

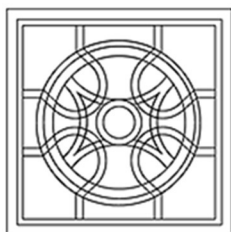
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHESTNUT HILL

An inclusive community of faith

Sunday, November 24, 2024

10 a.m.

CHRIST THE KING SUNDAY



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, weather permitting on the front lawn otherwise 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 13.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Tierce en Taille

Nicholas de Grigny
(1671-1703)

INTROIT

Daniel Purcell
(1660-1717)

I will thank thee, O Lord my God, with my whole heart;
And will praise thy name for evermore:
For great is thy mercy towards me.

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Grace to you and peace from the one who is and who was
and who is to come.

People: **and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead,
and the ruler of the kings of the earth.**

Leader: Holy, holy, holy is the lord of hosts.

People: **The whole earth is full of God's glory.**

*HYMN 155

Rejoice, the Lord is King

DARWALL'S 148TH

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Righteous God,
you have crowned Jesus Christ as Lord of all.
We confess that we have not bowed before him,
and are slow to acknowledge his rule.
We give allegiance to the powers of this world,
and fail to be governed by justice and love.

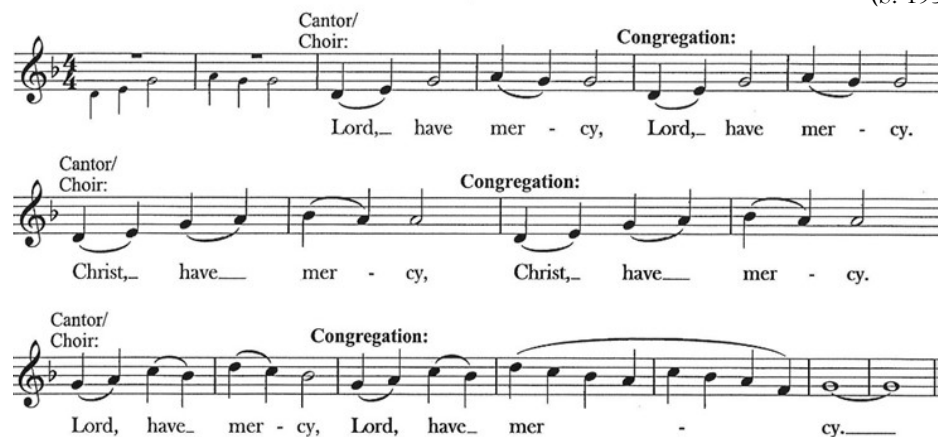
In your mercy, forgive us.
Raise us to acclaim him as ruler of all,
that we may be loyal ambassadors,
obeying the commands of our Lord Jesus Christ.

**Please stand as you are able.*

SILENT CONFESSION

KYRIE ELEISON

Kile Smith
(b. 1956)



Musical score for Kyrie Eleison, featuring Cantor/Choir and Congregation parts. The score is in 4/4 time and B-flat major. It consists of three staves of music with lyrics underneath.

Cantor/
Choir: Congregation:
Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.

Cantor/
Choir: Congregation:
Christ, have mer - cy, Christ, have mer - cy.

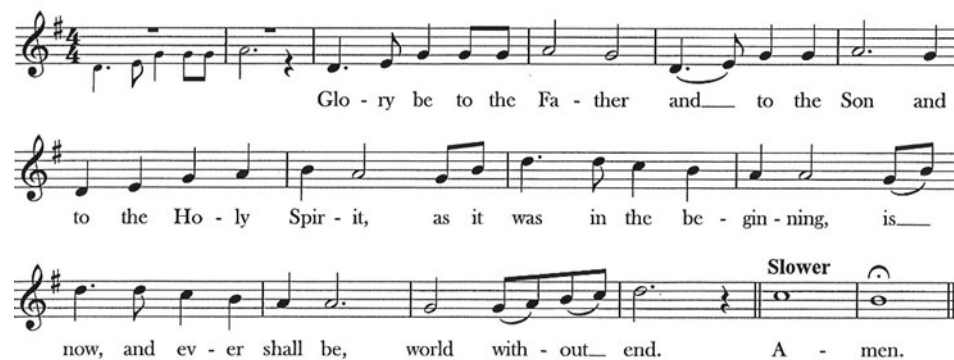
Cantor/
Choir: Congregation:
Lord, have mer - cy, Lord, have mer - cy.

