

Welcome to Philadelphia UMC

August 13, 2023

Eleventh Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE

WORDS OF WELCOME

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: Sunshine and celebration! Rain and remembrance! All are part of the richness of God's mercy and love for us!

P: God has blessed us in so many ways!

L: Welcome this day to a celebration of these blessings!

P: We are glad to be here!

L: Lord, open our hearts and spirits to your love.

P: Bring us safely through the trials and tribulations of life.

L: You have been embraced by the love of God.

P: You are empowered by the Holy Spirit, and blessed by Jesus. We worship you today, Jesus.

HYMN

"I Love to Tell the Story"

Cokesbury #65

*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 "Glory 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/BIRTHDAY RECOGNITION

OLD TESTAMENT

Psalm 139:1-6

Gerin 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.

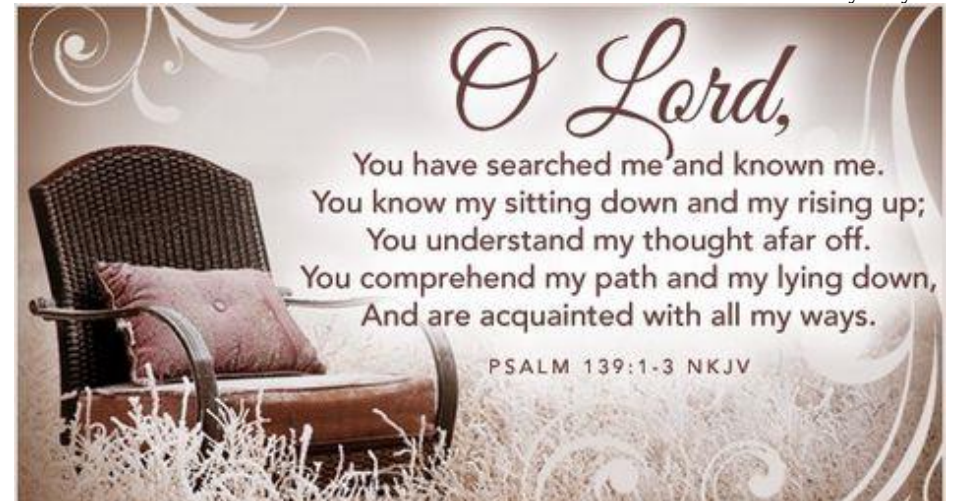
SCRIPTURE READING

Psalm 139:7

SERMON

"God Promised to Listen to Us"

Rev. Kathy Pryor



HYMN

"Love Lifted Me"

Cokesbury #233

(The altar is always open for prayer.)

*THE BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE

**Those who are able, please stand.*

Wednesday, August 16th, Family Night Dinner at 6:00 p.m. Bring a covered dish to share. BINGO to follow with prizes!

Reminders:

Masks are in the front vestibule and available for use if needed.

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	Youth Group to Bethelwoods	4:00pm
	Meet at Church at 4:00pm	
Monday	Yoga/Pilates	4:00pm
Tuesday	AA	7:00pm
Wednesday	Family Night – Covered Dish! Bingo!!	6:00pm
Thursday	Yoga/Pilates	4:00pm
Friday	AA	7:00pm

The month of August is Casual Month. Come as you are and we will sing from the Cokesbury Hymnals.

Upcoming Events

August 20th – 9:30am, C3 in the Fellowship Hall

August 27th – 5:00pm, Church Council Meeting

Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) meets in the Fellowship Hall at Philadelphia UMC on Tuesdays and Fridays each week at 7:00pm.

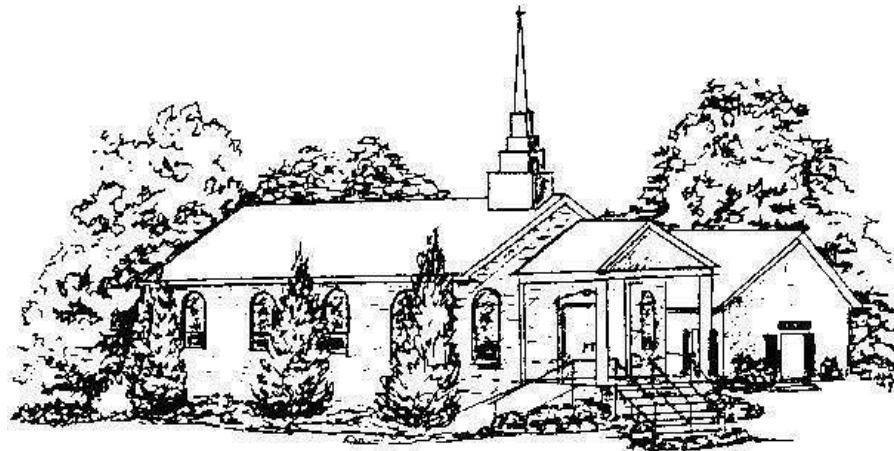
Yoga/Pilates classes are offered each week on Mondays and Thursdays at 4:00pm in the Fellowship Hall at Philadelphia UMC. There is a \$5 charge per class.

GIVING – Philadelphia UMC provides Online Giving – a convenient and safe way to make a one-time or recurring tithes and offerings. Visit our website, www.philadelphiayork.org, and click our Online Giving link.

2023 Weekly Budget Needs \$1,938.00 Received 8/6/2023 \$2,568.00

	<u>August 13th</u>	<u>August 20th</u>
Liturgist	Gerin Knight	Hayley Dover
Ushers	Buck Miskelly & Doug Peterson	Doug Pryor & Randy Sandifer
Greeter	Bobby & Cathy Carson	Mike & Carol Reeves
Communion	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>
Assistant	Bob Branch	Linwood Littlejohn

**Please send any announcements for the bulletin and/or calendar to Katie Knight, katieknight719@gmail.com, by Wednesday of each week.



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Our Mission:

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