

THOSE SERVING TODAY

CHURCH OPENER: Larry Godley
CLOSER: Larry Godley
6:30 PM-Craig Reif

USHERS:

8:30 AM-Tim Metz, Ron Pfister, Edgar Keene, Jim Goebel
11:00 AM-Denise McAuley, AJ McAuley, Kit and Stephan White
6:30 PM-Ed & Kathy Trinkle

TRUSTEES:

Peggi Strouse, Bob Wise, Rob Raggi

ELDER READING:

8:30 AM-Bruce Clydesdale
11:00 AM-Les Brown

NURSERY:

8:30 AM-Norm & Lena Bitterman
11:00 AM-Carol Esterhai
6:30 PM-Carol Esterhai

JUNIOR CHURCH: Adele Larkin, Monica King

GREETERS:

8:30 AM-Paper Mill Road: Fran Kulp
8:30 AM-Church Road-The Janney Family
11:00 AM-Paper Mill Road-Craig & Judy Reif
11:00 AM-Church Road-Janice Kulp
6:30 PM-Doug & Jolee Lieberman

PASTOR BACKUP & FLOWER DELIVERY:

Adele Larkin & Barb Metz

BUS DRIVER: Paul Fariss

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LISTS OF CHRISTMAS FLOWER

MEMORIALS are available at the Church Road and Paper Mill Road entrances to the Sanctuary.

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

December 12-December 26

Bible Fellowship Group-
Led by Nick and Marilyn Furcola
Room 105

This is an open forum type discussion group covering a wide variety of topics from the Bible as a whole. Come with questions or items for discussion or simply interact with the topics and scripture presented. The only material which will be used will be God's Word, the Bible, under the inspiration of the Holy Spirit.

A Session of Testimony and Singing
(Dec 19 only)Led by Al Griffith

On December 19 all Adult Ed Classes will meet in Fellowship Hall for a program of testimony and the singing of our favorite Christmas carols.

This traditional gathering has always been a favorite at OEPC and provides an uplifting experience during the Christmas season. Personal testimonies will be shared and others from the floor will be invited to speak as they are so led. Join us on this pre-Christmas Sunday as we celebrate the birth of Christ and His witness in the lives of His people.

Please Note: There will be no Christian Education classes held on **December 26**. On this day there will be one service of Worship at 10AM in the Sanctuary.

Oreland Evangelical Presbyterian Church,
December 19, 2010



1119 Church Road, Oreland, Pennsylvania 19075

215-887-7002; www.orelandpres.org

8:30 AM & 11:00 AM Worship; 9:45 AM Christian Education
Assisted Listening System available; please ask an usher.

PLEASE turn off phones and pagers

No Prayer Service this Wednesday - Will resume 12/29 at 7 PM

PREPARE TO WORSHIP

“Gentle Mary Laid Her Child Lowly in a Manger”

Chime Choir

Beth Jenkins, Music Director

arr. by Patricia Sanders Cota

“Silent Night”

Makenna Lukens & Kathy Misner, Clarinet

(* indicates to stand as you are able; be seated when you need to be)

CALL TO WORSHIP: Isaiah 2:2-5 Pew Bible page 1062

Let us worship God!

8:30 AM - Elder Bruce Clydesdale

11:00 AM - Elder Les Brown

“God Is Near”

The Worship Choir

Lighting of the Fourth Advent Candle - Responsive Litany

Woody & Julie Hope, and Family

L:During Advent we remember God's faithfulness shown to us.

R: Help our lives to reflect your ways, O Lord.

L: During Advent we remember God's humility set before us.

R: Help our lives to reflect your ways, O Lord.

L: During advent we remember God's commands, spoken to us.

R: Help our lives to reflect your ways, O Lord.

L: During advent we remember God's incredible love shared with us.

R: Help our lives to reflect your ways, O Lord.

Candle Lighting

Congregational singing

Greet one another in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ!

Children are always welcome to remain in worship. Activity kits are available in the back of the sanctuary in the plastic containers. Junior church is available for children ages 4 through grade 2 during the 8:30 worship service. It is held in classroom S4 beneath the sanctuary.

SCRIPTURE READING: Matthew 1:18-25; 2:13-15, 19-21; James 1:22-25

SERMON: “Obey What God Commands”

Pastor Jim Farrell

PRAYER and THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERING OUR GIFTS - Prayer of Thanksgiving

CHURCH NEWS - Please sign the Friendship Pad

***“It Came Upon the Midnight Clear” - #197 in the hymnbook**

(9:35) Meeting of the Congregation

***BLESSING**

***POSTLUDE:** “The Sussex Carol”

arr. by Richard Lind

News ‘N Notes deadline Wed., 12 Noon

CHRISTMAS EVE WORSHIP

6:30 PM - For CHILDREN and their Families

◆ A Christmas message with Puppets

8:30 PM - Traditional Candle Light Service

◆ Special music and The Worship Choir

11:00 PM - Christmas Eve “Vespers @ Oreland”

◆ Ebenezer Worship Band leading music

Sunday, December 26 - Service of Lessons & Carols - 10:00 AM

◆ Hear the story of salvation while singing the carols of Christmas

◆ No Christian Education this week.

Sunday, January 2, 2011 - Worship & The Lord’s Supper

8:30 AM & 11:00 AM Worship & Communion

9:45 AM Christian Education for all ages.

**The Church Office will be closed Monday, December 27,
and Friday, December 31.**

Unison Prayer

Gracious Lord, open our eyes to the wonders you have done, open our ears to the promises you have spoken, and open our hearts that we might become the people you have called us to be. We pray this in the name of Christ, our Lord. Amen.

***“Angels We Have Heard on High” - #192 in the hymnbook**

***“Angels from the Realms of Glory” - #190**

PRAYER

Anthem: “Look Who Just Checked In” with “O Little town of Bethlehem” and
“Angels We Have Heard on High” arr. by Mike Speck/Cliff Duren
The Worship Choir and The Children’s Choir