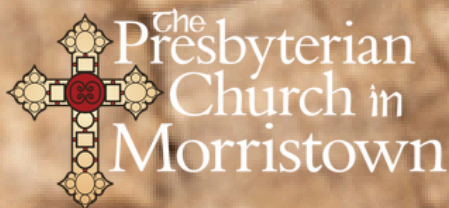


ROOTED.
REACHING.
RISING.

As Christ Leads Us...



TOWER TIDINGS

EASTER/SUMMER 2026



WORDS TO GUIDE US... VALUES THAT DEFINE US... ...AS CHRIST LEADS US.

Reverend Daniel Vigilante, Pastor

Dear PCM Family,

Do you remember those two little words introduced by our Vision Team last fall?

Love first.

Those words are the heart of who we are - and how we understand our mission as followers of Jesus. They also launched our fall worship series, *Words to Guide Us* - which was a deep dive into three new statements that emerged from our two-and-a-half year vision process of listening, prayer, and discernment.

If you remember, those three statements are:

- Our Mission (as followers of Jesus) - Love first
- Our Purpose (as a church) - To create opportunities for people to experience Christ's love
- Our Vision (for God's world) - That all may be one with God and one another.

I'm so grateful that the Vision Team's faithful work on these statements was so well received!

Then, during the season of Lent this winter, we launched a worship series called *Values That Define Us* - talking about the convictions that shape who we are: Humility, Compassion, Connection, Inclusion, and Service.

And now, here we are. Spring has arrived. Easter joy is upon us, and something new is stirring at PCM, with the Vision Team's full report being shared with the congregation for the first time. I hope you will be in worship on **April 12**, when we launch our newest worship series: *As Christ Leads Us*. It completes a trilogy that has been unfolding among us for nearly a year now...

Words to guide us... Values that define us... As Christ leads us...

The Vision Team's report, *Rooted, Reaching, and Rising*, paints a picture of our congregation - digging deeper, reaching wider, and growing into the fullness of what God is calling us to become. Three bold, beautiful, and yes, occasionally challenging objectives. And underneath all of it, one steadfast promise: Christ leads us.

We are simply - joyfully, faithfully, together - following.

In Christ's love,
Daniel

SPRING AND SUMMER AT PCM

Sunday Worship: 8:00 am (Chapel) | 10:00 am (Sanctuary and Online)

APR 12

VISION SUNDAY

Worship Service (Vision Report during and immediately following worship)
10:00 am - 12:00 pm | Sanctuary and Online

APR 21

VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT

A special thank you to all of our volunteers!
5:00 - 7:00 pm | Glenbrook Brewery, Morristown

MAY 2

SERVE SATURDAY

Volunteer activities for all ages
8:30 am - 12:00 pm | Morristown
Sign up here: pcmorrystown.org/servesaturday

MAY 17

YOUTH SUNDAY

Worship Service lead by PCM youth
10:00 - 11:00 am | Sanctuary and Online

MAY 31

PROSPECTIVE MEMBER BRUNCH

Thinking about making PCM your church home? Let's do brunch!
11:30 am - 1:00 pm | Parish House
RSVP: pcmorrystown.org/brunch

JUN 5

SECOND CHANCE PROM

The Great Gatsby
7:00 - 10:00 pm | Parish House
Get your tickets here: pcmorrystown.org/prom

JUN 22 -
JUN 26

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Everywhere Fun Fair!
9:15 am - 12:15 pm | Parish House | Ages 3 - 12
Sign up here: pcmorrystown.org/vbs

JUN 27

MORRIS COUNTY PRIDE FESTIVAL

Join us at the PCM table to support our LGBTQ+ siblings!
11:00 am - 4:00 pm | County College of Morris, Randolph

JUN 28 -
SEP 6

SUMMER WORSHIP BEGINS

Stay cool this summer: From June 28 - September 6, worship will be held at the Parish House (65 South Street), to keep us cool. Online worship will be also available each week!



