AT WEST KENSINGTON MINISTRY**

Our mission partner West Kensington Ministry (WKM) is holding a clean-up/clean-out day on Saturday, December 4, beginning at 9:00 a.m. The task is to fill a dumpster to help WKM make more of its space usable for mission. Work will be completed by 1:00 p.m. All are welcome! For further information, please contact John Wilkinson at [jwilkinson@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:jwilkinson@chestnuthillpres.org).



### **SUPPORTING FACE TO FACE**

Thanks to those who contributed food or shared their time to prepare casseroles for Face to Face. We had a terrific first experience.



Our next Casserole Day will be Sunday, December 5.  
Here is the link to the Sign Up Genius for our December date: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E044AAFAB22ABF58-casseroles>  
There will also be a sign up sheet on the bulletin board outside the office.

### **PRESCHOOL SEEKING SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS**

Our preschool is currently in need of substitute teachers. The hours are 8:30 a.m.–12:00 noon. The children range in age from 2–5 years old. Substitute teachers are required to have certain clearances which the preschool’s administrative assistant would help you to obtain. If you, or someone you know, might be interested, please contact Megan McGowan with any questions at [mmcgowan@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:mmcgowan@chestnuthillpres.org).

**SOULS  
SHOT**  
**PORTRAIT  
PROJECT**  
*Portraits of Victims  
of Gun Violence*



*Family of Hassan* Portrait of Hassan Wood  
by Warren Keyser



Portrait of Troy Smith, Jr. by Laura Frazure



*Gathered Around Tashaugh* Portrait of Tashaugh  
Robinson by Marianne Buschini

The Presbyterian Church  
of Chestnut Hill  
hosts the  
2021-2022 portraits  
from the  
**Souls Shot  
Portrait Project**  
November 5th through  
December 14th, 2021

*Free and open  
to the public*

The Souls Shot Portrait Project  
pairs fine artists with families and  
friends of victims of gun violence.  
The artists create portraits using  
diverse approaches and emphasize  
the individuality and uniqueness of  
the victims portrayed.  
The exhibition is a truly moving  
tribute. Please join us for this  
powerful experience.

**Widener Hall Gallery Hours:**  
Mondays through Fridays 9 – 5 Sundays noon  
– 2, or by appointment. 215 247 8855  
Visitors are asked to wear masks in the building.  
*Please call ahead as there may be groups  
using the gallery space from time to time.*



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## CENTER ON THE HILL

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The Center on the Hill is open for in-person activities this fall! When in person at the Center we are following all recommended guidelines and precautions, including masks, proof of vaccination and strict sanitation practices. New online content, such as virtual tours, fitness videos, art lessons, recorded presentations and more, is still being posted Monday–Thursday at 12:00 noon on our Programs page. Registration required for all activities and classes at the Center. Call 215-247-4654 or email [msaavedra@chestnuthillpres.org](mailto:msaavedra@chestnuthillpres.org) to register. [www.chestnuthillpres.org/center-on-the-hill/programs](http://www.chestnuthillpres.org/center-on-the-hill/programs)

### **ART SHOW- Anthe, *Mixed Media***

Anthe Capitan-Valais formerly of Winston Road in Chestnut Hill, resides in Flourtown, but is relocating to Florida this winter. She has enjoyed a dual career of artist and teacher since the 1980's and has worked as a full time artist to keep up with the demands of private and public commissions. In her youth Anthe attended the Cleveland Institute of Art. Later in 1995 she graduated from Pennsylvania Academy of the Arts as an award winning artist in painting, mixed media, and printmaking with works exhibited and sold worldwide. Her final show here in Philadelphia will be up in our Center's hallway until November 24. Don't miss it!

### **SKETCHING AND WATERCOLOR CLASS**

Mondays, join at any time, 9:30–11:30 a.m., \$32 per month

Enjoy sketching and watercolor painting in a relaxed class. A variety of mediums will be demonstrated and still life's and photographs will be used. This drawing and watercolor painting class is for people of all abilities. *Instructor Alex Forbes has been teaching classes in the Chestnut Hill area for the past twenty-six years.*

### **QIGONG (HEALING MOVEMENTS)**

Mondays, 2:00–3:00 p.m. (start anytime); Thursdays, 9:00–10:00 a.m. (ongoing, start anytime); \$40 per four classes; \$12 walk-ins per class

Come and experience the gentle, healing movements of the ancient Chinese art of Qigong (chee - gung). It is the practice of moving Chi, life energy, through the body for good health and well-being. These easy movements can be done in a standing or seated position. Enjoy the peaceful, calming feelings brought about by this wonderful art. Michael McCormack has taught the healing arts for over twenty years.

### **INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCING**

Fridays (start anytime), 12:30–2:30 p.m., \$60 for ten sessions, \$7 per session at the door. Your first visit is free.

Start your weekend right! Enjoy learning folk dances from the Balkans, Greece, France, the British Isles, and beyond. No partner is needed, as most dances are done in lines and circles. There is always a mix of teaching and “just dancing” and it’s a great place for beginners to pick up the basics in a super friendly group.

