



# Lamplighter

*Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path*

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## Welcome to March....

*'For behold, the winter is past, the rain is over and gone. The flowers have already appeared in the land; the time has arrived for pruning the vines, and the voice of the turtledove has been heard in our land. The fig tree has ripened its figs, and the vines in blossom have given forth their fragrance. Arise, my darling, my beautiful one, and come along!'* " Song 2:11-13 (NASB)



## Women Leadership

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### Our Vision

Oxford Presbyterian Church is a family of Christians dedicated to sharing the unconditional love of Jesus Christ with the local and world communities

*By Rhshell Hunter, Director of Racial Ethnic and Women's Ministries/ Presbyterian Women, PCUSA*

I have a cloth in my office with an image of Rosie the Riveter. I first hung it when I served as pastor of Community Presbyterian Church in Flint, Michigan. What surprised me when I began serving in this congregation was that there seemed to be as many women veterans as men. Women not only went to work in factories while men were at war, hence the creation of the Rosie the Riveter World War II recruitment poster, but many women also served in many significant roles in military service. These working women made up the backbone of the country during a difficult time in the nation, and some of these women were also the backbone of my congregation.

Geraldine Doyle, the woman who inspired one of the most famous posters of all time, Rosie the Riveter, died a few weeks ago. Ms. Doyle was a 17-

year-old metal worker in mid-Michigan in 1942 when she became the face of women involved in the war effort. You've undoubtedly seen Pittsburgh artist Jay Howard Miller's poster for Westinghouse titled, "We Can Do It." Rosie the Riveter inspired a social movement that increased the number of working American women. These women showed the nation that they could not only perform in the workplace, but that they could excel in their professions.

Women's leadership in society and in the church has increased more and more over time. Today, for instance, 27% of ordained clergy in the PC(USA) are women. There are more women serving as pastors and in governing body leadership than at any time in our history.

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After Jesus was baptized, the Bible tells us that he spent forty days in the wilderness, preparing his body and spirit for his time of ministry. During this time he fasted and prayed, and washed his soul as John's baptism had washed his body. At the end of his cleansing, he was subjected to a series of temptations, which tested him sorely, but filled him with the resolve that he would need for the journey ahead.

The "season" of Lent is the oldest recognized liturgical period in the church. As early as the mid-second Century, it was being referred to in established terms, with the presumption that the Apostles themselves had commended it to the church. The actual length of the season varied greatly until the Council of Nicaea (325 AD) set the period to the 40 days prior to Easter. In the spirit of Jesus' time in the wilderness, fasting, prayer, and an intentional emphasis on good works was expected of the observers of Lent. This was often the last stage of preparation for baptism, which was offered to new believers as part of the Easter celebration. Over the centuries, the specifics of the Lenten rituals became more important than the Spirit behind them.

By the time of the Reformation, those rituals associated with Lent rubbed many of the Reformers the wrong way and the observance was not continued in the more free-church branches of Protestantism. Presbyterians were among the denominations that have officially continued Lenten liturgies, although Presbyterian observance waned in the 19<sup>th</sup> and early 20<sup>th</sup> Centuries. In the last half of the 20<sup>th</sup> Century interest in the rich spiritual heritage of ancient rituals once again became of value and Lenten observance has increased. OPC is offering an Ash Wednesday service to kick off Lent and this year our Learning Ministry is offering an adult Sunday School study series on Jim Wallis' book *Rediscovering Values: A Guide for Economic and Moral Recovery*, to give us a thoughtful approach to this season.

I have occasionally talked about my times fasting. Each time I observe a fast, it has invariably been a moving spiritual experience. The important thing about fasting is not what I am denying myself, but what I am opening myself to receive. The "why" of the fast is much more important than the "what." I always feel the presence of the Holy Spirit, giving me strength, keeping me close and safe. Every thought that begins with a pang of hunger ends in a song of praise for God's grace.

As we approach Lent this year, I hope that you will find your own way to observe some spiritual discipline to draw you closer to God. I promise you it will make our Easter celebration that much more profound in your heart.

See you in church!!

PEACE, Pastor Kerry

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## Ash Wednesday and Lenten Lunches

The Lenten season in the church calendar encompasses the forty days before Easter, not counting Sundays. Beginning on Ash Wednesday (March 9<sup>th</sup>), Lent has traditionally been a quiet time for reflection and devotions in preparation for the joyous celebration of Easter.

On Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30p we will gather together in the Sanctuary for our Ash Wednesday Lenten Service.

