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**FELLOWSHIP DEACON:** Zona Farmer

**FLOWER DEACON:** Peter Ferguson

**CLOSER:** Joe Smits

**USHER/GREETER CAPTAIN:** John Stewart

**CHILDCARE:** Danielle Freeman

**USHERS:** Jim DePhillips, Eleanor DePhillips, Dick Farmer, Peter Ferguson

**ALTAR FLOWERS:**

Hallie Stewart, in honor of John's birthday.

The Piper family, in honor of Christian's 6<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**ELDERS:**

Class of 2009—John Baittinger, Lisa Decker, Ann Lowell, Sam Wilber

Class of 2010—Lynn Ingram, Dorothy Nicholas, Alicia Shussett, Joe Smits

Class of 2011—Ron Gingrich, Sue Vitale, Tom Lawall, Jim Millick

**DEACONS:**

Class of 2009—Carolyn Baittinger, Sally Heimbach, John Stewart, Chuck Waters

Class of 2010—Peter Ferguson, Larry Hemberger, Debbie Lillegard, Melanie Shimer

Class of 2011—Darlene Dourney, Zona Farmer, Don Piper, Hank Rath

**THE ORDER OF MORNING WORSHIP  
THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
10:30 AM  
NOVEMBER 8, 2009  
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**PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP**

SILENT PRAYER OF PREPARATION

*Dear God, your love and mercy are great. Remind us to do all we can to enable each of your precious children to reach his or her full potential. In Jesus' name.*

(To continue preparation for worship, read the rest of page 315 in the Mission Yearbook in the pew.)

THE FIRST NOTE OF THE PRELUDE begins our worship. Please use the prelude time to listen for God's invitation to praise Him.

**OUR APPROACH TO GOD**

PRELUDE

"Praise!"           ARNOLD B. SHERMAN  
"Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"     ARR. JUDY HUNNICUTT  
Adult Handbell Choir

WELCOME

\*SONG FOR ASSEMBLY

"For Surely I Know the Plans"       G. S. OATEN  
Freely, freely, you have received.  
Freely, freely give.  
Go in my name and because you believe  
Others will know that I live.

\*CALL TO WORSHIP (*Responsively*)

Happy are those who seek God with their whole heart.  
Their eyes are fixed on all that God commands.  
**WE HAVE COME TO REFLECT TOGETHER ON GOD'S LAW.  
IT IS HARD TO HEAR WHAT GOD EXPECTS IN EVERY PART OF OUR LIVES.**

Ready yourselves to receive all that God supplies.  
Attune your hearts to God's promises and warnings.  
**WE EXPECT TO BE CHALLENGED AS WELL AS ENCOURAGED.  
WE KNOW THAT OUR WAYS ARE NOT GOD'S WAYS.**

God gives us choices that result in life or death.  
We can obey or reject the way of life God intends for us.  
**WE SEEK TO KNOW AND FOLLOW THE WAY OF LIFE.  
WE WANT TO LIVE ACCORDING TO PROMISES WE HAVE MADE.**

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\*HYMN #422

*"God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending"* BEACH SPRING

God, whose giving knows no ending, from your rich and endless store--  
nature's wonder, Jesus' wisdom, costly cross, grave's shattered door--  
gifted by you, we turn to you, offering up ourselves in praise;  
thankful song shall rise forever, gracious Donor of our days.

Skills and time are ours for pressing toward the goals of Christ, your Son:  
all at peace in health and freedom, races joined, the Church made one.  
Now direct our daily labor, lest we strive for self alone.  
Born with talents, make us servants fit to answer at your throne.

Treasure, too, you have entrusted, gain through powers your grace conferred,  
ours to use for home and kindred, and to spread the gospel word.  
Open wide our hands in sharing, as we heed Christ's ageless call,  
healing, teaching, and reclaiming, serving you by loving all.