PROMISE OF THE GOSPEL

Leader: Friends, believe the good news.
People: In Jesus Christ, we are forgiven.

*GLORIA PATRI

Smith



Musical score for Gloria Patri, featuring a single melodic line. The score is in 4/4 time and D major. It consists of three staves of music with lyrics underneath. The final measure is marked 'Slower'.

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther and to the Son and
to the Ho - ly Spir - it, as it was in the be - gin - ning, is
now, and ev - er 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

Sovereign God,
let your **Word rule in our hearts**
and your **Spirit govern our lives**
until at last we see the fulfillment
of your realm of justice and peace;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT

2 Samuel 23:1-7

Now these are the last words of David:

The oracle of David, son of Jesse, the oracle of the man whom God exalted,
the anointed of the God of Jacob, the favorite of the Strong One of Israel:

The spirit of the LORD speaks through me, his word is upon my tongue.

The God of Israel has spoken, the Rock of Israel has said to me:

One who rules over people justly, ruling in the fear of God,
is like the light of morning, like the sun rising on a cloudless morning, gleaming from
the rain on the grassy land.

Is not my house like this with God? For he has made with me an everlasting
covenant, ordered in all things and secure.

Will he not cause to prosper all my help and my desire?

But the godless are all like thorns that are thrown away; for they cannot be picked up
with the hand;

to touch them one uses an iron bar or the shaft of a spear. And they are entirely
consumed in fire on the spot.

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALTER

Psalm 132: 8-12, 14-15

Joseph Barnby
(1838-1896)

Let your priests be clothed with righteousness;
let all of your faithful people sing with joy.
For your servant David's sake,
do not turn away the face of your Anointed.

The Lord has sworn an oath to David;
in truth, he will not break it:
"Of the Fruit of your body will I set upon your throne.
If your sons keep my covenant, and my testimonies that I shall teach them,
their sons will sit upon your throne for evermore.

For the Lord has chosen Zion:
He has desired her for his habitation:
"This shall be my resting-place for ever;
Here will I dwell, for I delight in her."

CHILDREN'S MOMENT AND DISMISSAL

*Children fifth 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.

REVELATION

Revelation 1:4b-8

John to the seven churches that are in Asia: Grace to you and peace from him who is and who was and who is to come, and from the seven spirits who are before his throne, and from Jesus Christ, the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead, and the ruler of the kings of the earth.

To him who loves us and freed us from our sins by his blood, and made us to be a kingdom, priests serving his God and Father, to him be glory and dominion for ever and ever. Amen.

Look! He is coming with the clouds; every eye will see him, even those who pierced him; and on his account all the tribes of the earth will wail. So it is to be. Amen.

'I am the Alpha and the Omega,' says the Lord God, who is and who was and who is to come, the Almighty.

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

GOSPEL

John 18:33-37

Then Pilate entered the headquarters again, summoned Jesus, and asked him, 'Are you the King of the Jews?' Jesus answered, 'Do you ask this on your own, or did others tell you about me?' Pilate replied, 'I am not a Jew, am I? Your own nation and the chief priests have handed you over to me. What have you done?' Jesus answered, 'My kingdom is not from this world. If my kingdom were from this world, my followers would be fighting to keep me from being handed over to the Jews. But as it is, my kingdom is not from here.' Pilate asked him, 'So you are a king?' Jesus answered, 'You say that I am a king. For this I was born, and for this I came into the world, to testify to the truth. Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice.'

