

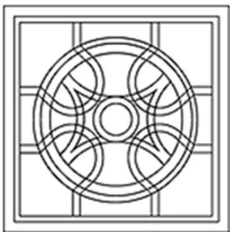
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHESTNUT HILL

An inclusive community of faith

Sunday, January 12, 2025

10 a.m.

BAPTISM OF THE LORD



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 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 15.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Jesu, Meine Freude

J.S. Bach
(1685-1751)

INTROIT

Lord, I have loved the habitation of thy house,
and the place where thine honor dwelleth.

Gerald Near
(b. 1942)

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Holy Triune God, author of community,
come baptize us.

**People: Remind us what it means
to belong to one another**

Leader: God who tears open the heavens,
come baptize us.

**People: Reveal to us your power
that ushers in new realms.**

Leader: God who calls us beloved,
come baptize us.

**People: Declare to us your great delight,
the delight of a parent for treasured children.**

Leader: God of vulnerability,
come baptize us.

**People: Welcome us into the paradox
of strength that comes from weakness.**

Leader: Together, let us remember:

**People: In the Creator's love we are held,
into Christ's body we are baptized,
and by the Spirit's power, we are claimed.**

Leader: All glory to God. Amen.

**Please stand as you are able.*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Merciful God,
in baptism you promise forgiveness and new life,
making us part of the body of Christ.
We confess that we remain preoccupied with ourselves,
separated from one another.
We cling to destructive habits, hold grudges,
and show reluctance to welcome one another.
We allow the past to hold us captive.
In your loving-kindness, have mercy on us,
and free us from sin.
Fulfill the promises of our baptism
so that we may rise to new life,
and live together in grace. Amen.

SILENT CONFESSION

KYRIE ELEISON

Thomas Juneau
(b. 1977)

Congregation



Choir Lord, have mercy.

Congregation



Choir Christ, have mercy.

Choir and Congregation



Choir Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.

All repeat Lord, have mercy. Christ, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

PROMISE OF THE GOSPEL

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.

People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

THANKSGIVING FOR BAPTISM

*GLORIA PATRI

JUNEAU

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the

7 Ho - ly Ghost; As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now, and ev - er

12 shall be, world with - out end. A - men.

*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

Saving God, source of our calling,
your Word is full of power and glory.
Pour out your Holy Spirit upon us,
so that we may receive your grace
and live as your beloved children;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT

Isaiah 43:1-7

But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Savior. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honored, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, "Give them up," and to the south, "Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth—everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made."

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALTER

Psalms 29:3-5,7-11

Peter Hallock
(1924-2014)

Choir: Antiphon

Psalms 29: 11a

Organ:  *Everyone:*

The Lord shall give strength to his peo-ple.

Congregation: Antiphon

The voice of the Lord is upon the waters;
the God of glory thunders;
the Lord is upon the mighty waters.

The voice of the Lord is a powerful voice;
the voice of the Lord is a voice of splendor.

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar trees;
the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon;

The voice of the Lord splits the flames of fire;
the voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness;
the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.

Congregation: Antiphon

The voice of the Lord makes the oak trees writhe
and strips the forests bare.

And in the temple of the Lord
all are crying, "Glory!"

The Lord sits enthroned above the flood;
the Lord sits enthroned as King for evermore.

The Lord shall give strength to his people;
the Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.

Congregation: Antiphon

CHILDREN'S MOMENT AND DISMISSAL

*Children through eighth grade depart for church school in the Strouse building.
Joyful Noise will meet following church school until 11:40 a.m.
Parents, your children will be brought to you in Widener Hall.*

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

Luke 3:15-17,21-22

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, "I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire."

Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, "You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."

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

SERMON

Beloved

Ellen Williams Hensle

*And a voice came from heaven,
"You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased."
Luke 3:22*

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.
We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
Light from Light, true God from true God,
begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father;
through him all things were made.
For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven,
was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary
and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures;
he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.
We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic church.
We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. 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

The Baptism of Jesus

Hallock

Jesus autem hodie regressus est a Jordane (Jesus now returns today to the Jordan).
When Jesus Christ baptized was, the Holy Ghost descended with grace;
the Father's voice was heard in the place:
Hic est filius meus, ipsum intende (this is my beloved Son).

There were Three Persons and one Lord,
the Son baptized with one accord,
the Father said this blessed word:
Hic est filius meus, ipsum intende.

Now, Jesus, as thou art both God and man,
and were baptized in from Jordan,
at our last end, we pray thee, say then:
Hic est filius meus, ipsum intende.

*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 (*unison*)

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

All: O God, at his baptism, you acknowledged Jesus as your beloved Son,
and through him you opened to us a way
to become your children by grace.
May these gifts we return to you
be a sign of our dedication to live as your faithful people,
born in the waters of baptism by the power of the Holy Spirit.
Through Jesus Christ we pray; Amen.