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

CALL TO CONFESSION AND SILENT CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (*Unison*)

**PERSISTENT AND LOVING GOD, YOU ARE CONSTANTLY SEEKING THAT YOUR WILL  
BE DONE ON EARTH. YOU YEARN FOR ALL CREATION TO LIVE IN HARMONY.  
FORGIVE US FOR GROWING WEARY OF THE STRUGGLE FOR PEACE AND JUSTICE,  
AND FOR COURTING DESPAIR. LOOSEN OUR NEED TO SEE THE FULL RESULTS AND  
TO FEEL HOPEFUL. SUSTAIN US WITH AN ABUNDANCE OF FRIENDS AND A MEASURE  
OF FAITH. GIVE US THE WILLINGNESS TO DO THE LOVING THING AND TO BE  
FAITHFUL IN ACTS OF CARING AND COMPASSION.**

**GOD OF THE PROMISED RESURRECTION, WORK YOUR SURPRISING AND AMAZING  
GRACE IN OUR LIVES AND IN OUR BROKEN WORLD. AMEN.**

HYMN #572 KYRIE

Lord, have mercy upon us.  
Christ, have mercy upon us.  
Lord, have mercy upon us.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

\*HYMN #579 GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;  
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,  
World without end. Amen, Amen.

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\*PASSING OF THE PEACE  
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE  
JOYS AND CONCERNS (*Responsively*)

We come together, O God, grateful for your never ending love, for your guidance and protection in our lives. Mindful of your compassion for us, our world, we are bold to pray for our needs and the needs of the world.

**Christ, our hope, hear our prayer.**

LORD'S PRAYER (*Please use "debts & debtors".*) PRESBYTERIAN HYMNAL – PG. 16

**THE WORD OF GOD**

A WORD WITH THE CHILDREN  
DEDICATION OF OUR GIFTS FOR OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

FIRST LESSON

DEUTERONOMY 30:15-19

OT – Pg. 190 in the gray Bible, Pg. 179 in the blue Bible

<sup>15</sup>See, I have set before you today life and prosperity, death and adversity. <sup>16</sup>If you obey the commandments of the LORD your God that I am commanding you today, by loving the LORD your God, walking in his ways, and observing his commandments, decrees, and ordinances, then you shall live and become numerous, and the LORD your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to possess. <sup>17</sup>But if your heart turns away and you do not hear, but are led astray to bow down to other gods and serve them, <sup>18</sup>I declare to you today that you shall perish; you shall not live long in the land that you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess. <sup>19</sup>I call heaven and earth to witness against you today that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Choose life so that you and your descendants may live.

RESPONSIVE READING

1 CHRONICLES 16:8-15

<sup>8</sup>O give thanks to the LORD, call on his name, make known his deeds among the peoples.

<sup>9</sup>**SING TO GOD, SING PRAISES TO GOD, TELL OF ALL GOD'S WONDERFUL WORKS.**

<sup>10</sup>Glory in God's holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the LORD rejoice.

<sup>11</sup>**SEEK THE LORD AND HIS STRENGTH, SEEK GOD'S PRESENCE CONTINUALLY.**

<sup>12</sup>Remember God's wonderful works God has done, his miracles, and the judgments he uttered,

<sup>13</sup>**O OFFSPRING OF GOD'S SERVANT ISRAEL, CHILDREN OF JACOB, GOD'S CHOSEN ONES.**

<sup>14</sup>He is the LORD our God; his judgments are in all the earth.

<sup>15</sup>**REMEMBER GOD'S COVENANT FOREVER, THE WORD THAT HE COMMANDED, FOR A THOUSAND GENERATIONS,**

\*HYMN # 525

*"Here I Am, Lord"* DANIEL L. SCHUTTE

I, the Lord of sea and sky,  
I have heard my people cry.  
All who dwell in deepest sin,  
My hand will save.

I, who made the stars of night,  
I will make their darkness bright.  
Who will bear my light to them?  
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of snow and rain,  
I have borne my people's pain.  
I have wept for love of them.  
They turn away.

I will break their hearts of stone,  
Give them hearts for love alone.  
I will speak my word to them.  
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.

