

# GRAPEVINE

October 23, 2019

## "The Pastor's Page"

Recently, Ben & Emily Okello, our missionaries in Kenya, visited with us and spoke in worship. They run an orphanage for about 80 kids and Ben is involved in planting churches. They thanked us for providing light and electricity for the orphanage by purchasing a solar system and paying for its installation. The new system provides perimeter lighting (important for keeping animals away), lighting for two large classrooms and 45 small rooms, and several outlets which can be used for computers. We were able to fund this project due to your generous giving! Thank you!

As we think about our stewardship theme, "Casting Nets for Jesus," I am reminded that our giving provides for casting nets in 7 different countries in addition to our own! And it provides support for many local ministries here in Adams County, as well as within our congregation.

We are facing real financial challenges here at GPC, and we need your support to continue to do the work to which we believe God is calling us!

Please prayerfully consider making a pledge on Nov. 17!

*Pastor Dave*

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# Happy Birthday to...

November 2

Luke May  
Pam Phillips

November 3

Cherie Black  
Hope Sanders

November 4

John Doerr  
Barry Simon

November 5

Andrea Crowe  
Lori May

November 6

Lydia Casteel  
Ann Ellefson

Al Moroz

Chase Tritle

November 7

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

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

Tyler Weikert

November 20

Steve Kinsey

Laura Lochary

Deborah Snyder

November 21

Cathy Gardner

Matthew Hartwig

Holly Hess

Jon Holler

Graham Stabler

November 22

Miles Decker

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

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

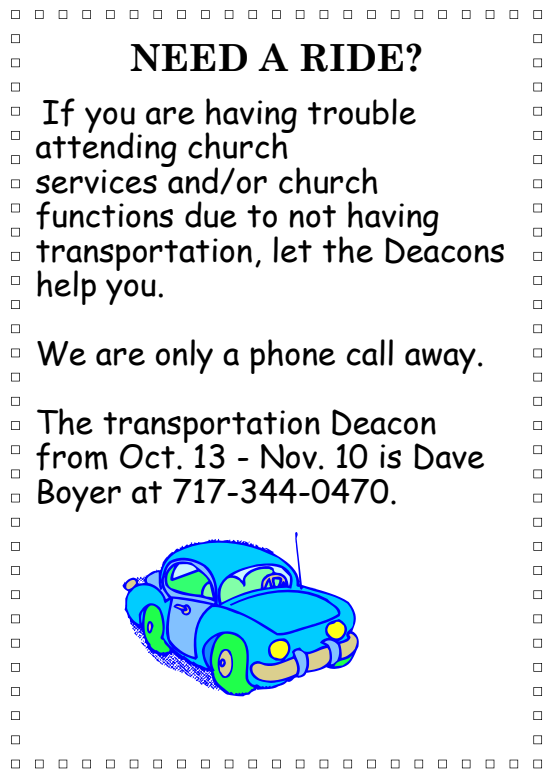
Paige Stewart



**REMINDER: Daylight Savings  
time ends on Nov. 3rd!**  
Be sure to turn your clocks  
**BACK ON SATURDAY, Nov. 2**

### Missing Umbrella

We are missing a purple umbrella that was in Fellowship Hall foyer on Sunday morning. If you know its whereabouts, please return it to the church office - Thank you!



### 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 Oct. 13 - Nov. 10 is Dave Boyer at 717-344-0470.



### Congratulations to

Larry Musselman and Lois Edwards,  
who were married at GPC on Saturday, Oct. 19!  
Best wishes to you both!

### Cookie Sign Up

Fall and the holiday seasons are here, and the coffee and cookies are welcome treats in Fellowship Hall on a Sunday morning. Dennis' coffee is always hot and delicious, and a brownie or cookie is the perfect companion for it. Please consider sharing some sweet treats for a coffee hour -- home baked is tasty, but we all love donuts and goodies from local stores and bakeries as well. There is a cookie sign-up book located in Fellowship Hall right on the treat table -- sign your name and bring a smile to a friend at church!



# Upcoming Events:

## Grief Support Series Begins November 3rd

We will offer a four-week grief support group entitled: "Dealing with Grief and Loss: Hope in the Midst of Pain." The group will be led by Charlotte Winsheimer and Anne Gallon, two of our Stephen Ministry Leaders.

