

YOUR FPC: PHOENIXVILLE

Welcome to...

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The weekly e-newsletter from First Presbyterian Church

THIS WEEK'S PULSE

Wednesday, October 10th

1:00 p.m. Clubhouse Cards (Clubhouse Villas at French Creek)

6:45 p.m. Merry Ringers Quartet Rehearsal (Choir Room)

7:00 p.m. Women's Book Club (Phoenixville Arts Center)

7:00 p.m. Stewardship Meeting (Parlor)

7:30 p.m. Merry Ringers Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Meals for St. Mary's Shelter

Thursday, October 11th

9:00 a.m. People to People (Fellowship Hall)

10:00 a.m. Food Ministry (Kitchen)

7:30 p.m. Compassionate Friends Meeting (Parlor)

Meals for St. Mary's Shelter

Friday, October 12th

No events scheduled.

Meals for St. Mary's Shelter

Saturday, October 13th

9:30 a.m. Zumba Class (Fellowship Hall)

Sunday, October 14th (*Childcare provided)

9:15 a.m. *Sunday School for all ages

*Adult Bible Study (Library)

*Topics In Life Today/T.I.L.T. (Parlor)

9:30 a.m. Coffee/Hospitality Hour (Glass Door Hallway)

10:30 a.m. *WORSHIP

12:00 p.m. Worship & Music Committee Meeting (Parlor)

6:30 p.m. Praise Team Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

Monday, October 15th

6:30 p.m. Zumba Class (Fellowship Hall)

7:00 p.m. Finance Committee Meeting (Parlor)

Tuesday, October 16th

2:30 p.m. Staff Meeting (Main Office)

4:00 p.m. Brass Choir (Sanctuary)

5:30 p.m. Rock the Boat/Jazz Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

6:30 p.m. Zumba Class (Fellowship Hall)

7:15 p.m. Church Growth (Parlor)

7:30 p.m. Merry Ringers Rehearsal (Choir Room)

Wednesday, October 17th

6:00 p.m. Women's Book Club (Parlor)

6:45 p.m. Merry Ringers Quartet Rehearsal (Choir Room)

7:30 p.m. Merry Ringers Rehearsal (Choir Room)

THIS SUNDAY!



**Sunday,
October 14th**



1. **Coffee/Hospitality Hour** will be any time after **9:30 a.m.** this Sunday. Drop in the **Glass Door Cafe** (FPC's main hallway) for coffee, donuts, and conversation!

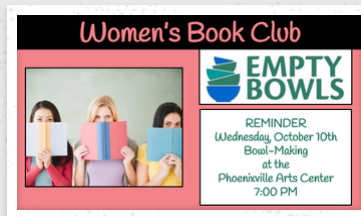
2. **Sunday School for all ages** continues with all sessions starting at **9:15 a.m.** Hope to see you there!

3. **Topics In Life Today (T.I.L.T.)** meets at **9:15 a.m.** in the **Parlor**. The weekly meetings will be facilitated by Bob and Chris Wittrock. Suggested ideas/topics are encouraged.

NOTEABLES



Clubhouse Cards will be held today, Wednesday, **October 10th** from **1:00-3:00 p.m.** at the **Clubhouse Villas** at French Creek, 300 Village Way, Phoenixville. Please call the main office for more information – 610-933-8816.



The **Women's Book Club** will meet at **7:00** tonight at the **Phoenixville Arts Center**, 207 Bridge St, to make ceramic bowls for the PACS Empty Bowl fundraiser in November. Questions? Contact [Robin Fetter](#).



There's still time to donate **dinner**s to **St. Mary's Family Shelter** through this **Friday, October 12th**. All or part of a meal would be helpful. Culinary efforts may be combined with a friend to make a whole meal (main course, vegetables, salad, bread and dessert). Questions? Call the main office at 610-933-8816.



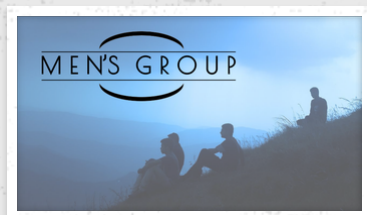
Mark your calendar for the next **FREE Clothing Giveaway**. Come to Fellowship Hall from **10:00 AM-12:00 PM** on Saturday, **October 20th** to shop or help or both. Set-up and take-down help are always welcome. Please contact the main office at 610-933-8816 for details.