We will once again offer a weekly fellowship lunch of soup and sandwiches, with members of the community briefly sharing their journey of faith and what it means to walk with God.

The first Lenten Lunch is also on Ash Wednesday at noon, when Brandon Harris, a student at Lincoln University, will be sharing his story of faith (please check back for the rest of the speakers). Lunch will be prepared and served by Presbyterian Women. The meal begins at 12:00p with the speaker finishing around 12:45p. A \$4 donation will be appreciated.





# Some Thoughts on Life

—Submitted by  
Stephanie Templin Ashford

“Life—in all its bittersweet complexity, with all its joy and sorrow, its despair and hope, its harshness and goodness—is a gift of God. A gift—given to be lived

And, trusting God—and ourselves—we live it. Filling it with moments: moments of sharing and taking, of dreaming and of doing, of working and resting, of remembering and forgetting, of loving and indifference.

Moments that are uniquely ours.

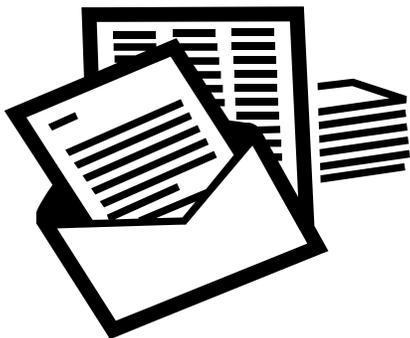
Unique because God does not give life to each of us in the same way. For some, life is long, for others, short. For some, life is sweet, for others, bitter. For some, life is filled with affection and sharing, for others, loneliness. But for each of us, it is a gift—given by God.

For each of us, life must end. Each of us must die. Death hovers over all our lives; sneaking about in the vague corners of our hopes; lurking in the shadows just beyond tomorrow. Death is a force of such overwhelming finality that we would surrender to its coldness were it not for God’s other gift.

For God has given—equally to each of us—the gift of God’s Son.

Wherever we may be, whatever we may be, whomever we may be—it is the same gift. In the gift of God’s Son, we know God’s love and forgiveness, mercy and hope, peace and comfort. It is a gift which is ours in life—and in death. For it is the same promise, to each of us, the promise that God loves us and cares about us—even in our uniqueness.”

*Written by Rev. Douglas L. Shaffer. Originally published in the program for his funeral on July 17, 2010*



## Prayer Shawl Ministry

Notes of appreciation from recipients of prayer shawls testify to this valuable ministry of OPC.

Here are two recently received:

**From a member who moved away.....**

“My prayer shawl kinda hangs around the house - moved from place to place. Sometimes hanging on a chair, sometime squished in a corner, sometimes I’m not sure where I left it. But in those times of need, I find it and wrap up in it.

It is amazing the power that it can have, but it really does its magic. Whenever I’m feeling sick or sad or just need to focus on prayer, it is a comfort. Take a nap with it as a blanket or just wrap up and walk around the house.

What a comfort to feel the prayers of many.

Thanks so much, I never want to be without it.”

—Joyce

**From the sister of a member...**

“I was truly touched to receive the gift of the prayer shawl from the members of the Oxford Presbyterian Church. It warms my heart to

expressed in the making of the shawl. And yes, as I use it, I will think of it as a big hug from God.

The days ahead will be rough for me and I am thankful for your prayers.”

Warmly, Nancy

**“What a comfort to feel the prayers of many.”**

**“This is the confidence we have in approaching God: that if we ask anything according to his will, he hears us. And if we know that he hears us - whatever we ask - we know that we have what we asked of him” (1 John 5:14-15).**

# Outreach

## Mission Highlight

Immigration is an important issue facing almost every nation around the globe. Presbyteries across the country are frequently contacted by churches for advice and resources to help address the immigration problems at the local level. It is the intention of the Presbyterian Church to create a way for local churches to become educated and take action on this important issue. We need to understand the church's role in seeking justice for the "strangers" in our midst.

Immigration is an important civil rights' issue of human trafficking, detention centers, and the treatment of immigrants. The immigration laws are complex, but understanding is urged by Christians and political leaders. How we respond to this issue will determine how history will see us as a church. The Outreach Committee is sponsoring a film showing of "Dying to Live, A Migrant's Journey" on Sunday, March 6th at 12:00 noon in Fellowship Hall.



The Film takes a look at the human face of immigrants who cross the US-Mexico Border. It explains who immigrants are, why they leave their homes and families, and what price they pay to do so. The film presents insights from theologians, and Pulitzer Prize-winning photography. It is a reflection on the human struggle for a more dignified life.