I, the Lord of wind and flame,  
I will tend the poor and lame.  
I will set a feast for them.  
My hand will save.

Finest bread I will provide,  
'Til their hearts be satisfied.  
I will give my life to them.  
Whom shall I send?

Here I am, Lord. Is it I, Lord?  
I have heard you calling in the night.  
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.  
I will hold your people in my heart.

SECOND LESSON ROMANS 5:1-5

NT – Pg. 147 in the gray Bible, Pg. 145 in the blue Bible

<sup>1</sup>Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, <sup>2</sup>through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. <sup>3</sup>And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, <sup>4</sup>and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, <sup>5</sup>and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

SERMON: *"Out of Chaos—Hope "*

MARTHA-LEE BOHN

**OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S WORD**

OFFERTORY

*"For the Beauty of the Earth"* HAL HOPSON  
Senior Choir, with handbells

\*DEDICATION HYMN

*"Freely, Freely"* CAROL OWENS

Freely, freely, you have received.  
Freely, freely give.  
Go in my name and because you believe  
Others will know that I live.

\*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

A PORTION OF *A GUIDING VISION FOR FAITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH: JOURNEYING WITH CHRIST*

**We work and pray with our partners to spread the joy and the promise of the Gospel, both in our neighborhood and around the world. As we develop caring and prayerful relationships among ourselves and with those to whom we minister, our way is lit by "God Sightings" - the unexpected ways in which we encounter God throughout our day. As we serve God, we begin to live God's word and will. We seek to know God's voice, to hear God's song, and to share it with others.**

**We acknowledge that the road is not always easy, and are eager to help those who are struggling along the way. Knowing our own brokenness, we cry with those who are grieved, share with those who are burdened, encourage those who are fearful. We lift one another up in our journeys, and look ahead to the time we can sing joyfully together once more.**

\*CLOSING HYMN #434

*"Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples"* KINGSFOLD

Today we are all called to be  
Disciples of the Lord,  
To help to set the captives free,  
Make plow-share out of sword,  
To feed the hungry, quench their thirst,  
Make love and peace our fast,  
To serve the poor and homeless first,  
Our ease and comfort last.

God made the world and at its birth  
Ordained our human race  
To live as stewards of the earth,  
Responding to God's grace.  
But we are vain and sadly proud,  
We sow not peace but strife,  
Our discord spreads a deadly cloud  
That threatens all of life.

Pray justice may come rolling down  
As in a mighty stream,  
With righteousness in field and town  
To cleanse us and redeem.  
For God is longing to restore  
An earth where conflicts cease,  
A world that was created for  
A harmony of peace.

May we in service to our God  
Act out the living word,  
And walk the road the saints have trod  
Till all have seen and heard.  
As stewards of the earth may we  
Give thanks in one accord  
To God who calls us all to be  
Disciples of the Lord.

\*CHARGE

\*CHORAL BENEDICTION

*"Song of Hope"* ARGENTINE FOLK MELODY  
Senior Choir

\*ORGAN POSTLUDE

*"Toccatà in the Style of Scarlatti"* GORDON YOUNG

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\*Those who are able are invited to stand.

\*\*\*\*\*Latecomers may be seated.

## Announcements

### ***In our pulpit***

This morning we welcome Martha-Lee Bohn to our pulpit. Martha-Lee Bohn was the Director of Youth Ministry at Westminster Presbyterian Church, in Gulfport, when Hurricane Katrina hit the Mississippi Gulf Coast. She worked with teenagers who were out of school for six weeks and Westminster Presbyterian Women as “camp hosts” for the many volunteers who began arriving to help. The Presbytery of MS appointed her as Site Manager, working with the Construction Manager on recovery operations at the church.

Martha-Lee is now the Community Outreach Coordinator for the Presbytery of Mississippi Disaster Recovery operation. More than four years since Katrina, the Presbytery of MS has hosted and directed over 40,000 volunteers. The last four years have been a journey of comedy and tragedy; hope and faith for Martha-Lee which has served to strengthen confidence “that all things work together for good.” (*Romans 8:28*)

Martha-Lee will follow up with a PowerPoint presentation during fellowship hour. She will be eating and talking with the youth of our church during Youth Group meeting this evening.



