Church Announcements - December 21, 2025

December 24, Christmas Eve Candlelight Services at CPC:

3:00 pm with Youth Choirs

5:30 pm with Adult Choirs

December 28, 10:00 am Hymn Sing and special piano music

January 4, 10:00 a.m. Epiphany Sunday, Worship and Luncheon

Adults wanted: to teach one or more adult Sunday schools in the new year. Please contact Christy Hemmes or any Christian Ed or Parish Life council members if interested.

We're having another Presbyterian food event, first in 2026 ~ Our **Epiphany Luncheon, January 4** after worship. We ask the congregation to provide side dishes and we will provide the meat and dessert! A sign-up sheet is available in Fellowship Center. Let's continue the celebration of the reason for the season by gathering to share a special meal together ~ relax and enjoy fellowship, food, and your church family.

SCRIP NEWS ~ Fifteen families purchased scrip this month. We finished 2025 strong with a net rebate of \$433.29 for CPC and a year-end total of \$3,270.97. Thank you everyone! Dick Wynja won this month's donated gift card. Orders are placed on the second Sunday of the month, but individual orders/payments can be dropped off in the office prior to that if it's more convenient. If you have any questions regarding the scrip program or would like to place an order, please contact Nancy Case (201-317-4437 or nbcase48@yahoo.com) and she will be happy to help you. The next scrip order will be placed on Sunday, **JANUARY 11,2026.** Merry Christmas, and a happy, healthy New Year!

Coffee Hour Sign-up for January – March Hosts and Hostesses ~ Coffee hour is what you want it to be, as simple or extravagant as you wish. Someone usually prepares the coffee, and you provide the treats! If coffee is not made upon your arrival, there are instructions by the big coffee brewer on what to do. Do coffee hour as a family or with a friend... ~ Thank you to those who have signed up! It is an important fellowship time for our church.

Women's Breakfast ~ Start 2026 off by joining us for our first breakfast of the new year, January 3rd. We meet at 8:00 a.m. at the Chester Diner for fellowship and, of course, food! Invite a friend, the more the merrier.

CPC Anniversary Committee ~ The first meeting of the committee is scheduled for Sunday, January 11th following our council meetings.

Please let Al Kopacka know if you will not be able to attend. Thank you.

Book Club met on Thursday, Dec. 18th for a discussion of *This Tender Land* by *William Kent Krueger*. Stay tuned to find out what they selected as their next book.

Our 2026 Flower Calendar is posted in the Church Office. Flowers are \$42 per Sunday. Flowers are supplied and arranged by Stony Hill Gardens. You may choose to take them home following the service or ask that the Deacons deliver them to someone who could use a little cheering up. If you prefer to make your own arrangement, or provide flowers from your own gardens, just let us know. Thank you.

BYG will have a Retreat Friday, January 9th beginning at 5pm at Community Presbyterian Church. They will hold sign-up meetings at Lower Valley Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Jan. 11 at 3pm and Sunday, January 24th at 2pm.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun., December 21	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service ~ Christmas Cantata
	11:00 a.m.	Fellowship and Refreshments
		Youth Choirs
	6:00 p.m.	IPSA
Mon., Dec. 22	10:00 a.m.	Al-Anon
	7:30 p.m.	Boy Scouts
Tues, Dec. 23	3:00 p.m.	Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	Advent Vespers
	7:00 p.m.	Overeaters Anonymous
Wed., Dec. 24		Christmas Eve Candlelight Services
	3:00 p.m.	Family Service with Youth Choirs
	5:30 p.m.	Family Service with Adult Choirs
Thurs., Dec. 25		Merry Christmas
Fri., Dec. 26		Office Closed
	10:00 a.m.	Al-Anon
Sat., Dec. 27	7:30 p.m.	AA Meeting
Sunday, Dec. 28	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	11:00 a.m.	Fellowship & Refreshments
	6:00 p.m.	IPSA

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FOR YOUR PRAYERS and CONSIDERATION

If you have any names you would like to have put on prayer list, please call the Church office and we will be happy to put the person(s) on the list, we would also appreciate a call or email to remove names from our list. Thank you for your consideration.

Sharon Hooey
Kathy Petrozelli
Ron Lawrence
Andy & Martha
Frank DiTaranto
Thomas Price
Don Sluter
Christy S.
Miriam Gonsiska
Eileen Specchio
Jess H.
Daniel
Ryan H.
Joelyn
Phil

Phil
Tom & Valerie
Art
Heather A.

John & Kelly Savarese

Judy

Olwyn Shaffeld
Pastor Dave T and Joan
Paul and Robin
Janet
Annette
Pete
Ben
Valerie
Stephanie
Bruce Campbell
John

Karen Jack Bonacci Joe and Ann Hillary Sarah

Mary Lou Wynja

Bill L. Tracy RH
Cindy B
Declan
Jerry
Ethan
Tom
Joanne
Bonnie
Jan
Matthew
Barbara

Suzanne Pfaff Ukrainian People Liz and Bill G.

Anna

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Andrea & Jay J.