

# YOUR FPC: PHOENIXVILLE

Welcome to...

# The BEAT

The weekly e-newsletter from First Presbyterian Church

## THIS WEEK'S PULSE

### Wednesday, June 10th

Dine Around Support for The Great American Pub (148 Bridge St, 610-917-3333)

7:30 p.m. [All-Church Zoom Social](#)

### Thursday, June 11th

Dine Around Support for The Great American Pub (148 Bridge St, 610-917-3333)

10:00 a.m. Food Ministry (Kitchen)

### Friday, June 12th

Dine Around Support for The Great American Pub (148 Bridge St, 610-917-3333)

No events scheduled.

### Saturday, June 13th

Dine Around Support for Iron Hill Brewery (130 E Bridge St, 610-983-9333)

No events scheduled.

### SUNDAY, June 14th

Dine Around Support for Iron Hill Brewery (130 E Bridge St, 610-983-9333)

Coffee Hour - [Flipgrid](#) anytime

10:30 a.m. \*WORSHIP SERVICE - Rev. Doug Hagler, preaching - [YouTube](#)

1:00 p.m. Men's Group - [Zoom](#)

7:00 p.m. Anti-Racism Reading & Discussion Group - [Zoom](#)

### Monday, June 15th

7:15 p.m. Worship & Music Committee Meeting - Zoom

Dine Around Support for Iron Hill Brewery (130 E Bridge St, 610-983-9333)

### Tuesday, June 16th

Dine Around Support for Iron Hill Brewery (130 E Bridge St, 610-983-9333)

7:00 p.m. Praise Team (Sanctuary)

7:15 p.m. Church Growth Meeting - Zoom

### Wednesday, June 17th

Dine Around Support for Iron Hill Brewery (130 E Bridge St, 610-983-9333)

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## FEATURED EVENT



**From June 3rd** - It was a dark and stormy night...but it wasn't a scary movie it was Parish Life's 'Favorite Vacation' Zoom event that followed last Wednesday's wind and rain! Fourteen, who had power, 'Zoom travelled' around the world. We went from beautiful beaches and mountains to cities on water or ice, to families of elephants to human families enjoying amusement parks and many other locations. If you weren't able to join stay tuned I'm sure we will do this one again. It was great to see Adam and Megan Smith and meet Danielle's husband Jim.

Tonight is Favorite Recipe Night, **June 10th**, at 7:30. Either email your recipe and photo (*optional*) to Maggie ([fpccommunications@comcast.net](mailto:fpccommunications@comcast.net)) by 4:00 PM today, or show and share it during the Zoom session. Don't have a favorite recipe...tell us about the specialty from your favorite restaurant. Hope to see you tonight. Here are the Zoom details -

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82885531183?pwd=aThZTEQ0ak05V1FQdnYrTWFWmFISdz09>

Meeting ID: 864 2055 2972 Password: 337156

or Call: 1-929-205-6099

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## THIS SUNDAY



**COFFEE HOUR:** The FlipGrid coffee hour continues on the FPC FlipGrid board - <https://flipgrid.com/fpcpcoffeehour>. Record videos of yourself, your family, your surroundings, etc. and then post it to the board so everyone can see them. Visit FlipGrid before or after worship.

**WORSHIP:** Sunday's worship service will be at 10:30 AM on [FPC's YouTube Channel](#) - "FPC Phoenixville". Afterward, the recorded version will be available for "anytime" viewing. Sunday's bulletin will be posted on the FPC website for your convenience to follow along with the worship service. - <https://fpc-phoenixville.org/publications/bulletins/>

**MEN'S GROUP:** The [MEN'S GROUP](#) will Zoom at 1:00 PM on Sunday, June 14th.

**NEW! ANTI-RACISM READING & DISCUSSION GROUP:** Requests have been made and interest expressed in a reading and discussion group that focuses on racism and anti-racism. The first session will be held this Sunday, June 14th, and rotate every other week with Pub Theology. This Zoom gathering will start at 7:00 PM. Book options will be discussed. It's a great opportunity for learning and understanding. Here are the Zoom details-

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86420552972?pwd=dkN4WFJwUkpvQ3ZlK0xGYzlyREVNdz09>

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## NOTEABLES



Wouldn't it be great to provide business for the local restaurants who have helped us with our **Dine Around** events? Consider a **take out night** and support any of the following establishments during one or all of the FPC weeks noted: [Great American Pub](#) (June 6-12), [Iron Hill Brewery](#) (June 13-June 19), [Liberty Union Grill](#) (June 20-26), [PJ Ryan's Pub](#) (June 27-July 3).



