

## RELEVANT INFORMATION

### PRAYER REQUESTS

**Prayer Warriors are praying for your requests during the worship services.** If you have a prayer request or praise, please fill out the prayer card (located on the Welcome Center and in the sanctuary) and return to an usher during the start of the service and it will be included in our morning prayer or place it in the boxes at each opening to the sanctuary.

### PRAYER CHAIN

**Beginning this week, please contact Rosa Accurso at the church office for prayer chain requests via email at [prayers@parkerfordchurch.com](mailto:prayers@parkerfordchurch.com).**

### ANOINTING

If you are looking for physical, emotional, spiritual or relational healing and would like prayer, please **contact the church office** and an Elder will contact you to explain anointing and help you further.

### PRAYER SPACE

The room to the right of the sanctuary has been designated a "**prayer space**" and is available to anyone who would like to spend time in prayer following the service.

### NETZER

PFC is also a part of Netzer which is a network of churches, leaders and ministries seeking for a resurgence of God's kingdom in South-eastern Pennsylvania. For more information check out the Netzer website: [netzer.org](http://netzer.org).

### AFFILIATION

PFC is a part of the Church of the Brethren. What does that mean? Check out the "Heritage, Beliefs, & Leadership" brochure on the Welcome Center table to learn more!

### Bulletin Information

Anyone with information for the bulletin must submit it by noon on Wednesday. Place information in the secretary's box outside the office, call the office and leave a message (610.327.2266), or email the church at [office@parkerfordchurch.com](mailto:office@parkerfordchurch.com).

## CONTACT INFORMATION

### MINISTER

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| <b>Tim Doering</b><br>Minister of Regional Leadership | <a href="mailto:tim@parkerfordchurch.com">tim@parkerfordchurch.com</a><br>610.906.5917 |
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### ELDERS

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| <b>Mike Gensler</b>   | 434.426.4270 |
| <b>Josh Hostetter</b> | 610.780.1976 |
| <b>Byron Wenger</b>   | 610.716.7015 |

### OFFICE HOURS

TUESDAY THROUGH FRIDAY 9:00 AM TO 3:00 PM

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| <b>Rosa Accurso</b><br>Office Administrator | <a href="mailto:rosa@parkerfordchurch.com">rosa@parkerfordchurch.com</a><br>610.327.2266   |
| <b>Becky Elliott</b><br>Secretary           | <a href="mailto:becky@parkerfordchurch.com">becky@parkerfordchurch.com</a><br>610.327.2266 |

### SUPPORT STAFF

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| <b>Joshua Kumpf</b><br>Interim Director of Worship         | <a href="mailto:jkumpf@parkerfordchurch.com">jkumpf@parkerfordchurch.com</a> |
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A PEOPLE FOLLOWING CHRIST

**UP** ↑ Connecting with God  
**IN** ← Developing as people of God  
**OUT** → Reaching others with God

### PFC PURPOSE

We exist to reveal God's nature and to delight in His presence.

### PFC VISION

At Parker Ford Church, we believe that God is revealing, cleansing, healing and setting us free to walk more fully in the profound life of worship that He has designed for us.



## THIS WEEK

### AUGUST 6 - 12

#### OFFICE HOURS

TUESDAY Through FRIDAY 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

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| Sun Aug 6    | 9:00 AM<br>10:00 AM | Sunday School<br>Worship                              |
| Mon Aug 7    | 7:00 PM             | Trustee Board Mtg.<br>(Resource room)                 |
| Thurs Aug 10 | 12:30 PM            | Helping Hand Class Lunch-<br>eon (Yoder's Restaurant) |
| Fri Aug 11   | 6:00 PM             | Food, fellowship and swim-<br>ming at the Wislers.    |

## MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS

### SERVING IN NURSERY

| Service                                  | THIS SUNDAY<br>August 6          | NEXT SUNDAY<br>August 13      |
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| <b>SUNDAY SCHOOL</b>                     | Pam Havrilla                     | Rosa Accurso                  |
| <b>WORSHIP SERVICE</b><br>(0-1 year old) | Rachel Lawrence<br>Jozlyn Yeager | Miriam Henry<br>Sarah Maxwell |
| <b>WORSHIP SERVICE</b><br>(2-3 year old) | Beth Desch<br>Tricia Yeager      | Deb Swist<br>Kari Morby       |

### FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST

| USHERS  | GREETERS              |
|---|-----------------------|
| Don Trauger, Charles Hookway<br>Mark Elliott, Ray Hookway | Juan and Rosa Accurso |

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**NEW TO PFC? PLEASE HELP US TO CONNECT WITH YOU!** Fill out a visitor card located on the tables at both entrances of the Sanctuary. Return the card to the visitor boxes on the tables or place the card in the offering plate. **Thank you!**

**DURING KIDS' SUMMER NIGHTS** families were encouraged to donate money toward a project affiliated with the Southern Pennsylvania District of Church of the Brethren. This specific project will aide pastors and their families as well as widows in very poor regions of Rwanda and the Democratic Republic of Congo.