A light lunch will be served prior to the film.

Discussion to follow led by Janet Tisinger, Cuban/Haitian Program Coordinator, Church World Service, Lancaster, PA. Child Care is available. For more information: Call the Church Office at 610 932 9640

## MISSION FAIR IS MARCH 27

The Outreach Committee is hosting a morning to learn about our local missions. OPC missions will be represented in the Fellowship Hall from 9am - 12:30pm. Anyone else in the area who would like to advertise their mission is invited to join us. To reserve a table, call the Church Office.

### "Least of These"

Please continue to support this mission. In the Church Narthex you will see a basket where canned goods, non-perishable items, cleaning and toiletry supplies may be donated. Neighborhood Services Center is meeting the growing needs of the community.

If every family brought in one bag of groceries each week, we would fill up the basket!! Let's collect 2000 pounds of food in 2011. That is double the food, and we know the need is double.

*Jesus said, "Whenever you did this for one of the least of these, my brothers, you did it for me."*

### Presbytery Prayer Meeting and Day of Mission

The Presbytery Prayer Meeting and Day of Mission will be held on **Saturday, April 9 at Leacock Presbyterian Church** in Paradise, PA. It is sponsored by Donegal Presbytery's Presbyterian Women & Peace, Justice & Care of Creation Department. The day will include displays and workshops.

Lunch available for purchase. It is a day of learning and fellowship. If anyone wants a ride, call the office. We will be leaving OPC at 8am.

# Ministry

## Missions We Support



### Local

Neighborhood Services Center

Oxford Senior Center

Domestic Violence Center of Chester County

Lighthouse Ministry

Miscellaneous Local Mission

Peacemaking Offering (25%)

Christmas Food Boxes

### Beyond our Area

Onesimus Prison Ministry

Good News for India

**Missions with the Larger Church**  
Per Capita (sent to Presbytery)

Basic Mission Support/to Presbytery

Theological Education Fund/to Presbytery

Meeting Ground

One Great Hour of Sharing

Pentecost Offering

Peacemaking Offering (75%)

Christmas Joy Offering

## Health Kits needed for Church World Service

Last year we collected 100 health kits for Haiti after the January 2010 earthquake. Thanks for your generous support! There is still plenty of need, so we would like to do this again. Collection boxes will be placed in the Church for your donations. The Outreach Committee will purchase whatever is needed to complete the kits.

Church World Service reports that in the first nine months of 2010 they provided 249,877 Hygiene, School and Baby Care Kits, and Emergency Clean-up Buckets in response to partner requests from around the world, including the US. Their response to the January earthquake in Haiti was a part of this large response with 39,175 Hygiene kits, 5400 Baby Care Kits, and 420 School kits, along with blankets and other emergency supplies, going to more than 41,750 earthquake survivors.

*Kits are a gift of hope in a time of need.*

### Hygiene Kit Items needed are:

- ◆ One hand towel measuring approx. 16" x 28" (no fingertip or bath towels)
- ◆ One washcloth
- ◆ One wide-tooth comb
- ◆ One nail clipper
- ◆ One bar of soap (bath size in wrapper)
- ◆ One toothbrush (in original packaging)
- ◆ Six standard size Band-aids

Place all items in a one-gallon plastic bag with zipper closure. We will be collecting individual items OR whole kits until May 1<sup>st</sup>.

## Collecting Children's Shoes for Neighborhood Services Thrift Shop

Sizes 1 thru 9

New or Gently used

**DROP BOX BY CHURCH OFFICE**

**Think Spring...**



# March Birthdays



2	Alberta Gehron	9	Zachary Wharton	20	Sarah Carter
3	Russell Hager	10	Amanda Bauguess	20	Margo Kraybill
3	Herman Wharton	10	Stephen Hill	21	Kerry Gerich
4	Jeremy Nuckles	10	Carol Ware	23	Robin Perry
5	Dennis Clark	11	Peter Waldrop	26	Rachel Boohar
5	Darlene Gray	12	Ruth Smith	27	Heather Terry
5	Marissa Berg	12	Stephen Koza	27	Thomas Zundel
5	Megan Berg	15	John Lauer	27	Michael DiFabrizio
5	Miranda Berg	15	Shawn McCummings	28	Spencer Beimfohr
7	Elizabeth King	15	Lance Workman	29	Alexis Wilson
7	Christina Arthur	18	Jacob Baity	30	Marissa Ray
7	Ronald Perry	19	Scott Hopkins	30	Kathy Lechette
8	Cristi Hahn	19	Virginia Wharton	31	Samantha Shrom

