

COVENANT CONNECTION

**IT'S HERE!
40 DAYS OF LOVE**

What would you give to radically improve, even transform, what matters most in your relationships? How about forty days of your time?



In forty days, bring new depth and health to your marriage, your family, and your friendships. Over six weeks, we'll explore and implement six foundational principles that Jesus taught and lived. Through our message and study series, we'll be equipped with real insights and a practical path for fulfilling God's intention for all your relationships—even the difficult ones. Come join us for Adult Ed. on Sundays in the Chapel at 9:30 or 11:00. You won't want to miss this series!

PASTOR DOUG'S PCOC OFFICE HOURS

10AM-3PM on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

Pastor Doug will be available outside these hours, but plans to be in the building as much as possible on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays.

Monday—Day off
Friday—Sermon prep

PB&J EVENT

Save the date...Sunday,
March 14 from 12:30-3pm.



Have lunch with your prayer buddy followed by fun and games!!! Yes...GAMES. We will have a variety of games for all to enjoy. Everyone is welcome to join in on the fun, even if you do not have a Prayer Buddy. If you will be attending, please contact Karen Dallas so we can make sure we have enough pizza! KODallas@msn.com

Sacred Space--Weekly Lenten Service

'Be still and know that I am God' (Ps 46:10). Let's be intentional about taking time to actually live this scripture; leaving behind the rush of daily life; resting in the presence of God. Please consider setting aside some time to join us in

Sacred Space. We'll gather each Wednesday during Lent, February 24th through March 31st, in the Chapel from 6:30 - 7:00pm. We trust that you'll be blessed as you sit before the Lord and reflect on your life and His love for you. Join us and invite a friend!



EMMANUEL DINING ROOM VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We Need you! Won't you help? We have spaces to fill for **COOKING** July thru Dec (some months we are only looking for one person a couple of months we are looking for 3). **TRANSPORTING:** Sept., Nov., and Dec. and **SERVING:** July and Dec. Please reach out and call Leslie Carey at 478.6599 or email at ohgullie@msn.com.

THANK YOU!

Community Lenten Services

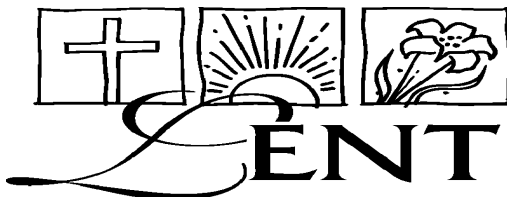
is a five week series sponsored by the women of the Mt. Pleasant Cluster of Churches. The theme of this year's series is "Let Everything that Hath Breath Praise the Lord." All services begin at 10:30 a.m. There will be a social time to share a light lunch following each service. Participants are requested to bring a sandwich. The host churches will provide beverages and dessert. Everyone is invited to attend all services.



March 12 Holly Oak United Methodist Church
1511 Philadelphia Pike

March 19 St. Helena's Catholic Church
602 Philadelphia Pike

March 26 Hillcrest-Bellefonte United Methodist
Hillcrest and Marsh Roads



March 7, 2010

Members and friends of Presbyterian Church of the Covenant will help feed, clothe, shelter and support struggling people around the world through our participation in the **ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING OFFERING**. Your gift can make a real difference. The OGHS offering will be received on Sunday, March 28~Palm Sunday. Please give generously.



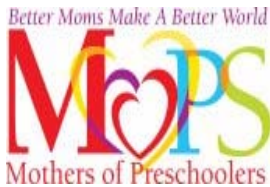
FISHERS BRIDGE BUILDERS

Another team, do we really need one? Yes! Our neighbors do.

The Mission Team is very excited about a new team (Fishers Bridge Builders) whose specific focus will be outreach to Mt. Pleasant Elementary School and the Edgemoor Gardens community. God has given us several opportunities over the past year and we believe we are being lead to a more substantive ministry with these kids and families.

As a start, we will be meeting monthly to pray, to listen and to plan where God is leading us. We meet **TUESDAY, MARCH 23** at 7:30 p.m. in the Chapel. If you are interested or have questions, please contact Marlo King (765-2460) or Kay Gilligan (472-8062).

MOPS is Mothers of Preschoolers and is designed with you in mind! Please join us for fun, food, and friends this **Friday, March 19 at 5:45 pm**. During our time together, we enjoy a craft, discussion, and great food. For more information contact Peg Maguire @ 798-6625 or plkm@comcast.net. Mops is a great opportunity to get out of the house and connect with other moms. Not to mention it is SUPER FUN! We have childcare and dinner is served to the kids.



COME JOIN US!

We believe in Worship + Two!

We believe that the best way to become more connected to God and more connected to PCOC is to attend **Worship weekly, PLUS find ONE class or group to help you grow spiritually and ONE way to serve others in ministry through our church.**



HEALING PRAYER SERVICE every 2nd Monday at 7 p.m. in the Sanctuary.

The **TUESDAY PRAYER GROUP** meets every Tuesday to offer up to our Lord those needs and concerns that have been shared on Sundays. This prayer group **meets in the Chapel from 2—3 p.m.** We invite you to join us at this time or become part of the Prayer Chain. Contact Nancy in the office (764-9007) to have your name added to the prayer chain.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT PRAYER MEETING

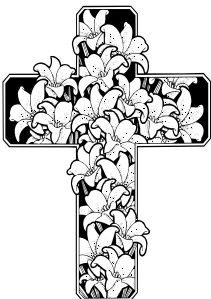
Each Wednesday, members of the Worship Prayer Team gather at 6:30 pm in the Chapel for prayer. You're invited to join us any week or every week. **All are welcome!!**

The **PRAYER CHAIN** responds to prayer requests as they become known through calls/emails to the office. To become part of the prayer chain or to request prayer, contact Nancy in the office (764-9007).

We feel that God is calling PCOC to be a church known for **HEALING PRAYER**. We are embarking on a new program and have teams available to go to you at home or in the hospital at any time for healing or other prayer. We all need prayer at times and no need is too great or too small for God to handle. Please do not hesitate to call Pastor Kathi, the church office, or Chuck Miller (235-1906) at any time.

*The power of prayer is amazing!
Come join your voice to one of these groups.*

SERMONS ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE IN BOTH PRINT AND AUDIO. Check it out at www.pcocweb.org.



It is time to prepare our sanctuary for the celebration of Easter. Our beautiful Easter cross of lilies is a glorious tribute to the resurrection. If you would like to contribute to the decoration of our sanctuary, please fill out the form below and return it with a check payable to NCW by March 28. The donations also cover the purchase of palms. The suggested donation is \$16. Mail your contribution to Phylis Wood, 2537 Deepwood Drive, Wilmington, DE 19810 or place it the Flower Chairman mailbox in the message center. Please **DO NOT** place the form in the offering plate on Sunday. Lilies may be taken following the Easter Sunday services.

Lily given by _____

In honor/memory of _____