

GRAPEVINE

"The Pastor's Page" October 31, 2018

For All the Saints

This coming Sunday, November 4, we will be celebrating All Saints Day. We Presbyterians don't restrict our remembrance of saints to the "big ones," like St. Paul and St. Augustine, but consider all those who have died in Christ to be saints (1 Cor. 1:2). So I was thinking of some of the saints who made a difference in my life.

As a child and teenager, there were my parents and grandparents, numerous Sunday School teachers, my pastor, and a youth director. There were also school teachers and my band director, and later several professors at college. As an adult there have been several mentors as well as church members and elders who encouraged and instructed me in faith and helped me grow into my role as pastor. I thank God for each one!

Who has been influential in making you the person you are today? As we celebrate All Saints Day, it's a great time to thank God for all the saints who have influenced your life.

Dave

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Happy Birthday to...

November 2

Luke May
Steve Rathgeber

November 3

Cherie Black
Hope Sanders

November 4

John Doerr
Barry Simon

November 5

Andrea Crowe
Lori May

November 6

Lydia Casteel
Ann Ellefson

November 7

Al Moroz
Chase Tritle

November 12

Colin Burke
Kellen Rossman
Chase Whiteman

November 8

Cian Fitzgerald
November 9

Catherine Bahm
Libby Crowe

Abby Fernandes
Ashley Gladfelter

Kendal Sease
David Wright

November 10

George Marguglio
Barry Wareham

November 11

Richard Maue
Heidi Merwede

November 12

November 13

Helen Stabler

November 13

Fran Salisbury

November 15

Joseph Swatsworth

November 16

Vickie Hudock
November 17

Krista Delacruz
Dave Eskildsen

Alison Sinclair
November 18

Jennifer Daniels
Harvey Eckenrode

Joanna McGuire
John Strevig

November 19

Barbara Dombrowsky
Nathan King

Gale Pollock
Becki Powell

November 20

Tyler Weikert
Steve Kinsey

Laura Lochary

Deborah Snyder

November 21

Cathy Gardner
Matthew Hartwig

Holly Hess
Jon Holler

Graham Stabler
November 22

Kim Hain
Joanna Suarez

November 23

Jim Biggar
Beth Jones

November 24

Max Bernier
Kennedy Brown

Gary Hubble
Felicity Sarnoff

November 25

Benjamin Dudash
Niles Ellingson

Hugh Ferguson
Emma Freeman

November 26

Charles Caldwell
Elizabeth Hiller

Lindsey North
November 27

Vernon Reed
Carrie Trax

November 28

Caitlyn Landauer
Susan Landauer

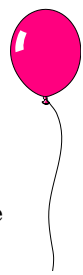
Kenneth Mott

November 29

William Ott

November 30

Taylor Breighner
Emma Sanders
Paige Stewart



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

Helen Stabler who will celebrate her 90th birthday on November 12

Chuck Caldwell who will celebrate his 95 birthday on November 26

"Calendar of Giving"

The Calendar of Giving is an opportunity for our congregation to support numerous local organizations. Through this program, we identify local organizations that are in need of smaller donations. Each month, we will be collecting specific items for the identified organization.

For the month of:

November

We will be collecting items for

Office of Aging -

Home Delivered Meals

Program

Emergency Meal Supplies - peanut butter, pull-top cans of soup, crackers, individual fruit servings, individual cookie packs, individual cereal boxes, other non-perishable, single serve items.

I would like to thank my GPC family for all the cards, phone calls, and kind and encouraging words after my mother passed away.

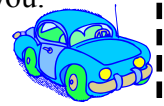
Each and every one of you are a blessing to me.

Love & Hugs
Penny

NEED A RIDE?

If you are having trouble attending church services and/or church functions due to not having transportation, let the Deacons help you.

We are only a phone call away.



The transportation Deacon from
October 15 - November 11 is
Lee Flinner at 717-398-9121 and
November 12 - December 9 is
Ron Weigle at 717-476-4977.

Presbyterian Women Fall 2018 Rummage/Bake Sale

The numbers are in! Again, our Rummage Sale/Bake Sale has SUCCESS written all over it! The sale netted \$3,909 with the Rummage Sale contributing \$3,509 and the Bake Sale \$400!