The group will meet on Sunday afternoons from November 3 through 24 in the Eisenhower Lounge from Noon to 1:00 p.m.

The group is open to anyone who has experienced the death of a spouse, friend or loved one and who is open to exploring their experience further with others in the same situation. If you have any questions or would like to sign up for the group, please contact Rev. Lou Nyiri at 334-1235, ext. 4 or [gpclou@gettysburgpresbyterian.org](mailto:gpclou@gettysburgpresbyterian.org).

*"Peace I leave with you;  
my peace I give to you.  
I do not give to you as the world gives.  
Do not let your hearts be troubled,  
and do not let them be afraid."  
~ John 14:27*

## HIGH SCHOOL FELLOWSHIP October

October 27	5:30 - 7:00	Dinner & Costume Party
November 3	5:30 - 7:00	Dinner & Fellowship
November 10	5:30 - 7:00	Dinner & Fellowship
November 17	5:30 - 7:30	Car Chase (NOTE TIME CHANGE)

## MidSHIP Schedule October

October 27	5:30 - 7:00	Dinner & Costume Party
October 30	2:45 - 5:00	Small Group
November 3	5:30 - 7:00	Dinner & Fellowship
November 6	2:45 - 5:00	Small Group
November 10	5:30 - 7:00	Dinner & Bonfire at Libby's house

## CASTING NETS FOR JESUS!

As a parent, my wife and I strived to eat our evening meal together as schedules allowed. Teaching our daughters to pray before we ate was and is essential. It allows everyone to stop and thank God for our blessings and for strength when needed.

Now all three daughters are married and we are blessed with two grandchildren. Their parents have continued to teach them the importance of praying before meals, at bedtime and anytime. When eating out or at family gatherings our grandchildren remind us to stop and pray before we eat. Sharing God's love for us is always important!

Frank Pizzuto, Stewardship Team

## STEPHEN MINISTRY

### HOW DOES STEPHEN MINISTRY WORK?



When someone requests a Stephen Minister, our Stephen Ministry Referrals Coordinator will contact 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 717-334-1235.

## **2019 Christmas Missions Fair on NOVEMBER 24th!**

It's Christmas Fair time once again! The 34th Annual Christmas Fair will be held on Sunday, Nov. 24, 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, hot cocoa, chocolate bars, organic roasted almonds and olive oil. Bring your whole family to enjoy this kick-off to the Christmas season! A Silent Auction will be held from Nov. 24th to Dec. 15th. 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, November 24th, December 1st, 8th and 15th.



### **Silent Auction For Christmas Fair Items Needed by November 22nd**

Everyone is getting excited about Christmas Fair! Once again this year we will be holding a Silent Auction of high quality Christmas Items, services and unique opportunities. Bidding will begin on Sunday, November 24th and end December 15th.

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, Nov. 24th. 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 22<sup>ND</sup>, AT THE LATEST.**  
**THANKS!**

### **Christmas Mission Fair Games Volunteers**

Beginning Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup> we will have signup sheets for volunteers to sign up for 30 min blocks of time to man the 15 games on the lower level during the Christmas Fair. We need many hands to make this work. Please sign up for as many time slots as you can. Thank you for helping us entertain children while adults are upstairs attending the Christmas Mission Fair.



**"I believe, I believe every day is a good day when you paint!"**  
*-Bob Ross, American Painter*

GPC, we are pleased to announce that November 9, 2019 (1:00 PM in Fellowship Hall) is a good day to paint! Lacey from Color Mixer will be back with us, guiding us in painting "Santa's Cabin." This is a delightful holiday scene, with the option to personalize the cabin with your family name. No artistic training or skill is needed. Lacey provides detailed instructions along the way! **This is an excellent opportunity to "invite a friend to GPC"** (IAFTGPC). Light refreshments will be served.

To register and pay (\$35.00/painter), use the following link: [www.thecolormixer.com/gettysburgchurch](http://www.thecolormixer.com/gettysburgchurch). Click on the picture of Santa's Cabin and you will be taken to the payment page>>click "Add to Cart">>click "Check out with PayPal" (don't worry, the next screen allows you to pay with a credit card)>>pay with PayPal, Debit or Credit Card. If you do not have a credit card or PayPal account, please contact the church office and let us know. You may then pay by check or cash and we will register you. Seating is limited to 30 painters, so register soon to guarantee your spot!

