

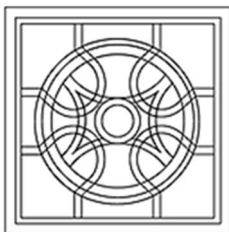
THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHESTNUT HILL

An inclusive community of faith

Sunday, September 25, 2022

10:00 a.m.

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST



8855 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

WELCOME!

Welcome to the Presbyterian Church of Chestnut Hill!

Whether you're a first-time guest or a longtime 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 2 is available in the Strouse building—ask an usher for assistance. Children age 3 and older depart from worship for church school.

We encourage you to fill out the black fellowship pads in the pews, to help us to get to know all who've shared worship with us today.

Following the 10:00 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 14.

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Listen to your life.
See it for the fathomless mystery that it is.
In the boredom and pain of it
no less than in the excitement and gladness:
touch, taste, smell your way to the holy and hidden heart of it
because in the last analysis all moments are key moments,
and life itself is grace.

—Frederick Buechner
Now and Then

OPENING VOLUNTARY

Jesu, Meine Freude

J. S. Bach
(1685-1750)

INTROIT

Arthur Wills
(b. 1926)

O Lord, open thou our lips:
and our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

O God, make speed to save us:
O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory 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.

Praise ye the Lord.
The Lord's name be praised.

**Please stand as you are able.*

CALL TO WORSHIP *(from Psalm 91)*

Leader: You who live in the shelter of the Most High,
who abide in the shadow of the Almighty,
People: **will say to the Lord,**
“My refuge and my fortress; my God, in whom I trust.”

Leader: For God will deliver you from the snare of the fowler
and from the deadly pestilence;
People: **Under God’s wings you will find refuge;**
God’s faithfulness is a shield and buckler.

Leader: You will not fear the terror of the night,
or the arrow that flies by day,
People: **or the pestilence that stalks in darkness,**
or the destruction that wastes at noonday.

Leader: Those who love me, I will deliver;
I will protect those who know my name.
People: **When they call to me,**
I will answer them;

Leader: I will be with them in trouble,
I will rescue them and honor them.
People: **With long life I will satisfy them,**
and show them my salvation.

*HYMN 477

Ye Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim

HANOVER

PRAYER OF CONFESSION *(unison)*

O Lord our God,
you call us to work for a world where all will be fed and have dignity, but we find
ourselves distracted by our own desires. You call us to seek justice and peace, but we
are satisfied with injustice and discord. You call us to bring liberty to the oppressed,
but we do not insist on freedom for all.

Forgive us, O Lord.
Turn us to your will by the power of your Spirit, so that all may know your justice and
peace; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Savior. Amen.

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.

*GLORIA PATRI

Juneau

Glo - ry be to the Fa - ther, and to the Son, and to the
Ho - ly Ghost; 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 (*unison*)

Loving God, fountain of every blessing,
open us to your life-giving word,
and fill us with your Holy Spirit
so that living water may flow through our hearts—
a spring of hope for a thirsty world;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

EPISTLE LESSON

1 Timothy 6:6-19

Of course, there is great gain in godliness combined with contentment; for we brought nothing into the world, so that we can take nothing out of it; but if we have food and clothing, we will be content with these. But those who want to be rich fall into temptation and are trapped by many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, and in their eagerness to be rich some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pains. But as for you, man of God, shun all this; pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, gentleness. Fight the good fight of the faith; take hold of the eternal life, to which you were called and for which you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses. In the presence of God, who gives life to all things, and of Christ Jesus, who in his testimony before Pontius Pilate made the good confession, I charge you to keep the commandment without spot or blame until the manifestation of our Lord Jesus Christ, which he will bring about at the right time—he who is the blessed and only Sovereign, the King of kings and Lord of lords. It is he alone who has immortality and dwells in

unapproachable light, whom no one has ever seen or can see; to him be honor and eternal dominion. Amen. As for those who in the present age are rich, command them not to be haughty, or to set their hopes on the uncertainty of riches, but rather on God who richly provides us with everything for our enjoyment. They are to do good, to be rich in good works, generous, and ready to share, thus storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of the life that really is life.

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.

People: **Thanks be to God.**

PSALTER

Psalm 146:5-10

Peter Hallock
(1924-2014)

Choir: Antiphon



Congregation: Antiphon

Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help!
Whose hope is in the Lord their God;

Who made heaven and earth, the seas,
and all that is in them;
who keeps his promise for ever;

Congregation: Antiphon

Who gives justice to those who are oppressed,
and food to those who hunger.