SPRING INVITATIONS

Reverend Audrey Webber, Associate Pastor

Dear friends,

As we move into the Easter season together, I am so looking forward to learning, listening, and celebrating together! This spring offers a number of opportunities to do all three. I hope you'll find a place (or several!) to join in as we continue to be the church together.

Faith on Film

Our Faith on Film series continues with *Brooklyn*, a film that beautifully explores themes of identity, belonging, and love. We will gather on April 19 at 4:00 pm in the Parish House, and as always, we'll enjoy a simple meal, watch the film together, and share in thoughtful discussion. It's a relaxed and meaningful way to connect faith with story and with one another.

Young Adults Monthly Coffee Chat

Our young adult group will meet on April 19 at 11:30 am for a casual coffee chat at Ethan and the Bean. It's a wonderful chance to connect, build community, and share life together.

Support & Care Groups

In addition to these gatherings, we continue to hold space for care, connection, and support. You are not alone.

- **Caregivers Support Group:** Meets every Wednesday at 11:00 am on Zoom
- **Grief Support Group:** Meets monthly on the third Wednesday at 12:00 pm on Zoom

Second Chance Prom: The Great Gatsby

And finally, something truly special! Join us for Second Chance Prom: The Great Gatsby on June 5, because everyone deserves a night in the spotlight.

Whether you missed your prom, want a do-over, or simply love a good excuse to dress up and dance, this is your night. Expect music, a photo booth, dinner and drinks, themed prizes (including Best Dressed!), and the crowning of prom royalty. Most importantly, it will be an evening filled with joy, celebration, and belonging.

Tickets are on sale now at pcmorrystown.org/prom, with prices increasing after June 2, so don't wait to get your ticket!

I hope to see you at one or all of our upcoming programs! However you choose to participate, know that you are more than welcome, you belong with us, and we need you here. I can't wait to learn and celebrate together.

Grace and peace,
Audrey

DOUGHNUTS AND THEOLOGY

Adult Education: Engaging faith together

Our Sunday morning adult education offerings continue to invite thoughtful conversation and faithful discernment. Most sessions take place at 8:45 am in the Chapel unless otherwise noted:

APRIL 12: VISION TEAM PRESENTATION

DURING AND IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING 10:00 AM WORSHIP IN THE SANCTUARY

APRIL 19: LISTENING SESSION ON THE VISION TEAM REPORT

8:45 AM | THE CHAPEL

We're setting aside intentional time to reflect together on the Vision Team report, sharing our thoughts, asking questions, and listening for what resonates most. This is an opportunity to process not just the ideas presented, but also how we feel about where God may be leading us next, as we move forward with clarity, unity, and purpose.

APRIL 26: LISTENING SESSION ON BECOMING A COVENANT NETWORK CHURCH

8:45 AM | THE CHAPEL

During this time, we will share our thoughts, ask questions, and listen to one another's perspectives. This is a space to explore both the practical implications and the deeper hopes, questions, and feelings this important step may bring. Rooted in our values of inclusion, connection, and humility, we seek to listen well, honor every voice, and discern together how God is calling us forward.

MAY 3, 10, 17: WHAT THE NEW TESTAMENT HAS TO SAY ABOUT SAME-SEX RELATIONSHIPS (AND WHY IT SHOULD SURPRISE US)

8:45 AM | THE CHAPEL

In May, we are especially honored to welcome Dr. Stephen Moore, Professor of New Testament at Drew Theological School, for a three-part series: *What the New Testament Has to Say about Same-Sex Relationships (and Why It Should Surprise Us)*.

Dr. Moore is a gifted and engaging speaker whose work spans a wide range of biblical and theological scholarship. This series promises to deepen our understanding and spark meaningful conversation around Scripture, interpretation, and inclusion.

These gatherings are an important part of our shared discernment as a congregation. They are spaces for listening, asking questions, and reflecting together on who we are called to be.



THANK YOU FROM CYF!

Alexandra Mead, Director of Children, Youth, and Family Ministries

Dear Families,

Our 2026 Chili Cook-Off and Silent Auction was an incredible night... all thanks to YOU for making it our most successful Chili Cook-Off ever! From the amazing cooks who brought their best recipes, to the judges who took their job very seriously (and deliciously), to everyone who came out to taste, vote, shop, and cheer, it was a true celebration of community. We're so grateful for each of you who made it such a memorable evening.



