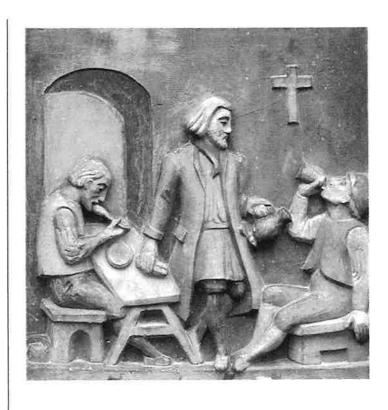
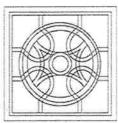
# THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF CHESTNUT HILL

An inclusive community of faith

Sunday, September 26, 2021 10:00 a.m. 18TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST





### 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 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.

All are welcome for refreshments and fellowship immediately following the service on the south lawn (weather permitting).

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

The church exists by mission as fire exists by burning. -Emil Brunner

ORGAN VOLUNTARY Andante Sostenuto (Symphonie Gothique)

Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937)

INTROIT

Gerre Hancock

(1934-2012)

The Lord is in his holy temple; let all the earth keep silence before him. The Lord preserve his going out and his coming in; from this time forth forever more. Glory to the Father, and to the Son. and to the Holy Spirit. Amen.

### **CALL TO WORSHIP**

adapted from Psalm 19

Leader:

The law of the Lord is perfect,

reviving the soul;

People:

the decrees of the Lord are sure,

making wise the simple;

Leader:

the precepts of the Lord are right,

rejoicing the heart;

People:

the commandment of the Lord is clear,

enlightening the eyes:

Leader:

more to be desired are they than gold,

even much fine gold;

People:

sweeter also than honey,

and drippings of the honeycomb.

### PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Almighty God, you love us, but we have not loved you. You call, but we have not listened. We walk away from neighbors in need, wrapped in our own concerns, and in doing so, we walk away from you. God of grace, help us to admit our sin, so that as you come to us in mercy, we may repent, turn to you, and receive forgiveness; through Jesus Christ our redeemer. Amen.

### KYRIE ELEISON

Thomas Juneau (b. 1977)



Choir Lord, have mercy



Choir Christ, have mercy.



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



### WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

# PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION (unison)

Gracious God, as we engage your word, come and bring your understanding and reveal your truth. Open our minds, hearts and souls to all that these words of life offer us. We long to be continually challenged, transformed and renewed by your word. May we hear your voice of life as we read and draw close to you. Amen.

Psalm 19:7-10, 14

### **PSALTER**

C.H.H. Parry (1848-1918)

The law of the Lord is perfect and revives the soul; the testimony of the Lord is sure and gives wisdom to the innocent.

The statutes of the Lord are just and rejoice the heart; the commandment of the Lord is clear and gives light to the eyes.

The fear of the Lord is clean and endures forever; the judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.

More to be desired are they than gold, more than much fine gold, sweeter far than honey, than honey in the comb.

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer.

#### CHILDREN'S MOMENT AND DISMISSAL

Children through fifth grade may process to the Chapel.

**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**

When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on the throne of his glory. All the nations will be gathered before him, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats, and he will put the sheep at his right hand and the goats at the left. Then the king will say to those at his right hand, 'Come, you that are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world; for I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you gave me clothing. I was sick and you took care of me, I was in prison and you visited me.' Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry and gave you food, or thirsty and gave you something to drink? And when was it that we saw you a stranger and welcomed you, or naked and gave you clothing? And when was it that we saw you sick or in prison and visited you?' And the king will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me.' Then he will say to those at his left hand, 'You that are accursed, depart from me into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels; for I was hungry and you gave me no food, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, I was a stranger and you did not welcome me, naked and you did not give me clothing, sick and in prison and you did not visit me.' Then they also will answer, 'Lord, when was it that we saw you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not take care of you?' Then he will answer them, 'Truly I tell you, just as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to me.' And these will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."

Leader:

Holy wisdom, holy word.

People:

Thanks be to God.

**SERMON** 

"When was it that we saw you..."