We wish to sincerely thank all those who made this possible:


Ellie Bilz, Barry Breighner, Lucy Breighner, Sandra Breighner, Josie Brownley, Lydia Casteel, Elly Cleaver, Ann Cook, Nancy Cook, Nancy Davis, Amy Deitch, Marie Duncan, Dorie Elledge, Barb Fair, Debbie Farnsworth, Kathy Faloon, Bill Faloon, Randy Faloon, Beth Fitzpatrick, Bill Fitzpatrick, Cathy Gardner, Karen Golanoski, Carol Heiser, Ron Jones, Betty Jones, Brian Jones, Melanie Keller, Anne Kern, Susan Kolmer, Olga Krossick, Bob Lindsay, Sue Lindsay, Heidi Merwede and her class of Littlestown H. S. Students, Janet McCoy, Debbie Manning, Terry Manning, Deb Meckley, Helen Miley, Laurel Minns, Dale Molina, Joyce Morrison, Pam Musselman, Jane Neely, Lou Nyiri and our GPC High School Fellowship Youth, Diana Onativia, Joan Pore and her daughter Jackie, Jo Rice, Julia Rice, Jen Rockey, Tom Rockey, Dennis Ruth, Jennifer Ruth, Zachary Ruth, Mary Lou Seamens, Kathy Schneider, Evelyn Small, Sheryl Suplee, Bunny Toddes, Steve Toddes, Heather Tschop, Kathy Wark, Bev Weber, Bonnie Wright, Chooch Wells, Charlotte Winsheimer and Penny Ziegler.

We are blessed in sharing this bounty with local Mission groups and our own church missions and mission trips.

GREENS NEEDED FOR ADVENT WREATHS

As you are trimming your bushes this fall, please save them and bringing those greens to the church in **black plastic bags** marked "Advent Wreath". You can leave them in Fellowship Hall or by the outside door between the Manse and the Sanctuary by the door into Fellowship Hall. These greens will be used for making Advent Wreaths on Sunday, November 18th and 25th in Fellowship Hall. Mark your calendars now to make an Advent Wreath for your family on November 18th or November 25th.



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 ★  **REMINDER: Daylight Savings** ★
 ★ **time ends on Nov. 4th!** ★
 ★ Be sure to turn your clocks ★
 ★ **BACK ON SATURDAY, Nov. 3** ★
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Adams Christian Prison Ministry – Mentor Training

We are formulating a new mentor program at ACACC.
Inmates will be screened and approved for a one-year mentor program in which residents from Adams County will be able to support them following their release.

To learn more, join us at our mentor training on
Thursday, November 15 @ 7:00 p.m. at

**Freedom Valley Church –
3185 York Rd. Gettysburg, PA 17325.**

Contact Pastor Gerry @ 717-624-3411 to register or to get more information.

SAVE THE DATE

**Young at Heart and
Youth Club / Mid-Ship
Small Group**

Thanksgiving Dinner

on Wednesday, November 14th at 4 PM.



Young at Heart RVSP to Cheryl no later than **Sunday, November 4th** as final date to reserve a place at gpcdce@gettysburgpresbyterian.org or 717-334-1235, ext. 5. Bring a dessert, salad or vegetable to go with our traditional Thanksgiving dinner.

Attention College Students!

Pastor Dave and Bonnie would like to invite you to their home for lunch on **Sunday, Nov. 11** after the 11AM worship service. RSVP to bdwright11@comcast.net or call 717-334-1235.

**HIGH SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP
November**

November 4	2:00 - 4:00	Migrant Camp Picnic
November 11	5:30 - 7:30	Bon Fire @ the Rowlands
November 18	5:30 - 7:15	Dinner & Car Chase
November 25	NO SHIP	THANKSGIVING

**MidSHIP Schedule
November**

November 4	5:30 - 7:00	Dinner & Fellowship
November 7	2:45 - 5:00	Small Group
November 11	5:30 - 7:30	Dinner & Bon Fire at Libby's House
November 14	2:45 - 5:30	Small Group & YAH Thanksgiving Dinner
November 18	5:30 - 7:15	Dinner & Car Chase
November 22	NO MidSHIP	Small Group
November 25	NO Mid-SHIP	THANKSGIVING

Mission Calendar

During the coming weeks we will be praying for the following missions during worship.

Please pray for them during the week, too!

- 11/4 **Fellowship of Christian Athletes**
Kelly Jones facilitates this ministry at Gettysburg College, Pastor Dave teaches once a semester.
- 11/11 **Presbytery of Carlisle**
Our Presbytery, which consists of about 50 churches in our region
- 11/18 **Jacques Merine** heads Source of Life Ministries which runs an Orphanage in Haiti. They are hoping to expand into health ministries in the near future.

