

## WOMEN'S CHRISTMAS TEA: THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7 - 9:30 AM

Join us for this wonderful tradition of fellowship and service. We'll have a special speaker from the Village share some of the amazing stories of the residential treatments they have with young women. We'll share a lovely light breakfast and tea service as well as sing carols and enjoy time together. All women are welcome to join us! Childcare is provided.

## ADULT EDUCATION - ON A WEDNESDAY! NOVEMBER 29 - 9:30 AM - FIRESIDE RM.

Join us as we welcome Fred Klett to talk to us about Yom Kippur and Rosh Hashanah. He'll help us learn about the biblical roots of these two Jewish holy days and think about their connection to Christianity. All are welcome to join us for this great lecture.

## FOOD DONATIONS UPDATE

In October, WPC donated 350.5 lbs to food cupboards for a 2017 total to date of 2,243.3 lbs!! 25 volunteers from WPC weigh and transport the food donated this year to the food cabinet collection. In addition, Ted Behr collects bagels and bread from 6 shops between Wayne and Paoli and delivers them each Thursday to Outley House. If you would like to help Ted in this ministry, please contact Scott Laird, 610-254-9209, [hslaird@aol.com](mailto:hslaird@aol.com). Thanks be to God for your generosity and service!

## GOAL OF THE WEEK:

Find the food collection box in the Connector and consider donating some food to our local food pantry.

**Innovative approaches to FIGHTING HUNGER**

Join us Sunday, December 3 at 9:30am as we welcome Laura Wall, Executive Director of the Coalition Against Hunger.

All are invited to this special presentation and hunger simulation. We'll experience firsthand a simulation of how those facing food scarcity navigate the complex system of accessing food. After our simulation, Laura Wall and her staff will share with us some of the ways they are fighting hunger right here in Philadelphia and surrounding areas. All are welcome—community members, families with older children who want to learn together, and more!

## this week's calendar

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12

HS Retreat returns 12 PM  
8:00 AM Nominating Comm. Mtg. - Calvin Rm.  
8:30 AM Worship - Sanctuary  
8:30 AM Centering Prayer - 207  
9:30 AM Worship - Sanctuary  
9:30 AM Adult Ed - Reformation - Phil Cary - Fireside Rm.  
9:30 AM Adult Ed w/ Joe Modica - Knox Rm.  
9:30 AM Children's Sunday School - Davidson Bldg.  
9:30 AM Confirmation Class - Sr. Center  
9:30 AM No HS Sunday School  
9:30 AM MS Sunday School - 203  
10:45 AM Women's Retreat Comm. Mtg. - Library  
11:00 AM Worship - Sanctuary  
11:00 AM Children's Church - K-5 Worship with families then dismissed to 204  
11:00 AM Walking the Mourners Path - Fireside Rm.  
11:00 AM Children's Sunday School Teacher's Mtg. - 208, 209  
12:00 PM No College Brunch  
1:30 PM The Spot - TCP  
5:00 PM Westminster Choir Rehearsal - Music Rm.  
6:00 PM Rock only - Chapel

### MONDAY, NOVEMBER 13

9:00 AM Nursery School - Davidson Hall  
9:30 AM Monday Morning Bible Study - Knox Rm.  
9:30 AM Needlecrafters - 203  
1:00 PM Spiritual Direction Grp. IV - 207  
1:15 PM Sr. Center Exercise Grp. - Chapel  
7:00 PM Boy Scout Troop Comm. Mtg. - 203  
7:15 PM Spiritual Direction Grp. II - 207  
7:30 PM Te Deum Bell Choir - Bell Rm.

### TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14

7:30 AM Prayer Grp. - 207  
9:00 AM Nursery School - Davidson Hall  
9:00 AM Selah Bell Choir Rehearsal - Bell Rm.  
12:30 PM Big Book - Knox Rm.  
7:00 PM Administrative Comm. Mtg. - Library  
7:00 PM Congregational Care Comm. Mtg. - Fireside Rm.  
7:00 PM Youth Comm. Mtg. - Calvin Rm.  
7:30 PM Oratorio Rehearsal - Chapel

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15

6:45 AM Word Before Work - Fireside Rm.  
9:00 AM Nursery School - Davidson Hall  
9:45 AM Wm's Bible Study (Holy Spirit) - 208, 209  
9:45 AM Wm's Bible Study (Angels) - Knox Rm.  
10:30 AM Staff Mtg. - Fireside Rm.  
12:00 PM Wm's Bible Study (Psalms, Prayers) - Fireside Rm.  
12:30 PM Wayne Men's Mtg. - Knox Rm.

### WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 15 (continued)

3:00 PM Chill - 208, 209  
4:00 PM Kids Club / Choirs - Chapel  
4:30 PM Spiritual Direction Grp. V - 207  
6:00 PM Anchor - Offsite  
6:45 PM PSAD Grp. - 207  
7:30 PM WOS Board Mtg. - Fireside Rm.  
7:30 PM WPC Orchestra Rehearsal - Sanctuary

### THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 16

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study - Fireside Rm.  
9:00 AM Nursery School - Davidson Hall  
9:30 AM Mommy & Me Class - 101, 102  
9:30 AM WinGS Comm. Mtg. - Calvin Rm.  
12:30 PM Stonecraft Serenity Mtg. - Knox Rm.  
2:00 PM Wayne Sr. Center Tai Chi - Chapel  
4:00 PM Cherub Choir Rehearsal - Music Rm.  
7:30 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Music Rm.  
8:00 PM AA - Calvin, Knox Rms.

### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17

9:00 AM Nursery School - Davidson Hall  
9:00 AM Nursery School Open House - Chapel  
12:30 PM Promises - Knox Rm.  
5:00 PM Children's Choir Rehearsal - Sanctuary  
6:00 PM Dinner & A Movie - Chapel

### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18

No events scheduled

### SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19

8:00 AM Nominating Comm. Mtg. - Calvin Rm.  
8:30 AM Worship - Sanctuary  
8:30 AM Centering Prayer - 207  
8:30 AM WPC Orchestra warmup - Chapel  
9:30 AM Worship - Sanctuary  
9:30 AM Adult Ed - Reformation - Fireside Rm.  
9:30 AM Adult Ed w/ Joe Modica - Knox Rm.  
9:30 AM Children's Sunday School - Davidson Bldg.  
9:30 AM Confirmation Class - Sr. Center  
9:30 AM HS Sunday School - 208, 209  
9:30 AM MS Sunday School - 203  
9:30 AM Westminster Parents' Class - Library  
11:00 AM Worship - Sanctuary  
11:00 AM Children's Church - K-5 Worship with families then dismissed to 204  
11:00 AM Walking the Mourners Path - Fireside Rm.  
12:00 PM College Brunch - Calvin Rm.  
1:30 PM The Spot - TCP  
4:00 PM Music Transforms - Sanctuary  
5:00 PM Westminster Choir Rehearsal - Music Rm.  
6:00 PM Rock & Door - 208, 209

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# Wayne Presbyterian Church



Sharing the Ministry of Jesus Christ through Worship, Education and Mission

**Sunday, November 12, 2017 - 8:30, 9:30 & 11:00 am Services**

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

**32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Please silence electronic devices during worship. Hearing assistance devices are available for the hearing impaired from the ushers at the back of the Sanctuary.

+This sign is an indication to stand as you are able.

## Prelude

*Chorale Prelude on Olivet*

Robert Elmore

TIM EVERS, ORGAN 8:30 AM

*Wonderful Words of Life*

Barbara Baltzer Kinyon

*Triumphant Praise*

Karen Buckwalter

SELAH BELL CHOIR 9:30 AM / 11:00 AM

## Introit

*In My Father's House*

Beck

QUARTET 8:30 AM / CHANCEL CHOIR 9:30 AM / 11:00 AM

## Call to Worship

(adapted from Proverbs 3:5-6)

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not rely on your own insight.