The Lord sets the prisoners free;
the Lord opens the eyes of the blind;
the Lord lifts up those who are bowed down.

Congregation: Antiphon

The Lord loves the righteous;
the lord cares for the stranger;
he sustains the orphan and widow,
but frustrates the way of the wicked.

The Lord shall reign for ever,
your God, O Zion, throughout all generations.
Hallelujah!

Congregation: Antiphon

CHILDREN'S MOMENT AND DISMISSAL

Children through 7th grade depart for church school in the Strouse building. Immediately following church school children ages 3 years to 5th grade participate in Joyful Noise in the chapel. Following rehearsal the children will be brought to their families in Widener Hall. Children in 6th and 7th grades will be dismissed from church school to join their families in the narthex.

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 LESSON

Luke 16:19-31

“There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and who feasted sumptuously every day. And at his gate lay a poor man named Lazarus, covered with sores, who longed to satisfy his hunger with what fell from the rich man’s table; even the dogs would come and lick his sores. The poor man died and was carried away by the angels to be with Abraham. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades, where he was being tormented, he looked up and saw Abraham far away with Lazarus by his side. He called out, ‘Father Abraham, have mercy on me, and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue; for I am in agony in these flames.’ But Abraham said, ‘Child, remember that during your lifetime you received your good things, and Lazarus in like manner evil things; but now he is comforted here, and you are in agony. Besides all this, between you and us a great chasm has been fixed, so that those who might want to pass from here to you cannot do so, and no one can cross from there to us.’ He said, ‘Then, father, I beg you to send him to my father’s house—for I have five brothers—that he may warn them, so that they will not also come into this place of torment.’ Abraham replied, ‘They have Moses and the prophets; they should listen to them.’ He said, ‘No, father Abraham; but if someone goes to them from the dead, they will repent.’ He said to him, ‘If they do not listen to Moses and the prophets, neither will they be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.’”

Leader: Holy wisdom, holy word.

People: Thanks be to God.

SERMON

Eulogy

John Wilkinson

*HYMN 307

Fight the Good Fight

DUKE STREET

***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

William Crotch
(1775-1847)

Comfort, O Lord, the soul of thy servant.
For unto thee do I lift up my soul.

***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 THANKGIVING**

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray.

All: **Direct and help us, O Lord, in all our deeds, that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name, and finally, by your mercy, obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

***HYMN 408**

Where Cross the Crowded Ways of Life

GERMANY

***CHARGE AND BENEDICTION**

BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Amen

Peter Lutkin
(1858-1931)

CLOSING VOLUNTARY

Toccata in D Minor

Johann Froberger
(1616-1667)

LEADING WORSHIP TODAY

PREACHING

John Wilkinson

LITURGISTS

Brian Russo

Roberta Kearney

MUSIC

Gallery Choir

Daniel Spratlan conductor

Jeffrey DeVault organist

GREETERS

Ryan Mann and **Bill Murphy** Elders

Edie Russo and **Beth Vaccaro** Deacons

USHERS

Jim Burns, Jason Jones, Barbara Olson

FLOWER GUILD

Linnea Johnson and **Suzan Willcox**

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Cover Art In this mosaic image stretching 340 light-years across, the James Webb Space Telescope's Near-Infrared Camera (NIRCam) displays the Tarantula Nebula star-forming region in a new light, including tens of thousands of never-before-seen young stars that were previously shrouded in cosmic dust. The most active region appears to sparkle with massive young stars, appearing pale blue. Scattered among them are still-embedded stars, appearing red, yet to emerge from the dusty cocoon of the nebula. NIRCam is able to detect these dust-enshrouded stars thanks to its unprecedented resolution at near-infrared wavelengths. To the upper left of the cluster of young stars, and the top of the nebula's cavity, an older star prominently displays NIRCam's distinctive eight diffraction spikes, an artifact of the telescope's structure. Following the top central spike of this star upward, it almost points to a distinctive bubble in the cloud. Young stars still surrounded by dusty material are blowing this bubble, beginning to carve out their own cavity. Astronomers used two of Webb's spectrographs to take a closer look at this region and determine the chemical makeup of the star and its surrounding gas. This spectral information will tell astronomers about the age of the nebula and how many generations of star birth it has seen. Farther from the core region of hot young stars, cooler gas takes on a rust color, telling astronomers that the nebula is rich with complex hydrocarbons. This dense gas is the material that will form future stars. As winds from the massive stars sweep away gas and dust, some of it will pile up and, with gravity's help, form new stars. Photo credit: NASA, ESA, CSA, STScI, Creative Commons license (CC BY 2.0).

