

# Arch Street United Methodist Church

A Reconciling Congregation

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*The heart of man plans his way, but the Lord establishes his steps.*

*Proverbs 16:9*

**October 9, 2016**  
**11:00 AM Service**

*Senior Pastor, Reverend Robin Hynicka*

*Visitation Pastor, Reverend Reinhard Kruse*

*Deacons, Nikki Kelley Kleinberg, David Krueger,*

*Deaconess, Darlene DiDomineck*

*US2, Rachel Ternes*

*Music Director, Adam Haines*

*Secretaries, Carla Brickhouse, Anne McCormick*

*Building Supervisor, Frank Jones*

*Sextons, Russell Whaley/Devon Goodwin/*

*Joe Kalil/Toni McIlwaine*

# SUNDAY WORSHIP 11:00 AM

October 9, 2016

21<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

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## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE Prelude Melchior Schildt

## GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

CHORAL INTROIT "Lift Every Voice and Sing"

## CALL TO WORSHIP

\* HYMN #60 "I'll Praise my Maker While I've Breath"

## OPENING PRAYER

\*RESPONSIVE PSALM # 66:1-12 pg. 790

\*THE PASSING OF THE PEACE "Sweet, Sweet Spirit"

Let us offer one another signs of reconciliation and love.

*There's a sweet, sweet Spirit in this place,*

*And I know that it's the Spirit of the Lord;*

*There are sweet expressions on each face,*

*And I know they feel the presence of the Lord.*

**Refrain:**

*Sweet Holy Spirit, sweet heavenly Dove*

*Stay right here with us, filling us with your love;*

*And for these blessings we lift our hearts in praise;*

*Without a doubt we'll know that we have been revived;*

*When we shall leave this place.*

## CLAIMING OUR HOPE

SCRIPTURE READING

Darlene DiDomineck

Jeremiah 29:1, 4-7

2 Timothy 2:8-25

CHORAL ANTHEM "Shine Jesus Shine" Mark Hayes

\*GOSPEL LESSON Luke 17:11-19

**SPEAKER** "Common Good, Collective Liberation"  
Rachel Ternes

**HYMN # 140** "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

**PASTORAL PRAYER**  
**AFFIRMING OUR MISSION**

**OFFERTORY PRAYER**

**OFFERTORY** "Fall" Haines

**OFFERTORY RESPONSE #94**

*Praise God from whom all blessings flow,  
Praise God all creatures here below;  
Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!  
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!  
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!  
Alleluia! Alleluia!*

**PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING**

**\*HYMN #66** "Praise my Soul the King of Heaven"

**\*BENEDICTION**

**\*POSTLUDE** "When I Survey" arr. Miller

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Devices for the hearing impaired are available at the Chapel office.*



**Musician:** Adam Haines

**Worship Leader:** Remone Mundle

**Greeters:** Barbara Williams and Dale Shillito

**Nursery Attendant:** Frankie Dineen

# *Calendar of Events*

## **October 9, to October 16, 2016**

<b>SUN</b>	10/09	8:30 Worship Service, Chapel 9:45 Adult Sunday School 9:45 Adult Choir Rehearsal 11:00 Children's Sunday School 11:00 Worship Service, Sanctuary 12:00 Get Acquainted Time, Chapel 12:20 to 3 Deaconess Darlene, Sanctuary No Unity Fellowship Church Service, they are away 5:30 Grace Café Devotions 6:00 Grace Café
<b>MON</b>	10/10	<i>Columbus Day</i> 1:00 Tea & Talk 5:30 AA, Nichols Hall
<b>TUES</b>	10/11	12:00 Hour of Power, Sanctuary
<b>WED</b>	10/12	6:00 AA, Nichols Hall
<b>THUR</b>	10/13	5:00 Diversity Group, Chapel 5:30 AA, Nichols Hall
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*Please see the events page on our web site: [www.archstreetumc.org](http://www.archstreetumc.org)  
for the  
full calendar of happenings.*

# WHAT'S HAPPENING



## Next Sunday is New Members Sunday

We will be accepting new members on **Sunday, October 16<sup>th</sup>** at both the 8:30 and 11:00 services. If you are interested please fill out the enclosed form and either put in the offering plate or give to the pastor at the end of the service. He will reach out to you to answer questions and tell you what it means to join the Arch Street UM family. If you would like to contact him first you may at [robin@archstreetumc.org](mailto:robin@archstreetumc.org).

