

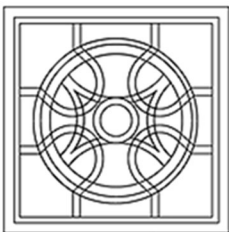
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHESTNUT HILL

An inclusive community of faith

Sunday, June 30, 2024

10 a.m.

SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



8855 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

WELCOME!

Welcome to the Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill!

Whether you're a first-time guest or a longtime 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 two is available in the Strouse building—ask an usher for assistance. Children who are three are encouraged to attend Godly Play but are welcome to remain in the nursery at parental discretion.

Children's *Praise Packs* to aid with worship participation are available in the narthex. Please return these after worship.



All children in attendance are invited to attend Sunday School, which takes place immediately after the Children's Message. Please use the QR code to fill out a brief safety waiver for your child.

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

Following the 10 a.m. service, all are invited for refreshments and fellowship in Widener Hall.

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

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Sarabande

J. S. Bach
(1685-1750)

INTROIT

James Manley
(b. 1940)

Spirit, spirit of gentleness, blow through the wilderness, calling and free.
Spirit, spirit of restlessness, stir me from placidness, wind, wind on the sea.
You moved on the waters; you called to the deep;
then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep;
and over the eons you called to each thing,
“Awake from your slumbers and rise on your wings.”

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: I wait for the Lord,
People: my soul waits, and in God's word I hope.
Leader: My soul waits for the Lord more than those who
watch for the morning,
People: more than those who watch for the morning.
Leader: In faith, let us turn to our God, whose love is sure.
—from *Psalms* 130

*HYMN 459

Father, We Praise Thee
(soloist will sing verse 1,
all sing verses 2-3)

CHRISTE SANCTORUM

*Please stand as you are able.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(unison)*

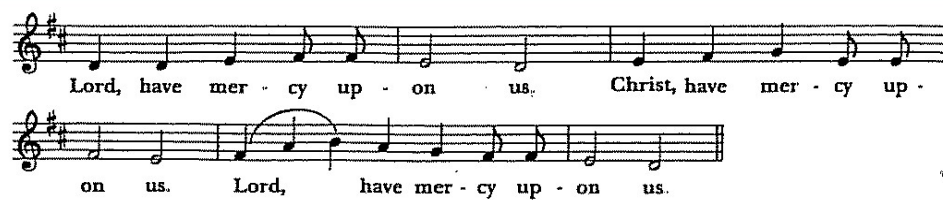
Be mindful of your mercy, O Lord,
and of your steadfast love,
for they have been from of old.
Do not remember the sins of my youth or my transgressions;
according to your steadfast love remember me,
for your goodness' sake, O Lord!
Good and upright is the Lord;
therefore he instructs sinners in the way.
For your name's sake, O Lord,
pardon my guilt, for it is great.
Turn to me and be gracious to me,
for I am lonely and afflicted.
Relieve the troubles of my heart,
and bring me out of my distress.
Consider my affliction and my trouble,
and forgive all my sins.

—Psalm 25:6-8, 11, 16-18

SILENT CONFESSION

KYRIE ELEISON

Healey Willan
(1880-1968)



PROMISE OF THE GOSPEL

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

People: **In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.**

*GLORIA PATRI

WESTMINSTER ABBEY
(Hymn 416)

Laud and honor to the Father,
Laud and honor to the Son,
Laud and honor to the Spirit,
ever three and ever one;
one in might and one in glory,
while unending ages run.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leader: As a forgiven people, let us share Christ's peace with one another.
The peace of Christ be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION *(unison)*

Eternal God,
in the reading of the Scripture, may your Word be heard;
in the meditations of our hearts, may your Word be known;
and in the faithfulness of our lives, may your Word be shown.
Amen.

FIRST LESSON

2 Samuel 1:17-27

David intoned this lamentation over Saul and his son Jonathan. (He ordered that The Song of the Bow be taught to the people of Judah; it is written in the Book of Jashar.) He said: Your glory, O Israel, lies slain upon your high places! How the mighty have fallen! Tell it not in Gath, proclaim it not in the streets of Ashkelon; or the daughters of the Philistines will rejoice, the daughters of the uncircumcised will exult. You mountains of Gilboa, let there be no dew or rain upon you, nor bounteous fields! For there the shield of the mighty was defiled, the shield of Saul, anointed with oil no more. From the blood of the slain, from the fat of the mighty, the bow of Jonathan did not turn back, nor the sword of Saul return empty. Saul and Jonathan, beloved and lovely! In life and in death they were not divided; they were swifter than eagles, they were stronger than lions. O daughters of Israel, weep over Saul, who clothed you with crimson, in luxury, who put ornaments of gold on your apparel. How the mighty have fallen in the midst of the battle! Jonathan lies slain upon your high places. I am distressed for you, my brother Jonathan; greatly beloved were you to me; your love to me was wonderful, passing the love of women. How the mighty have fallen, and the weapons of war perished!

