

Opportunities This Week: June 25 - July 2, 2017

Sunday

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:30 a.m. Worship Service—Sanctuary
- 11:45 p.m. Congregational Meeting—Sanctuary
- 12:00 p.m. New Member Luncheon—Kerr Building
- 6:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir Practice—Adult Choir Rm.

Monday

- 8:00 a.m. AA Group Meeting (New Comers)—Old Scout Hut

Tuesday

- 7:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry Mtg.—Fred Brown Classroom
- 8:00 p.m. AA Meeting (closed step)—Old Scout Hut

Wednesday

- 7:00 p.m. Men's Small Group Meeting—Fred Brown Cassroom
- 7:30 p.m. Youth Director Search Comm. Mtg.—Heritage Room
- 8:00 p.m. AA Meeting (open)—Old Scout Hut

Thursday

- 6:00 p.m. Small Group Meeting—Heritage Room
- 7:00 p.m. Youth Basketball—Kerr Building
- 7:00 p.m. AA Meeting (Women's closed step)—Old Scout Hut

Friday

- 8:00 p.m. AA Meeting (open)—Bigham Hall

Saturday

No Meetings

Sunday, July 2

- 9:30 a.m. Sunday School
- 10:30 a.m. Worship Service—Baptism—Sanctuary

Attendance 5/18/17

- 9:30 a.m. Church School—132
- 10:30 a.m. Worship—247

Celebrate the Season of Summer and Give to PPC Online!

Summer is a time for relaxing and celebrating family, friends, and fun. But while vacations are a blessing for both body and soul, church attendance – and the budget's bottom line – traditionally suffers. Now, with online giving, you can continue to support the work of the church no matter where your summer travels may lead. Whether you are fishing on the lake, jumping in the waves, or exploring exotic locales, you can log on to ACS or www.philadelphiachurch.org and click on the "GIVE" tab. Using your debit or credit card and smart phone or tablet you can keep current with your giving wherever summer may lead. Thank you for your continued financial support as we continue to work together to support Christ's church - no matter the season!

Assisting in the Worship Service Today

- Head Usher 10:30 a.m. Richard Newton/Bill Crowder
- Acolyte 10:30 a.m. Cassie Fauser
- Sound Booth 10:30 a.m. Tim Rosmon
- Lock-up Officer Andrew Starnes
- Nursery Contact 10:30 a.m. Jane Long & Jill Linscheid

Prayer Concerns

- [Kelly Glanzer] daughter of Pete & Dottie Kastner
Ronnie & Melissa Cochrane
[Tyla Dolezel] friend of Brooke Allen
- [Christy Nelson] daughter of Brenda McManus
[Gavin Davis] cousin of the Grffins
[Mike Johnson] father of David Johnson
- [Walker Family] friends of Robert & Jennifer Fauser
Steve Horton
- [Jodie Powers] daughter of Ney Freeman
Mary Hyatt
- [Tim Hamilton] uncle of Becky Szymanski
- [Beth Welch] sister-in-law of Pamela Rosmon
- [Barry Ferguson] husband of Sandra Ferguson

Extended Care

- Regency Rachel Nance
- Lake Park Rehab. Colene Houck
- Lawyers Glen Cora Lee Lonon &
[Louise Wilson] mother of Jane Long
- Carrington Place Henry Griffin & [Harvey Phillips]
- Willow Grove Bonnie Barnes
- Brookdale-Providence Helen Kiser
- Carillon Doris Jordan
- Brookdale Charlotte E. Ney Freeman, Virginia Boyd
& Martha Benehaley
- Aldersgate Margaret Allen
- Unlimited Possibilities Roy Perry
- Little Flower [Joyce Jennings] mother of
Mardy Watson
- Woodridge Judy Myers & Porter Behrendt
- Royal Park Grace Jones
- Elliotte Manor Helen Swiger
- Monroe Rehab Wayne & Barbara Wolfe
- Autumn Care Lucille Furr
- In Salisbury

Christian Sympathy is expressed to Lisa Newton on the death of her mother, Ann Dobbins on June 20th.

PASTORAL CARE EMERGENCIES contact:

- Rev. Rusty Benton, Pastor (1-864-399-2288)
- Katie Sloan, Associate Minister (704-236-1369)
- Stephen Minister: Grace Phillips (704) 545-5853

AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR (AED) is located in box 96 in the main hallway beside the church office.

PHILADELPHIA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
3RD SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

June 25, 2017
10:30 a.m.

- Prelude "Prelude on an Old Irish Tune" Blake
- Welcome and Announcements Min. Katie Sloan
- Presentation of New Members Lynn & Jacob Taylor
- Call to Worship "Come Into His Presence"
- +Hymn #139 "Come, Thou Almighty King" ITALIAN HYMN
- Presentation of the Bain Cane
- Call to Confession
- Silent Prayers of Confession
- Prayers of the Day and the 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.**
- Assurance of Pardon
Choral Response
- Children's Sermon
[Following the Message, children (age 3-K) may leave to join Children's Church.]
- Anthem "There's Something About That Name" Gaither
Debbe King, soprano solo; Randy Page, tenor solo
- Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! There's just something about that name!
Oh, Master, Savior, Jesus! Like the fragrance after the rain;
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus! Let all heaven and earth proclaim;
Kings and kingdoms will all pass away, but there's something about that name!
Precious name, O how sweet! Hope of earth, and joy of heaven:
It is Jesus, precious name of Jesus! There's just something about that name.
- Scripture Reading Genesis 1:27-28, John 14:12-17
This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.
- Sermon "Dominion" Min. Rusty Benton
- +Hymn #321 "Holy Spirit, Truth Divine" SONG 13

+Affirmation of Faith (unison)

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.