Looking forward to a great Color Mixer event!  
 The Outreach Committee

### **Have Lunch with a Missionary Couple! Gerlachs visit GPC on October 27.**

Bryan and Emily Gerlach will be joining us for worship on Sunday, 27 October at all three services. Grandson of Tom Piper, Bryan, Emily, and their children have been serving God as missionaries in Chang Mai, Thailand for many years. Come hear about their experiences and opportunities and enjoy lunch after church at The Pike Restaurant. A private room has been reserved from 12:30 to 2:30pm, orders will be taken from the menu, and Bryan and Emily will be available to answer your questions. GPC has supported the Gerlachs for over 8 years and we are excited to have them join us for this time of sharing!

**If you plan to join for lunch at The Pike**, please contact the church office at 717-334-1235 to let us know how many will be in attendance. Thank you!

### **Change in Nursery Care**

Over the last 9 months we have not had anyone utilize our church nursery at the 8:15 service. Effective November 3<sup>rd</sup> we will suspend the nursery care for the 8:15 service. If there comes a need for this care again, we will gladly re-institute it. If you know of someone coming to that service that will need childcare, please notify Cheryl in the church office and we will have our nursery staff available. Nursery care will continue from 9:00 a.m. until noon for care of our youngest members.

**There will be a combined worship service at 10AM on Sunday, Nov. 17 followed by a fellowship time in Fellowship Hall!**

**There will be a congregational meeting on Sunday, Nov. 24 at 10:30AM to elect church offices. Please plan to attend!**





## Christmas Craft Workshop & Childcare

On Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10:00 – 1:30 Christian Education and Mid-Ship will have a Christmas craft workshop for ages 4 – 5<sup>th</sup> Grade and there will be childcare for children 3's and younger. We will serve them pizza for lunch. This is our gift to parents that will enable them to go Christmas shopping, eat lunch out or take a much-needed nap while we entertain their children. Any Mid-ship youth or older that would like to help, please see either Cheryl Betts or Libby Crowe. There is a signup sheet on the CE Table for you to register your children for this event. RSVP no later than Thursday, October 31<sup>st</sup>.

## Presbyterian Women Treasure Hunt

Every woman in the Presbyterian Church is a member of Presbyterian Women (PW). Although circles are how we gather for regular fellowship through Bible study, there is so much more! Find out what other involvements PW takes part in and are open to anyone interested. The most recent newsletter is the third quarter, but the fourth quarter newsletter will be coming up soon. HAPPY HUNTING! To begin your discovery, go to [www.presbyterianwomen.org](http://www.presbyterianwomen.org) and in the Search Box, type Quarterly Newsletter.



## Practice your CPR Skills

Join me on Sunday Nov 3<sup>rd</sup> 7:45 am until 11 am in Fellowship Hall. Stop by and practice your CPR skills and learn about the AED (Automatic External Defibrillator). No experience necessary. Be prepared to use GPC AED equipment in a non-threatening atmosphere. This is not a class just an opportunity to ask questions and have some “hands on” time!

~ Pam Phillips, RN FCN

## Mission Prayer List

On Sunday mornings we will be praying for the following people/groups that we support.

Please consider including them in your own prayers!

- 10/27 Bryan and Emily Gerlach**  
Bryan and Emily are serving with local Churches in Thailand.
- 11/3 Carpenter's Gift**  
Carpenter's Gift is a GPC ministry building primarily handicapped ramps for local people.
- 11/10 South Carolina Mission Trip**  
Works with Sea Island Habitat for Humanity to build homes for working poor families each Spring.
- 11/17 Habitat for Humanity**  
GPC was a founding church for this ministry which provides home ownership for working poor families.

## “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 individual serving 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.

## Volunteer Drivers Needed

The Pennsylvania Prison Society, established in 1787, is our nation's oldest human rights organization. Our small Adams County chapter volunteers visit the incarcerated, help those inside to get needed IDs for work, and provide transportation home upon release for those having no one on the outside to help them. We have an urgent need for additional drivers (reliable volunteers with flexible schedules and a safe driving record).