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.

People: Thanks be to God.

PSALTER

Psalm 130

PLAINSONG

Out of the depths have I called to you, O Lord; Lord, hear my voice;
let your ears consider well the voice of my supplication.

If you, Lord, were to note what is done amiss,
O Lord, who could stand?

For there is forgiveness with you;
therefore you shall be feared.

I wait for the Lord; my soul waits for him;
in his word is my hope.

My soul waits for the Lord, more than watchmen for the morning,
more than watchmen for the morning.

O Israel, wait for the Lord,
for with the Lord there is mercy;

With him there is plenteous redemption,
and he shall redeem Israel from all their sins.

CHILDREN'S MOMENT AND DISMISSAL

*Children through finishing fifth grade depart for church school in the Strouse building.
Parents, please pick up your children in the Strouse building after worship.*

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.

SECOND LESSON

Mark 5:22-43

When Jesus had crossed again in the boat to the other side, a great crowd gathered around him; and he was by the sea. Then one of the leaders of the synagogue named Jairus came and, when he saw him, fell at his feet and begged him repeatedly, "My little daughter is at the point of death. Come and lay your hands on her, so that she may be made well, and live."

So he went with him. And a large crowd followed him and pressed in on him. Now there was a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years. She had endured much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had; and she was no better, but rather grew worse. She had heard about Jesus, and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, for she said, "If I but touch his clothes, I will be made well." Immediately her hemorrhage stopped; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. Immediately aware that power had gone forth from him, Jesus turned about in the crowd and said, "Who touched my clothes?" And his disciples said to him, "You see the crowd pressing in on you; how can you say, 'Who touched me?'" He looked all around to see who had done it. But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling, fell down before him, and told him the whole truth. He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease."

While he was still speaking, some people came from the leader's house to say, "Your daughter is dead. Why trouble the teacher any further?" But overhearing what they said, Jesus said to the leader of the synagogue, "Do not fear, only believe." He allowed no one to follow him except Peter, James, and John, the brother of James. When they came to the house of the leader of the synagogue, he saw a commotion, people weeping and wailing loudly. When he had entered, he said to them, "Why do you

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

Dr. Sullivan

ST. MARGARET

Elders	Deacons
Class of 2027	Class of 2027
Dominick Rebeck	Sharyn Walker
Jill Bown	Kelly Baughman
Jack Evans	Jane McGill
James Spause	Stephen Bishop (to be ordained)
Margaret H. Spencer	
Jeannette Quirus (to be ordained)	

*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.

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE AND LORD'S PRAYER

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

arr. Mark Hayes
(b. 1953)

I want Jesus to walk with me.
I want Jesus to walk with me.
All along my pilgrim journey,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

In my trials, Lord, walk with me.
In my trials, Lord, walk with me.
When my heart is almost breaking,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

When I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me.
When I'm in trouble, Lord, walk with me.
When my head is bowed in sorrow,
Lord, I want Jesus to walk with me.

***DOXOLOGY**

LASST UNS ERFREUEN

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

***PRAYER OF THANKGIVING**

Leader: The Lord be with you.
People: **And also with you.**
Leader: Let us pray.
All: **Ever-giving God,**
source of all goodness and love,
we thank you for these offerings.
Bless them and use them for your vision
of a world filled with
justice, love, and peace for all.
Amen.

***HYMN 561**

My Country 'Tis of Thee

AMERICA

BENEDICTION

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Trumpet Voluntary

Jeremiah Clarke
(1674-1707)

LEADING WORSHIP TODAY

The Rev. Dr. Russell C. Sullivan, Jr.

MUSIC

Katy Avery soprano soloist

Jeffrey DeVault organist

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Ryan Mann

GREETERS

Shannon Cavanaugh and William Murphy Elders

Linda Pettengill and Kristin Lawton Deacons

USHERS

Kevin Raphael Team #1 Leader

Carolyn Manwaring, Emily McCahery, Ray McCahery, Sarah Wright

FLOWER GUILD

Jill Bown and Linda Pettengill

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Dorothy E. Toffey given by her granddaughter Laurel Neff.

COVER ART curated by Rebecca Thornburgh

John Singer Sargent, *David Mourning Saul and Jonathan*, ca. 1895-1900, charcoal on blue laid paper, a study also known as *Two Men in Biblical Dress*, Fogg Art Museum, Harvard University. An American expatriate artist, Sargent (1856-1925) was considered the “leading portrait painter of his generation” for his evocations of Edwardian-era luxury. He created roughly 900 oil paintings and more than 2,000 watercolors, as well as countless sketches and charcoal drawings. Born in Florence to American parents, he was trained in Paris before moving to London, traveling widely but living most of his life in Europe. Sargent’s work is characterized by remarkable technical facility, particularly in his superlative ability to draw with a brush, which was later criticized for its supposed superficiality. His commissioned works were consistent with the grand manner of portraiture, while his informal studies and landscape paintings displayed a familiarity with Impressionism. In later life, Sargent expressed ambivalence about the restrictions of formal portrait work and devoted much of his energy to mural painting and working *en plein air*.