**In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.**

Come, let us approach in all faith the Lord of all creation.

**Let us worship God!**

**+ Hymn 299 *You Servants of God, Your Master Proclaim***

HANOVER

## + Prayer of Adoration

## + Prayer of Confession (Responsively)

We read in scripture the words "see what love God has for us that we should be called children of God, and so we are."

**But we have trouble having faith in such profound love.**

We read in scripture that "If God is for us, who is against us? He who did not withhold his own Son, but gave him up for all of us, will he not with him also give us everything else?"

**But we have trouble having faith that God is on our side.**

We read in scripture "if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? ... Indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things."

**But we have trouble having faith that God desires good things for us personally.**

Forgive us, Lord.

**Lord, we know that all things are possible with you, so we ask you to make it possible for our hearts to receive your promises. Amen.**

## + Assurance of Pardon

Friends, believe the Good News of the Gospel.

**In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.**

## + Gloria Patri (Hymn 581)

**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.**

## + Affirmation of Faith - (from the Heidelberg Catechism)

Why do you say that through faith alone you are righteous?

**Not because I please God by the worthiness of my faith. It is because only**

**Christ's satisfaction, righteousness, and holiness make me righteous before God, and because I can accept this righteousness and make it mine in no other way than through faith.**

## + Passing of the Peace

Peace be with you.

**And also with you.**

----- Seating Interval -----

## Anthem

*His Voice As the Sound*

QUARTET 9:30 / 11:00 AM

Parker/Shaw

### First Scripture: Jeremiah 17:5-8

LARRY BERGLUND 8:30 AM / KATHY HYDIER 9:30 AM / SAMANTHA ARMSTRONG 11:00 AM

Thus says the Lord: Cursed are those who trust in mere mortals and make mere flesh their strength,whose hearts turn away from the Lord.They shall be like a shrub in the desert, and shall not see when relief comes. They shall live in the parched places of the wilderness,in an uninhabited salt land. Blessed are those who trust in the Lord, whose trust is the Lord.They shall be like a tree planted by water, sending out its roots by the stream. It shall not fear when heat comes, and its leaves shall stay green; in the year of drought it is not anxious, and it does not cease to bear fruit.

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

### Prayer Concerns and Choral Orison

*Rest in the Lord*

QUARTET 8:30 AM / CHANCEL CHOIR 9:30 AM / 11:00 AM

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### Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer (*In Unison*)

**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.**

### Time with the Younger Church

11:00

Laurie Taylor Weicher

### + Hymn 829 *My Faith Looks Up to Thee*

9:30 AM / 11:00 AM

OLIVET

### Welcome and Announcements

### Offering & Offertory Anthem

*His Voice As the Sound*

QUARTET 8:30 AM

His voice as the sound of the dulcimer sweet, is heard through the shadows of death; The cedars of Lebanon bow at his feet, the air is perfumed with his breath. His lips as a fountain of righteousness flow that waters the garden of grace, from which their salvation the Gentiles shall know, and bask in the smile of his face. Love sits in his eyelids and scatters delight through all the bright regions on high. Their faces the Cherubim veil in his sight, and tremble with fullness of joy. He looks and ten thousands of angels rejoice, and myriads wait for his word. He speaks and eternity filled with his voice, re-echoes the praise of her Lord.