John Wilkinson

\*HYMN 413

All Who Love and Serve Your City

CHARLESTOWN

### from "A Brief Statement of Faith" Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)

### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

The same Spirit who inspired the prophets and apostles rules our faith and life in Christ through Scripture, engages us through the Word proclaimed, claims us in the waters of baptism, feeds us with the bread of life and the cup of salvation, and calls women and men to all ministries of the church. In a broken and fearful world the Spirit gives us courage to pray without ceasing, to witness among all peoples to Christ as Lord and Savior, to unmask idolatries in Church and culture, to hear the voices of peoples long silenced, and to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace. In gratitude to God, empowered by the Spirit, we strive to serve Christ in our daily tasks and to live holy and joyful lives, even as we watch for God's new heaven and new earth, praying, "Come, Lord Jesus!" Amen.

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Elder: Luke Deskins Jones and Anna Miller Pendse are now received into the holy catholic church. Through baptism God has made them members of the household of faith, to share with us in the priesthood of Christ. I charge you, the people of the congregation, to nurture and to love them, and to assist them to be faithful disciples.

People: With joy and thanksgiving, we welcome you into Christ's church, for we are all one in Christ. We promise to love, encourage and support you, to share the good news of the gospel with you and to help you to know and follow Christ.

#### RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS

Savannah Carr Abernathy
Beatrix Antonia Aleida Amsterdam
Charlotte Campbell Baughman
Emily Kincaid Goodwin
Maximillian Wolff Huertgen
Luke Deskins Jones
Helen Althea Lutz

Abigail Rose Nye Anna Miller Pendse Anna Mary Quirus Kate Elisabeth Quirus Grace Susannah Rebeck Lydia Nell Hessel-Robinson Brady Lucas Welsh

God calls us to be a servant people and gathers us into the body of Christ. We rejoice that God has added you to our number this day and we recognize you as sisters and brothers in faith. We renew our covenant to live and work together in the spirit of Christ and so to love and support one another that we may give honor and glory to God. We welcome you to the care and ministry of this congregation.

#### 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**

Offering plates are available at each sanctuary door, where you may share your offering as you enter or depart. You may continue to send your pledges and other gifts to the church office or through our website. Thank you for your support.

# Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

#### OFFERTORY ANTHEM

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King.

The heavens are no too high, his praise may thither fly: the earth is not too low, his praises there may grow.

The church with psalms must shout, no door can keep them out: but above all the heart must bear the longest part.

Let all the world in every corner sing, my God and King.

#### \*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:

Receive our gifts, loving God, offered in hope to support the

living out of your vision. Engage, equip, inspire us to serve you.

We pray in Christ's name. Amen.

KINGSFOLD

#### \*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

\*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

Amen

Peter Christian Lutkin

(1858-1931)

ORGAN VOLUNTARY

Carillon

Herbert Murrill (1909-1952)

#### WELCOME BETH SHALOM HESSEL

This morning we formally welcome Beth Shalom Hessel as our Parish Associate. Beth is familiar to our congregation as an active participant along with her children Isaac and Lydia. Beth serves as Executive Director of the Atheneum of Philadelphia. A Presbyterian minister, she previously served as Executive Director of the Presbyterian Historical Society and in various congregational settings.

The parish associate is a designation indicating a minister's affiliation with a congregation while continuing to engage in other work. We're delighted to welcome Beth to this new role with PCCH.

#### NAME TAG INVITATION

As we slowly return, we might need a friendly reminder of names and faces. We are asking everyone to wear a name tag for the next few weeks to help us get re-connected. Name tags are in your worship bulletin. Thank you for your support.

<sup>\*</sup>Please stand as you are able.

#### LEADING WORSHIP TODAY

**PREACHING** 

John Wilkinson

LITURGISTS

Brian D. Russo

Beth Shalom Hessel

**MUSIC** 

Gallery Choir

Daniel Spratlan Conductor

Ken Lovett Organist

**GREETERS** 

Ryan Cavanaugh Elder

Kelly Baughman and Beth DeSoo Deacons

**USHERS** 

Barbara Keeler and Sarah Wright

FLOWER GUILD

Linnea Johnson and Alison Rudolf

FLOWERS IN THE CHURCH are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Imogene T. Evans and J. Philip Evans by Debby and Jack Evans and family.