### **COMMUNITY HOLIDAY PARTY**

Thursday December, 9, 12:30–2:30p.m., \$10 Per Person in Advance, \$12 at the door.

Registration and payment is required by Monday, December 6, or you will be charged the at the door rate. Space is limited.

Join us for this wonderful holiday party with music, friends, festive decorations, light bites and dessert buffet! Featuring a **Live Holiday Cabaret** performance by Rachel DeMasi at 1:00 p.m.

\*This party is subject to all current Covid guidelines, including proof of vaccination, gathering limits, and social distancing.

## HAPPENING HERE THIS WEEK

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### SUNDAY, November 21

Worship	sanctuary, 10:00 a.m.
Church School	Strouse building, 10:20 a.m.
Joyful Noise Rehearsal	chapel, 11:00 a.m.
Youth Choir Rehearsal	youth room, Strouse, 11:00 a.m.
Advent Wreath Workshop	Widener, 11:15 a.m.
Stewardship Pancake Brunch	Widener, 11:30 a.m.
Crossing Dress Rehearsal	sanctuary, 12:00 p.m.
Crossing PreConcert Discussion	chapel, 4:00 p.m.
Crossing Concert	sanctuary, 5:00 p.m.
Sr. High Fellowship	youth room, Strouse, 5:00 p.m.

### MONDAY, November 22

Sketching and Watercolor	room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Italian Conversation	Harris, 11:00 a.m.
Bridge Group	room 5, 12:00 p.m.
Watercolor and Drawing Level 2	room 1&2, 1:30 p.m.
Qigong	Widener, 2:00 p.m.
GirlChoir Rehearsal	room 3&4, 3:30 p.m.
GirlChoir Rehearsal	choir room, sanctuary, 5:30 p.m.
GirlChoir Rehearsal	chapel, 6:00 p.m.
Philomusica Rehearsal	Widener, 6:30 p.m.
Personnel Committee	Zoom, 7:30 p.m.

### TUESDAY, November 23

Mindfulness Practice	Widener, 9:30 a.m.
Sketching and Watercolor	room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Intro to Word Press	Harris, 10:00 a.m.
Manna Pie Pick-up	porte cochere, 12:00 p.m.
Mah Jongg Open Play	room 5, 12:30 p.m.
Staff Meeting	reception room 1:00 p.m.
Strong Bones	room 3&4, 1:00 p.m.
Watercolor and Drawing	room 1&2, 1:30 p.m.
Staying Stronger Longer	room 3&4, 2:30 p.m.
CY Rehearsal	choir room, 6:00 p.m.
GirlChoir Rehearsal	sanctuary, 6:30 p.m.
Social Witness Committee	Zoom, 7:00 p.m.

Well Spouse Support Group  
Royal Scottish Dancers

Zoom, 7:00 p.m.  
chapel, 7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY, November 24**

Rotary  
Bridge Open Play  
Mah Jongg Beginners Group  
Golden Yoga  
GirlChoir Rehearsal  
GirlChoir Rehearsal

Widener, 7:30 a.m.  
room 1&2, 11:30 a.m.  
room 5, 1:30 p.m.  
Widener, 3:00 p.m.  
room 3&4/Widener, 6:00 p.m.  
chapel/sanctuary/choir room, 6:00 p.m.

**THURSDAY, November 25**  
**Church Office and Center Closed**

**THANKSGIVING DAY**

**FRIDAY, November 26**  
**Church Office and Center Closed**

**THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY**

**SATURDAY, November 27**  
GirlChoir Rehearsal

all rooms, 8:00 a.m.

**SUNDAY, November 28**  
Worship  
Church School  
Jr. & Sr. High Fellowship  
Coffee Hour

sanctuary, 10:00 a.m.  
Strouse building, 10:20 a.m.  
church school clean-up, 11:15 a.m.  
Widener 11:15 a.m.

## ABOUT PCCH

THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHESTNUT HILL is a lively congregation that has been serving Philadelphia and beyond since 1852. We have been located on this site since 1950. We are a congregation of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) and the Presbytery of Philadelphia.

Our traditional worship service connects with contemporary approaches to questions of faith and life. We support a wide range of mission partners throughout the city and are home to a number of music groups.

Our membership is drawn from the city and surrounding communities. We aspire to be an inclusive community of faith in our work and worship together.

### SESSION

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Martha Agate	Jack Evans	Jeffrey Podraza
Linda Amsterdam	Robert Fles	Alison Rudolf
Rebecca Bernstein	Lisa Guyer	Taylor Slaughter
Jill Bown	Kate Houstoun	James Spause
Ryan Cavanaugh	James Lutz	Margaret Spencer
Gregory Dickinson	Katherine Magid	Beth Nell Vaccaro
Matthew Eastman	Ryan Mann	Christen Webber
	Melissa Montgomery	Kevin Welsh

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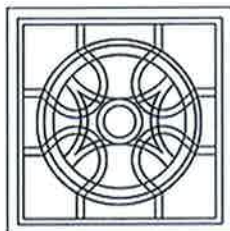
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