

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PPC Visitor Luncheon • Today

Are you new to Proclamation? Have you been visiting the church over the past weeks, months, or year? We hope you have been welcomed warmly by our congregation and that the Holy Spirit has used your time with us to stir your heart towards the Lord Jesus Christ. We are eager to connect with you further and introduce you to various ministries of the church. Whether a single, couple, or family, we would love to have you join us for a visitor luncheon being hosted downstairs immediately following the morning service. No cost, and no need to bring anything - the meal will be catered. If you forgot to register, you are still welcome to join us downstairs!

Operation Christmas Child • Packing boxes after the service today

For more information about what to give, deadlines, and guidelines, please see the handout in the narthex. Collection has begun! You may place your completed boxes in the Education Building entrance (near the child check-in area). The final collection will be the week after, Sunday, Nov. 14. For those who are intersted, a group will be packing boxes after the service today. Meet in the classrooms in the Children’s Sunday school classroom hallway. Any further questions, please contact the church office. 610-520-9500

Media Services Coordinator Job Opening

Proclamation is seeking qualified applicants to serve the AV, IT, and other technology needs of the church. Please visit <https://www.proclamation.org/media-services-coordinator-position> to see the position description below for a more detailed explanation of the position and a summary of the characteristics and qualifications of the person we are looking for. If you have any questions or would like to apply, please contact Henry Oestreich at henry@proclamation.org

Director of Women’s Ministries Job Opening

This new position will be responsible for establishing and developing ministries in the church that will contribute to the spiritual care and maturity of women who belong to or attend Proclamation. The position is for 20 hr/wk, and may begin as early as January 1, 2022. If you would like a copy of the position description, please visit <https://www.proclamation.org/womens-director-position>. All interested applicants are encouraged to submit a resume and cover letter to Barbara Rogers at barbarabrogers@gmail.com.

Eagles Meeting • November 19 | 10:00 a.m.

Eagles will be meeting on Friday, November 19 at 10 AM in the Fellowship Room. Pastor Ken Wendland will be speaking on the topic of making the most of every opportunity to witness during the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays, especially with families.

Thanksgiving Donations to CityTeam

In lieu of turkeys and other food, CityTeam would prefer monetary donations for Thanksgiving. \$2.00 will feed someone a Thanksgiving meal. If you’d like to donate, you may do so by [making your check payable to CityTeam and write Thanksgiving in the memo line](#). Also needed are volunteers to pack thanksgiving meals on November 15th and 16th. We also need drivers to deliver them on Nov. 20th. See Dominic Mattioni, Mike Martin, or Joe Formica to donate a check or to ask about volunteering. Thank you!

Women’s Christmas Tea • Saturday, December 4 | 2:00 p.m.

All women and girls (age 6 and up) are invited to our annual Christmas Tea. This year’s theme is “Emmanuel, God With Us” and our guest speaker will be Virginia Spykerman. More information and sign-ups will be available next week.

The diaconal Compassion Committee provides counseling as well as financial and material assistance to those in need, in the spirit of Christ’s compassion to his people and the world. Committee members are Jeff Firges, chair, Chris Cooper, Kathy Gates, Tina Simon, and Virginia Spykerman. Their contact information is in the church directory. If you need help or know someone who does, contact any member of the committee. If you are interested in serving on the committee, contact Jeff Firges. Financial contributions to the Compassion Fund may be made as a designated gift; please designate “Compassion Fund” on your check or with your online donation.

HIM WE PROCLAIM

Proclamation is a Bible-centered, Christ-focused, confessional Presbyterian church serving the western suburbs of Philadelphia. We are convinced the ordinary means of grace—the Word, prayer, sacraments, and fellowship—are the primary means God uses to convert and grow His people into conformity with His Son. Toward that end, we are committed to:

- Expositional preaching of the inerrant Word of God
- Reverent and joyful worship of our glorious Triune God
- Fellowship with God in prayer as we intercede for His kingdom to come
- Redemptive community within the body of Christ
- Cultivating a heart of compassion for the lost in our community and around the world

TEACHING ELDERS

BEN FALCONER Senior Pastor
KEN WENDLAND..... Associate Pastor
JEREMY JOHNSON..... Associate Pastor
KISUP LEE Assistant Pastor of Japanese and Korean Ministry
SOONSANG MOON* Assistant Pastor of Korean Ministry

CHURCH STAFF

DAVE MONEYMAKER..... Church Administrator and Director of Christian Education
HENRY OESTREICH Administrative Assistant
YOSHIE LEE..... Japanese and Korean Administrative Assistant
NATE HOOVER Evening Sexton
RYAN KELLY* Director of Music
PAT TOLBERT* Financial Comptroller
KELLY LEIBENSPERGER* Director of Children’s Music
SANDY MARTIN* Director of Handbells
JONATHAN HARNLY* Media Services
ANNETTE HUNSAKER* Administrative Assistant
DAWN KEMP* Bookkeeper
TOM FOUNTAIN* Daytime Sexton
MIKE SBRACCIA* Daytime Sexton

