

Welcome to Philadelphia UMC

July 23, 2023

Eighth Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE

WORDS OF WELCOME

FOOD BLESSING BOX

Anna Kate Dover

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 119:50

L: This is my comfort in my distress, that your promise gives me life.

P: We come to worship you, God, and we long for comfort in your arms this morning.

L: In the name of Jesus, you hold us as your children,

P: and you promise us life, life eternal, life with you.

L: May these promises guide our thoughts and our prayers.

P: May these promises guide our hearts and our minds this morning. Come Holy Spirit.

HYMN

"I Am Thine O Lord"

UMH #419

*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/VBS RECOGNITION

OLD TESTAMENT

Psalm 44:8-18

Carol Reeves

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

Acts 27:27-44

SERMON

"Safe in Your Harbor"

Rev. Kathy Pryor



HYMN

"There is a Wideness in God's Mercy"

UMH #121

(The altar is always open for prayer.)

*THE BENEDICTION

*THE POSTLUDE

**Those who are able, please stand.*

Sincere thanks to everyone who helped with Vacation Bible School.

Reminder:

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	Church Council Meeting	5:00pm
Monday	Yoga/Pilates	4:00pm
Tuesday	AA	7:00pm
Thursday	Yoga/Pilates	4:00pm
Friday	AA	7:00pm

Upcoming Events

August 2nd – 6:00pm, UMW/UMM

August 13th – 4:00pm-7:30pm, Youth Back to School at Bethelwoods; Youth 6th to 12th grade are invited; Food, Games, Music by Jesus Jammers – Mt. Vernon youth band, Speaker – Ryan Morrison

August 16th – 6:00pm, Family Night

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.

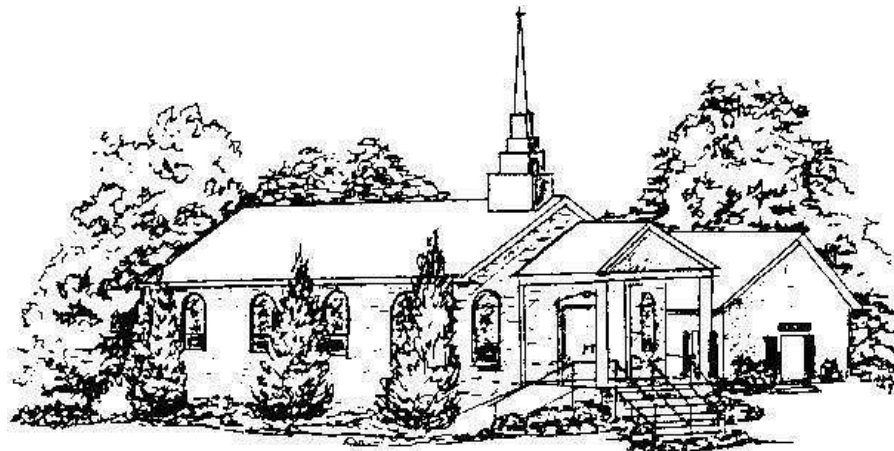
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2023 Weekly Budget Needs \$1,938.00 Received 7/9/2023 \$1,766.00
7/16/2023 \$1,166.00

	<u>July 23rd</u>	<u>July 30th</u>
Liturgist	Carol Reeves	Buck Miskelly
Ushers	Maddox Dover & Gerin Knight	Bobby Carson & Chuck Ramsey
Greeter	Janice Ramsey	Doris Thomas

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

**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**