## YOUR FPC: PHOENIXVILLE

Welcome to...

# The BEAT

The weekly e-newsletter from First Presbyterian Church

#### THIS WEEK'S PULSE

#### Wednesday, November 7th

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)

#### Thursday, November 8th

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

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

3:00 p.m. Good Samaritan Meeting (Parlor)

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal (Choir Room)

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

#### Friday, November 9th

No events scheduled.

#### Saturday, November 10th

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

2:00 p.m. Potluck Set-Up (Fellowship Hall)

#### Sunday, November 11th (\*Childcare provided)

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

\*Adult Bible Study (Library)

\*Topics In Life Today/T.I.L.T.- Definitions of a Patriot (Parlor)

9:15 a.m. Coffee Hour (Glass Door Hallway)

10:30 a.m. \*WORSHIP - Rev. Doug Hagler preaching

12:00 p.m. Harvest Potluck (Fellowship Hall)

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

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

#### Monday, November 12th

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

#### Tuesday, November 13th

1:00 p.m. Organist Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

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

4:00 p.m. Brass Ensemble Rehearsal (Sanctuary)

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

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

7:00 p.m. Personnel Meeting (Main Office)

7:00 p.m. Parish Life Meeting (Parlor)

#### Wednesday, November 14th

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

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!







Snack.

Pray.

Study.

Chat.

Feast.

Sunday, November 11th



1. Sunday School for all ages continues with all sessions starting at 9:15 a.m.

- 2. **Topics In Life Today** (T.I.L.T.) meets at **9:15 a.m.** in the **Parlor**. This Sunday's topic is "Definitions of a Patriot."
- 3. Join in some fun fellowship during **Coffee Hour** at the **Glass Door Cafe** (FPC's main hallway)! Stop by any time between **9:15 and 10:30 a.m.** for coffee, juice, snacks and great conversation. Contact <u>Martha</u> or <u>Chris</u> if you're able/interested in helping with supplies.
- 4. Stay and enjoy our Harvest Potluck Luncheon this Sunday, **November 11th**, immediately **following the 10:30 service** in **Fellowship Hall**. If you didn't sign up for something, no problem you're welcome to bring your favorite entree, salad, side dish, dessert, or just show up!

#### **NOTEABLES**







Women's Book Club resumes tonight, November 7th, at 6:00 p.m. in the Parlor. Please join us to discuss Chapter 26th, "The Prayer Process," of Rediscovering Jesus. Curious? Drop-in visitors are welcome.

Clubhouse Cards will be held on Wednesday, November 14th 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 2019 Pledge Campaign is underway. Please prayerfully consider your financial commitment to FPC. Your offerings support the good works of our church. Dedication Sunday is November 18th. Pledge cards are available in the narthex and church office. They can be returned by mail or dropped off in the church office.







FPC's Men's Group meets on the 3rd Sunday of the month for lunch after worship. Right now we are looking for a book to read and discuss together, and also planning some one-time events at other times during the week. All men are welcome just come to Pastor Doug's office after worship. On Sunday, November 18th, at 12 noon in the Parlor, the Women's Circle continues the Horizons Bible study, God's Promise: I Am with You. Please feel free to "brown bag" your lunch. Beverages will be provided. Questions? Please see Jewell Baker. Curious? Drop in and visit!

Jim Harrison of Mission Relief
Services will do a minute for
mission talk during the service
on Sunday, November 18th.
Learn how this non-profit
humanitarian aid organization
redistributes medical and
surgical supplies to third world
countries.







On Wednesday, November 21st at 7:30 p.m., St. John's
Lutheran Church (355 St. John's
Circle, Phoenixville) will host a
Thanksgiving Eve Community
Worship Service. Please bring a
non-perishable food item to
donate to the PACS Food Pantry.
Monies collected during the
service will be distributed to
neighbors in need.

Thanksgiving Dinner on
Thursday, November 22nd at
12:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.
All are welcome to attend. Help
with set-up, serving, delivering
meals, and clean-up would be
greatly appreciated. Questions?
Please contact Bob Russell at
610-935-3855 or the main office
at 610-933-8816.

Christmas Dinner Baskets and Star Tree Gifts are two ways to help families who may not have much to share for the holidays. Pick a star off the tree in the narthex or choose a basket to fill with dinner fixings. Thanks in advance to making Christmas merrier for local families!







Prepare for Sunday's worship service by <u>clicking here</u> for the readings -

1 Kings 17:8-16 Mark 12:38-44 The Nominating Committee is in search of new Members At Large to serve 2019-2020.

Please submit nominees to Becky Sinapius or turn in to the main office by Sunday,

December 16th. More details can be found in Sunday's bulletin.

Presbyterian Disaster
Assistance (PDA) is
responding to recent natural
disasters. We would like to
send one contribution from the
church. If you can help, then
checks should be made
payable to First Presbyterian
Church with Disaster Relief in
the memo line. Donations are to
go in one of the special
envelopes and placed in the
offering plate or turned in to the
church office. Thank you!

#### **SUNDAY'S SNIPPETS**





# Blessings to the Josel Family! ~ + ~ Congratulations

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Congratulations
on the
Baptism of
Sadie
Elizabeth
Josel















Let-All-Mortal-Flesh-Prelude-Ja...

drive.google.com



Behold-Behold-Introit-Choir-201...

drive.google.com



Welcome-Table-Anthem-Choir-2...

drive.google.com





#### Free Coat Giveaway Success!





### Happy Birthday



#### Best Wishes to everyone celebrating a birthday in November!

Nov. 1st: Paul Parrish; John Zern

Nov. 4th: Dot McIntyre

Nov. 5th: Carly Baniewicz,

Barb Giebler, Alyson Pehlman

Nov. 7th: Keith Olsson

Nov. 8th: Joanne Jarrell, Savannah Rivera

Nov. 11th: Amy Ridall

Nov. 12th: Susan Beckerman,

Megan Smith

Nov. 14th: Noah Pilotti Nov. 16th: Amy Roussey Nov. 17th: Helen Harrop,

Chick Hiestand

Nov. 18th: Taylor Lazzell

Nov. 20th: Krista Taney

Nov. 21st: Doug Hagler,

Karin Lazzell; Emmy Rabold

Nov. 22nd: Ellen Williams.

Eric Wintsch

Nov. 23rd: Don Jarrell

Nov. 24th: Karen Ridenour

Nov. 29th: Suzanne Gerace,

Doris Langevin

