

Welcome to Philadelphia UMC

July 16, 2023

Seventh Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE

WORDS OF WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

(Discipleship Matters)

L: God scatters the seeds of reconciliation and love, and waits....

P: **So much of it lands on flat pathways or rocky roads and won't take root....**

L: God scatters the seeds of healing and hope, and waits....

P: **Shallowness and fear claim the seeds and they cannot live.**

L: God scatters the seeds of redemption and peace, and waits....

P: **These are the places of deep growth where the seed will cast down strong roots.**

L: Welcome this day to a seed-scattering station!

P: **May our hearts be the rich soil in which God's love takes root.**

HYMN

"Jesus Calls Us"

UMH #398

*THE APOSTLES' CREED

UMH #881

**I believe in God the Father Almighty,
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;
the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence He shall come to judge the quick 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.**

*GLORIA PATRI **"Glorify be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen."**

TIME WITH CHILDREN

OLD TESTAMENT

Genesis 1:19-22

Katie Knight

PRAYERS, PRAISE AND 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

*THE DOXOLOGY

UMH #95

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION (in unison)

Let the words of my mouth and the meditation of our hearts be acceptable in your sight, O Lord, our Rock and Redeemer. Amen.

SCRIPTURE READING

Jonah 1:1-17

SERMON

"When Oceans Rise"

Rev. Kathy Pryor

HYMN

"Give to the Winds Thy Fears"

UMH #129

(The altar is always open for prayer.)

*THE BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE

**Those who are able, please stand.*

"Food Truck Party, On a Roll with God" - VBS, July 16-19, 6:00 p.m.

Dinner at 6 pm, crafts, sermon, playtime to follow. Bring a friend and come on!!



McConnell's Back to School Bash, Community Center, Saturday, July 22

Reminders:

Masks are in the front vestibule and available for use while inside the buildings.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Worship at Philadelphia United Methodist Church!
 We are delighted you have chosen to worship with us this morning!

Opportunities This Week

Today	VBS – “Food Truck Party”	6:00pm
	Dinner, Crafts, Sermon, Playtime!	
Monday	Yoga/Pilates	4:00pm
	VBS	6:00pm
Tuesday	VBS	6:00pm
Wednesday	VBS Closing/Family Night	6:00pm
	Water fun for the kiddos! Bring a towel!	
Thursday	Yoga/Pilates	4:00pm

Upcoming Events

July 22nd – ***9:00am**-12:00pm, McConnells Back to School Bash,
 McConnells Community Center ***Note Corrected Time**

July 23rd – 5:00pm, Church Council Meeting
 6:00pm, Youth Group

August 2nd – 6:00pm, UMW/UMM

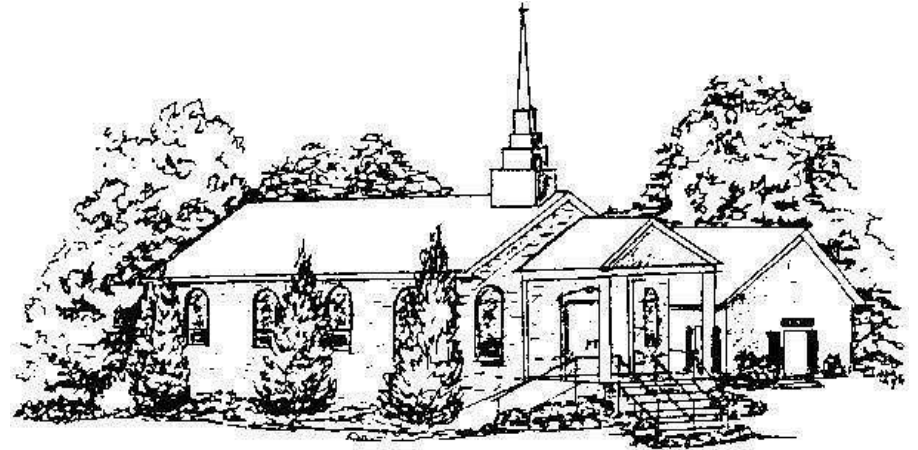
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2023 Weekly Budget Needs \$1,938.00 Received 7/9/2023 \$

	<u>July 16th</u>	<u>July 23rd</u>
Liturgist	Katie Knight	Carol Reeves
Ushers	Jamie Knight & Hugh Moore	Maddox Dover & Gerin Knight
Greeter	Doug Pryor	Janice Ramsey

Communion	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>
Assistant	Janice Ramsey	Bob Branch

**Please send any announcements for the bulletin and/or calendar to
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Our Mission:

**Knowing, Loving, Serving God
 and Neighbor**