

THOSE SERVING TODAY

CHURCH OPENER: Mark Piranian
CLOSER: Rick Stover

USHERS:
10:00 AM-Stephan & Kit White
6:30 PM-Craig & Judy Reif

TRUSTEES:
Peggi Strouse, Rob Raggi, Frank Seydel

ELDER READING:
10:00 AM-Bill McClain

NURSERY:
10:00 AM-Marla Griffith
6:30 PM-Cindy Rossi

JUNIOR CHURCH:

GREETERS:
8:30 AM-Paper Mill Road:
8:30 AM-Church Road:
10:00 AM-Paper Mill Road:
10:00 AM-Church Road-Barbara Donofry
6:30 PM-George & Donna Major

AMBASSADOR:

PASTOR BACKUP:
FLOWER DELIVERY:

BUS DRIVER: Paul Fariss

COFFEE HOUR:

ADULT CHRISTIAN EDUCATION -Jan. 1-Feb. 5
Jan. 1 & 8 - 8:45AM-Other classes 9:45AM

REVELATION - Led by John Craymer
Fellowship Hall

In this ninth part of our study of Revelation, we have reached the closing chapters of Revelation. In concluding this glorious canvas, John depicts what will happen at the end. Join us for a journey through the defeat of all that is evil and the reward that is for the saints in Christ. At the end of the pictures, there is one more exhortation. We will find we are saying along with those who have gone before, "Come, Lord Jesus, come."

BIBLE TEACHING FROM PASTOR STANLEY
Led by Ron Young in Room 107

Come and join us for a six week class on many various subjects for today's Christian. This DVD series of sermons from noted Bible teacher, Dr. Charles Stanley will cover such topics as facing anxieties, dealing with fear, finding clear guidance, and opportunities for service. Discussion of the topics will take place after watching the DVD. It is not necessary to attend every session to benefit from the class.

BIBLE FELLOWSHIP GROUP
Led by Nick & Marilyn Furcola
Terrace Rm. 105/106

This is an open forum type discussion group covering a wide variety of topics from the Bible. The only material which will be used will be God's Word..

INSTRUCTING A CHILD'S HEART
Led by Melissa and Glenn Seydel-Room 104

From interaction with their peers to the instruction and correction that they receive at home, children interpret their experience from a worldview that seeks to answer their fundamental questions: Who am I? What do I exist for? Where can I find joy? We need to provide our children with a consistent, persuasive, biblical framework for understanding the world God has made and their place in it. In this DVD series based on the book by Tedd Tripp, parents will learn ways to enable their children to root life in God's revelation in the Bible. It provides a culture for our children, a culture that is distinctly Christian. It shows our children the glory and dignity of mankind as God's image bearers. It provides a way of interpreting life through the redemptive story of God, who reconciles people to himself.

Oreland Evangelical Presbyterian Church



January 1, 2012

1119 Church Road, Oreland, Pennsylvania 19075
215-887-7002; www.orelandpres.org

10:00 AM Worship

8:45 AM Christian Education

Assisted Listening System available ; please ask an usher.

PLEASE turn off phones and pagers

WEDNESDAY EVENING PRAYER ~ 7:00 PM Library

PREPARE TO WORSHIP

"Joy to the world"

Beth Jenkins, Music Director

arr. by Joseph M. Martin

CHURCH NEWS - Please sign the friendship pad!

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Isaiah 42:1-9 , Pew Bible p. 1124 Let us worship God! Elder Bill McClain

*"All My Heart Today Rejoices" - Hymn #203, Stanzas 1,2,3

*"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling" - Hymn #21, Stanzas 1 & 3

***PRAYER of PRAISE and CONFESSION (together)**

Holy and blessed God, we thank you and praise you for Jesus, your Servant, your Chosen, the One upon whom you placed your Spirit to bring forth justice to the nations. We praise you for your choosing us in Christ Jesus, for calling us and setting us apart in Him to be a light for the nations. We bless you for your Spirit poured out upon your church to empower and enable a fruitful and faithful witness. Forgive us our sin and all the ways we fall short of your holy and glorious intention. Forgive us when our light has been dull and our witness compromised or hardly noticeable. Show us your mercy. Restore us by your grace. Enable us not to be defined by former things, but to see and embrace the new things you have done and still do in Christ Jesus. May your great name be praised and your kingdom come as we live for the praise of your glory in these days. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.

***DECLARATION of GOD'S FORGIVENESS**

RESPONSE to GOD'S FORGIVENESS

EXCHANGE of CHRISTIAN GREETING

{Children are always welcome to remain in worship. Activity kits are available in the back of the sanctuary in the plastic containers. }

SCRIPTURE READING: Luke 2:22-32

Pew Bible p. 1591

SERMON: “See The World in a Whole New Light”

Pastor Jim Farrell

OFFERING OUR GIFTS - Prayer of Thanksgiving

{Elders serving communion come to the table}

TIME OF EXAMINATION *“Whoever, therefore eats of the bread or drinks of the cup of the Lord in an unworthy manner will be guilty of profaning the body and blood of the Lord. Let a person examine himself, then, and so eat of the bread and drink of the cup. For anyone who eats and drinks without discerning the body eats and drinks judgment on himself.”* 1 Cor. 11:27-29

Prayer with Laying on of Hands and Anointing with Oil

Anyone wishing to receive prayer, kindly make your way to a kneeler at the front of the sanctuary.

“Amazing Grace” - #107, Stanzas 1,3,4

Sacrament of The Lord’s Supper

INVITATION

PRAYER and THE LORD’S PRAYER

WORDS OF INSTITUTION

SERVING OF THE BREAD

“Redeeming Love” - #199 in the hymnbook

SERVING OF THE CUP (Silence)

PRAYER of THANKSGIVING

*“Be Thou My Vision” - #468 in the hymnbook

***BLESSING**

***ORGAN POSTLUDE:** “The Old Year Has Passed Away”

by J. S. Bach

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TONIGHT! “Vespers @ Oreland” 6:30PM

- ◆ **Music & Singing led by the worship band Ebenezer**
- ◆ **Preaching basic truths of the Christian Faith**
- ◆ **Q & A Sermon time**

NEXT SUNDAY - Bridge-the-Gap Worship & Luncheon - January 8, 2012

- ◆ **Christian Education at 8:45 AM; ONE SERVICE OF WORSHIP at 10:00 AM**
- ◆ **11:00 Lunch Together in Fellowship Hall**

“Victory”

(A prayer from The Valley of Vision)

O Divine Redeemer, great was thy goodness in undertaking my redemption, in consenting to be made sin for me, in conquering all my foes; Great was thy strength in enduring the extremities of divine wrath, in taking away the load of my iniquities; Great was thy love in manifesting thy self alive, in showing thy sacred wounds, that every fear might vanish, and every doubt be removed; Great was thy mercy in ascending to heaven in being crowned and enthroned there to intercede for me, there to succour me in temptation, there to open the eternal book, there to receive me finally to thyself; Great was thy wisdom in devising this means of salvation; Bathe my soul in rich consolations of thy resurrection life; Great was thy grace in commanding me to come hand in hand with thee to the Father, to be knit to him eternally, to discover in him my rest, to find in him my peace, to behold his glory, to honour him who is alone worthy; in giving me the Spirit as teacher, guide, power, that I may live repenting of sin, conquer Satan, find victory in life. When thou art absent all sorrows are here; when thou art present all blessings are mine.