GOOD TO KNOW

If you are interested in exploring membership at PCCH, please contact John Wilkinson at the church office or at jwilkinson@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 Brian Russo at the church office or at brusso@chestnuthillpres.org.

If you would like to receive a ride to church for Sunday worship, please contact the church office.

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.

EMAIL SCAMS

Many of you are reporting an uptick in emails purported to be from church staff soliciting money. Please know that we will never solicit funds in that manner. Please contact the church office if you ever receive an email that does not seem legitimate. We apologize for any inconvenience that this causes.

THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

TODAY AT PCCH

PHILADELPHIA COVID UPDATE

Masks during worship and other gatherings will be optional, not required. Thank you for your prayers and understanding as we seek to navigate in this season with full measures of care and compassion.

PLEASE DO NOT USE THE NARTHEX DOORS LEADING TO THE CHAPEL. We are awaiting a replacement part which is back ordered. Thank you.

MEMORIAL FLOWERS

If you would like to memorialize a loved one or celebrate a special anniversary or birthday, Sunday, October 9 is available to donate flowers in the sanctuary. Please contact Evelyn Carpenter at 215-247-8855 or ecarpenter@chestnuthillpres.org with your specific flower request.

PARENTS ON TAP

Tuesday, September 27, 7:30 p.m., Iron Hill Brewery

Introducing a new group for the new year! Beginning on September 27 and occurring on the fourth Tuesday of every month, parents of children still in and around the home are invited to join Brian Russo and others at Iron Hill Brewery on Germantown Avenue as we gather to discuss all things parenting. From joys to miseries, to questions and suggestions, from sharing stories and experiences, we will try to tackle it all, including the biggest topics confronting both us and our kids. RSVP to brusso@chestnuthillpres.org.

SIX-WORD MEMOIR INVITATION

As today's lectionary passages invite us to think about how we live our lives, you are invited to write a six-word memoir. We have provided an insert for you to do this, either this morning or later on. You are invited to share these with the congregation, with no obligation to do so.

From the Six-Word memoir website: "The six-word constraint forces us to figure out the essence of who we are and what matters most. Above all, six words is a great way for anyone and everyone to start telling their story. A compelling Six-Word Memoir also provokes three more important words from those who receive it: *Tell me more.*"

Here are a few examples...funny or serious, random or coherent...

- Bad brakes discovered at high speed.
- Former Boss: "Writing's your worst skill!" – Amy Tan
- Life behind a microphone gets lonely.
- Act two curtain brought dramatic improvements.
- Older now, I draw myself better.
- Never really finished anything, except cake.
- ABCs. MTV. SATs. THC. IRA. NPR.
- Caring for parents. Life is circular.
- Fourteen years old, story still untold.



Suzanne Duchesne

Guest Preacher and Forum Leader
Sunday, October 2




Professor Duchesne, a United Methodist minister, will be our guest preacher on October 2, World Communion Sunday.

Following worship, she will lead us in conversation about how we may more faithfully connect to the land and to the indigenous/native communities around us.

A light luncheon will be served.

Suzanne Wenonah Duchesne

Visiting Assistant Professor of Worship and Preaching
and Director of the Chapel, New Brunswick Theological Seminary



THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
OF CHESTNUT HILL

Cantatas and Chamber Music



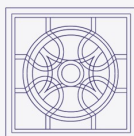
Friday, October 7

7 p.m. reception

7:30 p.m. concert

suggested donation \$10.00

Philadelphia Orchestra Concertmaster David Kim will join the soloists of the PCCH Gallery Choir and new PCCH Organist Jeffrey DeVault for our first concert of the season. Jeff has been David's accompanist for over a decade, and they will share some of their favorite collaborations with the audience. The soloists of the PCCH Gallery Choir will accompany David in an arrangement of Vaughan Williams' stunning *The Lark Ascending*, and Jeff will also offer a few selections on PCCH's glorious Mander Organ.