**part-time*

SESSION ELDERS

BEN FALCONER, *moderator* DAVID JOSEPHSON
DAVE MONEYMAKER, *clerk* JEFF KIESEL
MIKE HARNISH JIM ROGERS
ROB HAVILAND PAT TOLBERT
JEREMY JOHNSON KEN WENDLAND
SAM JONES PAUL WIK

DEACONS

RON VOTTO, *chair* ANDY LEISNER
DAN BAKER MIKE MARTIN
CHRIS COOPER HIRO NAKAGAWA
JOSH CUOZZO MATT ROBERTS
JEFF FIRGES



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PROCLAMATION

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America

Sunday, November 7th, 2021



MORNING WORSHIP

November 7th, 2021

10:30 a.m.

Rev. Ben Falconer, *preaching*
Rev. Ken Wendland, *assisting*

Little children, you are from God and have overcome them,
for he who is in you is greater than he who is in the world.
1 John 4:4

PRELUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*

WELCOME Rev. Ben Falconer, *senior pastor*

MISSION MOMENT Jon Christman, *pastoral intern*
Glue Group

CHORAL INTROIT Chancel Choir
Thou Hast Holden Me
George Thalben-Ball

Thou hast holden me by my right hand; thou shalt guide me with thy counsel
and afterward receive me to glory. —*Psalms 73:23-24*

CALL TO WORSHIP* Psalm 24:3-6

INVOCATION*

HYMN No 358* For All the Saints

*Remembering and giving thanks for Ellie Haupt, Mike Holmes, Bill Mercer,
Sarah Brown, Doug Wilkens, Tom Sminkey, and Ginnie Federschmidt,
saints from our church who went home to glory this past year.*

* Please stand, if able.
** All communion wafers are gluten free.

DECLARATION OF FAITH* Apostles' Creed
Congregation Reads in Unison

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the
Holy Spirit, and born of the virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. The third day
he rose again from the dead. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the
right hand of God the Father Almighty. From there he will come to judge
the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic* church, the communion of
saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life
everlasting. Amen.

**Universal*

CONFESSION OF SIN 2 Kings 10:30-31

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Psalm 103:10, 12

Please sign and pass the blue attendance pads when the offering is collected.
If you are visiting with us, we would encourage you to either sign the attendance pad or fill out the connect card in our app.

OFFERTORY Proclamation Chancel Choir
Stephen Mitchell, *trombone*

Give Thanks for Saints
Donald Busarow

Give thanks for those whose faith is firm when all around seems bleak; on God's good
promise they rely, so while they live and when they die how forcefully they speak—the
strong, who once were weak!

Give thanks for those whose hope is clear, beyond mere mortal sight: who seek the city
God has planned, the true, eternal, promised land, and steer on toward that light, a
beacon ever bright.

Give thanks for those whose love is pure, a sparkling precious stone: they show by what
they say and do an inward beauty warm and true, for God's concerns they own—God's
love through them is known.

Give thanks for saints of ages past and saints alive today: though often by this world
despised, their hearts by God are richly prized. Give thanks that we may say we share
their pilgrim way. —*Martin E. Leckenbusch*

SCRIPTURE READING David Josephson, *elder*
2 Chronicles 20:1-22, pg. 372

We offer a Children's Church curriculum designed for pre-readers.
Children are welcome to go and participate, toddlers to Room 149 and 4-6 yrs old to Room 147.

HYMN No 573* Am I a Soldier of the Cross?

PASTORAL PRAYER Myers McKinney, *pastoral intern*

SERMON Rev. Ben Falconer, *senior pastor*

Be Strong in the Lord
Ephesians 6:10-13, pg. 979

HYMN No 279* Christ Jesus Lay in Death's Strong Bands

COMMUNION** Suzanne Shu, *erhu*

Jesus Paid It All
arr. Howard Helvey

HYMN No 580* Lead On, O Eternal King

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*



*Following the benediction, let us greet and welcome one another as Christ has welcomed us (Romans
15:7), remembering our Lord's command to love one another as he has loved us (John 15:12).*

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David Josephson will be available to pray with you
at the front right of the sanctuary.

Betsy Kotanchik and Brenda Sbraccia will be available to pray
with women at the front left of the sanctuary.

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Join us for our Evening Prayer Service at 5:00 p.m.
The Authority of Jesus
Mark 1:21-34

Dear Proclamation,

*Last week I had the opportunity to meet with a student from a Muslim country, who
wanted to meet with a Christian to learn about the Gospel. We had a great conversation
and I was able to explain the basics of our Faith. I gave him a Bible and encouraged him
to read John to learn how God reveals Himself according to Scripture. We plan to meet
again. The only way I was able to meet him where he lives is by car, which you kindly
helped me purchase. Thank you again for your generosity and please know I am using the
vehicle to meet with others to explain the Gospel to them.*

Merci.
Joshua Jacobs