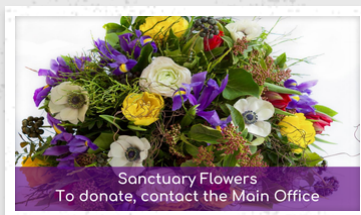
During the worship service on Sunday, **October 21st**, Pam and Ed Bodam, and Jeff McLaughlin will present an overview of their **July mission trip to Guatemala**. They will share stories of their work in schools and a medical clinic, along with a visit to a home and support center for disabled young men. In addition, they'll tell of their participation in worship and other activities at Mt. Hebron Presbyterian Church.



On Sunday, **October 21st**, at **12 noon** in the **Parlor**, the Women's Circle will continue the Horizons Bible study, *God's Promise: I Am with You*. Please feel free to "brown bag" your lunch. Beverages will be provided. Question? Please see Jewell Baker. Curious? Please visit!



Pastor Doug would like to start a **Men's Group** to meet monthly (initially). The target start date is Sunday, **October 21st**. Agendas can vary from a book or bible study, a discussion of current events, or some other fun bonding idea. Please [click here](#) to vote on a time for the 21st - 9:15 AM or 12:15 PM.



Sponsorship of **sanctuary flower arrangements** is available on Sunday, **October 21st**. The cost is **\$25**. If you're interested in honoring/remembering a friend, family member, or acknowledging a world or personal event, please contact the main office - secretaryfpc@comcast.net or 610-688-4830.



Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) is responding to Hurricane Florence and Typhoon Mangkhut. We would like to send one contribution from the church. If you can help, then please fill out the form in Sunday's bulletin to turn in at the main office with your donation. Thank you!



Prepare for Sunday's worship service by [clicking here](#) for the readings -

Genesis 2:18-24
Mark 10:2-16

REMINDER: **Sunday morning announcements** are due to Sue in the main office by **Wednesday** - secretaryfpc@comcast.net or 610-933-8816. Events that will occur within the next week will be read by Dominic on Sunday mornings. Other news will be printed in the bulletin.

If you would like the names of loved ones that have passed away in the last year listed in the bulletin on Sunday, **November 4th, "All Saints' Sunday"**, then please contact the main office at secretaryfpc@comcast.net or 610-933-8816.

SUNDAY'S SNIPPETS





Fountains-Prelude-PraiseTeam-...

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Lord-Make-Us-One-Introit-Choir...

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A-Place-At-The-Table-Anthem-...

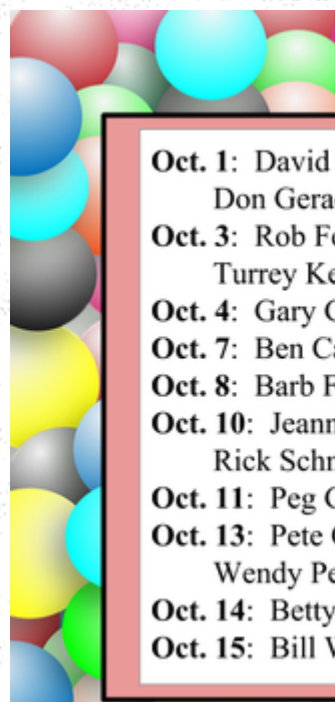
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Happy Birthday



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Oct. 1: David Dzordzorme, Don Gerace, Bill Tyson	Oct. 16: Mike Eitl
Oct. 3: Rob Ferguson, Turrey Kepler	Oct. 18: Alex Dove, Isabel Dove
Oct. 4: Gary Giebler, Jen Guthan	Oct. 19: Tom Allred, Lara Schlitter
Oct. 7: Ben Carbutt	Oct. 21: Kathy Thais
Oct. 8: Barb Filipiak	Oct. 23: Abigail Dzordzorme, Doug Walker
Oct. 10: Jeanne Blackburn, Rick Schnaedter	Oct. 24: Nancy Gray
Oct. 11: Peg Groening	Oct. 25: Kira Chinici, Keith Roussey
Oct. 13: Pete Crawford, Wendy Pennypacker	Oct. 29: Jewell Baker, Dave Mandrusiak
Oct. 14: Betty Miller	Oct. 30: Polly Viel
Oct. 15: Bill Wagner	Oct. 31: Pam Bodam