***HYMN 443**

O Christ, the Great Foundation

AURELIA

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Alec Rowley
(1892-1958)

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

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Prelude and Fugue in D minor

Johann Krebs
(1713-1780)

LEADING WORSHIP TODAY

PREACHING

The Rev. Ellen Williams Hensle

LITURGIST

Sandy Connelly

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Ryan Mann

MUSIC

Gallery Choir

Dr. Daniel Spratlan Conductor

Jeffrey DeVault Organist

GREETERS

Dom Rebeck and Michelle Shachtman Elders

Kristin Lawton and Ann Goslin Deacons

USHERS

William Cobb Team #3 Leader

Peter Cooke, Doug Olson, Dom Rebeck, Jeanette Quirus, and John Quirus

FLOWER GUILD

All team members

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of the loved ones of Dolores Edwards.

COVER ART curated by **Rebecca Thornburgh**

José Ferraz de Almeida Júnior, *The Baptism of Christ by John the Baptist*, 1895, oil on canvas, Pinacoteca do Estado de São Paulo. Commonly known as Almeida Júnior (1850-1899), the artist was one of the first Brazilians to paint in the Realistic tradition of Gustave Courbet and Jean-François Millet. When working as a church bell ringer in his hometown of Ilu, Júnior created some small works on religious themes that impressed the head priest, who raised money to send him to Rio de Janeiro for formal art lessons. The Emperor Pedro II noticed his work and awarded him funds to study at the Ecole des Beaux-Arts in Paris. Returning to Brazil in 1883, he opened a studio where he taught art and fulfilled many commissions for portraits of notables. From 1887 to 1896, after three more trips to Europe, he increasingly rejected Biblical and historical subjects in favor of regionalist themes, depicting the everyday life of the caipiras (the traditional populations of the Brazilian states) while moving from his earlier academic style to Naturalism.

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GOOD TO KNOW

If you are interested in exploring membership at PCCH, please contact Ellen Williams Hensle at the church office or at ewhensle@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 Ellen Williams Hensle at the church office or at ewhensle@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 Gallery Choir 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 choir is able to focus on their rehearsal.

Nametags during worship

The Rev. Ellen Williams Hensle is thrilled to be here and looking forward to getting to know all of you. To assist her and her family, we are requesting that you wear a nametag during worship for the next few weeks. Nametags will be available for you to fill out in the Narthex prior to worship on Sundays.

POCH Flower Guild



Learn more
about this creative and rewarding ministry!

Join a fun and friendly group working together
to create the beautiful flower arrangements
for Sunday worship and for special holiday displays.



Flower Guild FAQs

Do I need arranging experience?

No experience is necessary! As a new arranger, you'll get started with one-on-one training, then you'll be paired with an experienced partner.

Do I have to get the flowers?

Flowers are delivered to the church; you can do your arranging on either Friday or Saturday.

How often will I be arranging?

You'll be scheduled about once every six weeks, tailored to accommodate your schedule.

How do I sign up?

Sign up for the Flower Guild on the sign-up sheet outside the church office.

What's in it for me?

The Flower Guild's ministry brings the beauty of God's world into our worship space, while giving members of our congregation a very meaningful way to remember loved ones with memorial flowers.

You'll find this an enjoyable and rewarding way
to contribute your talents to beautifying our worship spaces.



For more information, email Grace Stewart at gstewart1@verizon.net

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

HAPPENING AT PCCH

FELLOWSHIP

Join us in Widener Hall immediately following worship today for coffee and sweet treats. All are welcome.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Men's Fellowship will meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month. The next meeting of the new Men's Fellowship will be Thursday, January 16 from 2-3:30 p.m. in the reception room. Please call Ron Rising at 203.206.7299 with any questions or concerns.

PCCH WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

We meet on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. in the Harris room. Our next meeting will be on January 15. Rev. Ellen Williams Hensle will be leading the discussion which will focus on the biblical text used for the upcoming Sunday's sermon, **John 2:1-11**. All are welcome.

MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY OF SERVICE

Join the Social Witness Committee on Sunday, January 19 in helping our neighbors in need at our annual MLK, JR. Day of Service. Projects include:

- Making casseroles for Face to Face
- Preparing sandwiches and lunch bags for Face to Face
- Diaper Drive - Bring a package of diapers, Pull-Ups, or wipes
- Art Supplies Drive for West Kensington Ministry

Sign up using the QR code to bring the ingredients needed for lunches and casseroles.



THEOLOGY ON TAP

Tuesday, January 21, 7:30 p.m. in the upper room of Campbell's Place, 8337 Germantown Avenue. Mark Bernstein will be the presenter. All are welcome. Any questions, please contact the church office.