*Clap Your Hands*

CHANCEL CHOIR 9:30 AM / 11:00 AM

Clap your hands, O faithful people! Shout to God a song of praise! From the dust of conquered nations, God a realm of grace shall raise, in appointed courts of glory faithful to God’s name always. May we prosper all our days. With a shout, a blast of trumpet, God shall mount a throne on high; Let our praise, as finest incense, rise to meet God in the sky. Fill the world with glad rejoicing. Heav’n shall sing, and earth reply, all God’s works to glorify. Let your hearts be filled with gladness, as the Lord your life shall bless; Live as heirs of God’s great justice, wear the cloak of righteousness. God will grant us earth’s dominion, All things good, and nothing less, for our gift of faithfulness. (Psalm 47 paraphrase: Michael Morgan)

Alfred Fedak

### + Doxology (Hymn 606) and Prayer of Thanksgiving & Dedication

***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

### Second Scripture Reading: Romans 1:8-17

First, I thank my God through Jesus Christ for all of you, because your faith is proclaimed throughout the world. For God, whom I serve with my spirit by announcing the gospel of his Son, is my witness that without ceasing I remember you always in my prayers, asking that by God's will I may somehow at last succeed in coming to you. For I am longing to see you so that I may share with you some spiritual gift to strengthen you - or rather so that we may be mutually encouraged by each other’s faith, both yours and mine. I want you to know, brothers and sisters, that I have often intended to come to you (but thus far have been prevented), in order that I may reap some harvest among you as I have among the rest of the Gentiles. I am a debtor both to Greeks and to barbarians, both to the wise and to the foolish -hence my eagerness to proclaim the gospel to you also who are in Rome. For I am not ashamed of the gospel; it is the power of God for salvation to everyone who has faith, to the Jew first and also to the Greek. For in it the righteousness of God is revealed through faith for faith; as it is written, “The one who is righteous will live by faith.”

The Word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God.**

## Sermon

*Sola Fide*

CASEY THOMPSON

### + Hymn 691 *Lord, When I Came into This Life*

LAND OF REST

### + Benediction & Choral Response

*Send Me Jesus*

CHANCEL CHOIR 9:30 AM / 11:00 AM

South African

## Postlude

*Fanfare*

TIM EVERS, ORGAN 9:30 AM / 11:00 AM

John Cook

## LITURGISTS

8:30 AM: Anne Clark Duncan / 9:30 AM: Aisha Brooks-Lytle

11:00 AM: Laurie Taylor Weicher

## CHILDCARE

Your children are welcome in worship. We also provide excellent childcare during all worship services in room 101 for infants and in room 102 for toddlers. Silent pagers are available for you should the need arise for caregivers to contact you during worship.

## FLOWERS

Chancel flowers today are given to the Glory of God and in loving memory of my husband, Bob, by Sue Rink; in loving memory of Scott’s parents, Edmund G. and Virginia S. Laird by Scott & Marty Laird.

## today

## christian education

### CHILDREN THROUGH GRADE 5

9:30 am

- Children’s Sunday School - Davidson Hall

11:00 am

- Children’s Church - worship with families then dismissed to 204

*Childcare available in the nursery at all services*

### YOUTH GRADES 6 TO 12

9:30 am

- Middle School Sunday School - 203

- No High School Sunday School

- Confirmation Class - Sr. Center

### ADULT ED

8:30 am

- Centering Prayer - 207

9:30 am

- Bible Study w/ Joe Modica - Knox Rm.

- Celebrate the Reformation! - Phil Cary - Fireside Rm.

### ADULT EDUCATION: JOE MODICA’S BIBLE CLASS - 9:30 AM - KNOX RM.

Plan to attend Dr. Joe Modica’s fantastic Bible study class today or any Sunday. Each week he'll help us explore scripture and hear how God continues to speak to us. All are welcome!

### ADULT EDUCATION - CELEBRATE THE REFORMATION! - 9:30 AM - FIRESIDE RM.

Join Dr. Phil Cary of Eastern University today as we look back 500 years to the beginning of the Protestant Reformation. Learn what happened then and how it affects us today.

## this week

### MONDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY: 9:30 AM - KNOX RM.

Join Casey Thompson and some other faithful folks for this weekly Bible Study. All are welcome!