## Charge Conference

Arch Street UMC's Charge Conference will be held at Mt. Zion UMC located at 1530 N. 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Philadelphia, 19122, on Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2016 at 1PM. All members are invited to attend.

## Grace Café NOW Open

Grace Café (ASUMC's outreach to folks currently without homes) is open **every Sunday** through the end of June After a brief period of faith, those gathered will enjoy a home-cooked meal hosted by folks at Ardmore United Methodist Church will be supplying the dinner. There are still openings for hosts to bring food and prepare a meal for about 200 people. If you know of a group that would like to assist in this important mission, please have them contact the church office at 215-568-6250 or Darlene DiDomineck at [ddidomineck@gmail.com](mailto:ddidomineck@gmail.com) Greeters, servers and clean-up crew are needed and always welcome

## **Sunday School**

All those interested in reading, reflecting on and discussing the Bible passages used in each week's sermon are invited to meet in the Chapel every Sunday at 9:45am. The scriptures readings for today's class are Jeremiah 31:27-34, 2 Timothy 3:14-4:5, and Luke 18:1-8. The readings for NEXT week are Joel 2:23-32, 2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18, and Luke 18:9-14.

## **Don't forget the New Time for Children's Sunday School**

NEW TIME for our Children's Sunday School. Children will meet at **11AM** in Nichols Hall. New curriculum with lots of fun, music and song.

## **LGBTQ WEEKEND in the POCONOS**

All LGBTQ persons are invited to the fun weekend in Canadensis, PA on **October 28-30, 2016**. The Chalet includes a game room and hot tub. Also planned is an exploration of "Homosexuality in the Bible." The cost is \$80. per person, which includes two evenings in the beautiful chalet, two breakfasts, one lunch, and one supper. Shared transportation will be arranged. One dinner and one lunch will be enjoyed at a local restaurant. Financial assistance for those requesting it is available. Please contact Mike Gilbertson or Herb Snyder for more information and to make a reservation, which includes a \$30.00 deposit. Space is limited, so please don't delay on this!

## **We are looking for Volunteers!**

Arch Street is looking for volunteers to cover the front desk, Wednesday and Friday mornings from 10am until 2 or 3pm. We are also in need of a volunteer to staff the front desk on Sundays from 1 pm until 3 or 4pm. You would be responsible for answering the telephone, greeting and directing visitors to the church. If you have a few hours a week and you are willing to volunteer please call Anne or Carla 215.568-6250 or email: [secretary@archstreetumc.org](mailto:secretary@archstreetumc.org).



## There is Still Time to Register to Vote on Nov. 8!

Pastor Robin said a few weeks ago--" I don't usually insist, but I really really want you all to vote on Nov. 8!".

If you are unsure...

- if you are registered to vote
- whether you need to update your registration with a new address
- where your polling place is

...you can check at [www.votespa.com](http://www.votespa.com) or contact Nancy Megley at 215-574-8320 or [nmegley@msn.com](mailto:nmegley@msn.com).

You might not know that being registered to vote DOES NOT put you on the jury list. That practice ended years ago. Please exercise this very important American right.



The Arch St. United Methodist Women invite you to join us. You do not have to be a member of Arch St. UMC.

### **Upcoming:**

Sunday November 13 (book discussion of Girls of Kabul) and introduction of Advent study

Sunday December 11th- Advent study, led by Wilhelmina Young.

In addition, we invite you to participate in

Saturday November 19: Nationalities Service Center Thanksgiving Celebration and Welcome for Refugees.

Saturday in December (date TBD) Holiday Party for our neighbors, the mother and children residing in the Eliza Shirley Shelter.

Questions? See Margaret Harris.

[margaretharris@me.com](mailto:margaretharris@me.com) or 215-568-2206.

## **October 30<sup>th</sup> is Native American Sunday**

Native American Sunday will be presented on October 30, 2016 at both the 8:30 and 11 am services. Our guest speaker will be Freeman Owle, who is a member of Arch Street UMC's Native American group. I met Mr. Owle at a Cherokee Culture seminar at the Lake Junaluska UMC retreat in North Carolina in August. Mr. Owle is an elder of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians in NC. In addition to native stone carving, Mr. Owle has told stories, led retreats and presented programs for all types of audiences for more than 10 years. He has written a book, Living Stories of the Cherokees.

### **A Look at Our Faithfulness**

Combined attendance for last Sunday, October 2nd, was 177 and Grace Café was 185. Your tithes, gifts and offerings help ASUMC make a difference in our community. Thank you.