### ***Good Common Sense***

As we enter the cold and flu season, it's good to remember some common sense ways we can help one another stay well.

First, of course, is to stay home if you are not feeling well or are already sick.

Second, is to minimize hand contact with one another, which does not mean eliminating greeting one another.

Third, in our enthusiasm to be welcoming, we need to remember and honor all who prefer not to be touched, for whatever reason. We want to respect people's preferences and to care for those whose immune systems are vulnerable due to chemotherapy, or for any other reason.

Finally, church is a place we deliberately recognize and greet everyone with a smile, with eye contact, and a touch. So when we pass the Peace of Christ, when we greet or leave one another, we can reduce hand contact by touching someone on the arm, by joining wrists, or by facing one another.

Let us be sure in all we do, we greet one another in the Lord.



## **81 BOXES!!!!**

Last Sunday we had our first Operation Christmas Child packing party, and it was a HUGE success! We packed a total of 81 boxes! Everyone chipped in to help donate items, wrap boxes, and pack them full of fun goodies for needy children around the world. Each box requires a \$7 shipping fee, and due to the generous donations of our church members, we were able to cover that cost for all the boxes that we assembled! **Be sure to check out the bulletin board outside Fellowship Hall for great photos of our Operation Christmas Child project!**

The boxes will be dedicated today by Pastor Roberta, and then taken to our local distribution center next week. From there they will be sent to the national processing center in Boone, NC, and then onto children all over the world.

A special thank you goes to the organizers of this event, including Beth Kunkle, Sandy Gingrich, Lois Staack, Sue Lawall, Dottie Harshman, Katrina Piper, and Dorothy Smickley, as well as the many others who helped make this event happen.

We plan to host this event again next year, so keep an eye out for fun goodies to pack into your shoeboxes throughout the year. A box will be located in the Sunday School wing for you to place your donations in. Also, keep saving your shoeboxes (standard size only) and drop them off in the CE office.



### ***Faith Work Day***

**Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup>**

**8:30 am—4:00 pm**

*(Rain date November 21<sup>st</sup>)*

Come help keep our facility clean, safe and in good repair. Coffee and treats in the morning...tacos, chips, veggies and drinks for lunch. Enjoy a day of fellowship and mission wrapped up in one! Everyone is welcome! If you have questions, contact Jim Millick at 610-366-1261 or millickjames@yahoo.com.



### ***Stewardship at Faith Church***

Share your gifts of time, talents and treasure with Faith Church. Turn in your pledge card with the amount of your financial gift to help us plan Faith Church's financial picture for 2010.

As of November 1, 2009, we have received a total of **67** pledges in the amount of **\$161,879.16** toward an approximate budget of **\$230,000.00**. Pledges cards are available in your pew and are still being collected with the morning offering.



**Parish Life—W.O.F. Daytime**  
**Thursday, November 19**  
**1:00 pm in Fellowship Hall**  
**Devotions & Tea**  
Fall Flower Arranging  
**Speaker: Rosie Ebersole**  
**Come—Relax—Refresh!**



**Daybreak – November 9**  
**Needed: 1-2 persons to bake 2 doz. cookies each**  
If you can help, please sign up in Fellowship Hall.  
Cookies need to be in the church kitchen by 12 noon.

Faith Church cooks and serves a meal at Daybreak on the second Monday of each month, from 2:30 to 4:30 pm. The rewards of helping with this Mission service cannot be measured. Daybreak is a drop-in center for people recovering from mental illness. Donations of homemade cookies are always welcome, even preferred. Sugar-free cookies are also appreciated. *NOTE: Because of possible nut allergies, please mark cookies that have nuts in them.* Drop them off in the kitchen by noon of that Monday. Helpers are also needed, especially cooks, from approx. 2:30 to 4:30 pm. For more information, speak to Barbara Newman (610-967-3682) or Jean Scott (610-966-5487). Don't pass up this very easy opportunity to "do unto others."