MEET AND GREET WITH THE REV. ELLEN WILLIAMS HENSLE

On Sunday, January 26 (and Sunday, February 16), grab a refreshment from Widener Hall and join the Rev. Ellen Williams Hensle in Harris to get to know her better! *Meet and Greets* will be held beginning at 11:30 a.m. All are welcome.

DEACONS' BRUNCH

Join us Sunday, February 2 for brunch and fellowship with our Deacons immediately after worship. We look forward to seeing you there!

CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

SUNDAY SCHOOL UPDATE

Date	PreK-2nd Grade	Grades 3-5	Grades 6-8
1/12	Greg Dickinson and Sarah Wright	Anna Storm and Buddy Storm	Kate Magid and Tennyson Tippy

Classes will be offered for three different age groups:

- Children ages three to second grade will engage in faith formation through Godly Play curriculum.
- Children in grades three to five will increase their Bible literacy while learning about the richness of our Christian history and faith in a fun, structured setting. We will be using the Memoria Press Christian Studies curriculum.
- Middle school youth in grades six to eight will study *Follow Me: Biblical Practices for Faithful Living*. Youth will explore how they can live out their faith, as Jesus taught, in our modern world. The middle school youth will meet during worship two to three times per month. On the remaining Sundays, youth should participate in the full worship service.

Most Sundays, we will begin Sunday School with a brief opening in the chapel.

On Sundays when Communion is served in worship, the children will return to sit with their families so that they can participate.

YOUTH GROUP UPDATE

Middle and high school youth will meet immediately after worship each week until noon in the Youth Group room. Lunch will be provided. Youth Group will not meet on the first Sunday of the month but will instead engage in Service Sunday after worship.

CHILDREN'S AND YOUTH MUSIC UPDATE

Joyful Noise, our children's choir for ages three grade five, will rehearse today from 11-11:40 a.m. Children will proceed directly from Sunday school to Joyful Noise and will be brought to their parents in Widener Hall after rehearsal. New singers and drop-ins are always welcome.

Youth Choir, our youth choir for grades six to 12, will rehearse today from 12-12:45 p.m. (please note new time). Youth Choir will not meet the first Sunday of each month in order to engage in community service with the Youth Group. New singers are always welcome.

CENTER ON THE HILL

Open Monday through Friday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. New online content is posted Monday through Thursday at 12 p.m. on our programs page: chestnuthillpres.org/center-on-the-hill/programs.

The Center will be closed on Monday, January 20th in honor of Martin Luther King Jr. Day.

Upcoming classes and events

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 to register.

MAH JONGG: OPEN PLAY (*registration required, join at any time*)

Tuesdays, 12:30 p.m., \$2

This is an opportunity to simply enjoy others' company and play the game of Mah Jongg. Not for beginners: participants should be familiar enough with the game to play without formal instruction.

SKETCHING AND WATERCOLOR CLASS (*registration required*)

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

Enjoy sketching and watercolor painting in a relaxed class. A variety of mediums will be demonstrated and still life arrangements and photographs will be used as reference.

This drawing and watercolor painting class is for people of all abilities.

INTRODUCTION TO TAI CHI FOR ARTHRITIS AND FALLS

PREVENTION (*registration required*)

Tuesdays, January 14-March 4, 2:15 p.m., \$160 (eight weeks)

Want to ease or reduce stiffness and pain associated with arthritis while improving your health, balance, and sense of wellbeing? Tai Chi for Arthritis and Falls Prevention (TCA) is an evidence-based program recommended by the CDC and the Arthritis Foundation. TCA is based on Sun style tai chi, a style chosen because of its healing component, its unique Qigong* elements (*an exercise which improves relaxation and vital energy), and its ability to improve mobility, confidence, and balance. We will learn an excellent set of warm-ups that you'll love doing daily, invigorating Qigong breathing exercises, and safe, flowing and soothing tai chi movements.

CHAIR CARDIO CLASS (*registration required*)

Tuesdays, 1 p.m., \$10 per class

Dance, stretch, move and groove with Megan Do Nascimento for an all-levels cardio class where we will use light weights, and a fun playlist to get our heart rate and energy levels up. Be prepared to laugh and have fun!

Forum on the Hill

Presented to a limited number of people in-person at 12:30pm

Recording available online the day after.

chestnuthillpres.org/education/forum-on-the-hill



THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 12:30PM

WOODMERE ART MUSEUM—DOCENTS ON THE ROAD

FAMILY TIES: THOMAS HOVENDEN AND HELEN CORSON HOVENDEN

Learn the stories of Thomas Hovenden and Helen Corson, whose love for each other, their family, and the arts was reflected in their work and life. These two influential Philadelphia artists were deeply affected by the inequalities of humanity and the ever-changing world around them after the Civil War.