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CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

SUNDAY SCHOOL UPDATE

We offer classes for two different age groups—one for children ages 3 through 2nd grade (room 212) and another for children in grades 3 through 7 (room 201). Both rooms are directly adjacent to the chapel.

Our curriculum for both age groups, based on the Montessori method of learning, comes from Godly Play, using visual elements to hear Bible stories and then inviting children to express themselves by creating art or building and shaping things.

Godly Play is designed for children to both experience God and to find ways to express their faith experiences. The rhythm of Godly Play is more like worship than school and children are able to explore what they have experienced.

Our younger children from ages 3 to 2nd grade will be immersed in the stories of God's care for us, learning the ebb and flow of silence and interacting, of hearing and doing.

The older group, grades 3 to 7, will focus on the gift of creation and how we might think about the needs of the earth while hearing many ways in which people of the Bible carry out acts of love and care in challenging times.

Nursery care is available for children ages two and under and is staffed by two fully vaccinated, fully background-checked adults. Nursery workers will continue wearing masks.

CHILDREN AND YOUTH SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Sunday, September 25

11:00–11:30 a.m. Joyful Noise (grades K-5)

11:00–1:30 a.m. Confirmation Class (grades 7-9): Expectations Meeting in Brian’s office

3:00–8:00 p.m. High School Youth Group: Escape Room and dinner in Princeton, NJ

Sunday, October 2

11:00–11:30 a.m. Joyful Noise (grades K-5)

11:00–11:30 a.m. Junior High Fellowship in Youth Room (grades 6-8)

4:30–5:00 p.m. Youth Choir (grades 6-12)

5:00–5:30 p.m. Dinner (sushi)

5:30–7:00 p.m. High School Youth Group: “Life 101 (Money)” and Werewolf

CHILDREN AND YOUTH MUSIC

Joyful Noise, our children’s choir will resume weekly rehearsals immediately following Church School on Sunday mornings, concluding at 11:30 a.m. All children through grade 5 are invited to participate.

Youth Choir, now under the direction of Julie Snyder, will meet this year at a new time, Sundays from 4:30–5:00 p.m. All youth in grades 6-12 are invited to participate.

PIFFARO, THE RENAISSANCE BAND, CONCERT

Saturday, October 1, 7:30 p.m. in the PCCH Sanctuary

PCCH members receive special general admission price of \$20. Use code PCCH when ordering tickets at piffaro.org or call 215-235-8469.

Join Piffaro in welcoming a new season and a new artistic director, Priscilla Herreid.

This all-instrumental program celebrates the beauty that flourishes at the confluence of tradition and change. Playlist includes: secular and sacred music, dance music, motets, madrigals and much more!

OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN & CONNECT

WEDNESDAY BIBLE STUDY

11:00 a.m., Harris Room

- September 28** Chapters 4-5: Heaven opened: the lion and the lamb
- October 5** Chapters 6-7: Seven seals and 144,000
- October 12** Chapters 8-11: Seven trumpets
- October 19** Chapters 12-14: Seven signs in heaven
- October 26** Chapters 15-17: Seven plagues
- November 2** Chapters 18-19: Fall of Babylon
- November 9** Chapters 20-22: A new Jerusalem

All are welcome to attend as you are available. Any questions, contact Roberta Kearney (rkearney@chestnuthillpres.org)

FALL BOOK GROUP

Braiding Sweetgrass: Indigenous Wisdom, Scientific Knowledge, and the Teachings of Plants by Robin Wall Kimmerer is our church-wide book study this year.

Our first discussion will be **Sunday, September 25, Second Hour, Reception Room.**

A copy of the book, for borrowing, is in the church office.

Kimmerer describes her book as a braid of stories meant to heal our relationships with the world. Below are some reflection questions for the first three essays, to get you reflecting on your own stories.

Reflection Questions for discussing *Braiding Sweetgrass*

1. In *Skywoman Falling* Kimmerer tells the origin story of how the earth came into being. What is the origin story you have about how your family came into being? Or, of how the world came into being? In what ways do your origin stories help you consider where you came from and how we can go forward?
2. *The Council of Pecans* speaks of honoring and being tied to the land, of what occurs through seasons of feast and famine and the lessons of sticking together, acting as one. What have you learned from being connected to a particular place? What experiences do you have of sticking together, acting as one?
3. *The Gift of Strawberries* is a story about grace. Grace—meaning gifts we do not earn or possibly deserve—that come to us free, without any effort on our part, meant to be appreciated. What stories would you tell of grace, particularly God’s grace and generosity in your life?