### **Tindley Temple UMC Presents A combined Hospitality Day**

\*Ushers, Hostesses, Nurses & Greeters\*

Sunday, Oct. 30, 2016 at 3PM

Speaker of the hour: The Rev. Owen Gowan, Pastor of Mt. Moriah  
Temple Baptist Church & Congregation

*"Where your treasure is, there your heart will be also"*

*Matthew 6:21*

Dinner will be available from 12:30 to 1:30pm

Tindley Temple United Methodist Church

750-762 S. Broad Street

Philadelphia, PA 19146



“Do all the good you can.  
By all the means you can.  
In all the ways you can.  
In all the places you can.  
At all the times you can.  
To all the people you can.  
As long as ever you can.”

— [John Wesley](#)



## PRAYER CONCERNS

**Prayers of Healing** for: *Mrs. Mastrando, Chris Whaley, Sarah Rowe, Mat Hearn, James Hearn, Zeke Sanders, Geraldine Bradley, Bill Gatewood, Michael Bowman, Jazzy, Helena & Jackie Yorker, Mrs. Bowman, Ann Bishton, Rev. James Pittman, Evelyn Tinsley, Constance James, Deanna Cottom, D. Nicholas Tyrone Christy, Virgil Watson, Roxy Setzer, Jim Griscol, Gloria Young, Russell Whaley, Tanya Graves, Dorothy Hurley, Dolores Farinre-Carey, J. J., Mr. Franco, Skylar, John Johnson, Len Metzler, Loretta Wootten, Emily Jenson, Marsha Wittman, Jenny Jakacki, Laura Massey, Steve Whaley, Tim Brazelton, Diann Rollins, Joan Wood, James Williams, Anthony Mastrando, Inez Barrett-Otey, Diana Amey, Casey Edwards, Ann Gennaro, Mark Fischer, Ida Bristoe, Maureen Norman, Jeanne Kostenbader, Donald Lathrop, Pamela Thomas, Sandra Parker, Marion Dabney, Patricia Pape, Yazid Jones, Ernie, John Tucker, Lou Brooks, Rob Koob, Jada Bascom, Minerva Clark, Vanessa & Yaddy Sellers, Nakia Rimmer, Don Allen, Anna Cole, Christopher Browne, Betty Flowerree, Troy McColley, Barton Burke, Thomas Onorato, Roy Samuel Layden, Dorothy Eady, Molly Villafane, Pamela Maupin, Mary Reece, Celestine Justin, Louis Harrigan, Mayra Malonada, Sheldon Nixon, Althea Sea, Dumis Randolph, Joanne Ferreri, Rosemary Schier, Carla Kelley.*

**Prayers of Encouragement** *Pat Taylor, Steven Whaley, Qing-Song Chen, and David, Rev. Brett Charsky, Anthony Eugene Smith and his mother, Christina, Rashida Bryant, Shelly Folks, the Thompson/Norman family, Calvin Smith, Jr., Deborah Seely, Caroline Lopopolo, Carla Brickhouse, Alexander Grant, Anana Tinnhé, Laura Harrigan, Rick Taylor, the Robertson family, Dorothy Watson and family, for Rich, and Elaine Jenson and family.*

**Prayers of Protection** *for our service people and those living in parts of the world under conflict. Please pray for those who are hungry, ill, displaced, or living in poverty because of natural and human-made disasters, and for the workers who minister to them.*

# ARCH STREET UMC VISION

Arch Street United Methodist Church will be a welcoming Christian community that inspires openness, understanding, healing and reconciliation both within the congregation and in the community-at-large.

## ARCH STREET MISSION STATEMENT

Arch Street United Methodist Church's mission is to love God and neighbor by nurturing individuals on their spiritual journeys, encouraging creativity in faithful service, strengthening relationships and promoting justice.

*GOD'S TABLE IS OPEN TO ALL.*

*THERE'S ROOM AT THE TABLE FOR YOU.*

Arch Street United Methodist Church is a community of faith-keeping and faith-seeking people who embrace diversity in our congregation and community, and affirm the dignity and worth of every person as created in the image of God. We celebrate and give thanks for all of the gifts of God among us. Our welcome knows no boundaries, whether of age, racial or ethnic background, gender, sexual orientation or gender identity, economic or marital status, or physical or mental ability. We welcome all to share in the ministry, fellowship, and blessings of full participation as members of Christ's body.



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## Parking

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