Congregational Meeting

There will be a congregational meeting to elect church officers on **November 18th at 10:30AM.** Please plan to attend!

**Tuesday,
November 20
at 7:00 p.m.**



**Trinity U.C.C.
60 East High St.
Gettysburg, PA**

Condolences

Our thoughts and prayers are with:

Sheryl Suplee on the recent death of her sister.

Fran Salisbury on the recent death of her companion, Al Stockslager.

Heads Up on Gettysburg C.A.R.E.S.

The dates of hosting Gettysburg C.A.R.E.S. (Combined Area Resources Emergency Shelter) have changed this year. GPC will serve as the host church from February 4-17, 2019. The host arrives at the church by 8:00 p.m. They will provide drinks for the residents, lead a brief devotion, help clean up and leave by 10:00 p.m. At that time, the church doors are locked and overnight volunteers spend the night with the residents.

This is a cooperative project where several area churches provide homeless residents of Gettysburg with a warm place to sleep from October through April. Homeless residents come to the church at 8:30 p.m., stay overnight, and go to the Soup Kitchen the next morning to start their day with a warm breakfast.

If you have not already participated in this local mission, a 90-minute training session is required. Upcoming sessions are scheduled at St. James Lutheran Church for Nov. 19, Jan. 14, Feb. 25 and March 18 at 6:30 p.m.. They are held in the church library.

There is a need for both welcoming hosts during the two-week stay at GPC and for overnight volunteers during that period at GPC and throughout the cold months at other area churches. Additionally, GPC will provide transportation with the church van to the Great Conewago Presbyterian Church as they host homeless guests from March 4-17, 2019. We need volunteers to sign up for that as well. It involves transporting homeless residents over each evening and returning to bring them back to the Soup Kitchen each morning. Please contact Bill Tindall or e-mail him at agpr4you@yahoo.com with questions or if you want to sign up.

STEPHEN MINISTRY

HOW DOES STEPHEN MINISTRY WORK?



When someone requests a Stephen Minister, our Stephen Ministry Referrals Coordinator will meet with that person, explain what Stephen Ministry is, and help determine whether Stephen Ministry is the kind of care that person needs. Our Referrals Coordinator then matches that person with one of our available Stephen Ministers. The Stephen Minister will then call that person and begin meeting with him or her for about an hour each week as long as the need is there. Everything a care receiver says to his or her Stephen Minister is kept confidential. The Stephen Minister doesn't try to solve problems; rather, he or she listens, cares, prays, and helps the care receiver find his or her path to healing and wholeness. For more information call Lou at the church office 334-1235.

Advent Devotional “Sharing Our Faith”

Back by popular demand: a devotional written by our GPC friends!

Everyone loved the Lenten Devotional, "God Moments," and we are excited to announce your next chance to be a published writer! We are signing up interested congregants to write a short, reflective Advent devotion on the topic of "Sharing our Faith."

We still need 12 more devotions. These devotions will be due in early November. Each devotion will need a title, a scripture verse, a short piece about how you have shared your faith, what you do daily to share your faith, or how you see GPC sharing faith in action. A short one-two sentence prayer concludes the devotion. Interested authors will get a longer instruction sheet with some potential scripture verses and ideas for finding your "story." This Advent season we will all be blessed by this devotional.

Contact Lynne Graziano at lynnegraziano@gmail.com or 404-226-4742 for more details. Sign up in Fellowship Hall during early October, or email Cheryl Betts at gpcdce@gettysburgpresterian.org.

Fruitbelt Farmworker Christian Ministry

Please join us on our third visit to the Friend-a-Camp program on Sunday, November 4. from 2 – 4 p.m. We will meet at the church parking lot, travel to the camp in the church van and play interactive games with workers housed at the Migrant Camp on Potato Road (located just west of Bendersville). Afterwards we will share a meal (that we provide), conduct devotions, and spend time in fellowship with the workers.

Again, a great big **THANK YOU** goes out to GPC members who prepared and generously contributed Welcome/ Health Kits. Those were distributed to the men at the camp during the first visit, along with blankets and sweatshirts provided by the Fruitbelt Farmworker Christian Ministry.