YOUTH SUNDAY IS MAY 17!

SUNDAY, MAY 17 | 10:00 AM | SANCTUARY AND ONLINE

Join us for Youth Sunday, a special and joy-filled service where our youth step into leadership and guide us through worship. From prayers and scripture to music and reflection, they will share their gifts, voices, and faith in meaningful ways. It's a powerful reminder that the church is not just for the next generation—it is being shaped by them right now. Come celebrate, support, and be inspired by the leadership, creativity, and heart of our young people.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL: EVERYWHERE FUN FAIR!

JUNE 22 - 26 | 9:15 AM - 12:15 PM | PARISH HOUSE | AGES 3 - 10

VBS 2026 will be here before we know it with Everywhere Fun Fair, Celebrating God's Welcoming Love Everywhere! Join us for a fun week playing games, learning how to be a welcoming neighbor in our bible stories, creating fun fair crafts, and eating fabulous snacks. Children ages 3 to 10 are encouraged to come and join us. Children must be potty trained.

Register at pcmorristown.org/VBS

CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOLERS: REGISTER FOR RISE!

JULY 12 - 18, 2026 | APPALACHIA, NEW YORK

Join us this summer for RISE, our annual youth mission trip! Teams of high school youth and adult leaders repair homes of residents in Appalachia (New York) who, because of financial or physical reasons, are unable to maintain their homes.

During the evening, programs conducted by the RISE staff link the daytime work experience to scripture and the lives of RISE volunteers. Members of our PCM high school youth and adult leaders serve with RISE each year during the summer. Sign up at pcmorristown.org/RISE.



HERE COMES THE SUN!

Jeanne Mueller, Director, Presbyterian Church Nursery School



As we leave the dark, cold winter behind and enter a well-earned springtime, the Presbyterian Church Nursery School (PCNS) family is looking forward to some exciting events and activities. Spring learning is full of outer space exploration, outdoor walks, Mother's Day Celebrations, and growing gardens. We even have plans to extend our vegetable garden this year! Seeds will be planted before our Spring Break, and it will be fun to see the surprise on the children's faces when they come back to see the sprouting vegetables.

At the end of May, we are looking forward to our fabulous annual **Art Show and Family** night. Our theme this year is *"We are all Artists."* The children have all worked hard and created different types of art – process art, product art, and self-portraits. Our schoolwide group project is a study of Keith Haring. The creativity is amazing and the children are so proud of their work. The church family is welcome to come and see our fabulous art exhibit on **May 21 at 6:30 pm**. There will be an opportunity to create masterpieces that evening for all that attend.

We will enjoy long warm sunny days on our playground until school ends in June. Before you know it, we will be heading back to school for the start of our 2026/27 school year. The PCNS staff always loves that time of year.



SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION IS NOW OPEN!

JULY 2026 | 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM | PARISH HOUSE | AGES 3 - 5

Our camp offers a fun mix of outdoor adventures, creative arts and crafts, exciting sports, and interactive games. Each day is filled with new activities that encourage exploration, teamwork, and personal growth, all under the guidance of our enthusiastic and experienced counselors!

Register at pcnsmorristown.org/summer-camp





SERVE SATURDAY IS (ALMOST) HERE!

Amanda Tufts, Director of Community Engagement

Hey besties,

I cannot believe I am writing this already but it's almost time for Serve Saturday! **happy dance**

I want to personally invite you to be part of one of my favorite days of the year! **Saturday, May 2** begins with breakfast and fellowship at **8:15 am**, followed by volunteers heading out across town to participate in simultaneous service projects from **9:00 am – 12:00 pm**. It's a chance for all of us (*yes, all ages!*) to roll up our sleeves, laugh a lot, and make a real difference as we spend the morning together taking on different needs throughout Morristown.

We've got some wonderful projects lined up, so whether you're a *"tell me exactly what to do"* person or a *"just point me in the general direction"* helper, we've got you covered.