*If yours or a loved one's birthday does not appear in our lists, please contact the office. We'd love to include you in our well wishes.*

## March 2011

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 Parents of Military Personnel Mtg. 7p—Library	2 Adventure Club Youth Choirs Bells of Praise Chancel Choir	3 Naomi Circle 7a Liz Miller's House Shalom Circle, 7p Library	4 <i>World Day of Prayer</i>	5 Rummage Sale—8a-2p 2 <sup>nd</sup> Pres. Soup Sale—11a-3p Case of Comfort—10-2
6 Immigration Film/ Lunch—12p  Youth Group trip to Ice Slide—3:00p	7 Lectionary Bible Study  Well Baby Clinic	8 Trip to Philadelphia Flower Show Shrove Tuesday Free Pancake Supper Nottingham Presb. Church 4:30-7:00p	9 <i>ASH WED.</i> Lenten Lunch-12p Ash Wed. Service-6:30p  Adventure Club Youth Choirs Chancel Choir	10 Naomi Circle 7a Liz Miller's House	11	12 Police Dept. Civil Service Testing 10a-12p NOMADS Dinner Troop 44 Banquet
13 NOMADS Brunch	14 Lectionary Bible Study Christian Ed Meeting-7p Library Blood Drive 1-7p	15 Oxford Area Civic Assn. 5-8:30p	16 Lenten Lunch Adventure Club Youth Choirs Bells of Praise Chancel Choir	17 Naomi Circle 7a Liz Miller's House McDonald's Jennersville Fundraiser 4:30-7:30p	18 Women of Faith Circle 2p - Ware Mansion	19 Mariawald Women's Retreat
20 Mariawald Women's Retreat Oxford Arts Alliance Brandywine Harps-3p	21 Lectionary Bible Study	22 Mission Trip Mtg. 7p Library	23 Lenten Lunch Adventure Club Youth Choirs Bells of Praise Chancel Choir	24 Naomi Circle 7a Liz Miller's House	25 Preschool Spring Fling Dance—6:45p	26 Applebee's Kennett Sq. Fundraiser 8-10a Pack 213 Blue and Gold Banquet
27 Mission Sunday- 8:30a-12:30p Suicide Prevention Seminar-3p	28 Lectionary Bible Study	29	30 Lenten Lunch Adventure Club Youth Choirs Bells of Praise Chancel Choir	31 Naomi Circle 7a Liz Miller's House		

# SUICIDE Prevention Program

Suicides among young people have increased dramatically in recent years. Loss of life to suicide is also higher among elder citizens.

All of life is precious, no matter what age.

The Wellness Council and Deacons are sponsoring a program open to the community of Oxford and the surrounding areas on Suicide Prevention.

The program will be led by people certified in helping others learn to:

- Recognize the warning signs of suicide**
- Know how to offer hope**
- Know how to get help and save a life**

Please plan to attend and tell at least 10 other people about the seminar. Details of this important program follow below.

## QPR Suicide Prevention Seminar

Sunday, March 27, 2011

3 PM at Oxford Presbyterian Church

6 Pine Street, Oxford

**In the center of town**

What is QPR ? ..... QPR stands for Question, Persuade, and Refer. A community-based suicide risk reduction program

**Presented by:** Casey Jones and Gina Burgess

Who should attend ?

- |                 |                            |                            |
|-----------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| <b>Parents</b>  | <b>Coaches</b>             | <b>Emergency Personnel</b> |
| <b>Teachers</b> | <b>Health Care Workers</b> | <b>Counselors</b>          |
| <b>Clergy</b>   | <b>Nurses</b>              | <b>Social Workers</b>      |

AND ... anyone who lives with or cares for at least one other person.

## Can Tabs

Please bring your can tabs to the church office. They are being collected to donate to Dupont Children's Hospital in Wilmington, DE.



## Our Steeple Has a Boo-Boo!

Thanks to the keen eye of Ross Slauch, this damage caused by the wind was brought to our attention. We're in the process of getting repairs done. Thanks Ross.



# Christian



tion!!! Students will also have the opportunity to work at a children's program helping young Jamaican students to learn and grow. The early registration deadline was Feb 1st but if you are still interested, late registration closes on April 10th. We are still seeking one more adult male chaperone for our trip. We have scheduled many great fundraisers and we hope that you have a great time enjoying the events coming up! To sign up, support, or ask questions, please see Stephanie.