This is a wonderful opportunity to provide friendship and Christian fellowship to men whose work takes them away from their families. Although only a few speak English, there are interpreters available to help us communicate. Please considering joining us! It's a rewarding experience you will be glad you had.

Mark your Calendars for Local Mission Opportunities

GPC members will once again ring out the joy of Christmas to people in our community by ringing **Salvation Army** bells at the Gettysburg Wal-Mart on December 5 from 9:00 a.m. until 9:00 p.m. All the funds generated stay in Gettysburg and provide Emergency Services to people in need throughout the year.

Please consider signing up for a time slot at the table in Fellowship Hall. It's a fun opportunity to make a difference in our community and to get to know other GPC members better.

Mission of Mercy provides important medical and dental services to those in need – and offers these services in a caring and compassionate environment, without judgement. Gettysburg Foursquare Church hosts the mobile medical clinic and other area churches provide help in a variety of ways. GPC will prepare and deliver 40 bag lunches on Wednesday, January 16. It's another way to help out and get to know GPC members in an informal setting.

These are wonderful ways for GPC members to reach out into our community through local mission opportunities and provide much needed assistance to those in need. For more information, contact Bill Tindall at 717-357-1281 or e-mail him at agpr4you@yahoo.com.

PW CIRCLES

Elizabeth Circle

Monday, November 19, 1:00 p.m.
Paideia House, 1st floor
Lesson Leader: Rachel Parmentier

Mary Martha Circle

Thursday, November 8, 5:00 p.m.
Eisenhower Lounge at GPC

Esther Circle

Thursday, November 15, 9:30 a.m.
Eisenhower Lounge at GPC



ALL CIRCLES: LESSON 3: Deuteronomy 31: 1-8; Joshua 1:1-9; Haggai 1:1-15, 2:1-9

2018 Christmas Missions Fair on December 2nd!



It's Christmas Fair time once again! The 33rd Annual Christmas Fair will be held on Sunday, Dec. 2nd, from 4:30 - 7:00 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. There will be games and prizes for children and adults, a light supper, craft tables, baked goods, and Fair Trade items from Presbyterian Coffee Project including coffee, tea, organic hot cocoa & spicy hot cocoa, chocolate bars, organic roasted almonds and olive oil. A Silent Auction will be held from Nov. 18th to Dec 2nd. Bring your whole family to enjoy this kick-off to the Christmas season. Do your Christmas shopping at the Fair where money raised will benefit seven projects. You will also be able to shop at the Fair on Sunday mornings, December 2nd, 9th and 16th. .

Silent Auction For Christmas Fair **Items Needed by Nov 16th**

Everyone is getting excited about Christmas Fair! But what is this Silent Auction about? Once again this year we will once again be holding a Silent Auction of high quality Christmas Items benefitting GPC missions efforts the missions at the Christmas Fair. Bidding will begin on Sunday, November 18th and end as the Fair concludes on December 2nd. The highest bidder takes home the prize!

If you have an item you would like to offer, or know of a business that may be willing to donate, please contact Tom Kolmer at 717-634-0258 or at tomkolmer@gmail.com. Some suggestions include Dinner for 6, a round of golf, movie passes and popcorn, Christmas wreath, gift certificate for massage, etc. Be creative in your ideas! Also, teens could offer childcare, snow shoveling, etc. We will then choose 10 of the items to use for the Silent Auction. All others will be included in the Christmas Mission Fair sales.

The Silent Auction is a big hit every year! We hope you will participate once again, either by donating an item or by bidding generously, knowing that your purchase directly supports our Missions efforts!

Extra Crafts for the Christmas Fair

Calling all crafters, calling all crafters! Do you love to make crafts for the holiday season? We are seeking donations of Christmas wreaths, toys, flower arrangements, paintings, needlework, or any other quality crafts you would be willing to donate for sale at the Christmas Fair on Sunday, December 2nd. All proceeds from items sold at the craft tables will go to GPC mission projects for the upcoming year. Please, do not bring rummage sale or used household items, they will not be accepted for this event.

Contact Tom Kolmer at 717-634-0258 or at tomkolmer@gmail.com if you have any questions. Please bring crafts to Fellowship Hall **BY FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH, AT THE LATEST. THANKS!**

CHRISTMAS FAIR CHILDREN'S GAMES VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Beginning Sunday, November 4th we will have signup sheets in Fellowship Hall at the CE Table for volunteers to sign up for 30 min. blocks of time to help with games downstairs in the Education wing. Please stop by and sign up to help with one of fifteen games. We need help with all the games.

