# RACE & PEACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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We are glad that you are worshiping with us today.

We are a church that is seeking for lives to be changed by the power of the Gospel (Good News) of Jesus Christ. We welcome questions and desire to meet the needs of others. Please feel free to direct questions to Pastor Bill or any member of the congregation. We are glad to assist you in every way possible.

Pastor: Bill Mayk

Elders: Tom Albrecht, Nick Rhoads, Gabe SantaMaria, Paul Shane

Deacons: Rudy Kancianic, Jim Paster, Christian Walsh

Join us at:

West-Mont Christian Academy Elementary Building 873 S. Hanover Street, Pottstown PA 19465

HP-accessible parking and entry are at the back of the building. Please let us know how we may assist you.

9:15 am Sunday School for all ages

10:00 am Heart Hiders memorization program

Refreshments & Fellowship

10:30 am Worship (nursery available for children 5 and under)

After service Chess Club

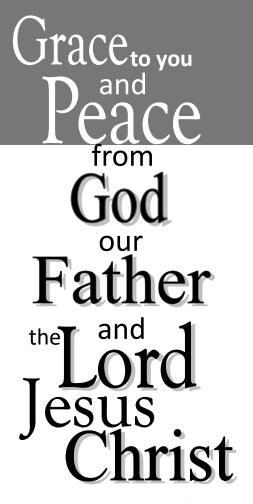
6:00 pm Kids' Club (2nd & 4th Sundays) & Youth Group

6:15 pm Home Prayer Group (3rd Sunday)

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors, and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for Thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

\*\*\*A first aid kit is available on the shelving in the stairwell that is near the back entrance to the building. The lock code is 911.



- Galatians 1:3





# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Instrumental Hymn & Call to Assemble Welcome & Announcements

**PRELUDE**—Jesus, the Very Thought of Thee

CALL TO WORSHIP—Psalm 98:4-9

**INVOCATION & PRAYER OF CONFESSION** 

\*OPENING HYMN—#170—Fairest Lord Jesus

FIRST SCRIPTURE READING—Genesis 18:1-15 (Pew Bible, pg. 12)

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION & THE LORD'S PRAYER (words on back cover)

\*HYMN—#111—This is My Father's World

**OFFERING**—Holy is the Lord (words on bulletin insert)

\*DOXOLOGY—#107 v.3—Praise Ye the Father!

PRAYER & SCRIPTURE READING—1 Peter 3:1-7 (Pew Bible, pg. 1015)

**SERMON**—Pastor Bill Mayk

THE LORD'S SUPPER

### \*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH—The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, the Maker of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; He descended to the dead. The third day He arose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sits on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from there he shall come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy catholic church; the communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen

\*CLOSING HYMN—#180—I Will Sing the Wonderous Story (deacons' offering)

\*BENEDICTION

**POSTLUDE** \*Please stand if you are able.

**SERMON TEXT FOR NEXT WEEK:** 1 Peter 3:8-22

## MINISTRIES & EVENTS

(This calendar is online at www.graceandpeacepc.org)

**TODAY** After service Chess Club (West-Mont Teachers' Lounge)

#### THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

8/29—Thurs 7:15 pm Psalms Small Home Group (Hammonds')

9/1—Sun 10:30 am Worship

After service Chess Club (West-Mont Teachers' Lounge)

9/5—Thurs 7:15 pm Psalms Small Home Group (Hammonds')

9/6—Fri Supper Club sign up deadline! (EXTENEDED)

#### **FUTURE EVENTS**

9/8—Sun 9:15 am Sunday School, Refreshment Time, and Heart

**Hiders Resumes** 

After service Sunday School Teachers' Meeting (Lounge)

9/9—Mon 7-9 pm Dessert and Dialogue (Jo-Lynne Shane's)

9/21—Sat 9:00 am Men's Fellowship (Suseks') 9/29—Sun 12-4 pm Church Picnic (Warwick Park) 10/12—Sat Ladies' Thrift Shopping Day!

#### YOUTH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED—ONE LAST CALL!

We are still in need of volunteers like you! Please consider how you can help with Sunday School, Heart Hiders, or the nursery. Contact Renee Mayk or Tana Connolly for more information.

#### THE CHOIR IS STARTING UP AGAIN!

Are you interested in glorifying the Lord through song? If so, then it's time to start thinking about joining the choir for the upcoming season. Men are especially encouraged. Rehearsals are fun and educational. We meet on Tuesdays from 7:30-8:30 at the church. Contact Keith at thetrievelfamily@comcast.net.

#### **COMMUNITY GRIEFSHARE GROUP**

There will be a community Griefshare group on Wednesday nights from 6-8 pm starting 11/6 for men and women who have lost a loved one. The group will meet at Calvary Baptist Church (2096 New Schuylkill Road, Pottstown). Contact Pastor Jim Spears at 610-327-4300. There is a \$20 fee (includes workbook cost).

| NURSERY | Ages 5 and under are welcome to attend during the service. |
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| 8/25    | Sarah Peppel, Michelle Mayk, and Rebecca Shane             |
| 9/1     | Shelby Thomas, Jo-Lynne Shane, and Caroline Shane          |