Last year, more than 100 of you showed up ready to serve, and it was such a joy to see our community come to life in that way. Honestly, I'm still smiling about it.

So... come join us! It won't be the same without **you**. Sign up at pcmorrystown.org/servesaturday.

I cannot wait to see what we do this year!

In joy,
Amanda

*PS - If you can't make Serve Saturday this year, please explore all of the other opportunities to serve on the following pages as we live out our mission to **love first**.*



WANT TO GET INVOLVED BUT NOT SURE WHERE TO BEGIN? LET'S GRAB COFFEE!

We know that deciding to get involved in a church is a big step, and it often comes with a lot of questions. Wherever you are in that process, we'd love to meet you there. One of the simplest ways to connect is by grabbing a cup of coffee together. It's a chance to get to know each other, hear your story, and answer any questions you might have in a relaxed, no-pressure setting. We'd love the opportunity to spend some time with you. Email our Director of Community Engagement, Amanda, at info@pcmorrystown.org to set up a time to chat (*Seriously. She loves coffee. And chatting.*).

FEED THE HUNGRY AND WELCOME THE STRANGER



Emily Campbell, Chair, Outreach Committee

Join our community of neighbors helping neighbors and donate non-perishable food items to the Spring PCM Food Drive for the Interfaith Food Pantry Network **April 26 through May 10.**

WAYS TO GIVE:

1. Food donations can be dropped off:

- During Sunday services at the Church on the Green or the Parish House during the week
- Bags are available that you can take, fill, and return. The bags are located near the bins at both the Church and Parish House.

2. Collect food at Kings on May 2 (as part of Serve Saturday!):

- We have an exciting opportunity to engage with our community at Kings in Morristown (191 South Street) on Saturday, May 2, between 10:00 am – 6:00 pm.
- Sign up for a shift at pcmorristown.org/food-drive

3. Financial donations

- Checks should be made out to the Presbyterian Church in Morristown with a note for “Food Drive for IFPN” and mailed to the Parish House: 65 South Street, Morristown NJ 07960.
- Donate online by visiting pcmorristown.org/food-drive

FRUITS & VEGETABLES – Look for “no sugar added”, “low sodium”, or “no salt added.”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Canned fruit – 100% juice 32 oz. – Canned vegetables 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Spaghetti/tomato sauce – Tomato products (crushed, whole, diced, paste, puree)
GRAINS – Donate whole grains as often as you can.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Cereal – low sugar, high fiber – Oatmeal 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Pasta/whole wheat pasta – Rice/brown rice – 1 or 2 lb. sizes
DAIRY – Donate shelf-stable low-fat (1%) or non-fat dairy products.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Parmalat (shelf stable 32 oz. size) – Dry milk (1-qt. package) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Evaporated milk – Calcium-fortified milk alternatives, (soy, rice, almond milks)
PROTEIN – Look for “no salt added”, “low -sodium”, and “canned in water.”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Canned or dried beans (pork and beans, pinto, red, white; not green beans) – Tuna fish, salmon, other canned fish 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Peanut butter 18 Oz – Canned meats and meals (ravioli, spaghetti & meatballs, hash, stew, canned chicken, etc.)
SIDE DISHES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Mac ‘n cheese – Instant potatoes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Stuffing – Rice-A-Roni – Hamburger Helper
SOUPS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Hearty & Low-sodium 	
BABY ITEMS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Enfamil Infant Formula (NOT newborn) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Baby food – Stage 1 fruits and Stage 3 vegetables and meats

LOOKING TO MAKE AN IMPACT?

There are many ways to make a difference!

MORRISTOWN HOUSING SPRINT HOME-COOKED MEALS

UPCOMING DATES: 4/13, 4/20, 4/27, 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25 | COOK FROM HOME

We're looking for volunteers to help provide home-cooked meals for 21 individuals in our community! This effort is part of the Morristown Housing Sprint, a focused initiative to move neighbors from temporary motel placements into stable housing as quickly as possible. Since individuals are currently residing in motel rooms, they only have access to a microwave and mini fridge. Providing nourishing, home-cooked meals is one small but meaningful way we can offer dignity, comfort, and care during a season of transition.