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

SERMON

Leading as Christ Leads

Russell Sullivan

“One who rules over people justly, ruling in the fear of God, is like the light of morning, like the sun rising on a cloudless morning, gleaming from the rain on the grassy land.”

2 Samuel 23:3b-4

*HYMN 559

We Gather Together

KREMSER

*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

The Promise of Living
from *The Tender Land*

Aaron Copland
(1900-1990)

The promise of living with hope and thanksgiving
is born of our loving, our friends, and our labor.

The promise of growing with faith and with knowing
is born of our sharing our love with our neighbor.

For many a year we've known these fields
and known all the work that makes them yield.
Are you ready to lend a hand?
We'll bring in the harvest, the blessings of harvest.

We plant each row with seeds of grain,
and Providence sends us the sun and the rain.
By lending a hand, by lending an arm,
bring out from the farm,
bring out the blessings of harvest.

Give thanks there was sunshine, give thanks there was rain.
Give thanks we have hands to deliver the grain.
Come join us in thanking the Lord for his blessing.
O let us be joyful.
O let us be grateful to the Lord for His blessing.

The promise of ending in right understanding
is peace in our own hearts and peace with our neighbor.

O let us sing our song, and let our song be heard.
Let's sing our song with our hearts, and find a promise in that song.
The promise of living.
The promise of growing.
The promise of ending is labor and sharing our loving.

***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**

Lord God, heavenly King,
We offer these our gifts
As a sign of love, devotion, and praise.
Through these, as through our praises,
We acknowledge that you are our Lord.
In your name we pray. Amen.

***HYMN 415**

Come, Labor On

ORA LABORA

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Amen

Peter Lutkin
(1858-1931)

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Allegro Maestoso

G.F. Handel
(1685-1759)

LEADING WORSHIP TODAY
The Rev. Dr. Russell C. Sullivan, Jr.

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE
MaryAnn Hartzell

MUSIC
Gallery Choir
Dr. Daniel Spratlan Conductor
Jeffrey DeVault Organist
Dr. Julie Snyder Pianist

GREETERS
Dominick Rebeck and Michelle Shachtman Elders
Jane McGill and Barbara Olson Deacons

USHERS
Harry Spaeth Team #2 Leader
Troy Foxworth, Graeme Frazier, Kate Houstoun, Jason Jones and Beth Wrigley

FLOWER GUILD
Diane Cornely, Debby Evans and Jane Kaufman

FLOWERS IN THE SANCTUARY are given to the glory of God and in loving honor of **the children and teachers of the church school** given by **Roy DeCaro** and **Allison DeCaro**.

COVER ART curated by **Rebecca Thornburgh**
Henry Ossawa Tanner, *The Good Shepherd*, 1922, oil on canvas, The Newark Museum of Art. An American artist who spent much of his career in France, Tanner (1859-1937) was the first African-American painter to gain international acclaim. After his own self-study in art as a young man, he enrolled in 1879 at the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts in Philadelphia. The only black student, he became a favorite of the painter Thomas Eakins, who had recently begun teaching there. Tanner moved to Paris in 1891 to study, and continued to live there after being accepted in French artistic circles. In the late 1890s, sponsored by a prominent art patron, Tanner trekked through Palestine and North Africa to gain firsthand experience of the settings of his biblical-themed paintings.

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JOIN US TO WELCOME
THE REVEREND ELLEN WILLIAMS HENSLE



The Rev. Ellen Williams Hensle, our wonderful new Senior Minister and Head of Staff, will lead her first worship service on the first Sunday of Advent, December 1 (the Sunday after Thanksgiving).

Please be sure to join us for worship, either in person or online, to add your welcome to Ellen and her family.

To learn more about Ellen, her family, and her faith journey, watch our welcome video at vimeo.com/1014649336 or by scanning the QR code.



