

**MORNING WORSHIP SERVICE**  
**April 6, 2025 11:00 A.M.**

*“Too often we forget that discipline really means to teach, not to punish.  
A disciple is a student, not a recipient of behavioral consequences.”*

**PRELUDE**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**OPENING PRAYER**

**\*HYMN:** “O Jesus, I Have Promised” Hymn No. 676

**\*CONFESSION**

**\*Invitation**

**\*Prayer of Confession:** *in unison*

Merciful God, we come before you today, acknowledging that we often focus on outward appearances while ignoring the sin that is within us. We confess that we are more concerned with how we are perceived by others than with the condition of our hearts. Forgive us, Lord, for the times we have failed to align our will with yours. Take what is broken within us and restore it; take what is wrong and make it right; take what is destructive and remove it; take what is empty and fill it with your grace. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

**\*DECLARATION OF FORGIVENESS:**

*“You, however, are controlled not by the sinful nature, but by the Spirit, if the Spirit of God lives in you. And if anyone does not have the Spirit of Christ, he does not belong to Christ. But if Christ is in you, your body is dead because of your sin, yet your spirit is alive because of righteousness. And if the Spirit of him who raised Jesus from the dead is living in you, he who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through his Spirit, who lives in you.”*  
*Romans 8:9-11*

**\*RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 813

“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, Amen.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**WORSHIP WITH TITHES AND OFFERINGS**

**\*Doxology:** “Praise God from whom all blessings flow.  
Praise Him all creatures here below.  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.” Amen.

**\*Offertory Prayer**

**CHILDREN 4 YEARS – 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE ARE DISMISSED TO JR. CHURCH**

**THE PEOPLE & 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.

**\*HYMN:** “Jesus Paid It All” Hymn No. 305

**SCRIPTURE READING** 1 Corinthians 5: 7-8  
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**SERMON** “Christ Our Passover” Rev. Fred Klett

**\*HYMN:** “I Will Sing of My Redeemer” Hymn No. 309

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*RESPONSE:** Hymn No. 309

“Sing, O sing of my Redeemer,  
With His blood He purchased me.  
On the cross He sealed my pardon,  
Paid the debt and made me free.”

**\*POSTLUDE**

*\*Those who are able are asked to stand*

## NEW PRAYER FOCUS

- Nancy Ostroff, friend of Nancy Salemno, abdominal cancer, tumor is growing back.
- Shirley Parcel, Heather Rice's grandmother, home from the hospital.
- Dave Wermuth, Beverly Hernandez's brother, hospitalized after possible heart attack.
- Family and friends of Dr. Meg Mann, wife of Rev. Dr. Drew Mann.



## MEMBERS AND FRIENDS:

Bob Emberger – Continued pain management and sleep.  
Junior Hernandez – home from the hospital with no answers.  
Susan Jorett – recovering and therapy at home.  
Betsy Ulmer – home from St. Joseph Manor.  
Jane Vanderleeuw, recovering after having shoulder surgery.  
Lois Wanushek – health issues

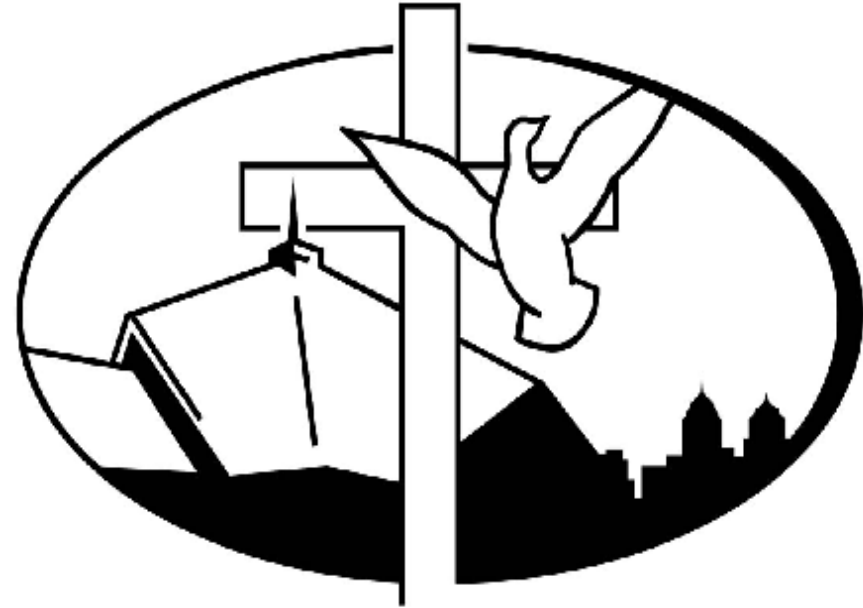
## \*Urgent prayers

## +Just added this week

### MINISTRY TEAM

Amy Ferretti, Administrative Assistant  
Olena Haviuk-Sheremet, Organist  
Amy Blau, Clerk of Session  
Jesse Acosta, Joel Allen, Sexton

*"We are a church that strives to teach the Bible,  
encourage a relationship with Christ,  
minister to all people, promote fellowship,  
serve our community,  
and invite them to know Jesus."*



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# WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

We extend a warm welcome to all who worship with us today. We pray by the hearing of His Word, you find your burdens lighter, your heart encouraged, and your soul refreshed.

“Be exalted, O Lord, in your strength; we will sing and praise your might.”  
Psalm 21:13

## THIS WEEK AT RPC

MONDAY	10:00 AM	Office Hours until 3:00 PM
WEDNESDAY	10:00 AM	Office Hours until 3:00 PM

## UPCOMING EVENTS

TODAY	Coffee Hour
April 13 <sup>th</sup>	Palm Sunday
April 17 <sup>th</sup>	Maundy Thursday Communion Service <b>6:30PM*</b>
April 20 <sup>th</sup>	Resurrection of the Lord/Easter Day Easter Breakfast 9:30AM
April 27 <sup>th</sup>	Session Meeting Deacons Meeting



**\*NOTE TIME CHANGE**

# ANNOUNCEMENTS



**TO THE PULPIT REV. FRED KLETT.** He is an ordained PCA minister, the first ever called to Jewish ministry. He is the founder of the CHAIM ministry and serves in a co-pastoral capacity for Rock of Israel PCA in Philadelphia PA. He has been an adjunct professor at Westminster

Seminary Escondido, CA, has taught courses at Reformed Theological Seminary in Washington DC and Orland, FL and has served as a lecturer and D.Min. Adviser at Westminster Seminary Phila.

**EXCITING NEWS!** Newly formed Small Group Studies are being offered this Spring: 1) "Dive into Titus", 2) "Growing Older and Wiser", and 3) "The 9 Arts of Spiritual Conversations" (To help with visitation and interactions within the church. Highly recommended for all Elders and Deacons.) Please see Kathleen McGettigan for details. We look forward to this valuable time together.



**IN SEARCH OF VOLUNTEERS.** The Session of RPC is looking for congregational participants to be a part of new committees being formed. The first, is a **“Visitation Committee”**; specifically for visiting churchgoers who are in the hospital, who are sick and shut-in, or just need a friendly visit. The second is a **“Congregational Life Committee”**; those involved will help to plan bible studies, potlucks, and any activities outside of Sunday worship. If you are interested in learning more about either of these opportunities, please contact an Elder or the church office at [rpc19111@gmail.com](mailto:rpc19111@gmail.com)/(215) 342-2112).