**You can help Daybreak another way!**  
We prepare a meal at Daybreak once a month, and provide cookies, too. But there is another way you can help. Travel-sized toiletries are needed, shampoo, conditioner, etc. like the ones you get at a hotel. Note cards are also needed. Those who would like to donate can do so by placing items in the box in Fellowship Hall. For more information, please talk to Laurie Payea (610-366-9099).



### ***Faith Presbyterian Church SCRIP Program***

The **Building & Grounds Committee** has plenty of **projects** that need funding. The profits from the **SCRIP PROGRAM** will help offset these costs.

We received **16** orders in **October** totaling **\$4,125.00** for the **GREAT LAKES SCRIP** and **WEIS** programs which generated **\$210.75** to help offset the costs of various **Buildings & Grounds Projects**.

The **total** for **2009 (9 months)** is **\$2,030.83**.

**The next date for orders is TODAY!!!!** You might want to begin thinking about the gift cards you need for the holidays!

For a complete list of retailers or for more information check the **table in the Fellowship Hall** or [www.qlscrip.com](http://www.qlscrip.com).

Please contact Sally Heimbach (**610-965-2102** or **sheimbch@ptd.net**) with any questions or concerns.



### ***Contact Information for Pastoral Care Needs***

To contact our Interim Pastor, please use Roberta Kearney's email address:  
[pastor.roberta@faithchurchemmaus.org](mailto:pastor.roberta@faithchurchemmaus.org).

For pastoral needs between 9:00 am and 2:00 pm on a Monday through Thursday, contact the church office—610-967-5600.

After hours, please contact Carolyn Baittinger, Moderator of Deacons—610-967-2858; or Lynn Ingram, Clerk of Session—610-966-0897, who will make the appropriate connections.

For medical emergencies or deaths, contact Roberta at 610-428-1835.



### ***My Time with God***

#### ***FINISHING MATTHEW'S GOSPEL***

Matthew, in chapters 26 and 27, takes time to give details about the people around Jesus, to provide a sense of who they are and how they think. Matthew helps us imagine ourselves in the garden, or the courtyard, or before the council or Pilate, or in the crowd. As you read, and imagined your self walking with Jesus through his last week, I wonder what emotions, images or details made you stop and catch your breath, made you hesitate at the pain of what was happening.

I encourage you, as you finish reading Matthew's gospel, to take time to reflect on the feelings and thoughts that have surfaced for you. How has reading Matthew changed or strengthened your sense of who Jesus is? What has God, through the Spirit, been revealing to you about your heart, your beliefs, your life?

***YOU WEREN'T READY TO BEGIN READING THE NEW TESTAMENT IN SEPTEMBER?*** Start tomorrow – Monday – with the gospel of Mark. We have purchased additional copies of My Time with God – available in the church office for \$10.

Next Sunday, Nov 15 – come to room 5, at 9 am for an introduction to Mark's gospel.

From the first page of Mark you will feel his sense of urgency about Jesus.

**Next Sunday** is the deadline for the December issue of The Faith Flyer !



***First Thursdays Sunrise Devotional***

Join us the first Thursday of each month, at 6:30 am in the parlor, for a brief devotional to start the day. There is no commitment to attend every month.

Drop in if you need prayer, support or just want to try it out. The group meets at 6:30 am sharp and closes promptly at 7:00 am.

Come if you have a question about your faith, want to talk more about Sunday's sermon, are wondering about something, or need prayer or support.

For questions see Janie Slamon or Louise Schaefer. **Next meeting, December 3, at 6:30 am.**



***Adult Sunday School***

**November 15th, 22nd and 29th**

There will only be one Adult Sunday School Offering.

Room 5 "My Time with God" - Rev. Kearney

**December 6**

Parlor "*The American Theocracy*" by Kevin Phillips. The Perils and Politics of Radical Religion, Oil and Borrowed Money  
Leader -Bruce Kunkle  
(Reading of the book is not necessary.)