### **COVER ART**

Andreas Praefcke, *Food for the Hungry, Drink for the Thirsty*, relief sculpture, Hospital of the Holy Spirit, Biberach, Germany, from **Art in the Christian Religion, a** project of the Vanderbilt Divinity Library, Nashville, TN.

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### 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 can access today's Bulletin online (with links to more information) by scanning the QR code.



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 by challenging people and congregations to deepen their faith and get actively and joyfully engaged with their community and the world.
- Dismantling structural racism by advocating and acting to break down the systems, practices and thinking that underlie discrimination, bias, prejudice and oppression of people of color.
- Eradicating systemic poverty by working to change laws, policies, plans and structures in our society that perpetuate economic exploitation of people who are poor.

Over the course of this year, look to get involved with activities and programs across our ministry areas. To learn more, visit our website or www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/matthew-25/.

### THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH

### TODAY AT PCCH

#### FELLOWSHIP FOLLOWING WORSHIP

Please join us on the south lawn immediately following worship today. All are welcome!

#### FALL FOR THE ARTS

Sunday, September 26, 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

PCCH will again participate in the annual Fall for the Arts, a festival on Germantown Avenue featuring artists and craftspeople. Our booth will share information about the church and focus on the Souls Shot Portrait Project. Plan to stop by to say "hello."

#### CANTATAS AND CHAMBER MUSIC

Sunday, October 3, 4:30 p.m. Reception (Front Porch), 5:00 p.m. Concert (Sanctuary) \$10 admission

Our Cantatas and Chamber Music series resumes on Sunday, October 3 at 5:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary with a pre-concert outdoor reception at 4:30 p.m. The soloists of the Gallery Choir will perform Orlando di Lasso's Missa Osculetur Me for double choir, a parody mass based on his luscious motet of the same name with text from the Song of Songs. Also featured will be works by Josquin and Ockeghem on the themes of love and loss. We ask that all audience members remain masked at all times while inside the church. The singers will be unmasked while performing.

### CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILIES

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL UPDATE

Welcome back! For the next few weeks, we will continue with the plan that we began in June. Children will remain with their families to hear the children's moment from the pews. Then we will dismiss and head to the chapel where we will keep our masks on and maintain physical distancing. Please feel free to have your child dressed comfortably as we may move some of our experience outdoors, and please remember to send a clearly labeled water bottle.

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

#### SUNDAY SCHOOL

Families: As we continue to navigate this transition period, you have our prayers and support. Though they may be fluid, it would be helpful for us to know your Sunday school plans for the fall. This will help us as we plan for classrooms and teachers. This is not a firm commitment to be present every Sunday. Please be in touch with John Wilkinson (jwilkinson@chestnuthillpres.org) with your "registration."

Teachers and Potential Teachers: Thanks to those of you who have already returned your clearance information to Megan McGowan. If you haven't done this yet, or need the detailed information again, please contact Megan at mmcgowan@chestnuthillpres.org.

### **JOYFUL NOISE**

All children ages 3 through 5th grade are invited to participate! Weekly rehearsals will begin immediately following church school and end at approximately 11:30 a.m. Parents, your children will be brought to you at Fellowship.

#### YOUTH CHOIR

Youth choir practices following worship/church school. All young people in grades 6 through 12 are welcome. Rehearsals are held in the youth room of the Strouse Building.

#### JR. HIGH YOUTH FELLOWSHIP (5th-7th Graders)

Sunday, October 3: 3:00–6:30 p.m.: Worship/Fellowship at West Kensington Ministry Sunday, October 17: 5:00–6:00 p.m.: "Presbyterian" Capture the Flag.