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GOOD TO KNOW

If you are interested in exploring membership at PCCH, please contact Russell Sullivan at the church office or at rsullivan@chestnuthillpres.org.

Sunday worship is live-streamed at 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 Russell Sullivan at the church office or at rsullivan@chestnuthillpres.org.

Please see the back cover for information about our church staff and how to contact and connect with us. You also can access today's Bulletin online.



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.

Visit our Matthew 25 page: chestnuthillpres.org/matthew-25 for more information about Matthew 25 news and events.

Sunday mornings before worship—a gentle reminder

The soloist rehearses in the sanctuary on Sunday mornings from 9 to 9:45 a.m.

All are welcome to enter the sanctuary during this time, but please remember to keep conversations low so that the soloist is able to focus on their rehearsal.

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

HAPPENING AT PCCH

SUMMER FELLOWSHIP

Please join us on the front lawn immediately following worship for sweet treats, lemonade, and coffee. Everyone is welcome.

GERMANTOWN AVENUE CRISIS MINISTRY FOOD DONATIONS

First Sunday of the month food collection is next Sunday, July 7

GACM provides food, fuel, clothing, housing and other emergency assistance to those who live in the Northwest section of Philadelphia. We collect food and cash donations for the GACM Food Cupboard on the first Sunday of every month. Please help with your donations of canned tuna and chicken, rice, pasta, peanut butter, canned vegetables and beans, hearty soups and stews, and breakfast cereals. Regular sized products, not family size, and packaged in non-glass containers are appreciated.

URBAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

URDC's volunteer week with the Interfaith Community Building Group (ICBG) begins the first week of July, starting Monday, July 1 through Thursday, July 4. ICBG is an interdenominational collaboration of contractors between URDC member congregations St. Vincent's Roman Catholic Church and Mishkan Shalom synagogue.

Similar to last year, 10-15 members of ICBG (and other volunteers) will be repairing the homes of up to seven low-income, senior homeowners. Each day will begin at 8 a.m. at the parking lot at the back of Second Baptist Church of Germantown, 6459 Germantown Avenue (corner of Germantown Avenue and Upsal Street, 19119). There will be a volunteer dinner on Wednesday, July 3 at First United Methodist Church of Germantown.

Members of PCCH are invited to attend one or more of URDC's volunteer days during the week. Volunteers can work for all or part of a day. Lunch, supplies, gloves, water, and sanitizer will be provided. For questions, or to volunteer, reach out to URDC's executive director, Joe Waldo, at executivedirector.urdc@gmail.com.



Take Me Out To The Ballgame!

PCCH GOES TO THE IRON PIGS!

Saturday, August 24
6:35pm

The Lehigh Valley Iron Pigs
host the
Rochester Red Wings
(the Washington Nationals top affiliate)

tickets \$12

(includes a \$2 concession credit)

group size limited to 20
carpooling from church available

contact Clarke Woodruff
scw207@hotmail.com



JOIN US
for this fun & family-friendly
all-church event!

CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL

Date **Combined Sunday School for PreK through Grade 5**
6/30 Anna Storm and Tennyson Tippy

This summer during Sunday School our children will *Set Sail* on a journey to learn how God wants us to love others, serve others, and spend time enjoying the love and peace that God created in the world. Classes will combine in the air-conditioned chapel for this fun summer curriculum.

The first Sunday of the month communion is served in worship and the children will return after Sunday School to sit with their families so that they can participate.

Joyful Noise and Youth Choir rehearsals have paused for the summer months.



Summer's coming soon!

PCCM Vacation Bible School

we're *BZZZZY* making plans

Monday-Friday
August 12-16
mornings 9 to noon
ages 3* to grade 5
\$150**

Camp Firelight
Psalm 56:3
A SUMMER CAMP
ADVENTURE WITH GOD

scan for more info or to register NOW!

*must be potty-trained
**limited scholarships available

The advertisement features a cartoon bee character holding a flashlight, a cabin, and a campfire. A QR code is located in the bottom left corner.

Help shape young hearts & minds!



TEACH* at PCCW!

*so many ways you can make a difference!

—be a teacher, a shepherd, a children's message team member,
serve on the Christian Ed committee & more!

EASY · REWARDING · FUN

learn more now!



