

Arch Street United Methodist Church

A Reconciling Congregation

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June 25, 2017
8:30 AM Service

Senior Pastor, Reverend Robin Hynicka

Visitation Pastor, Reverend Reinhard Kruse

Deacons, Reverend Nikki Kelley Kleinberg,

Reverend David Krueger,

Deaconess, Darlene DiDomineck

US2, Rachel Ternes

Music Director, Adam Haines

Secretaries, Carla Brickhouse, Anne McCormick

Building Supervisor, Frank Jones

Sextons, Devon Goodwin, Russell Whaley,

John Buzby, Toni McIlwaine, Joe Kalil

PRAISE AND WORSHIP SERVICE

June 25, 2017

3rd Sunday after Pentecost

PRELUDE

PRAISE SINGING

#424 "Must Jesus Bear the Cross Alone"

#141 "Children of the Heavenly Father"

#129 "Give to the Winds Thy Fears"

OPENING PRAYER

WELCOME TO ARCH STREET & PASSING OF THE PEACE

JOYS & CONCERNS

SILENT PRAYER

REGISTRATION & ANNOUNCEMENTS

OFFERING OF TITHES & OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

SCRIPTURE READING

Janis Campbell

Genesis 21:8-21

SPECIAL MUSIC #2207 "Lord, Listen to Your Children"

*GOSPEL LESSON Matthew 10:24-39

SERMON "God of All Nations and the Well of Zamzam"

Reverend David Krueger

CLOSING HYMN #2129 "I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE #2142 "Blessed Quietness"

Musician: James Dell'Orefice

Worship Leader: Nicola Jefferson

Nursery Attendant: Guy McNeill

Calendar of Events

June 25 through July 5, 2017

- SUN** 06/25 8:30 Worship Service, Chapel
9:45 Adult Sunday School
11:00 Children's Sunday School
11:00 Worship Service, Sanctuary
12:20 to 3:00 Deaconess Darlene, Sanctuary
1:00 Church Picnic, Carson Simpson
2:00 Unity Fellowship Church Service
5:30 Grace Café Devotions
6:00 Grace Café
- MON** 06/26 12:00 Tea & Talk
5:30 AA, Nichols Hall
- TUES** 06/27 12:00 Hour of Power, Sanctuary
- WED** 06/28 6:00 AA, Nichols Hall
- THUR** 06/29 5:00 Diversity, Chapel
5:30 AA, Nichols Hall
- SUN** 07/02 8:30 Worship Service, Chapel
9:45 Adult Sunday School
11:00 Children's Sunday School
11:00 Worship Service, Sanctuary
2:00 Unity Fellowship Church Service
- MON** 07/03 12:00 Tea & Talk
5:30 AA, Nichols Hall
- TUES** 07/04 **4th of July** – Office Closed
- WED** 07/05 6:00 AA, Nichols Hall

Please see the events page on our web site: www.archstreetumc.org for the full calendar of happenings.

WHAT'S HAPPENING



Please join us for the All-Church picnic TODAY. Events start at 1PM. This fun-for-all event will again be held at Carson-Simpson Farm, a United Methodist Church Camp in Hatboro. Join your church friends, and make new ones, for a day of games, talking, sunning, swimming, eating, and worshipping. Bring a musical instrument, outdoor games, sporting equipment and/or chairs - whatever will make the picnic more enjoyable. We will share Vespers – an evening worship at 5:00 PM. The cost of the picnic is \$5 per person, and \$12 per family, plus a dish or some food item to share if possible. See Chapel office for directions.

THANK YOU

A BIG THANK-YOU to everyone who helped make the Pride Parade so meaningful last Sunday! The 10:0AM Special Service of Worship to send marchers off prayerfully was so uplifting and challenging, not to mention well attended. The Reconciling part of the parade went so well because of so many people working together to give a loving witness. A special addition this year was the presence of our resident Bishop, The Rev. Peggy Johnson, who believes in modeling how the church should go to the people. THE LGBTQ community is so very appreciative of the embracing love experienced at Arch Street United Methodist Church.



News and Events

Seven Arch Streeters were in this crowd of **Education Apartheid** protesters in Harrisburg on June 21. Thank you to all of them and to this church for its strong support of POWER and its mission.

As always, for POWER-related questions please contact Betsy Connor (215-232-7186, betsyfconnor@gmail.com), Nancy Megley (215-574-8320, nmegley@msn.com), or Wilhelmina Young (215-227-4034, thecatalyst212@yahoo.com).

Grace Café – Last Sunday before Summer Break

Today is the last Sunday of Grace Café (ASUMC's outreach to folks currently without homes). Grace Café will be on break for the Summer and will start again the 2nd Sunday in September. After a brief period of faith sharing, those gathered will enjoy a home-cooked meal hosted by Unity Fellowship. 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 this Fall, please have them contact the church office at 215-568-6250 or Darlene DiDomineck at gracecafehilly@gmail.com. Greeters, servers and clean-up crew are needed and always welcome.

Arch St. United Methodist Women's Calendar 2017

United Methodist Women Summer Plans

The United Methodist Women of Arch Street are taking some time off this summer, but not before a very active June!

UMW is not meeting in July: Happy vacation, everyone!

Friday August 11: 6 pm to whenever. Annual UMW Potluck at Margaret's house. No book discussion. No agenda. Just fun. Just bring food or drink to share. Questions, contact Margaret (margaretharris@me.com)

Sunday August 13: Discussion of parts 2 and 3 of *Living Into Hope; a call to spiritual action for such a time as this* by Rev. Dr. Joan Brown Campbell. Meeting is in 2nd fl. conference room following 11 am worship.

Sunday September 10: UMW welcome back meeting! Learn about our plans for the new year. Meeting in 2nd floor conference room immediately following 11 am worship service.

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 Genesis 22:1-14, Romans 6:12-23, and Matthew 10:40-42. Readings for NEXT week are Genesis 24:34-38, 42-49, 58-67, Romans 7:15-25a, and Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30.

A Look at Our Faithfulness

Combined attendance for last Sunday June 18th was 117 and Grace Café was 217. Your tithes, gifts, and offerings help ASUMC make a difference in our community. Thank you.



PRAYER CONCERNS

Prayers of Healing for: *Laura Dragon, Joyce Mojher, Bill Hilley, Anna Burton, Jonathan Legg, Lisa Lore, Max Northouse, Pat Taylor, Alma Dopson, Cynthia Dupree, Mrs. Mastrando, Chris Whaley, James Hearn, Geraldine Bradley, Michael Bowman, Jazzy, Helena & Jackie Yorker, Mrs. Bowman, Ann Bishton, Rev. James Pittman, Evelyn Tinsley, Constance James, Deanna Cotton, D. Nicholas Tyrone Christy, Virgil Watson, 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, 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: *The family and friends of Michael Canon, Anna Burton, Rick Taylor and family, Marge Donnelly and family, Bill Gatewood, Mat Hearn, 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, Alexander Grant, 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, 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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