Volunteer drivers receive a thorough orientation and mileage compensation. Those interested in finding out more about this opportunity to make a real difference should call David Young at (301) 602-1809 or email Judy Young at [jsmithyoung@gmail.com](mailto:jsmithyoung@gmail.com) or attend a monthly Prison Society meeting on first Fridays at 1:30 pm at St. James in Gettysburg.

## October / November Music Schedule

Oct. 27	8:15 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Adult Bell Choir Youth Choir Chapel Choir
Nov. 3	8:15 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Early Choir Adult Choir
Nov. 10	8:15 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Early Choir Adult Choir
Nov. 17	10:00 a.m.	Combined Service
Nov. 24	8:15 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Early Choir Adult Choir

## Church Women United

CHURCH WOMEN UNITED invites all local church women to celebrate WORLD COMMUNITY DAY on Wednesday, November 6, 11:30 a.m., at the Gettysburg Church of the Brethren, 1710 Biglerville Rd. Following the (\$4) luncheon our program will be THE TIME IS NOW! "Resolve to Love." A special welcome to newcomers. No reservations are needed.

## 75+ X Three = #whyGPC is a caring, committed and celebrating place

Our September fellowship events were well attended, with each seeing 75 or more folks participate:

9/8 – Kick Off Sunday well over 75 people felt the buzz of opportunities available to them via worship, Sunday school & the fellowship hall displays as our 2019-2020 programmatic year began;

9/15 – Over 75 People attended the All Church Potluck Picnic, Corn Hole Tournament & Hymn Sing in Straban Township;

9/22 – 76 people enjoyed several GPC members perform in Gettysburg Community Theatre's production of *Guys and Dolls*.

These fellowship events are a great way to introduce friends and neighbors to our GPC community. More importantly, we hope they will join us on our communal faith journey as together we follow the one who ultimately shapes our hearts and gives life greater meaning.

So, keep bringing folks along on the journey and help them see #whyGPC is a place of caring, commitment and celebration.

## The Aero Energy House of Worship Program

Help Us Donate to Your Church.

*Small donations from a committed congregation make a difference.*

The Aero Energy House of Worship Program is a donation program established by Aero Energy to provide Aero Energy customers an opportunity to give to their churches. If 100 Aero Energy customers from our congregation sign up to participate, our church could receive an annual \$3,000.00 donation (based on 750 gal/year average fuel use per participant).

### COMMON QUESTIONS:

**1. If I become a House of Worship Program participant, will I pay more for my fuel?**

No, you pay the same price per gallon you're paying now. This is a donation from Aero Energy to the church. Aero Energy donates 4 cents for every gallon of fuel you use, that is all.

**2. Does my church need to use propane gas or heating oil to receive the donation?**

No.

**3. Does my church need to be an Aero Energy customer in order to receive the Aero Energy House of Worship Program donation?**

No, but they are welcome to use Aero Energy and receive four cents in donations for every gallon of fuel they use.

Sign up for the Aero Energy House of Worship Program online at [AeroEnergy.com/HOW](http://AeroEnergy.com/HOW) or call 888-827-1713.

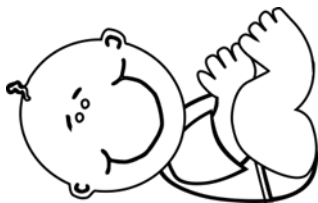


**Anyone knowing of a small apartment for rent  
in Gettysburg for a woman and her cat who needs  
To relocate by Nov. 1st please call the church office.**

### Condolences

Our thoughts and prayers are with Katherine Schneider's family upon her death.

### Babysitter Training



The American Red Cross has created a course for Babysitters which includes sessions on leadership, age characteristics, problem solving, safety, communication and first aid. The class will be led by Becky Stabler in the Eisenhower Lounge. For registration or questions, please call Becky at 717-688-5183. The course is designed for 11 to 15 year-olds who want to babysit.

December 21, Saturday

8:30 am – 4:00 pm \$50 GPC members; \$65 non-members





## **Mission Bright Star**

On **Sunday, November 24th** 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 24<sup>th</sup>**.

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 24<sup>th</sup>.** Your willingness to share the love and compassion of Christ with a Mission Bright Star family is greatly appreciated. Thank You!