CENTER ON THE HILL

The Center on the Hill is open Monday-Fridays, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. with all our practices and protocols in place (sanitation, social distancing, and UV air filters). New online content, such as virtual tours, fitness videos, art lessons, recorded presentations and more, is posted Monday–Thursday at 12 p.m. on our programs page: chestnuthillpres.org/center-on-the-hill/programs

Registration is required for all activities and classes at the Center, as space is limited for social distancing. Call 215-247-4654 or email msaavedra@chestnuthillpres.org.

The Center will be closed on Thursday July 4 and Friday, July 5 for the Fourth of July holiday break. We will re-open on Monday July 8.

BRIDGE—Open Play (*registration required*)

Wednesdays (ongoing), 11:30 a.m.–3 p.m., \$2

This is an opportunity to simply enjoy others' company and play the game of Party Bridge. Not for beginners. Participants should be familiar enough with the game to play without formal instruction.

YOGA WITH ATTITUDE (*registration required*)

Fridays, ongoing, 9:30–11 a.m.

\$45 per calendar month; first class \$10, walk-ins; \$15 for a single class

This is basic yoga with breath warm-ups, asana, and meditation. Students of all ages and levels of experience are welcome. The class provides a method which allows us to adopt an “attitude” when confronted and to respond to the adventures in our lives. Participants practice alternative viewpoints, “while standing in truth and light.”

Grace Perkins has been teaching yoga in and around Philadelphia for over 30 years. She has developed a unique program to enhance the basic integral yoga approach.

RUMMY TILES (aka Rummikub)—Open Play (*registration required*)

Wednesdays, ongoing, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., \$2

Join us for this fast-paced, fun and easy game combining elements of the card game rummy and mah jongg. Open play space is limited so please RSVP for each week you plan to come and play. Game sets provided.

INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCING *(registration required)*

Fridays, ongoing start anytime, 12–2 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. For more details about our Friday folk dance session, contact Anne Ehrhart at anne.ehrhart@gmail.com.

AFTERNOON MOVIES *(registration required)*

Thursday, July 11, 1:30 p.m., \$2

Join us for an enjoyable afternoon at the movies. Popcorn and water are provided. Feel free to bring other snacks to enjoy. Showing “*BARBIE*”

Barbie and Ken are having the time of their lives in the colorful and seemingly perfect world of Barbie Land. However, when they get a chance to go to the real world, they soon discover the joys and perils of living among humans. Starring Margot Robbie, Ryan Gosling, and America Ferrera.

HAPPENING HERE THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, June 30

Worship

Summer Church school

Fellowship

sanctuary, 10 a.m.

Strouse, 10:20 a.m.

front lawn/Widener Hall, 11 a.m.

MONDAY, July 1

Sketching and watercolor class

Tai Chi practice group

Italian conversation class

Table games open play

Qigong class

PNC meeting

room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.

room 3&4, 10 a.m.

Harris, 11 a.m.

room 5, 12 p.m.

Harris, 2 p.m.

zoom, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY, July 2

Mindfulness practice
Sketching and watercolor class
Create Your Website class
Mah Jongg open play class
Strong Bones exercise class
Boy Scouts district meeting

room, 4 9:30 a.m.
room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Harris, 10 a.m.
room 5, 12:30 p.m.
Widener Hall, 1 pm.
room 1&2, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, July 3

Rummy Tiles open play game
Bridge game open play
Mah Jongg open play
Golden Yoga class
Weight Watchers meeting

room 5, 10:30 a.m.
room 1&2, 11:30 a.m.
room 5, 1:30 p.m.
Widener Hall, 3 p.m.
Harris, 5:15 p.m.

THURSDAY, July 4

Center and Office closed for the holiday

FRIDAY, July 5

Center and Office closed for the holiday

SATURDAY, July 6

Building cleaned

all rooms, 2 p.m

SUNDAY, July 7

Worship
Summer Church School
Fellowship

Lord's Supper
Sanctuary, 10 a.m.
Strouse, 10:20 a.m.
Front Lawn/Widener, 11 a.m.

The Rev. Dr. Russell C. Sullivan, Jr. Transitional Pastor
The Rev. Cynthia A. Jarvis Pastor Emerita
Daniel Spratlan Director of Music
Jeffrey DeVault Organist/Associate Director of Music
Julie Snyder Director, Children's Education, Joyful Noise, and Youth Choir
Katherine McGill Magid Director of Youth Ministry
Rachel Cline Church Administrator
Megan Cullen Director, Preschool
Mariangela Saavedra Director, Center on the Hill
Leslie A. Lefer Communications Coordinator
Evelyn F. Carpenter Administrative Assistant
Felix Delgado Sexton
Donna Marciel Sunday Sexton
Debbie Lambeth Sunday Child Care Giver

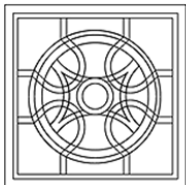
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