PRESBYTERY FALL 2022 ANTI-RACISM BOOK STUDY

Mondays in October at 12:00 noon, via Zoom: October 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

You are invited to participate in the presbytery's fall anti-racism book study. This fall's book is "You Mean It or You Don't: James Baldwin's Radical Challenge," by Jamie McGhee and Adam Hollowell. Learn more at [You Mean It Or You Don't \(prayingwithjamesbaldwin.com\)](http://YouMeanItOrYouDont.com) The book is available now. Here is the Zoom link for our meetings: tinyurl.com/9hamvc2x. Contact John Wilkinson for more information.

CENTER ON THE HILL

Center on the Hill is open Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. with all our practices and protocols in place (sanitation practices, limited number of participants per class, social distancing, and UV air filters). New online content, such as virtual tours, fitness videos, art lessons, recorded presentations and more, is posted Monday to Thursday at 12:00 p.m. on our programs page: chestnuthillpres.org/center-on-the-hill/programs. Registration 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.

SEPTEMBER ART SHOW

Linda Chicchi, Mixed Media Watercolors

The Gallery is open for viewing Monday to Friday 10:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. daily and before and after worship services. This is Linda's first solo show. Working primarily in watercolor, she also uses mixed media, inks and mono printing.

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

September 26, October 3, 10, 24, 31, and November 7, 1:00-2:00 p.m., free. Group is closed to new members after October 3.

We acknowledge the value of sharing time and stories with others who have also experienced a loss. Please join us for six informal gatherings as you grieve the loss of a loved one. Topics Covered include: Myths of Grieving, Grieving and the Holidays, Does Grief Ever End.

KEYS TO POSTURE AND BALANCE

Wednesday, September 28, 1:00–2:30 p.m., \$25

It is extremely important to maintain good posture to support our health and minimize structural discomforts. In the aging process, alignment and balance can become challenged. This class will give foundational guidelines to maintain postural alignment and increase balance efficiency.

LEARN TO PLAY RUMMY TILES

Wednesday, September 28, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m., free

Rummy Tiles (aka Rummikub) is one of the world's best-selling and most-played games. Players take turns placing numbered tiles in runs or groups. Fast-paced, an easy game for 2 to 4 players, combining elements of the card game rummy and mahjong. Come learn how to play and then return for open play!

MOVING FORWARD TO SUCCESSFUL AGING

Thursday, September 29, 11:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m., free

Presented in person for limited participants, and recorded to stream online the following week. Successful aging has been researched for years with findings shared and movements initiated. The most critical project was the MacArthur Foundation Study of Gerontology in 1984. This was a \$10 million grant with the study of over 1,000 seniors. It was the most extensive and comprehensive project in America. The research dispelled the many myths of aging and today the product of this study has essentially set the stage for our active older adults, involved in every aspect of our country.

LEARN AND PLAY CROQUET

Tuesday, October 4 (Rain Date Tuesday October 11), 10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m., free

Croquet is a sport that involves hitting wooden balls with a mallet through hoops (called “wickets”) embedded in a grass playing court. Join us outside on the lawn to learn how to play American Nine-Wicket aka “Backyard” Croquet. We will also discuss and tryout a variation or two on this game. This is a fun and engaging way to get some fresh air and exercise while learning a new sport!

HAPPENING HERE THIS WEEK

SUNDAY, September 25

Worship	sanctuary, 10:00 a.m.
Church School	Strouse, 10:20 a.m.
Joyful Noise	chapel, 11:00 a.m.
Confirmation Class	Brian's office, 11:00 a.m.
Fellowship	Widener, 11:15 a.m.
Second Hour	reception room, 11:30 a.m.
High School Fellowship	Princeton NJ 3:00 p.m.