- Meals should be dropped off at the Parish House by 9:30 am Monday morning in individual (21) reheatable containers for easy distribution and warming.
- No pork please!
- Sign up: pcmorrictown.org/meals

HOMELESS SOLUTIONS DINNER SERVICE

UPCOMING DATES: 4/28, 5/26, 6/23, 7/28, 8/25 | 4:30 - 7:00 PM | MORRISTOWN

Join us on the fourth Tuesday of each month at the Homeless Solutions facility. This is a hands-on way to provide a healthy meal for residents working to rebuild their lives. Volunteers help by:

- Preparing and cooking a meal in their well-equipped on-site kitchen.
- Serving dinner directly to guests.
- Note: This is an excellent opportunity for families, as volunteers aged 11 and up are welcome to serve alongside an adult.
- Sign up: pcmorrictown.org/HSI

NOURISH.NJ FOOD PREP

UPCOMING DATES: 4/7/26, 7/7/26, 10/6/26 | 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM | DOVER

PCM seeks 6 – 8 volunteers to gather at nourish.NJ's modern, well-equipped, and welcoming Dover facility (with free onsite parking!) to prepare food (no experience necessary!) on the first Tuesday of every quarter.

You'll assist kitchen staff with:

- Portioning meals into to-go containers
- Assisting with light meal prep
- Cleaning up and restocking Nourish NJ's marketplace
- Sign up: pcmorrictown.org/nourish

LOOKING TO MAKE AN IMPACT?

There are many ways to make a difference!



TRIPLE A (AAA) WORK GROUP

FRIDAYS | 9:30 – 11:30 AM | ON-SITE AT THE CHURCH (57 EAST PARK PLACE)
AAA helps care for our church through small repairs, maintenance projects, and hands-on tasks that keep our buildings safe, welcoming, and running smoothly. After completing our weekly tasks, we gather at the Parish House to enjoy coffee, donuts, and conversation. Whether you come with years of experience or simply a willingness to learn, there is a place for you! Sign up: pcmorristown.org/tripleA



SPRING FOOD DRIVE TEAM

MAY 2 | 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM | KINGS IN MORRISTOWN
Volunteer to join the PCM food collection team at Kings in Morristown as part of our Serve Saturday! We have an exciting opportunity to engage with our community between 10:00 am – 6:00 pm for our Spring Food Drive for the Interfaith Food Pantry Network. Sign up for a two-hour (or more!) shift at pcmorristown.org/food-drive



JOIN TEAM PCM AT THE NOURISH.NJ HUNGER WALK

MAY 3 | 12:00 PM | CENTRAL PARK OF MORRIS COUNTY
Outreach Committee member Lori Wilson is walking again this year to help fight hunger in Morris County and she would love for you to join her team! nourish.NJ's Hunger Walk is a fun-filled community event that provides a great opportunity for families, schools, and clubs to come together and support a meaningful cause. Learn about hunger and poverty in Morris County while making a difference in our community. Sign up to walk or run at pcmorristown.org/walk



BLANKET THE WORLD IN LOVE

MAKE YOUR DONATION BY MAY 10 | ONLINE
Sponsored by Presbyterian Women, this is a way to honor the women in your life who have nourished and protected you. Each \$10 donation will purchase a blanket for someone who has experienced loss or hardship, offering comfort, protection, and security in a world that has suddenly turned upside down. Make your donation at: pcmorristown.org/blankets



SPRING HILLS WORSHIP AND MUSIC LEADERS

FIRST AND THIRD SUNDAY OF THE MONTH | 10:15 - 11:15 AM | MORRISTOWN
Are you looking for a meaningful way to share God's love and brighten someone's day? We are seeking worship leaders and musicians of all ages to join our dedicated team to help lead small yet deeply cherished worship service at Spring Hills Assisted Living in Morristown. Many of the residents eagerly anticipate these gatherings, finding joy, comfort, and a sense of connection in worship and fellowship. Please contact Linda McCabe at lindalower@gmail.com.