### SR. HIGH YOUTH FELLOWSHIP (8th-12th Graders)

Sunday, September 26: 6:00—8:00 p.m.: Dinner outside at El Poquito (RSVP) Sunday, October 3: 3:00—6:30 p.m.: Worship/Fellowship at West Kensington Ministry Sunday, October 17: 11:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.: Longwood Gardens

### OPPORTUNITIES TO LEARN & CONNECT

#### BIBLE STUDY RETURNS

Our regular, in-person Bible study returns this fall, augmented by an evening online opportunity. We will meet the second and fourth Wednesdays at 11:00 a.m. at the church, following all protocols. These gatherings will explore the lectionary passages for the coming weeks.

Mark your calendars for the fall:

- October 13 and 27
- November 10

#### SECOND HOUR RETURNS

After a COVID hiatus and many good Zoom discussions, Second Hour Live returns in October. These gatherings will offer discussions on a variety of topics with leaders from within and beyond the congregation. Plan to stay after church and join us.

#### **OCTOBER**

- 10 Caring for God's creation- Part 1: A Call to Sustainability, led by Greg Dickinson
- 17 Introducing the Matthew 25 Initiative, led by John Wilkinson
- 24 "Four Hundred Souls," Part 1 of Book Club (Chapter 1, see below for book information)
- 31 Panel Discussion: "What we've learned during COVID

#### **CHURCH-WIDE BOOK STUDY**

The Adult Education Committee is commending "Four Hundred Souls: A Community History of African America, 1619-2019" as a book to read for the upcoming program year. Edited by Ibram X. Kendi and Keisha N. Blain, this work is an anthology, written by eighty authors from different fields—novelists, historians, sociologists, political scientists, activists, lawyers, and ten poets; each takes a 5 year period for their brief chapter. The chapters are divided into ten, 40-year sections, and each section is capped by a poem. We will explore this book in our monthly Second Hour sessions beginning October 24 and then in other ways across the year.

### OPPORTUNITIES TO SERVE

#### COOKING FOR FACE TO FACE

Save the Date! We are excited to restart our outreach with our mission partner, Face to Face of Germantown. Please join us in the kitchen after church on Sunday, October 17, at 12:00 noon to make casseroles for guests of Face to Face. We will gather together in the kitchen, prepare baked ziti, and share a meal together when we are done. If you aren't able to join us, you may donate items for meal preparation. Watch for a link to sign up to bring ingredients.

Face to Face is also requesting onsite volunteer help with meal preparation and dining room serving. We hope to volunteer again soon as a group, but if you are interested in serving individually, you can find out more information and sign up at https://facetofacegermantown.org/volunteer-info/.

#### FOOD DONATIONS RECEIVED EVERY SUNDAY AND ALL WEEK

As food insecurity grows, PCCH will continue to receive shelf stable food donations to support several mission partners. You may bring items to the church every Sunday and during the week. Thank you for your support.

#### **VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED**

If you would be interested in driving someone to church who isn't able to drive themselves, please let us know. Several of our members are in search of rides as they seek to rejoin our community of faith on Sunday mornings. Contact Evelyn Carpenter (215-247-8855 ecarpenter@chestnuthillpres.org) or Brian Russo (908-403-3857 brusso@chestnuthillpres.org) if you are willing to assist us in this ministry. We will pair you with a member who lives near your home or on your drive to church.

### CENTER ON THE HILL

The Center on the Hill is OPEN for in-person activities this fall! When in person at the Center we are following all recommended guidelines and precautions, including masks, proof of vaccination and strict sanitation practices. New online content, such as virtual tours, fitness videos, art lessons, recorded presentations and more, is still being posted Monday—Thursday at 12:00 noon on our programs page here: www.chestnuthillpres.org/center-on-the-hill/programs/

### Upcoming classes and events:

REGISTRATION REQUIRED for all activities and classes at the Center. Call 215-247-4654 or email msaavedra@chestnuthillpres.org to register.

#### GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Mondays, September 20, 27, October 4, 18, November 1, 8, 1:00–2:00 p.m., Free Registration required. Limited number of participants for in Person 10 is Max. Group is closed to new members after September 27.

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: Myths of Grieving, Grieving & the Holidays, Does Grief Ever End and others. Our facilitator is David Stevenson, MDiv., CT. He is a bereavement counselor at Crossroads Hospice & Palliative Care.