If you can help on Saturday, December 1st from 10-1 on Saturday to help set up the games in the Education Wing, please contact Cheryl at 334-1235, ext. 5 or email gpcdce@gettysburgpresbyterian.org.



Mission Bright Star

On **Sunday, November 18th** you will have an opportunity to participate in our church's annual Mission Bright Star program. Mission Bright Star is a ministry in which members of our congregation purchase Christmas gifts for children whose father or mother is a resident in the Adams County Correctional Facility during the Christmas season. Details regarding participation in Mission Bright Star will be announced during the church services on **November 18th**.

We are also giving each family a "Christmas Story Cube" in addition to the Christmas gifts for the children. If you would like to help defray the cost of a "Christmas Story Cube" for a Mission Bright Star family, you may do so by donating \$5.00 to Gettysburg Presbyterian Church. Checks can be payable to GPC and put Mission Bright Star in the memo line.

The sign-up for both of these programs will occur immediately after each service in Fellowship Hall on November 18th. Your willingness to share the love and compassion of Christ with a Mission Bright Star family is greatly appreciated. Thank You!

New Adult Elective Sunday School Class

As Jesus prepares his ascension to his Father and the fearful disciples and followers await the Holy Spirit in Jerusalem we have the beginnings of the Church not yet mighty. Our 4 week study of Acts will cover 8 chapters of John Stott's book "Acts: Seeing the Spirit at Work":

- Chapter 1,2 – November 4 – Waiting for and powerful arrival of the Comforter, Holy Spirit.
- Chapter 3,4 – November 11 – Arrival of persecution of believers
- Chapters 7, 8 – November 18 – Conversion of Jewish persecutor Saul and Gentile Cornelius
- Chapters 9,10 – November 25 – Early Church growing pains as Gentile converts are added, Saul becomes Paul.

Please join Andy Miner while he facilitates the 4 weeks as we encounter the exciting early and formative days and months of the rapidly growing church. Join us in MacAskill Room at 9:30 a.m. All are welcome.

Poinsettias

Help us decorate the sanctuary at Christmas by ordering a poinsettia in honor or memory of someone. The flowers will be used in the sanctuary December 23rd. You may pick up your plant(s) following evening worship on the 24th. **The church office will be closed Tuesday & Wednesday, Dec. 25th & 26th . Those not picked up by noon on the 27th will be delivered to shut-ins.** The 5-6 bloom 6 ½" pot will cost \$9.50.

Please fill in the following form & send it with your check made payable to Gettysburg Presbyterian Church to:

Mary Lou Seamens
169 Hunters Trail
Gettysburg, PA. 17325

Orders MUST be in by Sunday, December 9th.
We cannot accept orders after that date—No extensions.

Christmas Poinsettias 2018

Given by: _____

Phone #: _____

In Memory of: _____

In Honor of: _____

of plants you will pick up _____ # of plants to be delivered to shut-ins _____



Security Committee

Worship should be a safe time of adoration and joy, but recently, attacks in houses of worship have been all too common in the fabric of American life. If you've ever wondered uneasily how vulnerable we might be here at GPC, there is some good news. GPC now has a Security Committee which has been hard at work behind the scenes for nearly two years. During that time, there has been a lot of evaluation, discussion and planning, with the result that GPC now stands poised to implement some comprehensive measures to help ensure the well-being of us all.

Some of the changes you'll see are noticeable, like the phones installed throughout the building, and others are less so. Other changes are in the works, like no longer permitting large bags in the sanctuary during worship, and training that will be upcoming for all. We sincerely desire your help and cooperation with all of this, as we strive to make our times together safer, while maintaining the warm, friendly atmosphere that every Christian church should have.

Questions you have may be directed to Pastor Dave, Luke Flinner or Susan Kolmer.

Hiking Club

We had a "spooktacular" time on our hike through the Abandoned Turnpike Tunnels.

See our picture on Facebook. Our November hike will be to Codorus on 11/17/18.

We plan on leaving the church parking lot at 10 am. Bring along water and a snack.

Dress appropriately. Any questions email Jen Clark at mjclark1963@embarqmail.com



A small group of faithful knitters and crocheters has been meeting each month for several years to provide Comfort/Prayer Shawls for members and friends of GPC who are experiencing personal crises.