+Hymn 579

"Gloria Patri"

Call to Offering

Presentation of Offerings

Offertory

"Flute Song"

Ackenhusen

Doxology #592

Dedication Prayer

+Hymn #434 *"Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples"*

KINGSFOLD

Congregational Meeting

+Benediction

Choral Response

Moment of Silence

Postlude

"Give Thanks Unto God"

Ashford

+Those who are able please stand.

WELCOME visitors and friends. We are happy you have joined us for worship. Please sign the Attendance Register so we may greet you.

WELCOME OUR NEW MEMBERS, Lynn and Jacob Taylor, 4324 Hillside Dr., Mint Hill, NC 28227, 704-545-3509. Lynn joined by Reaffirmation of Faith. Jacob joined by Profession of Faith.

THE FLOWERS in the sanctuary have been given in memory of Annie Dobbins from her family.

A FLOWER CALENDAR has been posted on the bulletin board outside the church office. Anyone wishing to put flowers in the sanctuary on Sunday may sign up on the calendar. Remember you are responsible for ordering flowers. You will need to call (704-545-6172) or email cynthia@philadelphiachurch.org in the church office to let her know what you would like put in the church bulletin about the flowers.

PPC IMPACT YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

No Meetings

WHERE FAITH AND FINANCE MEET

"Seek always to do some good, somewhere. You must give some time to your fellow man. Even if it's a little thing, do something for those who need help, something for which you get no pay but the privilege of doing it. For remember, you don't live in a world all your own. Your brothers are here too."- **Albert Schweitzer**

MEN'S SMALL GROUP —join us for Bible study "Dare to be Uncommon" by Tony Dungy. We meet Wednesday evenings at 7 p.m. in the Session Room. For more information and to sign up contact Jamie Blanchard (ratcrew1@gmail.com) or 704-649-4955. If you are in need of childcare during your Wednesday night studies please RSVP with Melissa Tamez by Tuesday afternoon with a text or email (melissatamez85@gmail.com 704-258-5966). We want to be sure we are well staffed and have all things we need on hand to make it fun for your kids!! Thanks in advance.

A BOOK DRIVE for Habitat for Humanity will be held throughout the month of July. To drop off books, look for the blue Habitat bin in the hallway near the church office. Sales of all fiction, non-fiction and children's books will benefit the Habitat ReStore, 1133 North Wendover Road, Charlotte. Books will be sold at Julia's Café and Books adjacent to the ReStore.

SUMMER MISSION OPPORTUNITY – WE NEED YOU!

Homeless shelters in Charlotte are over capacity and have had to turn away women and children. The Center for Hope has reached out to the faith community for help in providing overnight shelter to homeless women. PPC will host 10-12 women in the Kerr Building from Sunday, July 9 to the morning of Friday, July 14. We will provide transportation back and forth to The Center for Hope, a simple supper and breakfast and a safe place to sleep for the night. **WE NEED YOUR HELP!** Please sign up as a driver, overnight host, or dinner host on the sign up sheet outside the office or contact Cathy Snelson cellensnelson@gmail.com or 704-607-7487.

MOVIE IN THE CORTYARD bring your family and a blanket or chair Wednesday, July 19th at 8:30 p.m. when we feature "UP"!! This is a free event and snacks will be served!!

SAVE THE DATE for Vacation Bible School August 6-10. Our theme is ROME:Paul and the Underground Church. For all ages!!! Registration forms are on the church website! Invite your family and friends to the week of fun and fellowship! Dinner served at 6 each night.

PLEASE REMEMBER the upper parking lot is designated for handicapped parking only, on Sunday mornings.

BRIGHT BLESSINGS SUMMER OF CARING UPDATE: This week we swing into the 3rd inning of our Summer of Caring. Through the success of this effort we will be able to deliver the Gift of Care to more than 4,000 homeless and impoverished children living in our community. Good hygiene and health are, more often than not, neglected to the point of illness. The Gift of Care delivers hygiene necessities, comfort items such as pillows and blankets, as well as healthy snacks. We hope you will take a moment to visit our website and learn more about the Summer of Caring and how you can help make this effort a success for the children we serve. www.brightblessingsusa.org.

Ways You Can Support:

- One-Time Donation of \$10
- Recurring Monthly Donation
- In-Kind Supply Donation (Needs are Listed on the Website)
- Help Us Spread the Word by Sharing!
- Kick-Off Your Own Mini Campaign With Your Group Using Our Online Tools

PhilaFEST is coming to PPC!

Simply put, our congregation is wonderful and we are thrilled to serve as your deacons. We are celebrating our church community with a fun filled fall festival on October 21st. A group from PPC will be headed to Germany this summer to explore all about the Protestant Reformation so we thought what better theme than Philadelphia's version of Oktoberfest! Join us for an afternoon of games and activities for ALL ages and an evening of live music and a German Feast! We would love for you to be a part of our congregation celebration! More details will be coming in the next few weeks. If you would like to help be a part of this event, please let us know! We would love volunteers, ideas, donations, etc. Danke!

THE 11TH ANNUAL DALE JONES GOLF TOURNAMENT will be held on October 16, 2017 at Pine Lake Country Club. For information about playing, sponsoring, or volunteering, contact Ed Simmons at jes0903@aol.com or at 704-545-8620. Help yourself to one of the brochures that are be available around the church. Registration will be at 10:30 a.m., and the shotgun start will be at noon. Proceeds will be used to support PPC youth mission trips, Bright Blessings, Charlotte Rescue Mission, and Habitat for Humanity Matthews, NC.

THE INVITATION TO MEMBERSHIP: Philadelphia Church welcomes persons who wish to join us in witness and service to Jesus Christ. If you are interested in church membership or desire more information about this congregation, please indicate on the Attendance Register; or, as you leave, speak to one of the pastors.

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