A MESSAGE FROM EVELYN CARPENTER

A very special thank you note to all of the amazing, wonderful members of the PCCH congregation. So many of you dear friends came out to bid me farewell last Sunday and to thank me for all that you say I did for you. However, it should be me thanking all of you for sharing your families, your stories, and your love toward me over these 18 years. You have all become very dear to me and will remain in my heart for the rest of my life. I never could have imagined that the small part-time job which was offered to me 18 years ago would have turned into the amazing years that I spent working beside you.

It was indeed the best sendoff into retirement that any person could ever have been given. Your gifts were overly generous and much appreciated. I do plan to come back periodically to say hello and get big hugs. I love each and every one of you and thank you from the very bottom of my heart, Evelyn.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Evelyn Carpenter,
411 N. Middletown Road, F227
Media, PA 19063
ecarp1001@gmail.com

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 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.

PCCH

*PCCH has committed to providing gifts
for 60 children through ACHIEVEability
this Advent season*

Christmas Gifts for ACHIEVEability

**Brighten the holidays
by providing gifts to children in West Philadelphia!**



Sign up* to fulfill a child's wish list
during Coffee Hour on November 24 and December 1

Select a child by name and age

when you sign up—
ACHIEVEability offers
each child's gift list as a guide—
& plan to spend \$50 per child

Label your wrapped gifts

with the child's name & ID number

Place your gifts

under the Christmas tree
(or next to the stage)
in Widener Hall

**Drop off your gifts
by Sunday, December 8**



Questions?

Ask Beth Vaccaro
bethnellvaccaro@gmail.com
215.764.7213



*or sign up online
at bit.ly/3CDit1y



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.

PCCH WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

We meet on Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. in the Harris room. This Wednesday Dr. Russell Sullivan will be leading the discussion which will focus on the biblical text used for the upcoming Sunday's sermon. All are welcome.

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP

The next meeting of the new Men's Fellowship will be Thursday, December 5th from 2-3:30 p.m. in the reception room. Please call Ron Rising at 203.206.7299 with any questions or concerns.

GERMANTOWN AVENUE CRISIS MINISTRY FOOD DONATIONS

First Sunday of the month food collection is next Sunday, December 1

GACM provides food, fuel, clothing, housing and other emergency assistance to those who live in the Northwest section of Philadelphia. Please help with your donation of cash or food items—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.

YOUTH SERVICE SUNDAY

On the first Sunday of every month, middle and high school youth will engage in a service project immediately after worship. The next *Youth Service Sunday* will be next Sunday, December 1. The youth will serve lunch at Face to Face after church.

CHRISTMAS EVE PAGEANT

All children age three through grade twelve are invited to participate in our Christmas Eve Pageant on December 24 at 4:30 p.m. There will be a mandatory pageant rehearsal on Sunday, December 22 after worship until 12:30 p.m. **Last day to sign up is Sunday, December 1.** Sign up in person on the signup sheet posted on the bulletin board outside of the church office, or online at tinyurl.com/4u5z2x5s.

CHRISTMAS EVE AT PCCH

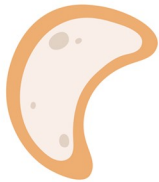
We have updated our Christmas Eve schedule for the 2024 season. Our earlier worship and children's Christmas Pageant will remain at 4:30 p.m. on Christmas Eve. Our evening service of Lessons & Carols will begin at 9 p.m. with the prelude, featuring the PCCH Festival Brass, beginning at 8:30 p.m. Please contact the office with any questions.



PCCH CHILDREN & YOUTH

INVITE YOU TO
A

CHRISTMAS COOKIE EXCHANGE



BRING 2 DOZEN COOKIES
TO EXCHANGE

DECEMBER 15TH

AT THE COFFEE HOUR
CHRISTMAS CAROL SING-ALONG!



