

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome Virginia!
This week, we welcomed Virginia Spykerman as our new Women’s Ministry Director! Make sure to greet her and congratulate her on the new role she serves for Proclamation!

Leadership Training Course • Registration Required
Pastor Ben will begin the leadership training course next week. Anyone is welcome to join this Sunday school class. Please register for this course by emailing Henry (henry@proclamation.org)

Christmas Offering Totals
Thank you so much for your generous support this past Christmas season! We raised a total of \$23,980.00 to split between Asian Crescent and Engaging Disability.

Balcony
We want to welcome everyone to in-person worship. In the balcony, masks are required. Everywhere else, masks are optional. Thank you for your consideration.

Nominations for Church Officers • Due today!
Please be in prayer for our church leaders and for the important process that culminates with the election of our new church officers in June. If you are a communing member here at Proclamation, please prayerfully consider nominating men who qualify for the office of Ruling Elder or Deacon. Blank Church Officer Nomination Forms are located on the narthex tables. Note that the deadline for submitting nominations is January 16, 2022. Please hand your nomination to one of the pastors.

Eagles Meeting • Friday, January 21
Eagles is a monthly fellowship group for those who are 55+. Our next meeting will be on Friday, January 21 at 10 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall (downstairs). Come for coffee and pastries, a short devotional message from one of our Proclamation interns, Honest Kachaje, and to participate in table discussions about practical applications and some fun sharing about our lives.

Concert featuring the Pennsylvania Chamber Winds • Friday, January 28
The Pennsylvania Chamber Winds is a southeastern PA’s newest chamber wind ensemble, featuring flutes, clarinets, oboes, bassoons, and horns. They will perform a concert of classical, modern, and popular works titled “New Bloom” and will include works by Gershwin and Strauss. The free concert is at 7:30 p.m. and a light reception will follow. Please support the series and musicians and enjoy an evening of light music.

“Adopt a Couple/Single” Initiative
Have you ever considered being a mentor for a younger couple or single adult in the church? Are you a couple or single adult wishing you had a mentor within the church? The Christian life is neither meant to be lived alone, nor in generational silos. Such life-on-life ministry illustrates a pattern of biblical mentoring in which one generation of believers invests in the next generation, with the truth of the power of God’s gospel of grace and the benefit of additional life experience on matters such as marriage, children, parenting, schooling, jobs, or singlehood. We are looking for both mentors and mentees to participate in this “adoption” process. Fill out a basic informational form available in the Narthex to be “matched” with a mentor/mentee and give the form to Jon Christman.

2022 Short Term Missions Trip • July 31 – August 5
A Proclamation team will serve at Joni and Friends Family Retreat in the Poconos. Will you join us? Speak with team members in the Narthex on Jan 23 or 30 or email Kristen (kharnly@msn.com) to learn more. Listen to our 2021 team share about the trip at <https://youtu.be/1kC3uYrbQ2o>

Now Hiring • Media Services Coordinator
We are seeking qualified applicants to serve our AV, IT, and other technology needs of the church. For more information, visit www.proclamation.org/media-services-coordinator-position

HIM WE PROCLAIM

Proclamation is a Bible-centered, Christ-focused, confessional Presbyterian church serving the western suburbs of Philadelphia. We are convinced the ordinary means of grace—the Word, prayer, sacraments, and fellowship—are the primary means God uses to convert and grow His people into conformity with His Son. Toward that end, we are committed to:

- Expositional preaching of the inerrant Word of God
- Reverent and joyful worship of our glorious Triune God
- Fellowship with God in prayer as we intercede for His kingdom to come
- Redemptive community within the body of Christ
- Cultivating a heart of compassion for the lost in our community and around the world

TEACHING ELDERS

BEN FALCONER Senior Pastor
KEN WENDLAND..... Associate Pastor
JEREMY JOHNSON..... Associate Pastor
KISUP LEE Assistant Pastor of Japanese and Korean Ministry
SOONSANG MOON* Assistant Pastor of Korean Ministry

CHURCH STAFF

DAVE MONEYMAKER..... Church Administrator and Director of Christian Education
HENRY OESTREICH Administrative Assistant
YOSHIE LEE..... Japanese and Korean Administrative Assistant
NATE HOOVER Evening Sexton
RYAN KELLY* Director of Music
PAT TOLBERT* Financial Comptroller
VIRGINIA SPYKERMANN* Women’s Ministry Director
KELLY LEIBENSPERGER* Director of Children’s Music
SANDY MARTIN* Director of Handbells
JONATHAN HARNLY* Media Services
ANNETTE HUNSAKER* Administrative Assistant
DAWN KEMP* Bookkeeper
TOM FOUNTAIN* Daytime Sexton
MIKE SBRACCIA* Daytime Sexton