## **Fall Helping Hand**

# **SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2019**

**MEET AT GPC AT 8:00 A.M. DISPERSE TO WORK LOCATIONS. CLEAN UP BY NOON.  
GATHER FOR GROUP LUNCH AT 12:15**

### **LOCAL MISSIONS PROJECT IN THE GETTYSBURG AREA**

Helping Hand is a one-day activity that reaches out to individuals or families in need of home repairs. It will consist of basic home repairs – painting and carpentry - as well as indoor tasks, fall clean-up activities - leaf removal, gutter cleaning and other activities necessary for preparation of the upcoming winter months.

We are looking for both skilled and non-skilled helpers to go out into the Gettysburg Community with the gift of time, talent and love.

## **Who do you know who needs a Helping Hand?**

We are also looking for people who can take advantage of these services.  
Please don't be shy in asking for a helping hand.

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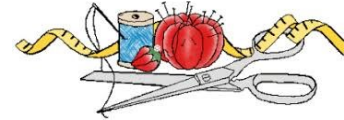
For More Information, Contact: Bill Tindall (717-357-1281)

### Attention College Students!

Pastor Dave and Bonnie would like to invite you to their home for lunch on **Sunday, November 10** after the 11AM worship service.

### Sewing Help Needed

Christian Education needs someone who can open up the back of our "Kings" and insert a yardstick and then re-stitch so that our "kings" have more backbone. There are 3 of them that need this "surgery". If you can help, please contact Cheryl in the church office.



### SAVE THE DATE

Young at Heart and Youth Club / Mid-Ship Small Group Thanksgiving Dinner on Wednesday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 4 PM.



Young at Heart RVSP to Cheryl no later than **Monday, November 4<sup>th</sup>** as final date to reserve a place at [gpcdce@gettysburgpresbyterian.org](mailto:gpcdce@gettysburgpresbyterian.org) or 717-334-1235, ext. 5.

Bring a dessert, salad or vegetable to go with our traditional Thanksgiving dinner.

## 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 22<sup>nd</sup>. You may pick up your plant(s) following evening worship on the 24<sup>th</sup>. **The church office will be closed Wednesday & Thursday, Dec. 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>. Those not picked up by noon on the 27<sup>th</sup> will be delivered to shut-ins.** The 5-6 bloom 6 1/2" pot will cost \$10.00.

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 8th.**  
**We cannot accept orders after that date—No extensions.**

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### Christmas Poinsettias 2019

Given by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_  
In Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_  
In Honor of: \_\_\_\_\_  
# of plants you will pick up \_\_\_\_\_ # of plants to be delivered to shut-ins \_\_\_\_\_