Our group has decided to place a number of shawls in the sanctuary for your use. Please take a shawl if you feel chilly in church and return it at the end of worship. If you know someone who is experiencing personal difficulties and might benefit from this ministry, please take a shawl as your expression of concern and to comfort the individual.

Thank you for your interest and your prayers. Please join us in this creative ministry. We meet the second Thursday of the month at 10:00 a.m. in the Eisenhower Lounge. Contact Beth Fitzpatrick for further information. (717-334-4960 or bethieandbill@comcast.net).

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED welcomes all local church women to a meeting & (\$4) luncheon on Wednesday, November 7, 11:30 a.m., at the Gettysburg Church of the Brethren, 1710 Biglerville Rd. We will celebrate WORLD COMMUNITY DAY with the program, "Reaching For Wholeness in Harmony with God's People." A special welcome to all newcomers to join the ecumenical fellowship. No reservations are needed. FMI, contact Cheryl Potter at 337-2938.



Longtime Annual Tradition - 2018 Thank Offering of the Presbyterian Women

It was in 1888 when Eliza Clokey of Springfield, Ohio, urged each woman to give one dollar over and above her usual contribution to the Women's General Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian Church of North America. She encouraged the women to give more as a way to thank the Lord for all things. As this challenge was taken up by other women in other churches, the annual PW Thank Offering was born. They were credited with saving the worldwide missional movement of the Presbyterian church at that time. The love and funds for worldwide mission that have poured out from women (and men) over the past 130 years have granted support to thousands of ministries worldwide and raised tens of millions of dollars for mission.

The 2018 Thank Offering grants have been awarded to organizations that will provide opportunities for the people they serve to grow in self-esteem, hope, freedom and economic stability. They will help build peace, provide rehabilitation services, and promote self-empowerment in the areas of health, shelter, nutrition and education. For more information on the worthy recipients selected for national and international grants, see the display on the PW bulletin board in Fellowship Hall. Please prayerfully consider how you can support this important ministry, remembering how much God has given to us in order for us to share with others in His Name. Return your gift in the enclosed Thank Offering envelope in the weekly offering plate by Nov. 30, 2018. (Envelopes can be found in Fellowship Hall.) Thank you.

News from Bryan & Emily Gerlach, our missionaries in Thailand:

Eden arrived at 11:19am on Sept. 2. She was 2.8kg (6lbs 4oz) and is doing great. The birth went smoothly and quickly and we had a really positive experience at the hospital here in Chiang Mai. Eden means paradise and is very easy for our Thai friends to pronounce, although in Thai it's pronounced more like *Aiden*. Jean is Emily's mom's middle name and Bryan's grandma's name.

Emily is feeling super tired (of course) but has been a total champ throughout the whole pregnancy and birth process. **Jameson** is over-joyed to have a little sister, but it is a major transition for him.

Praises:


- Eden continues to thrive and is a very content baby!
- The TEAM Thailand conference went very well as Bryan led worship and Emily was able to attend with the kids too.
- Both sets of our parents will be visiting Thailand over the next few months. So excited to see them!

Even though it can be exhausting getting up multiple times at night, it's a true blessing to be in this season of life and growth.

Prayer Requests:

- **Sleep!**
- For our family to be able to settle into a routine.
- For the upcoming Cool Shade of Life mission trip.
- For our church to be able to raise money to purchase land for a new building.

We love you all and really appreciate your support and prayers!