Have you had a chance to check out Pastor Doug's **Scripture Chat** videos on **Facebook**? They offer a scripture reading, some historical insight, and a clerical perspective. Find these brief (8-12-minutes long) chats on the FPC Family group page. Not a group member? In Facebook, search **FPC Family** group and click on the **Join** button and an administrator will approve your request.



Here are the **scrip** details for **June**! Orders are due on every other Friday: **June 12 & June 26**. Please call Lynne at 610-415-1581 (home) or 610-955-4749 (cell) to place an order. Checks are to be made payable to First Presbyterian Church DR and mailed to Lynne Williams, 14 Schofield Road, Phoenixville, PA 19460. Remember these cards make great "Thank You" gifts for front-line service workers.



The Session and Board of Deacons have created a **COVID-19 Fund** to provide financial assistance, first to members of our congregation and then potentially to community members as well. If you would like to contribute to this fund, please send a check to the church made out to "First Presbyterian Church of Phoenixville" with "COVID-19" in the memo-line. If you are aware of anyone who might need assistance, or if you yourself might need assistance, please contact [Pastor Doug](#) or [Chuck Heidel](#), Chair of the Board of Deacons. More details can be found by [clicking here](#).



Our prayer angels are ready to help and support you or loved ones during this health crisis. Please email **Prayer Chain** requests to [fpcprayerchain1@gmail.com](mailto:fpcprayerchain1@gmail.com). Offers to be a prayer angel can be emailed to the same address, or call the main office at 610-933-8816.



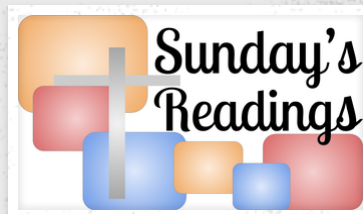
**Church contributions** are easy using any of these 3 methods -1) Your bank's "**online bill pay**" feature; 2) The **PayPal** button on the [FPC website](#); and 3) **Checks can be mailed** to First Presbyterian Church, 145 Main St, Phoenixville, PA 19460. Your continued support during this operational shutdown is GREATLY appreciated!



Dear FPC Family,  
On May 26th Session met by video conference to discuss our plans for re-opening the church for in-person worship. As we're sure you know, this is a very difficult decision. Each of us is anxious to return to worship. We miss seeing one another in person - singing together, sharing Communion, lemonade on the lawn, pot-lucks and Bible study. Sue and Doug miss seeing people in the office each week. [Read more...](#)



The June/July issue of the Perspective newsletter is now available online. Visit [FPC-Phoenixville.org/publications/newsletters/](https://www.fpc-phoenixville.org/publications/newsletters/) to read or download a copy.



Prepare for Sunday's worship service by [clicking here](#) for the readings - **Genesis 18:1-15, 21:1-7** and **Matthew 9:35-10:23**.

### Citizen Advocacy Of Chester County

An opportunity to  
stand by, for and with  
another person.

**Citizen Advocacy of Chester County** is a community-based, non-profit organization that recruits, matches and offers support to local citizens with disabilities by establishing advocacy relationships. Advocacy often involves building connection (sending cards, letters and packages through the mail, making phone calls to combat loneliness) and ensuring proper care (food, ethical representation in jobs, and proper care in nursing home facilities). You can be an advocate for someone with a disability even during a pandemic. Visit [CitizenAdvocacy.org](https://www.CitizenAdvocacy.org) to learn more or contact Chris Wittrock at [cwittrock22@gmail.com](mailto:cwittrock22@gmail.com).

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## FPC PHOTOS



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## SUNDAY'S SERMON



## Happy Birthday

**Best Wishes to everyone celebrating a birthday in June!**

**June 1:** Del Dzordzorme

**June 2:** Trisha Marosek

**June 4:** Brett & Andrew Williams

**June 5:** Deanna Moskowitz

**June 6:** Audrey Kleppinger,  
Lynne Schmitt

**June 7:** Bob Kline

**June 11:** Dennis Gray

**June 14:** Kathryn Grocki

**June 19:** Robert Mark,

Tammy Wickstrom

**June 20:** Keli Dzordzorme,

Jean Wright

**June 22:** Lauren Mandrusiak

**June 25:** Frank Craven

**June 26:** John Souder

**June 29:** Abigail Carlino

**June 30:** Mike Blackburn