Consider bringing extra cookies
for us to deliver to
our homebound PCCH members



CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

SUNDAY SCHOOL UPDATE

| Date | Godly Play PreK-2nd Grade | Grades 3-5 | Grades 6-8 |
|-------|---|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 11/24 | Michelle Shachtman and Katie O'Dwyer | Diana Rodgers and Rachelle Pretz | 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 through 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 twelve, will rehearse today from 12-12:45 p.m. (please note new time). Youth Choir will not meet the first Sunday of each month so youth may engage in community service with the Youth Group. New singers are always welcome.

2024 GACM HOLIDAY BASKET DRIVE

PCCH is once again supporting Germantown Avenue Crisis Ministry's Thanksgiving Basket drive. Baskets will be given to families who have requested help and have documented their families size and financial need.

HOLIDAY BASKET CONTENTS

Meat: Turkey, Turkey Breast, Roasting Chicken

Starch: Rice, Mashed Potatoes, Yams, Macaroni & Cheese, Corn, Stuffing

Veggie: Green Beans, Green Peas

Bread: Rolls/Corn Bread Mix

Dessert: Cake Mix, Icing, Cookie Mix, Jello, Pie Crust, Pie Filling

Other: Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Seasonings, Sugar, Flour, Juice, Iced Tea, Canned Milk

Cash donations of \$45 contribute towards a SHARE holiday box, perfect for singles or families of two.

Donations should be made payable to "GACM", and must be received by November 17, 2024.

Please leave non-perishable items in the Reception Room, and turkeys/chickens in the freezer. Reusable shopping bags welcomed!

BASKET HELPERS NEEDED FRIDAY, NOV 22 AND MONDAY, NOV 25

To volunteer for a minimum of 2 hours contact GACM at 215-843-2340

Germantown Avenue Crisis Ministry
35 W Chelton Ave
Philadelphia, PA 19144
215-843-2340

CENTER ON THE HILL

Open Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-4 p.m. New online content is posted Monday-Thursday at 12 p.m. on our programs page here: chestnuthillpres.org/center-on-the-hill/programs. Call 215.247.4654 or email msaavedra@chestnuthillpres.org to register. The Center will be closed Wednesday, November 27-Friday, November 29 for the Thanksgiving holiday break.

Upcoming classes and events

COMMUNITY LUNCHEON *(registration and payment required)*

Tuesday, November 26, 12 p.m., \$15

Where else in the community can you go for lunch where you'll see both familiar and new faces, where the atmosphere is relaxed and welcoming and the food is consistently good? Our large room is full of round tables that are simply decorated and set with white linens and festive tableware. We'd love to see you there!

CHAIR CARDIO *(registration required)*

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

Dance, stretch, move and groove with Megan Do Nascimento for an all-levels Chair 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!

QIGONG (HEALING MOVEMENTS) *(registration required)*

Mondays, 2 p.m. and Thursdays, 9 a.m., \$40 for four classes, \$12 for walk-ins

Come and experience the gentle, healing movements of the ancient Chinese art of Qigong (chee-gung). It is the practice of moving Chi, life energy, through the body for good health and well-being. These easy movements can be done in a standing or seated position. Enjoy the peaceful, calming feelings brought about by this wonderful art. Michael McCormack has taught the healing arts for over twenty years. All are welcome.

NORTHWEST PHILLY ARTISTS HOLIDAY SHOW AND MARKETPLACE

Exhibit and Sale open Monday-Saturday, December 6-20, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.

We are pleased to host this exhibition that features artwork created by the center's own NW Philly Artists. Original paintings, photography, drawings, greeting cards, jewelry, handcrafted candles, ceramic mugs, and more will be on display and for sale. A reception on Friday, December 6, including delicious chocolate themed treats and music, will create a festive gathering sure to provide holiday fun and a unique shopping experience.

COMMUNITY HOLIDAY PARTY *(registration required)*

Thursdays, December 12, 12:30 p.m., \$10 in advance,* \$12 at the door

Join us for this wonderful holiday party with music, friends, festive decorations, light bites and dessert buffet! Plus other fun surprises to get you in the mood this holiday season!