MONDAY, September 26

Sketching and Watercolor	room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Mah Jongg 101	room 5, 10:00 a.m.
Italian Conversation	Harris, 11:00 a.m.
Piano tuning	sanctuary, chapel, choir room, 11:00 a.m.
Classic Table Games	room 5, 12:00 p.m.
Bridge group	room 4, 12:30 p.m.
Grief Support group	reception room, 1:00 p.m.
Water Media level 2	room 1&2, 1:30 p.m.
Qigong	Harris, 2:00 p.m.
Girlchoir rehearsal	room 3&4, chapel, 4:00 p.m.
Girlchoir rehearsal	choir room and sanctuary, 5:30 p.m.
Philomusica rehearsal	Widener, 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, September 27

Mindfulness Practice	room 4, 9:30 a.m.
Sketching and Watercolor	room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Mah Jongg Open Play	room 5, 12:30 p.m.
Writing Your Life Story	Harris, 1:00 p.m.
Tile Mosaic class, Session A	room 3&4, 1:30 p.m.
CY Choir rehearsal	choir room, 6:00 p.m.
Well Spouse Support group	zoom, 7:00 p.m.
Northern District Boy Scouts	room 5, 7:00 p.m.
Royal Scottish Country Dancers	chapel, 7:15 p.m.
Social Witness Committee	zoom, 7:30 p.m.
Parents on Tap	Iron Hill Brewery, 7:30 p.m.
Philadelphia Women's Music Project rehearsal	Widener, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, September 28

Rotary Club	Widener, 7:30 a.m.
Beginning Tai Chi	Widener, 10:00 a.m.
Learn to Play Rummy	room 4, 10:30 a.m.
Rummy Tiles Open Play	room 5, 10:30 a.m.
Bible Study	Harris, 11:00 a.m.
Continuing Tai Chi	Widener, 11:15 a.m.
Bridge Open Play	room 1&2, 11:30 a.m.
Intermediate Tai Chi	Widener, 12:30 p.m.
Keys to Posture and Balance	Harris, 1:00 p.m.
Staff Meeting	Melcher, 1:00 p.m.
Mah Jongg 201	room 4, 1:00 p.m.
Mah Jongg Beginner and Intermediate Open Play	room 5, 1:30 p.m.
Golden Yoga	Widener, 3:00 p.m.
Weight Watchers	room 1&2, 5:15 p.m.
Girlchoir rehearsal	all rooms, 6:00 p.m.
Stewardship Committee	zoom, 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY, September 29

BNI Group Meeting	Melcher, 7:45 a.m.
Qigong Healing Movements	Harris, 9:00 a.m.
Outdoor Gardeners Board meeting	Melcher, 9:30 a.m.
Thursday Painters	room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Thursday Bridge Game	room 5, 10:00 a.m.
Moving Forward to Successful Aging	Harris, 11:00 a.m.
Soul Line Dancing	Widener, 1:30 p.m.
Tile Mosaic class, Session B	room 3&4, 1:30 p.m.
Girlchoir Board meeting	Harris, 6:00 p.m.
MALT Ballroom Dancing class	Widener, 6:45 p.m.
Boy Scouts	room 1&2, 7:30 p.m.
Gallery Choir rehearsal	choir room, 8:00 p.m.

FRIDAY, September 30

Red Cross Blood Drive
Yoga with Attitude
Scrabble Game
Yoga, A Chair and You
International Folk Dancing

Widener, 8:30 a.m.
Harris, 9:45 a.m.
room 5, 10:00 a.m.
Harris, 11:30 a.m.
room 3&4, 12:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, October 1

Piffaro Concert

sanctuary, 7:30 p.m.

SUNDAY, October 2

Worship

Church School
Joyful Noise rehearsal
Junior High Fellowship
Duchesne Lunch Presentation
Youth Choir rehearsal
Youth Group dinner
Senior High Fellowship

World Communion Sunday

sanctuary, 10:00 a.m.
Strouse, 10:20 a.m.
chapel, 11:00 a.m.
Brian's office, 11:00 a.m.
Widener, 11:15 a.m.
choir room, 4:30 p.m.
sushi, Brian's office, 5:00 p.m.
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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

Linda Amsterdam	B. Graeme Frazier	Michelle Shachtman
Rebecca Bernstein	Lisa Guyer	Taylor Slaughter
Jill Bown	Kate Houstoun	Harry Spaeth
Shannon Cavanaugh	Kathryn Krantz	James Spause
Gregory Dickinson	James Lutz	Margaret Spencer
Matthew Eastman	Katherine Magid	Beth Nell Vaccaro
Jack Evans	Ryan Mann	Christen Webber
Robert Fles	William Murphy	Kevin Welsh

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Emily Barth	Debby Evans	Barbara Olson
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Beth DeSoo	Jane Kaufman	Beth Vaccaro
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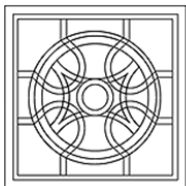
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