DIVERSITY CELEBRATION 2026: BUILDING COMMUNITY. BRIDGING DIVIDES.

Beverly Tignor, Community and Membership Committee

SUNDAY, JUNE 7 | 12:00 - 5:00 PM | MORRISTOWN GREEN

Diversity Celebration is a community event sponsored by the Diversity Coalition of Morris County that brings together friends and members of the Greater Morris County Area in order to celebrate the gifts of our neighbors. Our Outreach and Community and Membership Committees are heavily involved in this special day!

Come join us by helping to serve international food or by offering to prepare a favorite dish of your own. Cooking at the PCM Parish House is Friday, June 5, 9:00 am to 12:00 pm, and Saturday June 6 from 12:00 - 4:00 pm. Serving on the Green is Sunday, June 7 from 12:00 - 2:00 pm or 2:00 - 4:00 pm.

Live entertainment is available all afternoon, and we encourage you to participate and enjoy the dancing and musical performances of local artists. An Interfaith Service is held each year from 1:00 - 2:00 pm with faith leaders from Christian, Hindu, Jewish, and Muslim religious traditions.

Rain or shine, the celebration goes on! Our Methodist neighbors welcome us in the case of rain. Diversity Celebration is supported each year by our Outreach committee, Community & Membership, and about 30 other local organizations who actively participate with display tables featuring opportunities for community involvement.

There is something here for everyone, so come one and all, and invite your friends and neighbors to enjoy this annual event.

Please contact Beverly.tignor@gmail.com if you have any questions about participating in this event. Also, visit the diversitymc.org webpage for signups or more information about DCMC events open free to the public throughout the year.



BLACK, WHITE, AND YELLOW TAXIS: THE GREEN BOOK IN MORRIS COUNTY, NJ

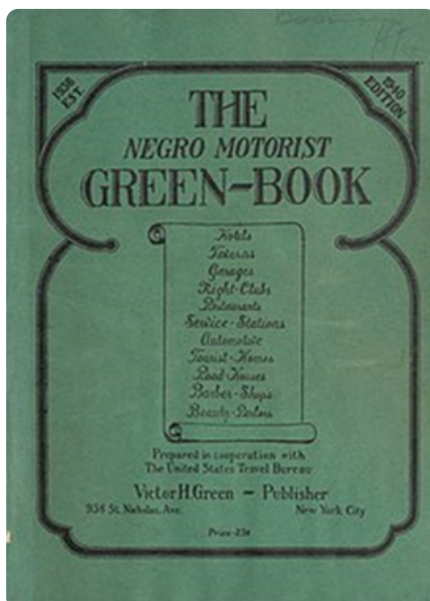


Hosted by Presbyterian Women Circle 5

MAY 11 | 6:30 PM | PARISH HOUSE | PRESENTATION BY JANET FOSTER | LIGHT REFRESHMENTS

The first edition of the “Negro Motorist Green Book” came out in 1936, published by a New Jersey postal carrier as a way to guide African-Americans to welcoming businesses during their travels across the country. Although the guide is popularly thought of today as being used in the Jim Crow South, it covered the entire country. The Green Book was published annually, and during the 30 years of its publication, New Jersey had some 581 individual businesses listed in 31 different towns. Madison had three listings, Morristown had two, and research into what those businesses were and who operated them illuminates a whole chapter of mid-20th century history.

The lecture focuses on Morris County, but provides research information for those pursuing research in other places. Ms. Foster has used archival sources from local newspapers and maps to piece together a largely unrecorded history. She is a noted researcher, writer, and lecturer in the field of architectural history, so this work represents something of a departure from her usual subject matter. In fact, only about a quarter of the buildings housing businesses noted in New Jersey listings for the Green Book remain standing (and none in Morris County) so the work is much more about local history and the people who participated in listing businesses in the Green Book, rather than about architecture. But the local, geographical context for every Green Book site brings greater awareness and understanding across an era and a country.



