

YOUR FPC: PHOENIXVILLE

Welcome to...

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The weekly e-newsletter from First Presbyterian Church

THIS WEEK'S PULSE

Wednesday, February 10th

Shelter Meals

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

Click on the link or call: 1-929-205-6099, Meeting ID: 828 8553 1183, Password: 090870

Thursday, February 11th

Shelter Meals

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

7:30 p.m. Compassionate Friends Meeting (Parlor)

Friday, February 12th

Shelter Meals

No events scheduled.

Saturday, February 13th

No events scheduled.

SUNDAY, February 14th

8:30 a.m. Bible Study - Zoom

10:30 a.m. FPC WORSHIP SERVICE - [FPC YouTube Channel](#)

10:45 a.m. York Presbyterian Church (YPC) worship service – [YPC YouTube channel](#)

12:00 p.m. Joys and Concerns - [Zoom](#)

7:00 p.m. Antiracism Book Club - [Zoom](#)

Monday, February 15th

Presidents Day - Office is closed.

7:00 p.m. Finance & Stewardship Committee Meeting

Tuesday, February 16th

7:15 p.m. Church Growth/Christian Ed Meeting - Zoom

Wednesday, February 17th

7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday service - [FPC YouTube Channel](#)

FEATURED EVENT



ALL-CHURCH ZOOM SOCIAL - WEDNESDAY

From February 3 - Nineteen gathered around their computer screens to listen/answer "When was the last time you..." questions. Thanks to Maggie we learned a few interesting things like some have broken special holiday platters or decorative plates, some (well one) wear undies inside out and we learned how to keep the washer from eating socks. Most of us have rooted for the underdog (Fly Eagles Fly) and amazingly many have enjoyed Hallmark Christmas movies! Some not so much while others know all the actors! Don't be surprised if there's a Hallmark movie category on February 24th, our next trivia night.

For February 10 - Tonight's social will have a Valentine's Day theme so break out your red sweater and join us as Maggie teaches us how to make origami hearts. ♥ You can make them

for your sweetie, kiddos, or just for yourself. All you will need is a square sheet of paper and your folding skills.

ZOOM:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82885531183?pwd=aThZTEQ0ak05V1FQdnYrTWFWMFISdz09>

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From Becky, Jewell & Lynne for the Parish Life Committee

THIS SUNDAY



BIBLE STUDY: Zooming this Sunday at 8:30 AM, the Bible Study class continues with discussion of the Book of Acts. Sessions run about an hour. Anyone is welcome to join at any time. Questions? Contact [Sue Casey](#) for more information.

WORSHIP: With Pastor Doug away on vacation, there are worship options for this Sunday. 1) A previously recorded FPC service will re-premiere at 10:30 AM on our [YouTube channel](#), or 2) worshipers can opt to view the service from the First Presbyterian Church of York at 10:45 AM on their [YouTube channel](#).

JOYS and CONCERNS: Join Sue Casey virtually on Sunday at **12:00 PM** for Joys and Concerns. Share some happiness, heartache, or anything in between and lift up each other in spirit. Here are the Zoom details-

Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87345268002>

Click on the link or call: 1-929-205-6099 Meeting ID: 873 4526 8002

ANTIRACISM BOOK CLUB: The group will continue with a discussion on the last half of the book (pg. 80 to the end), *"Dear Church: A Love Letter from a Black Preacher to the Whitest Denomination in the US"* by Lenny Duncan. Zoom with us this Sunday at 7:00 PM. Book or no book, everyone can chat, listen, learn and share!

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

Click on the link or call: 1-929-205-6099 Meeting ID: 864 2055 2972

NOTEABLES



The **2020 Annual Report** is available online. [Click here](#) for to view or download a copy.



Pastor Doug will be on **vacation** from Friday, **February 12th** – Tuesday, **February 15th**. He will be available for pastoral emergencies by calling 415-300-7912. Non-urgent issues may be directed to Sue in the main office - 610-933-8816.



One more February date is available for **scrip orders**. Checks and orders are due on **Tuesday, the 16th**. 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. Thank you for continuing to support this program!



Please use the blue "per capita apportionment" envelope to contribute the 2021 share of **\$36** per member to the Donegal Presbytery. Envelopes can be found in your offering boxes. Checks may be made out to First Presbyterian Church, noting "Per Capita" in the memo field.



If anyone is interested in **volunteering** with **Good Works**, please contact [Chris Wittrock](#) to learn about the program and ways you can make a difference in Phoenixville and the surrounding areas. This non-profit Christian organization transforms lives by repairing homes for low-income families. More information can be found by visiting GoodWorksInc.org.



Prepare for this Sunday's worship service by [clicking here](#) for the readings - 2 **Corinthians 4:3-6** and **Mark 9:2-9**.

COMMUNITY EVENT



Love Dinner
FUNDRAISER BENEFITING
PHOENIXVILLE WOMEN'S OUTREACH

**Sunday
February 14th**

Spaghetti Dinner
includes a Bottle of Wine
and Chocolate.

Franco's Famous
Meatballs and Sauce

Pick up or Delivery 4-6 PM
First Presbyterian Church Phoenixville

\$30 Couple \$15 Individual

Call or Text by 2/10/2021
610-331-2202



FPC PHOTOS



SUNDAY'S SERMON



Happy Birthday

Best Wishes to everyone celebrating a birthday in February!

February 1: Joan Hicks

February 2: Ellen Carlino

February 3: Barbie Kepler,
Marilynn Morabito

February 8: Barb Small

February 9: Rich Barkley,
Alex Drummond

February 14: Rebecca Barkley,
Jessica Murphy

February 18: Cara Lewis

February 20: Lucinda Parrish

February 22: Sue Carbutt,
Cheryl Messere

February 24: Mona Sabia

February 25: Hermann Ball

February 27: Rob Drummond,
Janet Ferguson