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<h1>NOVEMBER 2018</h1>						
4 Daylight Savings Time Ends 7:40 a.m. Early Choir 9:15 & 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Adult Choir 12:00 p.m. Grief Support Group (Ike) 12:30 p.m. Recorder Consort 2:00 p.m. Migrant Camp Visit 2:00 p.m. High School SHIP 4:00 p.m. Youth Choir 4:30 p.m. Youth Bell Choir 5:00 p.m. Disciple Bible Study 5:30 p.m. MidSHIP 5:30 p.m. Divorce Support Group	5 10:00 a.m. Disciple Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Disciple Bible Fast Track 6:30 p.m. Outreach	6 ELECTION DAY 7:15 a.m. Small Group @ Gburg Family Rest. 9:00 a.m. Disciple 1 10:30 a.m. Outside Tour 1:30 p.m. Outside Tour 7:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision 7:00 p.m. Civil Air Patrol 7:00 p.m. Security Team	7 9:30 a.m. Moms of Adams city 12:00 p.m. Men's Interfaith 2:45 p.m. MidSHIP Sm Grp. 3:15 p.m. Youth Club 5:45 p.m. Cont. Music Prac. 6:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir 6:30 p.m. SHIP Leaders Mtg. 7:00 p.m. Boy Scouts 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir	8 12 Noon Newsletter Deadline 10:00 a.m. Shawl Ministry 5:00 p.m. Mary Martha 6:00 p.m. First Place 7:00 p.m. Small Group	9 4:00 p.m. Small Group @ Spiritrust	10 4:00 p.m. Small Group @ Spiritrust
11 VETERAN'S DAY 7:40 a.m. Early Choir 9:15 & 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Adult Choir 12:00 p.m. Grief Support Group (Ike) 12:15 p.m. Deacons Meeting 12:15 p.m. College Students Lunch 12:30 p.m. Recorder Consort 4:00 p.m. Session 4:00 p.m. Youth Choir 4:30 p.m. Youth Bell Choir 5:00 p.m. Disciple Bible Study 5:30 p.m. Divorce Support Group 5:30-7:30 p.m. MidSHIP & SHIP Bon Fires	12 10:00 a.m. Disciple Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Disciple Bible Fast Track 12:00 p.m. Small Group 6:30 p.m. Christian Ed.	13 7:15 a.m. Small Group @ Gburg Family Rest. 7:30 a.m. Habitat Board Mtg. 8:00 a.m. Bus trip to Museum of the Bible 6:00 p.m. Girl scouts 7:00 p.m. Civil Air Patrol	14 9:00 a.m. Disciple 1 2:45 pm. MidSHIP Sm Grp. 3:15 p.m. Youth Club 4:15 p.m. Young @ Heart & Youth Club Thanksgiving Dinner 5:45 p.m. Cont. Music Prac. 6:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir 6:30 p.m. Boy Scouts 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir 7:15 p.m. Cont. Ministry Team	15 9:30 a.m. Esther Circle 6:00 p.m. First Place 6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts 7:00 p.m. Small Group	16 4:00 p.m. Small Group @ Spiritrust	17 9:00 a.m. Youth Praise Band
18 THANKSGIVERS SUNDAY PLEDGE SUNDAY MISSION BRIGHT STAR 7:40 a.m. Adult Bell Choir 9:00-12:00 Advent Wreath Making 9:15 & 9:30 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 p.m. Congregational Meeting 10:30 a.m. Property Committee 12:00 p.m. Grief Support Group (Ike) 12:30 p.m. Recorder Consort 4:00 p.m. Youth Choir 4:30 p.m. Youth Bell Choir 5:00 p.m. Disciple Bible Study 5:30 p.m. MidSHIP & SHIP Car Chase 5:30 p.m. Divorce Support Group	19 10:00 a.m. Disciple Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Disciple Bible Fast Track 11:15 a.m. Collaboration For Youth 1:00 p.m. Elizabeth Circle 3:00 p.m. Welcome Com. 6:30 p.m. Worship & Music 7:00 p.m. Mission & Interpretation	20 9:00 a.m. Disciple 1 6:15 p.m. Stephen Ministry Leaders 7:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision 7:00 p.m. Civil Air Patrol 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout Leaders 7:00 p.m. Community Thanksgiving Service @ Trinity UCC Church	21 12 Noon Newsletter Deadline 8:00 a.m. Ministerium NO MidSHIP NO Youth Club 5:45 p.m. Cont. Music Prac. 6:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir 7:00 p.m. Adult Choir	22 OFFICE CLOSED 	23 OFFICE CLOSED	24 OFFICE CLOSED
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Gettysburg Presbyterian Church believes that God calls us to invite people to faith in Jesus Christ, and equip them to grow as His fully devoted followers. As disciples we:

- * study regularly
- * pray daily
- * witness boldly
- * live faithfully
- * serve passionately
- * give generously
- * worship weekly



**Next Newsletter Deadline:
Noon, Thursday, November 8, 2018**

**November 2018
GPC WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

Traditional Worship @ 8:15 & 11:00 a.m.
Contemporary Worship @ 9:30 a.m.

Gospel of John Preaching Series

We encourage you to read the passage for the upcoming Sunday each week!

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| November 4 | “Where Do We Go From Here?” - John 16:16-33
Communion
All Saints Day |
| November 11 | Abundant Living, Cheerful Giving - John 10:10b |
| November 18 | Thanksgiving Sunday
Pledge Sunday
Mission Bright Star |