Woodmere's Docents on the Road, an outreach initiative for bringing Philadelphia art and artists to your community, present this engaging presentation and guided discussion based on these works in the Museum's collection.

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Visit our website above to watch the recorded version posted the next day.

HAPPENING HERE THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, January 12

Worship	sanctuary, 10 a.m.
Church School	Strouse, 10 a.m.
Fellowship	Widener Hall, 11 a.m.
Youth Group	Strouse, 11:10 a.m.
Joyful Noise rehearsal	Strouse or sanctuary, 11:10 a.m.
Youth Choir rehearsal	Strouse, 12 p.m.

MONDAY, January 13

Sketching and watercolor class	room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Tai Chi group	room 3&4, 10 a.m.
Table games open play	room 5, 12 p.m.
WaterMedia level two class	room 1&2, 1:30 p.m.
Qigong class	Harris, 2 p.m.
Philadelphia Boys & Girls choir rehearsal	chapel, choir room, room 3&4, 5:15 p.m.
Philomusica Chorale rehearsal	Widener, 6:30 p.m.
Finance Meeting	Harris, 7:30 pm

TUESDAY, January 14

Sketching and watercolor class	room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Mindfulness practice group	room 4, 9:30 a.m.
Tai Chi for Arthritis class	room 3&4, 11:30 a.m.
Mah Jongg open play	room 5, 12:30 p.m.
Strong Bones class	Widener, 1 p.m.
Strong Bones class	Widener, 2:15 p.m.
Royal Scottish Dancers group	chapel, 7 p.m.
Boy Scouts round table	room 1&2, 7 p.m.
Philadelphia Women's Music Project rehearsal	Widener, 7:30 p.m.
Session meeting	Harris, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, January 15

Rotary Club meeting	Widener, 7:30 a.m.
Organ practice	sanctuary, 9 a.m.
Beginning Tai Chi class	Widener, 10 a.m.
Rummy Tiles open play	room 5, 10:30 a.m.
PCCH Bible study	Harris, 10:30 a.m.
Continuing Tai Chi class	Widener, 11:15 a.m.
Bridge open play	room 1&2, 11:30 a.m.
Intermediate Tai Chi class	Widener, 12:30 p.m.

HAPPENING HERE THIS WEEK

WEDNESDAY, January 5 (continued)

Staff meeting	reception, 1 p.m.
Mah Jongg open play	room 5, 1:30 p.m.
Golden Yoga class	Widener, 3 p.m.
Weight Watchers meeting	Harris, 5:15 p.m.
Philadelphia Boys & Girls choir rehearsal	chapel, choir, room 3&4, 6:15 p.m.
MALT Beginning Piano class	room 1&2, 6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, January 16

Qigong class	Harris, 9 a.m.
Painters group	room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Clergy consultation group	reception, 9:30 a.m.
COTH Forum on the Hill	Widener, 12:30 p.m.
Chair cardio class	room 3&4, 1 p.m.
Mah Jongg group	room 5, 1:30 p.m.
French conversation group	room 1&2, 1:30 p.m.
Men's Fellowship meeting	Harris, 2 p.m.
Organ Practice	sanctuary, 3 p.m.
Gallery Choir rehearsal	choir room, 8 p.m.

FRIDAY, January 17

PreK Soccer Shots	Widener, 9:30 a.m.
Yoga with attitude class	Harris, 9:45 a.m.
Scrabble play group	room 5, 10 a.m.
Yoga, a chair and you class	Harris, 11:30 a.m.
International Folk Dancing class	room 3&4, 12:30 p.m.
PCCH Sober & Out group	Harris, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, January 17

Building cleaning	
Philadelphia Boys & Girls Choir rehearsal	all rooms, 9 a.m.

SUNDAY, January 19

Worship	sanctuary, 10 a.m.
Church School	Strouse, 10:20 a.m.
Fellowship	Widener Hall, 11 a.m.
Youth Group	Strouse, 11:10 a.m.
Joyful Noise rehearsal	Strouse or sanctuary, 11:10 a.m.
Youth Choir rehearsal	Strouse, 12 p.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

Jill Bown
Rebecca DePasquale
Gregory Dickinson
Matthew Eastman
Jack Evans
Graeme Frazier

Ryan Mann
William Murphy
Elizabeth Podraza
Jeannette Quirus
Dominick Rebeck
Michelle Shachtman

Taylor Slaughter
Harry Spaeth
James Spause
Margaret Spencer
William Storm
Clarke Woodruff

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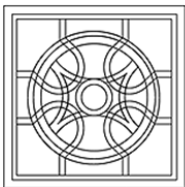
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