**part-time*

SESSION ELDERS

BEN FALCONER, *moderator* DAVID JOSEPHSON
DAVE MONEYMAKER, *clerk* JEFF KIESEL
MIKE HARNISH JIM ROGERS
ROB HAVILAND PAT TOLBERT
JEREMY JOHNSON KEN WENDLAND
SAM JONES PAUL WIK

DEACONS

RON VOTTO, *chair* ANDY LEISNER
DAN BAKER MIKE MARTIN
CHRIS COOPER HIRO NAKAGAWA
JOSH CUOZZO MATT ROBERTS
JEFF FIRGES



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A congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America

Sunday, January 16th, 2022



MORNING WORSHIP

January 16th, 2022
10:30 a.m.

Rev. Ben Falconer, *preaching*
Rev. Jeremy Johnson, *assisting*

Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong. Let all that you do be done in love. - 1 Corinthians 16:13-14

PRELUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*

WELCOME Rev. Ben Falconer, *senior pastor*

CHORAL INTROIT Chancel Choir
How Dear Are Thy Counsels
Henry Ley

How dear are thy counsels unto me, O God. O how great is the sum of them.
– Psalm 139:17

CALL TO WORSHIP* Deuteronomy 10:20-21

INVOCATION*

HYMN N° 103* Holy God, We Praise Your Name

RESPONSIVE READING OF THE LAW* Exodus 20:1-17

Leader: And God spoke all these words, saying, “I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

Congregation: “You shall have no other gods before me. “You shall not make for yourself a carved image, or any likeness of anything that is in heaven above, or that is in the earth beneath, or that is in the water under the earth.

Leader: You shall not bow down to them or serve them, for I the LORD your God am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children to the third and the fourth generation of those who hate me, but showing steadfast love to thousands of those who love me and keep my commandments.

Congregation: “You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not hold him guiltless who takes his name in vain.

* Please stand, if able.

Leader: “Remember the Sabbath day, to keep it holy. Six days you shall labor, and do all your work, but the seventh day is a Sabbath to the LORD your God. On it you shall not do any work, you, or your son, or your daughter, your male servant, or your female servant, or your livestock, or the sojourner who is within your gates.

Congregation: For in six days the LORD made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day. Therefore the LORD blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.

Leader: “Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be long in the land that the LORD your God is giving you.

Congregation: “You shall not murder.

Leader: “You shall not commit adultery.

Congregation: “You shall not steal.

Leader: “You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor.

Congregation: “You shall not covet your neighbor’s house; you shall not covet your neighbor’s wife, or his male servant, or his female servant, or his ox, or his donkey, or anything that is your neighbor’s.”

CONFESSION OF SIN

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Romans 8:1-2, 11

HYMN N° 551* How Blest Is He Whose Trespass

Please sign and pass the blue attendance pads when the offering is collected.
If you are visiting with us, we would encourage you to either sign the attendance pad or fill out the connect card in our app.

OFFERTORY Chancel Choir
Glory Be to God
William Boyce

Glory be to God on high, and on earth peace, goodwill towards men.
– Luke 2:14

SCRIPTURE READING Jim Rogers, *elder*
1 John 3:11-23, pg. 1022

We offer a Children’s Church curriculum designed for pre-readers.
Children are welcome to go and participate, toddlers to Room 149 and 4-6 yrs old to Room 147.

HYMN N° 359* Blest Be the Tie That Binds

PASTORAL PRAYER

SERMON Rev. Ben Falconer, *senior pastor*

Final Greetings
Ephesians 6:21-24, pg. 979

HYMN N° 535* O the Deep, Deep Love of Jesus!

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE Dr. Ryan Kelly, *organ*



After the service, take a moment to greet those around you; especially those who you may not know.
We want to welcome everyone with the love of Christ, and the grace of the Spirit, in the name of the Lord.

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Jim Rogers will be available to pray with you
at the front right of the sanctuary.

Janyi Josephson and Brenda Sbraccia will be available to pray
with women at the front left of the sanctuary.

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Join us for our Evening Communion Service tonight at 5:00 p.m.
Parable of the Sower
Mark 4:1-20

Dear Proclamation Family,

Terrific! That’s what you brothers and sisters are. Your many monetary donations, non perishable food items, gift wrapping items and volunteering helped CityTeam in Chester give 1200 children gifts for Christmas and almost 500 families food packages for Christmas and Thanksgiving. These gifts showed the Love of Christ to many underprivileged souls in the Chester area. CityTeam thanks and loves Proclamation and so do I.

Please don’t forget our ongoing collection of non perished food for CityTeam. When shopping, please pick up an item or two for CityTeam. Place these items in our donations room. You are wonderful at doing this all year long.

With heartfelt thanks in Christ’s Love,
Dominic