*Pre-registration is required by Monday, December 9 to receive the \$10 rate.

HAPPENING HERE THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, November 24

| | |
|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| Worship | sanctuary, 10 a.m. |
| Church school | Strouse, 10:20 a.m. |
| Fellowship | Widener, 11 a.m. |
| Joyful Noise rehearsal | Strouse, 11:10 a.m. |
| Youth Group | Strouse, 11:10 a.m. |
| Music & Arts Committee meeting | room 5, 11:15 a.m. |
| Youth Choir rehearsal | Strouse, 12 p.m. |

MONDAY, November 25

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| Sketching and watercolor class | room 1&2, 9:30 a.m. |
| Mah Jongg 101 group | room 5, 10 a.m. |
| Tai Chi class | room 3&4, 10 a.m. |
| Table games open play | room 5, 12 p.m. |
| WaterMedia level 2 class | room 1&2, 1:30 p.m. |
| Qigong class | Harris 3&4, 2 p.m. |
| Philadelphia Boys & Girls Choir rehearsal | choir room, 3&4, chapel, 5:15 p.m. |
| Philomusica Chorale rehearsal | Widener, 6:30 p.m. |

TUESDAY, November 26

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| Mindfulness practice | room 4, 9:30 a.m. |
| Sketching and watercolor class | room 1&2, 9:30 a.m. |
| COTH Community Luncheon | Widener, 10 a.m. |
| Create Your Website with WordPress class | Harris, 10 a.m. |
| Mah Jongg open play | room 5, 12:30 p.m. |
| Buddhist Philosophy and Ethics class | Harris, 1 p.m. |
| Watercolor and drawing level 2 class | room 1&2, 1:30 p.m. |
| American Dance Wheels rehearsal | room 3&4, 4:30 p.m. |
| Northern District Boy Scout Meeting | room 5, 7 p.m. |
| Royal Scottish dancers | chapel, 7 p.m. |
| Philadelphia Women's Music Project rehearsal | Widener, 7:30 p.m. |
| Christian Education Committee meeting | Zoom, 8 p.m. |

WEDNESDAY, November 27

Rotary Club meeting
Staff meeting
Weight Watchers meeting
Philadelphia Boys & Girls Choir rehearsal
Cub Scout meeting

COTH and offices closed
Widener, 7:30 a.m.
reception room, 1 p.m.
Harris, 5:15 p.m.
choir room, room 3&4, chapel, 6:15 p.m.
room 5, 6:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, November 28

Thanksgiving Day

COTH and offices closed

FRIDAY, November 29

PCCH Sober & Out group

COTH and offices closed
Harris, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY, November 30

Building cleaning

all rooms, 2 p.m.

SUNDAY, December 1

Worship
Church school
Fellowship
Joyful Noise rehearsal
Music & Arts Committee meeting
Youth Group service project

Advent 1-Lord's Supper
sanctuary, 10 a.m.
Strouse, 10:20 a.m.
Widener, 11 a.m.
Strouse or sanctuary, 11:10 a.m.
room 5, 11:15 a.m.
Face to Face, 12 p.m.

2024 OPERATING FUND FINANCIAL SUMMARY

| | 2024 Annual Budget | 2024 YTD Actual | 2023 YTD Actual |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Congregational Response | 693,000 | 454,556 | 501,188 |
| Endowment Draws | 154,073 | 149,236 | 145,437 |
| Other Sources of Funds | 158,000 | 160,896 | 140,347 |
| Total Sources of Funds | 1,005,073 | 764,688 | 786,971 |
| All Expenses and Mission | 1,005,073 | 763,652 | 719,942 |
| Difference | 0 | 1,036 | 67,029 |

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.

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Jack Evans
Graeme Frazier

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Michelle Shachtman

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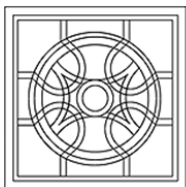
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