# **PSC** Insider

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#### Men's Monthly Breakfast

The Men's breakfast will be held in Fellowship Hall on Saturday, February 29th from 8-9:30 am. The breakfast is free and all men are welcome. Also bring a friend.

Our speaker will be Stephen Reisinger, Chief of Survey for Susquehanna Civil, Inc.

Please see Dod Kiama or Dan Watkins with any questions. RSVP by circling "**M**" on the Connection Card or calling 717-532-8404.

"As iron sharpens iron, so one man sharpens another." Proverbs 27:17.

#### **Missions Focus**

PTL! By the time you read this A & J will be home and living for a time with J's parents in Chicago. They will remain in Chicago until they are informed of the start date of their next school year in China. Thank you for remembering them in your prayers.

They ask for your prayers for the people living in Mainland China. The majority of people affected by this virus are people who are from or have directly traveled to the Wuhan or Hubel province. Many people have been forced to stay in their homes due to a fear of catching this Food and other virus. important essentials are quickly running low and it has been difficult for stores to restock these essentials quickly. Pray for protection and safety for them.

Pray also for John Oostdyk for he lost his younger brother Rein in Janto Parkinson Disuary due ease. Rein also played an important part in the Atlantic Bridge ministry. Pray that AB can recruit more young people to build relationships with other Christian and non-Christian youth as they try to build faith and relationships within various churches in the Netherlands. Pray also for John for comfort and guidance as he adjusts to losing a very close brother.

#### "The Cultivation of Christlike Character"

Pick up your copy of "The Cultivation of Christlike Character Study Guide" on the prayer table in the back of the sanctuary.

#### **Bethesda Mobile Mission**

We will be putting hygiene bags together for our MARCH 7 trip to Harrisburg. There is a bin under the coat racks in the main hallway for the following donations:

Small size soap, shampoo, body wash, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, batteries & flashlights.

We also need boxer shorts, socks, hooded sweatshirts, t-shirts, sweatpants and BLANKETS always.

The dates for the remainder of the year are May 2, July 4, September 5 and November 7. Please contact Annette Mellott at 717-658-9512 if you'd like to go along or to help with sorting donations.

Bless you for caring for the homeless with us!

#### Small Group Training

Have you ever considered leading (or co-leading) a Small Group Study at Prince Street Church? Last fall we surveyed our congregation and found that there is a desire for additional small group offerings. Some of the suggestions we received included Bible 101, Christian Parenting, Life Application, Mom's Study, Women in the Bible, and Bible Study.

In March we will be offering a workshop with information and training for both new and experienced leaders. If you would like more information about attending this workshop, please circle "**S**" on your connection card.

# Your Giving in 2019

Your record of giving for the year 2019 is now available on the table in the back. This record can be used for IRS purposes.

#### Prayer Corner

<u>Prayer Focus</u>: Pray that we take advantage of opportunities to share the love of Christ with others.

<u>Church of the Week:</u> Shippensburg Church of the Brethren

<u>Missions Focus:</u> A & J, Oostdyk family & Atlantic Bridge

Prince Street's Ministry Focus: Men's Ministry

Health Needs: Donnie K. Dennis B. Bonnie P. Dakota B. Boyd M. Dave K. Holly W. Brian H. Bryson B. Shaunice H. Hayley H. Rick H. Cecelia B. Krysta R. Jac-Jac Lee H.	Paulette S. Linda B. Donna Carma B. Bev M. Flo H. Bob H. Dave B. Lisa C. Dave C. Wayne H. Adam H. Martha L. W. Deb C. Heidi P. Ray B.
Marlene B. <u>Other Needs</u> : Zoe Paul Evan Tasha Christian G. Relationships Broken relationship Wellspan-formerly employees Those fighting addic hol	Hayley D. Joe Tyler Todd Nick V. Grandson Unspoken (2) Co-workers Summit Health tions-drug & alco

Spiritual Needs: Unsaved family & friends

Answered Prayers:

Praise God for always walking with us



Sunday School Sunday Morning 9:45 - 10:45 am

> Wednesday Night Kindle—6:30 pm

# **Deepening Your Prayer Life**

Are you wanting to take your relationship with God to a whole new level? How can prayer do that? In Creating a Life with God, Daniel Wolpert will introduce us to 12 prayer practices that invite you to seek solitude and silence with God, use your mind, imagination, body, creativity, and have a connection with God in your community and nature. This 12-week small group will meet in the NEXT classroom on the upper level starting March 8, 2020 at 9:45am and led by Amanda Clever . This group is open to anyone wanting to explain their relationship with God in a whole new way through prayer. These prayer practices will deepen your prayer life and the connection with others among your church family. If interested, please sign up on the sheet located in the back of the sanctuary. If you have questions, please see or contact Amanda Clever at 717-530-0314.

If you are considering taking this class with Amanda or joining Doris's class on Wednesdays, please see below from a former class participant.

#### . Hello Amanda,

Thank you for leading our class about prayer practices. Although quite a few were foreign to me, they helped me learn and understand different ways to worship God through prayer.

Our open discussions with class members strengthened my faith and showed me how they used the practices in their every day living. The conversations helped me open my mind to other ways to practice to be quiet and "listen" to God. Linda The Rockway Railway Decorating Express is ready for departure! Join us in the VBS room (in the children's hallway) Saturday Feb 22nd 10am-12pm and Thursday Feb 27th 6:30-8pm. LETS MAKE TRACKS TO-GETHER! Contact Melody Shubert 717-729-0870 for more information.

# Attention Prince Street Church Ladies!

Come meet your new Women's Ministry Leader, Wendy Steffen, *today* at 2:00 in the Fellowship Hall. You will get to hear her story and be part of what's in store for 2020. Light refreshments will be provided.

# Winter Weather Updates

Winter weather updates are available on television (WHP21), online (whptv.com), on the radio (WCRH 90.5), and on the church website and Facebook page.

# Helping Hand

Helping Hand Ministry provides a meal due to death in the family. During the month of February, please contact Jackie Clever @ 717 -860-1474.

# Wild Game Dinner

Our annual Wild Game Dinner will be on Saturday, February 29th beginning at 5:00 pm. We still have a few tickets available. There are sign -up sheets to volunteer to help with the dinner on the table in the back of the sanctuary.

# **Church Christmas Tree**

We have purchased a new church Christmas tree! If anyone has any need, or knows of a need for a 9 ft. Christmas tree, please contact Devon Highlands.

#### Ash Wednesday Service

We will be having an Ash Wednesday service on February 26th at 6:00 pm.

# Nursery Volunteers Needed

We currently have openings on our nursery staff for the 11:00 service. Could you spare one hour several times a year to minister to our youngest attenders? If you are willing to be part of this important ministry, contact Jessica Minor at 717-830-3918, or you can note it on the back of your Connection Card. Thank you for prayerfully considering this opportunity.

# **Christlike Character Class**

Pastor Mike will be teaching a Wednesday evening 6 week class on cultivating Christlike character using the "Cultivation of Christlike Character Study Guide" booklet. The class begins Wednesday March 4th and finishes Wednesday, April 8th. The class will take place in the Progressive Classroom, from 6:30 -8:00 pm. There is a sign-up sheet on the table in the back of the sanctuary. In addition, anyone taking all 6 classes will be eligible to become a member of Prince Street Church.

#### March Birthdays

Rebecca Cole	3/1
Jazzmyn Calhoun	3/4
Jeffrey Shubert	3/7
Oliver Baer	3/7
Catherine Crider	3/8
Kiah Minor	3/8
Jillian Carroll	3/11
Hayden Highlands	3/12
Seraphine Calhoun	3/12
Chloe Rotz	3/16
Jane Kendig	3/21
Christopher Carroll	3/22
Daniel Watkins	3/24
Susan Shroyer	3/26
Randy Hoover	3/28
Mildred Priest	3/31

# March Anniversaries

Dan & Katrina Cole	3/14
Bill & Rosalie Miller	3/17
Eric & Jessica Minor	3/24