There are tote bags and bowls for sale in the lobby to help support this ministry as well as a donation box.

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

**JOURNEY IN PRAYER:** The Elders are leading evening prayer meetings on the first and third Tuesday of the month from 6:15 to 7:30 pm. It consists primarily of prayer and contains teaching regarding prayer. Next Journey in Prayer will be held Tuesday, August 15.

### SUMMER FELLOWSHIP

The Wisler's will be opening up their pool for swimming Friday nights in August starting around 6 pm. Kindly provide your family with food and drink or feel free to bring a snack to share. You may reach Ron and Sharon at 610.327.3090 if you have any questions. Their address is 1478 Harvey Lane, Pottstown 19465.

**ON MONDAY, AUGUST 14 A CPR/AED CERTIFICATION CLASS WILL BE HELD AT PFC.** To be prepared in the event of an emergency PFC is offering this certification course beginning at 6 pm (for approximately 2 hrs). Contact rosa@parkerfordchurch.com if interested in attending. For questions contact Nancy Elliott-Carter (610.433.1290).

**SUMMER NIGHTS WRAP-UP** meeting will be held for all leaders and helpers on Thursday, August 17 at 7 pm in the King's Kids room off the kitchen. Refreshments will be served and discussion regarding this years PRC Kids' Summer Nights will be held. Bring your thoughts from this year and ideas for next year to share.

**GENESIS PREGNANCY CARE CENTER** is having a Prayer Breakfast at Valley Forge Baptist Church (616 S. Trappe Rd. Collegeville) on September 30 at 8:30 am. (Coffee and doughnuts provided, no child-care).

**COMMUNITY BIBLE STUDY INFORMATIONAL COFFEE** will be held on Monday evening August 14 at 7 p m. at the Royersford Bible Fellowship Church (431 N. Lewis Rd.). Come for coffee, teach and light refreshments as CBS Collegeville introduces you to the Ministry of Community Bible Study. Bible study will begin in September and run thru May on Thursday mornings. More information is on the Information table and online at Collegeville.cbsclass.org.

**PASTORAL SEARCH COMMITTEE:** God is revealing himself through this entire process and we will be moving forward with one of the candidates. The candidate will be meeting with PFC Elders, Ministry Team Leaders, and the Ministry Team for continued discussion over the next month. Please keep this discernment process in prayer.

### SERMON SERIES: TAKING THE NEXT STEP

Life is full of stages from the moment a child lets go of the coffee table and teeters forward without the assistance of Mom or Dad to the moment we walk from this life into the next. At times we want to avoid the next moment and other times we want to rush it, but one way or another it is coming and our awareness, courage and preparation are all important factors in how we will move into it. We can easily become sidetracked or take strange roads. This is as true in our journey with God as it is in a child growing into an adult or a relationship budding into a family. But others have walked this road before us and it's important to learn from them. In the life of Abraham and his family we see an incredible example of the path of faith, along with the misplaced footmarks. Join us as we look at his life and ours. We have been set on a journey and the everlasting arms of God call us forward. What is the next step for you?

### MINISTRY NEEDS

**"BACK TO SCHOOL"- PROJECT OUTREACH** is collecting school supplies for the upcoming school year. PFC will be collecting the following items and taking them with us when we go on August 17. **Pens, pencils, spiral notebooks, composition books, color pencils, rulers, highlighters, dry erase markers, lined paper, 1", 2" and 3" binders, 5x7 index cards, 3x3 post-it notes, book covers, tissues, Clorox wipes and hand sanitizer.** Please help us in helping children in need in the OJR and Spring Ford School Districts. There is a box in the lobby for your donations.

**SPRING CITY FOOD PANTRY VOLUNTEERS:** We are looking for more volunteers to help with this important service to the community. We help pack and distribute food to those in need on a Thursday morning. If you are interested contact Becky Elliott at (rmelliott85@gmail.com or 484.948.8331), any time that you can spare even just an hour, come join us at the Spring City Food Pantry (held at the First United Church of Christ at 145 Chestnut St. Spring City). Our next day is Thursday, August 17, and we start packing the bags for distribution around 9:45 am.

**BRETHREN DISASTER RELIEF AUCTION** will be held 9 am to 9 pm on Friday, September 22 and 7 am to 3 pm on Saturday, September 23. at the Lebanon Expo and Fairgrounds in Lebanon PA. The auction raises money for those affected by disasters. During these two days there are auctions (for adults and children), food and bake sales, arts and crafts, pony rides, face painting, theme baskets, heifer auctions...and so much more. More information will be available on the Information Center in August.