## WOW!

Throughout 2010 the children and youth of OPC donated \$1080.00 to Hope for Haiti's children. This is a culmination of Sunday School offerings, Souper Bowl and more!!

An illustration showing a stack of green \$100 bills tied with a rubber band, next to a stack of four gold coins.

## Pasta and Bingo!

Come join us for fantastic pasta, lively bingo, and prizes for everyone! Prizes include gift cards, toys, and other great items!

**Where:** OPC

**Cost:** Adults \$7, Children \$3

**When:** Friday, April 8th. Dinner starts at 4:30PM and Bingo starts at 6:00PM

Proceeds to benefit the Youth Group summer mission trip to Jamaica.

## Youth Mission Trip

From June 13-21, members of OPC will be traveling to the mountains of Jamaica to work with the Son Servants Organization building churches and schools. This is no beach vaca-



## Rummage Sale!

**When:** Saturday, March 5th

**Time:** 8-2 PM

OPC Fellowship Hall

If you would like to donate any items, please do so before March 1st. Drop them off in the church or call and we can come to you for a pick-up! All profits benefit OPC Youth Mission Team.

See Abby Busko or Stephanie Templin Ashford for more information.

## Car Wash!

Car washes at OPC **every Saturday in May!** Proceeds benefit the youth group mission trip to Jamaica

An illustration of a person with dark skin, wearing a white t-shirt and green shorts, using a high-pressure water hose to wash an orange car. A bucket of yellow soap is on the ground next to the person.

# Education



## Flapjack Fundraiser!

**WHEN:** Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup>

**TIME:** 8-10AM

**WHAT:** All you can eat Pancakes, Sausage, Coffee and Juice!

**COST:** \$5 per person

**Where:** Kennett Applebee's

815 E. Baltimore Pike

Kennett Square, PA

Come on out for Breakfast at Applebee's!! This fundraiser benefits the OPC 2011 Mission Team to Jamaica. Bring your family and friends for a great breakfast!

Tickets are recommended, but not necessary. You can purchase tickets in the OPC office, from Stephanie, or from a youth member.

## Lenten Study

A Lenten Study will be held for six weeks from **March 13 to April 17** in the Fellowship Hall. The book is **Rediscovering Values: A Guide for Economic and Moral Recovery** by Jim Wallis. Jim Sumner will lead the discussion during the Sunday School Hour. Everyone is invited, to include Sunday School Classes. A book will be provided.

## SHOPPING

# OPEN HOUSE



**Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2010—12-4:00PM**

**Oxford Presbyterian Church: Fellowship Hall**

**6 Pine Street, Oxford, PA 19363**

Join us as we welcome local vendors (Tupperware, Pampered Chef, etc.) for an Open House. Come and shop for yourself or for Mother's Day or Easter. Light lunch will be available for purchase and **free childcare** will be provided!!!

Vendors are welcome to participate, however we ask that you donate a portion of your profits to the 2011 OPC Youth Mission Team. To sign up as a vendor, please call the church at 610-932-9640.

# What's Happening?



## Silver Sneakers Program

Healthways Silver Sneakers Exercise Program is a comprehensive older-adults physical activities program that addresses the needs of the 65 + year old population. Muscular Strength & Range of Movement is the emphasis of this Program and the focus of this creative multi-level conditioning exercise class.

This exercise program is normally offered to seniors who contract with Blue Cross for their health care coverage. However, due to our large consumer base and the number of seniors participating at our Center, we are allowed to offer this beneficial program to our participants who don't have Blue Cross.

This exercise class is available at no cost to all individuals 60 years of age and older. But please be careful, you might also have some fun doing it!!!!

Please join us on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10AM—10:45AM and let our instructor Stephanie Daney get you back in shape. Come and see how much better you'll feel after a 45 minute workout.

## Soup and Sandwich Day

The Oxford Area Senior Center, 12 East Locust Street, is holding its spring *SOUP and SANDWICH DAY* fundraiser on Friday, March 4th. Food will be available from 10:30 am to 1:00pm. The menu will consist of homemade Chicken Corn and Vegetable Beef soups, assortment of homemade sandwiches, homemade desserts and drinks. All items priced \$2.00 or less. Take-outs are available. Just walk in and enjoy the great food. For information, please call the center at 610-932-5244.



## Missing Coat

Someone took the wrong khaki car coat after the congregational meeting on Jan. 23. The coat has my new yellow gloves in the pocket. Your coat is hanging on the coat rack inside the carport door.