#### LAUGHTER IS THE BEST MEDICINE

Wednesdays, September 29, October 13, 20, November 10, 17, 10:00–11:00 a.m., \$7/person This is the Body-Mind therapy of Madan Kataria, a physician from Mumbai, India. Laughter Yoga was launched in a park in March 1995 with merely a handful of persons. Today, it has become a worldwide phenomenon in over 70 countries! Fifty minutes of hearty laughter without jokes or comedy will stimulate your feel good hormones. This is a very playful, active form of having fun. It consists of laughter exercises, affirmations, games, improvisation, and breathing exercises. Presented by Barbara Sherf, who has been using Laugh Yoga in her workshops for years.

#### WRITING YOUR LIFE STORY-LEAVING A LEGACY

Tuesdays, September 28-November 2, 1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m., \$60 for six weeks.

How long have you been thinking about writing your life story? Is the "writing" part of it holding you back? Instead, then, why not put the emphasis on "life story" for which you have an overflowing storehouse of resources from all the years you have been alive? Take that story material—those memories, those highs-and-lows and in-betweens—and put it to good use with a group of like-minded folks who also are on a telling and writing journey. Guided and coached by the instructor, you will learn the techniques for organizing and developing your story. You will also learn from the writing shared weekly by others in a comfortable, non-threatening setting. Sam Whyte is a retired professor and dean and the cofounder and director of the Festival for Writers at Rosemont College.

### LEARN AND PLAY CROQUET

Tuesday, September 28, 10:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m., FREE. Outside on the lawn. 6 participants max. Croquet is a sport that involves hitting wooden balls with a mallet through hoops embedded in a grass playing court. Join us outside on the lawn to learn how to play "backyard" croquet. We will also discuss and try out a variation or two on this game as well. This is a fun and engaging way to get some fresh air and exercise while learning a new sport!

#### BEGINNING BRIDGE LESSONS

Wednesdays, September 29-November 17, 1:30 p.m.-3:30 p.m., \$80 for 8 classes. Registration Deadline: Monday, September 27.

The game of bridge is a lot of fun, and many people keep on playing even into their 90s. In addition, studies have shown that playing bridge keeps your mind sharp and reduces the chance of Alzheimer's disease. This class assumes no prior knowledge of bridge. Bring pencil and paper.

#### THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME

Thursday, September 30, 11:00 a.m., FREE

You've made the decision to stay in your own home. As we learned over the past 18 months, remaining in our own home brings us more than comfort as we age. It brings safety, freedom, connection, independence and all the things that are important to us. In our own homes we make the rules, and do not turn over our autonomy to an institution. This empowering workshop is a practical "how to" survival guide providing tools to help you evaluate your physical environment and organize your finances, and get you on your way to a safe, happy and independent life in your own home. Bess Wray, one of the creators of the SURVIVAL GUIDE, takes you step by step through this process.

# HAPPENING HERE THIS WEEK

### SUNDAY, September 26

Worship Church School Fellowship Joyful Noise Rehearsal Youth Choir Rehearsal Gallery Choir Rehearsal Philomusica Rehearsal Sr. High Youth Group Sanctuary, 10:00 a.m.
Strouse Building, 10:20 a.m.
South Lawn, 11:00 a.m.
Chapel, 11:00 a.m.
Youth Room, 11:00 a.m.
Sanctuary, 12:00 p.m.
Parking Lot, 2:00 p.m.
Dinner outside at El Poquito, 6:00 p.m.

MONDAY, September 27
Sketching and Watercolor
Italian Conversation
Bridge Group
Grief Support Group
Watercolor and Drawing Level 2
Qigong
GirlChoir Rehearsal
GirlChoir Rehearsal
GirlChoir Rehearsal

Endowment/Finance Committee

Room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.

Harris, 11:00 a.m.

Room 5, 12:00 p.m.

Reception Room, 1:00 p.m.

Room 1&2, 1:30 p.m.

Widener, 2:00 p.m.