Room 5 "*My Time with God*"  
Leader Rev. Kearney

**December 13**

Parlor "*The Audacity of Hope*" by Barack Obama  
Leader - Bruce Kunkle  
(Reading of the book is not necessary)

Room 5 "*My Time with God*"  
Leader Rev. Kearney

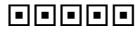


**Nursery**

Childcare is provided from 9AM to Noon in the Nursery for infants and children up to age 3 during Sunday School time and worship.

Volunteers are needed to assist our paid childcare provider. Young adults are welcome to assist during the 9:15 -10:15 time period. Adult and teen volunteers are needed during worship time. Sign up on the sign-up sheet on the nursery complex door.

Contributions to help defray the cost of this care are welcome. Please place them in the offering plate and clearly mark them "Nursery Care Provider".



**Fairly Traded Coffee**

The Mission Committee is offering the congregation the opportunity to purchase Equal Exchange Fairly Traded Coffee. Both “**regular**” and “**de-caf**” drip coffee is available for \$7.00 per bag. Now, for your further coffee enjoyment, we also offer **whole bean, French vanilla, hazelnut crème** flavored coffees, along with **hot cocoa**, at the same price of \$7.00 per bag.

Fairly traded coffee is served at our fellowship hour following worship if you’d like to get a taste before buying. Please look for the display on the table in Fellowship Hall. If paying by check, please write “Fair Trade Coffee” on the memo line.

**Fairly traded coffee would make a great gift for the holidays.** Perhaps in a gift basket? If you want to order, please see Sally Heimbach.



**Lend a Hand—Give a Can**

The Mission Committee is extending the food & clothing drive thru Thanksgiving. During this difficult economic time, there are even more families in need. Please consider adding a few canned goods when you shop this week and bring them into Church. All donations are now being delivered to the Emmaus Food Bank. In regards to clothing, there is a specific need for winter clothing!



**Gulfport, Mississippi Recovery Mission Trip**

Join the Millick family on their 6th trip to the Gulf coast to continue in the recovery from Hurricane Katrina. It’s been a very rewarding experience that they’d love to share.

If interested, contact Jim or Diane Millick at 610-366-1261.



### ***Lemon Tree Holiday Bazaar***

**November 14th—9:00 am—3:00 pm**

Invite your neighbors and friends and stop in to buy those unusual Christmas gifts that were handmade with love. (Our own Women of Faith set up their crafts at this event each year!) Then have lunch in our Commons Dining Room. All profits are used ensure that the quality of life for our residents at Westminster Village is meaningful, stimulating, warm and caring. Any questions, call Ruth Young at 610.782.8358.

(Westminster Village is a continuing care facility that is part of the Presbyterian Senior Living network. )



### ***Poinsettia Display***

Please be a part of our annual poinsettia display. The plants will be arranged for Christmas Eve. Then you can pick yours up and enjoy for the rest of the holidays. Simply fill out an order form below on a red envelope, found in the pews, and drop in the offering plate with a check or cash. Checks should be made payable to “Faith Presbyterian Church” and marking “poinsettia” on the memo line.

6” branched—1 plant (4-6 blooms) \$ 6.00 Available in red, white, pink or marble.

The **deadline for orders** to be received by the church is **November 30, 2009**.



### ***Membership Conversations***

Our Fall Membership Conversation series is in progress. For information on our next series, or questions about joining the church, please contact Ann Lowell at [lowellga@ptd.net](mailto:lowellga@ptd.net)



### ***Joys & Concerns***

Keep these people in your prayers!

The **Baittinger & Lingold** families, on the death of **Carolyn’s** mother, **Clare Hoffman**.

**Darlene Dourney & Chad Gorr**, on the death of Darlene’s father, Chad’s grandfather.

**Ruth Murray**, mother of **Laurie Payea**, recovering from surgery; and **Larry Murray**, Laurie’s brother, who is dealing with health issues.