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<p><b>3 Daylight Savings Time Ends</b>            7:40 a.m. Early Choir            9:15 &amp; 9:30 a.m. Sunday School            10:30 a.m. Adult Choir            12:00 p.m. Grief Support Group (Ike)            4:00 p.m. Christian Believer            4:30 p.m. Youth Choir            5:30 p.m. MidSHIP &amp; SHIP</p>	<p><b>4</b>            9:00 a.m. Christian Believer            12:00 p.m. Small Group            6:30 p.m. Outreach            7:00 p.m. Mission and Interpretation</p>	<p><b>5 ELECTION DAY</b>            7:15 a.m. Small Group @ G'burg Family Rest.            7:00 p.m. Small Group @ Wright's Home            7:00 p.m. Security Team            7:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision</p>	<p><b>6</b>            9:30 a.m. Moms of Adams cty            12:00 p.m. Men's Interfaith            2:00 p.m. Small Group @ Cross Keys            2:45 pm. 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. Boy Scouts            7:00 p.m. Adult Choir</p>	<p><b>7</b>            9:30 a.m. Moms Board            10:00 a.m. Shawl Ministry            5:00 p.m. Mary Martha            6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts            6:30 p.m. Adult Discipleship            7:00 p.m. Strategic Planning            7:00 p.m. Small Group</p>	<p><b>1</b>            4:00 p.m. Small Group @ Spiritrust</p>	<p><b>2</b>            8:00 - 1:00 Helping Hands            10:00-2:00 Craft Workshop (ages 4 - grade 5)  <b>Babysitting</b>            (ages 0 - 3)            (turn clocks back one hour)</p>
<p><b>10</b>            7:40 a.m. Early Choir            9:15 &amp; 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            4:00 p.m. Christian Believer            4:00 p.m. Ses:            4:00 p.m. Youth Bell Choir            4:30 p.m. Youth Choir            5:30 p.m. MidSHIP Bonfire @ Libby's            5:30 p.m. SHIP</p>	<p><b>11 VETERAN'S DAY</b>            9:00 a.m. Christian Believer            12:00 p.m. Small Group            6:30 p.m. Christian Ed.</p>	<p><b>12</b>            7:15 a.m. Small Group @ G'burg Family Rest.            7:30 a.m. Habitat Board Mtg.            3:30 p.m. Fellowship Com.            6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Leaders            6:30 p.m. Family Ministry            7:00 p.m. Small Group @ Wright's Home</p>	<p><b>13</b>            2:00 p.m. Small Group @ Cross Keys            2:45 pm. 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. Boy Scouts            7:00 p.m. Adult Choir            7:00 p.m. Cont. Ministry Team</p>	<p><b>14 12 Noon Newsletter Deadline</b>            10:00 a.m. Shawl Ministry            5:00 p.m. Mary Martha            6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts            7:00 p.m. Small Group</p>	<p><b>15</b>            4:00 p.m. Small Group @ Spiritrust</p>	<p><b>16</b>            9:00 a.m. Youth Praise Band            10:00 a.m. Hiking Club</p>
<p><b>17 THANKSGIVERS SUNDAY PLEDGE SUNDAY</b>            NO Sunday School  <b>10:00 a.m. COMBINED WORSHIP</b>            12:00 p.m. Grief Support Group (Ike)            4:00 p.m. Christian Believer            4:00 p.m. Youth Bell Choir            4:30 p.m. Youth Choir            5:30 p.m. MidSHIP            5:30 - 7:30 p.m. MidShip &amp; SHIP Car Chase</p>	<p><b>18</b>            9:00 a.m. Christian Believer            11:15 a.m. CFY            1:00 p.m. Elizabeth Circle            3:00 p.m. Welcome Com.            7:00 p.m. Worship &amp; Music</p>	<p><b>19</b>            6:15 p.m. Stephen Ministry Leaders            7:00 p.m. Stephen Ministry Supervision</p>	<p><b>20</b>            2:45 pm. MidSHIP Sm Grp.            3:15 p.m. Youth Club            4:00 p.m. Young @ Heart &amp; 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</p>	<p><b>21</b>            9:30 a.m. Esther Circle            6:30 p.m. Strategic Planning            6:30 p.m. Girl Scouts</p>	<p><b>22</b></p>	<p><b>23</b>            10:00 a.m. Set-Up for Christmas Fair</p>
<p><b>24 THANKSGIVERS SUNDAY MISSION BRIGHT STAR</b>            7:40 a.m. Early Choir  <b>10:30 p.m. Congregational Meeting</b>            9:15 &amp; 9:30 a.m. Sunday School            10:30 a.m. Adult Choir            12:00 p.m. Grief Support Group (Ike)            4:00 p.m. Christian Believer            4:30 p.m. Christmas Fair</p>	<p><b>25</b>            9:00 a.m. Christian Believer</p>	<p><b>26</b>  <b>7:00 p.m. Community Thanksgiving Service @ St. Francis Xavier</b>            (on High St.)</p>	<p><b>27</b>            5:45 p.m. Cont. Music Prac.            6:00 p.m. Adult Bell Choir            7:00 p.m. Health Care for All            7:00 p.m. Adult Choir</p>	<p><b>28</b>  <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>  </p>	<p><b>29</b>  <b>OFFICE CLOSED</b></p>	<p><b>30</b></p>

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### Gettysburg Presbyterian Church Mission Statement

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 October 31, 2019**

## **October / November 2019** **GPC WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

**Traditional Worship @ 8:15 & 11:00 a.m.**

**Contemporary Worship @ 9:30 a.m.**

<b>October 27</b>	<i>"Seculosity"</i> Remembrance Day
<b>November 3</b>	<i>"You Are What You Love"</i> Communion Daylight Savings Time Ends
<b>November 10</b>	Stewardship Sermon - <i>"Casting Nets for Jesus"</i>
<b>November 17</b>	10:00 a.m. Combined Worship - <i>"Why Do We Need Church Anyway?"</i> Pledge Sunday No Sunday School
<b>November 24</b>	Thanksgivers Sunday Mission Bright Star