Thank you, Vern Ringler



## Mission Fair

Sunday, March 27

9:00 am-12:30pm

Fellowship Hall

Oxford Presbyterian Church

Displays will be set up so that church members from both services will have a chance to learn about some of the ways their mission giving is put to good use by the individuals and organizations OPC supports.

Other local missions are invited to come and share information with us.

For information or to register your group's booth contact the Church Office at 610-932-9640.

**Address: Oxford Presbyterian Church, 6 Pine Street, Oxford, PA. Set up begins at 8am. Sponsored by the Outreach Committee**

## NOMADS

NOMADS Dinner Set for March 12!

What is NOMADS?

NOMADS dinners/brunches are a wonderful way for OPC members to get to know one another in a small group setting. Small groups meet at various homes and enjoy dinner/brunch together. The host prepares the entrée/main dish, while each guest brings a side dish to complete the feast.

How to Participate

All are welcome! If you are interested in participating in Nomads, just:

-send me an e-mail at [theslinkards@yahoo.com](mailto:theslinkards@yahoo.com)

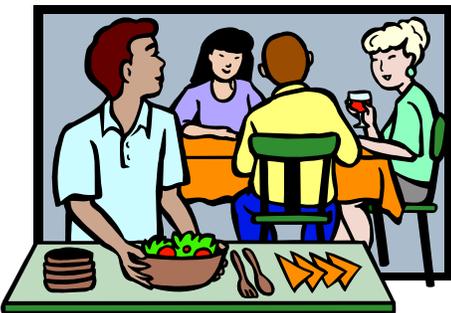
-talk to me in church

-or call me at 410-392-8947

Then we will match you up with a dinner/brunch host and in early March you will receive a call from them with the details of the meal.

Need a ride? No problem. Just say so and your chariot will be arranged.

Lisa F. Slinkard  
NOMADS Coordinator



*“Every moving thing that lives shall be food for you. And as I gave you the green plants, I give you everything.”*

*Genesis 9:3*



## Soup & Wing Bowl

Saturday, March 5

12am to 4pm

Chicken Corn  
Or Chicken Noodle  
Soup

\$5 per quart

Barbeque  
Or Hot Wings

\$6 per dozen

Second Presbyterian  
Church Building Fund  
42 South 5th Street  
Oxford PA

*Stop by Second Pres to  
pick up dinner after  
our OPC Rummage  
Sale*



## Chancel Flowers

Dear Members of OPC,

I am the new contact person for coordinating our Sunday Sanctuary floral arrangements. I am in the process of filling the calendar with those of you who have selected dates for your arrangements.

In case you are not familiar with the process for donating flowers please see below.

- 1) Contact me by phone, e-mail, or sign-up on the Flower Calendar in Narthex.
- 2) Provide \$35 donation in the envelope found in basket under the Flower Calendar or in a plain envelope marked **Chancel Flowers**. Envelope can be placed in offering plate or dropped off to the Church office.
- 3) Contact me to share what you would like posted in the Sunday bulletin and if you have specific flower requests.

If you are interested in donating flowers in memory of your loved one(s), please contact me at 610-998-0183 or by e-mail at [rosevill@ccil.org](mailto:rosevill@ccil.org).

I will post the Flower Calendar in the Narthex, but you may find it easier to reach me by phone or e-mail to get the most current available date. Your flowers may be picked up after the 11:00 service or with your approval be donated to a shut-in. If you do take your flowers, please be sure to leave the green vase inserts.

Please let me know if you have any questions, and I look forward to hearing from you.

In Christian Love,  
Sharon Brooks



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### Our Session

The Session meets the second Sunday of each month at 7:00 pm

Class of 2011	Class of 2012	Class of 2013
Jackie Caleb	Chris Arthur	Whitney Bradford
Wqrren Vosburg	Vivian Brown	Bob Cantarera
Carol Carter	Eryn Gallagher	Kerry Gerich
Jim McLeod	Barb Hill	Rich Lombardi
Wendell Higgins	Nancy Andress	Andy Ralston
Don Drennen	Bev Hartgrove	Mark Verbanas

### Our Deacons

The Deacons meet the third Sunday of the month after the 11:00 service

Class of 2011	Class of 2012	Class of 2013
Steve Hill	Ann Terry	Andy Arthur
Jackie Montgomery	Victoria King	Lisa Slinkard
Cindy Hager	Jamie Workman	Neeley Spotts
Herman Wharton	GeneTurns	Judy Walls



Return Service Requested

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