**Dave Weber**, as he undergoes another round of chemo.

**Lorraine Whaley**, sister of **Kathy Hemberger**, on her recent cancer diagnosis and treatment.

**Blanche Ring**, mother of **Debbie Lillegard**, under-going treatment for cancer.

All **church members** & their families who are experiencing job loss and economic uncertainty.

We respect your privacy. If you have a joy or a concern you would like printed in the bulletin, please contact your deacon, or call the church office (610) 967-5600.

In MILITARY SERVICE

Keep these people in your prayers!

**Anthony Acciani**, cousin of the **McWhinney/DePhillips** family.

**Bethany Kauffman**, niece of **Jim & Penny Pantano**.

**Charles Van Heest**, grandson of **Kay & Dave Weber**.

**Doland J. Miller**, son-in-law of **George J. Smits**

**Amanda** and **Jeremy Miller**, grandchildren of **George J. Smits**.

**Lucas Whittington**, grandnephew of **Cliff & Donna Lucas**.



Lehigh Presbytery Churches

Please remember to pray for your brothers and sisters of the Lehigh Presbytery.

**First Presbyterian Church**, Milford

**Community Presbyterian Church of Mt. Bethel/Portland**



Birthday blessings

November 9— John Stewart

November 11— Tyler Hill, Isaac H. Yates

November 12— Eric Stephen

November 13— Geoffrey Lowell



*Two Weeks of Faith*

Room Numbers, indicating where meetings will be held (when known), are shown in parenthesis following the listing.

**This Week**

**Sunday, November 8**      **SCRIP Orders Due**

- 9:00 am—Sunday School
- 10:30 am—Worship Service: Children's Church
- 11:45 am—Alpha Choir (7)
- 5:00pm—Youth Group
- 7:00 pm—Membership Conversation #2 (5)
- 7:00 pm—Youth Music (S)
- 7:30 pm—Youth Bells (S)

**Monday, November 9**

- 2:00 pm—Daybreak

**Tuesday, November 10**

- 9:00 am—LV AGO (FH)
- 6:30 pm—Pastor Nominating Committee
- 7:00 pm—Session

**Wednesday, November 11**

- Noon—Bible Exploration (5)
- 6:00 pm—Handbell Choir Rehearsal (S)
- 7:30 pm—Senior Choir Rehearsal (S)

**Thursday, November 12**

- 9:30 am—Devotional Fellowship Group (Moring)
- 7-10 pm—Narcotics Anonymous (FH)

**Friday, November 13**

**Saturday, November 14**

- 8:30 am—Faith Church Work Day
- 9:00 am—W.O.F.\* @ Lemon Tree Holiday Bazaar  
(Westminster Village)

\**Women of Faith*

\*\**God Leads Us Everywhere*

\*\*\**Youth To Kenya*

**Next Week**

**Sunday, November 15**      **Flyer Deadline**

9:00 am—Sunday School  
10:30 am—Worship Service  
11:45 am—Alpha Choir (S)  
11:45 am—Membership/Session Meeting  
5:00pm—G.L.U.E. \*\*  
7:00 pm—Youth Music (S)  
7:30 pm—Youth Bells (S)  
8:00 pm—Y2K\*\*\*

**Monday, November 16**

6:30 pm—Partnership (P)  
7:00 pm—Building & Grounds (2)  
7:30 pm—Mission (P)

**Tuesday, November 17**

6:30 pm—Pastor Nominating Committee  
7:15 pm—Deacons (P)

**Wednesday, November 18**

Noon—Bible Exploration (5)  
6:00 pm—Handbell Choir Rehearsal (S)  
7:00 pm—Membership (P)  
7:30 pm—Senior Choir Rehearsal (S)

**Thursday, November 19**

10:00 am—Flyer Crew (FH)  
1:00 pm—Parish Life/W.O.F. Daytime Event (FH)  
7-10 pm—Narcotics Anonymous (FH)

**Friday, November 20**

**Saturday, November 21**

8:30 am—Faith Church Work Day (rain date)