### COME JOIN US ON WEDNESDAYS AT WOMENS BIBLE STUDY!

We have four classes at three convenient times: 6:45am, 9:30 and Noon. Check out our RED BROCHURE to find the Study that speaks to you!

### PSAD GROUP WEDNESDAY EVENING - 6:45 PM - Room 207

A new support group for parents of adolescents and teens challenged by anxiety and depression (Parent Support for Anxiety & Depression - PSAD) has started. This peer support group is facilitated by Nancy Dever and Debbie Gillespie. For questions or to RSVP contact Nancy, 610-574-3319.

### THURSDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY - 7:00 AM - FIRESIDE RM.

Please join us for breakfast, fellowship and lively discussion led by Robert Duffett, President of Eastern University.

### MOMS (MINISTRY OF MOTHERHOOD) GROUP - THURSDAY - 9:30 AM

Join us and enjoy great fellowship with other parents. Contact Liz Hackman via email [lizhackman@gmail.com](mailto:lizhackman@gmail.com).

## next sunday, november 19

**CASEY THOMPSON** will be preaching at the 8:30, 9:30 & 11:00 AM services.

**BAKED GOODS** for **Coffee Hour Fellowship** will be provided by those whose last names begin with **D, E, F & G**. Please leave your contributions in the kitchen before worship and the Fellowship Committee host(s) will plate them and put them out.

### ADULT EDUCATION - THE CELEBRATION CONTINUES - LUTHER'S GERMANY 2017! - 9:30 AM - FIRESIDE RM.

Join us on Sunday, November 19 as Gary Jones and Chad Slate share experiences from their trips to Germany this summer. Hear what they learned about Luther and what his legacy is there, and on our church today!

### MUSIC TRANSFORMS - OSCURO QUINTET - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 4:00 P.M. - SANCTUARY

Join us for the second Music Transforms concert featuring Philadelphia’s first and Premier Tango Nuevo Ensemble, Oscuro Quintet. Performers include: Shinjoo Cho, bandoneon; Joseph Kauffman, violin; Antonio Boyadjian, piano; Jason Klinke, guitar; Benjamin Blazer, double bass. A free-will offering will be taken to support the Violin Program at Mitchell Elementary School.

## opportunities to serve

### CALLING ALL CAKE BAKERS!

Please come by the CityLights table between services and pick up a cake pan to make a cake for the Sherwood soup kitchen. Bring it back to the church and volunteers will delivery it. If you are interested in serving on a Tuesday or Thursday, contact Susan Aggarwal, 610 408 8157, [vnsagg@aol.com](mailto:vnsagg@aol.com).

### PROVIDE A THANKSGIVING MEAL BASKET TO FAMILIES IN SW PHILADELPHIA

Through the SHARE Food Program of PA, \$30 will fill a basket with turkey and all the extras for one family. Our goal is to provide 75 meals. Stop at the CityLights table or send a check to the Church Office (payable to Wayne Presbyterian Church and include "SHARE Thanksgiving" on the memo line of your check). Or, give online at [waynepres.org](http://waynepres.org) (under Resources) and enter "SHARE Thanksgiving" in the directed gift field. Contact Sally Hudson at [sally\\_hudson@verizon.net](mailto:sally_hudson@verizon.net) or 610-687-3530 for more information.

### SUNDAY MORNING VOLUNTEERS

We are looking for a few more people to help host our morning coffee hour. It's a great way to participate in an important church community fellowship. Please contact Kristin Laws, [laws1156@gmail.com](mailto:laws1156@gmail.com).

## upcoming events & news

### HUNGER SIMULATION: SUNDAY, DECEMBER 3 - 9:30 AM - CHAPEL

As we continue to explore innovative approaches to hunger, join us as we experience the ins and outs of the food-scarcity system. You'll have a chance to imagine what it's like for working moms to feed their children or for families of all sizes to work and go to school and feed their children. Laura Wall, Executive Director of the Coalition Against Hunger will lead us in this simulation and help us learn what we can do to fight hunger locally.