Room 3&4, 3:30 p.m.

Choir Room/Sanctuary, 5:30 p.m.

Chapel, 6:00 p.m.

Zoom, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY, September 28 Meditation Group Sketching and Watercolor Learn & Play Croquet Mah Jongg Writing Your Life Story Strong Bones **PCCH Staff Meeting** Staying Stronger Longer CY Rehearsal GirlChoir Rehearsal GirlChoir Board Meeting Well Spouse Support Group Scouts District Meeting Royal Scottish Country Dancers Preschool Committee Phila. Women's Music Project

Harris, 9:30 a.m. Room 1&2, 9:30 a.m. Front Lawn, 10:30 a.m. Room 5, 12:30 p.m. Harris, 1:00 p.m. Room 3&4, 1:00 p.m. Reception Room, 1:00 p.m. Room 3&4, 2:30 p.m. Choir Room, 6:00 p.m. Sanctuary, 6:30 p.m. Harris, 6:30 p.m. By Phone, 7:00 p.m. Room 5, 7:00 p.m. Chapel, 7:30 p.m. 7:30 p.m., Strouse Widener 8:00 p.m.

### WEDNESDAY, September 29

Beginners Tai Chi Laughter Yoga Open Play Bridge Continuing Tai Chi Beginners Bridge Mah Jongg Golden Yoga Widener, 10:00 a.m. Harris, 10:00 a.m. Room 1&2, 11:30 a.m. Widener, 11:30 a.m. Room 3&4, 1:30 p.m. Room 5, 1:30 p.m. Widener. 3:00 p.m. GirlChoir Rehearsal GirlChoir Rehearsal Racial Justice Women's Group Room 3&4/Widener, 6:00 p.m. Chapel/Sanctuary/Choir Room, 6:00 p.m. Zoom, 7:00 p.m.

### THURSDAY, September 30

Qigong
Outdoor Gardeners Board
Watercolor Painting Group
Thursday Bridge Game
No Place Like Home
Love Lost and Found
Mah Jongg
Name That Tune
Scouts Board of Review
Boy Scouts
Gallery Choir Rehearsal

Harris, 9:00 a.m.
Melcher, 9:30 a.m.
Room 1&2, 9:30 a.m.
Room 5, 10:00 a.m.
Harris, 11:00 a.m.
Room 1&2, 2:00 p.m.
Room 5, 1:30 p.m.
Harris, 2:30 p.m.
Harris, 6:00 p.m.
Room 1&2, 7:30 p.m.
Choir Room, 8:00 p.m.

#### FRIDAY, October 1

Fun with Watercolor Technique Red Cross Blood Drive Scrabble Game International Folk Dancing Room 1&2, 10:00 a.m. Widener, 10:00 a.m. Room 5, 10:00 a.m. Widener, 12:30 p.m.

### SATURDAY, October 2

GirlChoir Rehearsal Lyric Fest Concert

All Rooms, 8:00 a.m. Sanctuary, 3:00 p.m.

### SUNDAY, October 3

Worship
Church School
Fellowship
Joyful Noise Rehearsal
Youth Choir Rehearsal
Cantatas & Chamber Music Rehearsal
Philomusica Rehearsal
Youth Group at West Kensington
Cantatas & Chamber Music Reception
Cantatas & Chamber Music Reception
Cantatas & Chamber Music Concert

### World Communion Sunday

Sanctuary, 10:00 a.m.
Strouse Building,10:20 a.m.
Front Lawn, 11:00 a.m.
Chapel, 11:00 a.m.
Youth Room, 11:00 a.m.
Chapel, 2:00 p.m.
Parking Lot, 2:00 p.m.
Off Site, 3:30 p.m.
Narthex, 4:30 p.m.
Chapel, 5:00 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**

Martha Agate Linda Amsterdam Rebecca Bernstein	Jack Evans Robert Fles Lisa Guyer	Jeffrey Podraza Alison Rudolf Taylor Slaughter
Jill Bown	Kate Houstoun	James Spause
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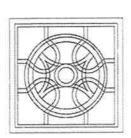
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