



An ELCA & Reconciling in Christ Congregation
Welcome! We Make a Place for Everyone!

All Saints Sunday / 21st Sunday after Pentecost

Gathering Hymn	All The Earth	WS 141
Hymn of the Day	Better is One Day	WS 133
Sending Hymn	The Blessing	

The service and song lyrics are displayed on the large screens in the sanctuary. If you would like a printed bulletin, please ask an usher.

Assisting with Worship Today

Lay Assistant:	Chelsea Cameron	Lector:	Melinda Geiger
Ushers:	OPEN	Cantor:	Jenny Wojnar
Altar Guild:	Mary Binder	Tech Team:	Chuck Zehnder
Acolyte:	OPEN	Officer of the Day:	Tyler Quinn

Join us at the Hospitality Table after the service, hosted by Kristen Gerhart



Volunteer for worship & hospitality table using this QR Code.
It's a rewarding experience to be a part of the service!
Questions? Contact Kim Williams at
kimwilliams@zoominternet.net

Are You Visiting? We're glad you're here! Sign our guest book and grab a Visitor Card in the Narthex. Or, sign our guest book with this QR Code. *Sign up to receive our weekly email at phlc.org/newsletter*



Announcements

2025 Outreach Committee Food Drive: PHLC is dedicated to supporting Light of Life Ministries, helping those in need. Through November 9, we will be collecting canned corn for their Thanksgiving baskets (standard-size canned corn only; no creamed corn, please). Your donations are greatly appreciated!

Youth Sunday School: Children are invited to depart the worship service after Children's Time to attend Sunday School.

Congregation-Wide Service Projects led by 412Youth Upcoming Schedule

- Thank you cards for Thanksgiving Food Drive Bags
 - November 2 at PHLC from 10:45-11:45 am
- Thanksgiving Food Drive Bag Distribution
 - November 9 at PHLC after the service
- Thanksgiving Food Drive Collection
 - November 16 at PHLC after the service

Marilou Nicklas Memorial Service: We will be celebrating the life of our beloved Marilou at **12:30 pm on Saturday, November 8**, with a luncheon to follow. Please join us as we remember Marilou.

Congregational Meetings: Plan to join us for our two fall congregational meetings. November 16, 2025 - Nominations for council, pre-k board, and endowment committee; December 7, 2025 - Voting on administrative nominations

412Youth Food Collection: The Youth will be heading up our annual food collection from around the church neighborhood in November. If you have any unexpired, nonperishable food that you would like to donate, please bring it to the church by November 16. Thank you!

Religious Trauma Support Group: This group provides support and care for those who have experienced religious trauma. Our next meeting will be on Tuesday, November 18, at 6 pm. We will be discussing Chapter 2 from the book *Holy Hurt* by Hillary McBride. For questions, contact Pastor Jocelyn (ixjohnston2010@gmail.com) or Katherine Hornbostel (katherinehornbostel@gmail.com).

Friday Prayer Vigils: You're invited to join members of PHLC and community members from all faiths in a prayer vigil on Friday mornings from 8-10 am at 3000 Sydney Street outside the ICE Field Office on the Southside. Hosted by Sisters of St. Joseph, Pax Christi, and Casa San José.

Update for our North Hills Refugee Ministry: NHRM continues to provide care and support to refugee families. For our most recent update and ways to help, visit phlc.org/north-hills-refugee-ministry-update-august-2025/.

Adult Bible Study: Please join our adult ed crew after the service for an open-minded place to encounter scripture and wrestle with our faith in a supportive community. You don't have to know anything about the bible; just come with an open mind and heart, ready to question the things you thought you knew!

2025 Agency of the Year – Mars Home for Youth: With your Second Mile Giving and programs throughout the year, we will be supporting the development of their Therapeutic Kindergarten Program.

Prayer List

Updates? Contact the church office at 724-935-1226 or perryhighwaylcoffice@gmail.com

Anonymous	Please pray for a family member experiencing a mental health crisis
Dennis Bruce	Husband of Patty Bruce receiving cancer treatment
Fred Claus	Son of Carolyn Claus; waiting for spinal surgery
Greg DeKunder	For continued treatment and recovery from his surgery
Elaine	Pastor's cousin - prayers for continued healing and ease
Ella	Prayers of thanksgiving for the birth of Pastors Ryan and Jocelyn's new niece
Friend	Of Jane Davidson struggling with heart disease
Friend	Struggling with family dynamics
Fred Geiger	For recovery from Oct 7. knee surgery
Hadlee	One-year-old daughter of Patty Bruce's niece receiving cancer treatment
Jane Hein	For recovery from her recent knee surgery
David Hepfer	Gwen's mother's cousin, for his safe return home
Sue Johnson	Sister-in-law of Janice Rozzi as she prepares for spinal surgery
John McAllister	For memory rehab; twin brother of Herman Forsten's caregiver Tom
Marilou Nicklas Family	On her passing on September 28
Dean Scoumis	Friend of Kay Wisniewski battling health issues
Nathaniel Shriver	Nephew of John Spurlock receiving emergency care
Pastor Jen Soltis	For a full recovery after her ankle surgery
Michael Taylor	Father of Stephanie Weibley on his recovery and healing following emergency surgery from a fall
Gino Travali	Jannette's dad - recovering at home after hospital stay
Julie Wahl	For recovery from total knee replacement on Sept. 22
Vivian Weber	Steve Weber's mom - In skilled nursing recovering from an illness and fall

Affirmation Statement

In the name of Jesus of Nazareth, who invited us in reconciling love and grace to join the reign of God, this church welcomes all. We extend this welcome to all believers and non-believers regardless of age, cultural background, economic status, ethnic or linguistic heritage, employment status, housing status, substance dependence, marital status, physical or mental abilities, race, sexual orientation, gender identity or any other distinction.

As we are all one in God's eyes, we encourage any who express an interest to become an active part of this congregation's full life as we witness God's love. This is our response to the Gospel, as we understand it, and to do any less would deny to others the welcome we have received from the Creator of us all.

Office Hours: The church office is open on Wednesdays from 9 am to noon. Messages are checked daily. All other times are by appointment. Church office phone is 724-935-1226; email is perryhighwaylcoffice@gmail.com

Do you have something for Weekly Announcements? Email your information to phlcwebsite@gmail.com by 9 am on Tuesdays.

Our Four Pillars

Faith
Family
Inclusion
Community



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Ryan Pusch, Pastor
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Alyssa Drespling, Director of PHL PreK

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Giving Options
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