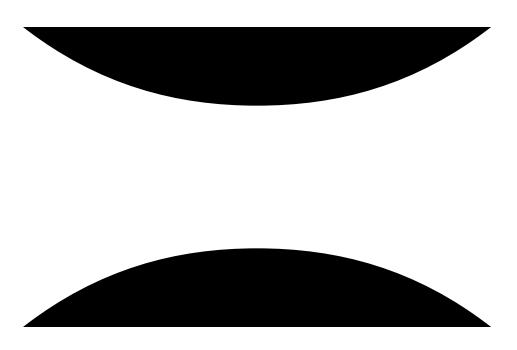


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## **Our Mission**

The Presbyterian Church of Milford

Our response to God's call for us to show and share the presence of Christ in the world is our mission to:

**Nurture**—helping people to see God working in their lives, enabling them to respond to God's call for wholeness.

**Encourage**—supporting one another in our faith walk, together experiencing Christ on a deeper personal level.

**Celebrate**—Inspired by the Holy Spirit to learn, work, and play together in our faith, sharing our joy with the world.

### **GATHERING FOR WORSHIP**

Words of Welcome Announcements & Events in the Life of the Church\_ Prelude

#### THE PREPARATION

### Call To Worship - (Leader, All)

We give you thanks, O God, for you are good; your steadfast love endures forever. When we cried to you with our troubles, O Lord, you saved us from our distress.

We give you thanks, O God, for your wonderful works to all of humanity.

Hear now our offerings of praise and thanksgiving, as we tell of your deeds with songs of joy.

LET US WORSHIP GOD!

\*Song of Praise

#220 "All People That on Earth Do Dwell"

Moment with the Children

### **Prayer of Confession (Unison)**

O God, in Christ Jesus you proclaimed your love for all creation. Have mercy on us as we confess our sin. We have overpopulated the earth and violated its goodness. We have depleted nature of its vital resources. Pollution besets us, waters lie stagnant. We care not for ourselves as temples, nor for communities as building not built with hands. We plead for forgiveness and ask for your guidance. Help us to be disciplined in taking care of your gifts, lest in neglecting them we lose them forever.

Prayers of Intercession

Prayers for the People

The Lord's Prayer

\*Song of Thanksgiving #579 "Glory Be to the Father"

### THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Prayer of Illumination

First Scripture: Numbers 21: 4-9 pg 139 OT

Anthem

Second Scripture: John 3: 11-21 pg 94 NT

Sermon "God's Love" Rev. Dr. Linda Erkert-Bullock

\*Song of Hope #298 "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

### RESPONSE TO THE WORD

\*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed pew card

Invitation to the Offering

Offertory

\*Doxology #592 "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

\*Prayer of Dedication

### SENDING

\*Song To Send Out Insert "Great Is The Lord"

\*Benediction

**Choral Response** 

Postlude

\*those who are able may stand

# **PASTOR**

Rev. Dr. Linda J. Erkert-Bullock

<u>ELDERS</u>	<u>Greeters</u> March 11 - Ruth Schaible	
Ann Marie Austin (20		
Judy Moyer (20	,	
Charlie White (20	1 ·	
(20	April 8 - Williams Family	
JR Beahm (20		
Marv Moyer (2019)	To bill and Early Today	
Jef Betz (2019)	Counters Counters	
Jei Betz (20	March - J. Beahm & L. Bellini	
	April - J. Leidy & M. Moyer	
John Austin (2020		
,	P20 <u>Fellowship</u>	
Jody Leffler (2020)	March - Fundraising Committee	
	(J. Leffler, L. Bellini, M. Beahm)	
DEACONS_	April - Christian Ed Committee	
	(A. Austin, J. Beahm and J. Leffler)	
Jeremy Donaldson	(2018) Communion Branaration	
Sylvia Donaldson (20	l ' Marah Culuia Danaldaan	
Stacey McGlothlin (20	(8) March - Sylvia Donaldson	
	April - Marianne Beahm	
John Leidy (20	1 .	
Jess Beahm (20		
John Patrick Tynan (2019)	D. w. L. d. v.	
	<u>Reminders</u>	
Marianne Beahm (20	March 25th - Palm Sunday Processional	
Laura Williams (20	March 25th - Pot Luck	
Heather Stanley (20	March 29th - Maundy Thursday	
, , ,	Watch 29th - Mauricy Thursday	
STAFF	April 1st - Easter Sunday	
<del></del>	April 1st - 2 Cents a Meal and food collection	
Parish Associate - Rev. Doni		
Office Admin - Jody Leffler	April 14th - Boy Scout Spaghetti Dinner	
Music Director - Lisa Sforza	April 15th - Miller Keystone Blood Drive	
	յstApri 29th - Joint Elder and Deacon Meeting	
Jess Beahm	April 30th - Life Line Screening	
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Clerk of Session - Jody Leffler		

# What's going on at PCOM

## Per Capita = \$33.21 per member

Because every Presbyterian shares in the benefit of the PC(USA)'s system of government, the expenses associated with coordinating and performing the functions of that system should be shared by everyone as well. Please pay your share. Thank You!!!

#### **BIBLE STUDY**

Rev. Donna McDaid will host a 4 week Adult Bible Study on "The Cross" on Tuesdays at 10:30 AM. The dates are March 6, 13, 20 and 27. "The Apostle's Creed": What Christians Believe and Why" begins on April 10.

### LOOK WHAT'S COMING UP

Bible Study – March 13<sup>th</sup>
Bible Study – March 20<sup>th</sup>
Palm Sunday Processional – March 25th
Pot Luck – March 25<sup>th</sup>
Bible Study - March 27th
Maundy Thursday – March 29<sup>th</sup>

Easter Sunday and Easter Egg Hunt – April 1st
Spaghetti Dinner hosted by the Boy Scouts – April 14th
Miller Keystone Blood Drive – April 15<sup>th</sup>
Deacon Sunday – April 22nd
Joint Session & Deacon Meeting – April 29th
Life Line Screening – April 30<sup>th</sup>

THANK YOU TO EVERY ONE WHO WORKED ON THE FRIED CHICKEN DINNER AND MADE IT SUCH A SUCCESS!!!

# PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

In the bulletin, we will include all those that we have lifted up to God the previous week. The individuals will remain on the list until the individuals are well, the situation changes or we are asked to remove them. We will also ask for additions to the list.

## **Prayers of Healing for:**

Doug	MaryAnn	Tom
Sandy	John	Aunt Jody
Judy	Jamie	Jeff
Herb	Georgia	Jackie's dad
Berta	Betty	Marisol

## **Prayers of Comfort for:**

- > Those still without power
- ➤ The families of those who lost their lives in the recent storms

## Prayers of Joy and thanks for:

The talented youth in our congregation who performed in "Grease" at the Delaware Valley Regional High School.

## **Always in our Thoughts**

- Military and First Responders
- > Our church family shut-ins
- > Those less fortunate than us
- Caregivers and healers