Ms. Foster has taught at Columbia University, Drew University, and for the Madison Library “Mini-Courses” series. Her publications include *Building By the Book* and *The Queen Anne House: America’s Victorian Vernacular*, along with numerous smaller pamphlets and articles. Trained in historic preservation at Columbia University’s Graduate School of Architecture, Planning, and Preservation, she has prepared numerous National Register nominations, Historic Structures Reports, and investigated hundreds of old buildings, focusing on vernacular architecture of New Jersey.

Photograph by James Van der Zee, “Couple with Automobile, Harlem, NY” 1932.

Courtesy Metropolitan Museum of Art.





YES VIRGINIA, YOU CAN STILL HOST FELLOWSHIP HOUR

Clara Harmon, Co-Chair, Community and Membership Committee

Since last fall we have enjoyed special treats after worship in a slightly new way: each PCM committee hosts on first Sundays, and donut holes appear(!) on the other Sundays. As with any change, a few questions have come up — so here's a friendly reminder that everyone is welcome to contribute and celebrate with our congregation by hosting your own Fellowship Hour!

Why host Fellowship Hour?

If you're marking a birthday, anniversary, memorial tribute, the first day of spring, or "just because," Fellowship Hour is a perfect time to catch up, reflect, and share God's love together.

How to sign up (quick and easy):

1. Visit pcmorristoryn.org/host and select the date you would like to host
2. If the date you want is already reserved, please contact Amanda Tufts for help

Bring whatever you love — store-bought or homemade — the real gift is being together.

See you in the Narthex!



VOLUNTEER APPRECIATION NIGHT

APRIL 21 | 5:00 - 7:00 PM | GLENBROOK BREWERY, MORRISTOWN

Join us as we celebrate *you!* As part of Volunteer Appreciation Week, we're hosting a joyful gathering to say thank you for all the ways you give your time, energy, and heart to our community. If you volunteer your time in our many programs, in worship, or in any of the countless ways that help make our church what it is, we hope you'll join us. Grab a drink (alcoholic and non-alcoholic options available), enjoy some good food (provided by us!), and spend time with fellow volunteers!

SERVE SATURDAY

SATURDAY, MAY 2 | 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM | PARISH HOUSE + MORRISTOWN

Serve Saturday is an invitation to live out our mission: to love first. It isn't about fixing everything. It's about presence. It's about choosing, even for a few hours, to show up with open hands and open hearts. Last year, more than 100 volunteers served across Morristown in a wide variety of projects, offering care, dignity, and hope in tangible ways. This year, we'll gather again — ready to respond to the needs that are right in front of us. Sign up at pcmorristoryn.org/serveSaturday





PROSPECTIVE MEMBER BRUNCH

MAY 31 | 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM | PARISH HOUSE

Our final Prospective Member Brunch of the program year is coming up and we would love for you to join us. Whether today is your very first time stepping through our doors or you've been part of our community for a while and are beginning to wonder what the next step might look like, this brunch is for you. It's a relaxed space where you can explore what it means to belong here, at your own pace. During our time together, we'll talk about your faith journey, what you sense God might be calling you to next, and answer any questions you have about membership and life at PCM. There is no pressure to join after you attend. We hope you'll pull up a chair, grab a cup of coffee and a bagel, and join us for a morning that might just be the beginning of something new. RSVP at pcmorristown.org/brunch



VOLUNTEER: MORRIS COUNTY PRIDE

JUNE 27 | 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM | COUNTY COLLEGE OF MORRIS, RANDOLPH

We are so excited to join the Morris County PRIDE festival once again at the County College of Morris on Saturday, June 27! We are looking for people to sign up to welcome guests to our booth and show love & support to our LGBTQIA+ neighbors! Join fellow PCM members and take part in a family-friendly event to support visibility and local LGBTQ+ programming and care. Sign up at pcmorristown.org/pride



ALL-CHURCH DINNER

SECOND WEDNESDAY | 6:00 - 7:00 PM | PARISH HOUSE

All are welcome to join this monthly dinner! Whether you are hoping to connect with other church members, participating in our midweek program, swinging by before choir, participating in a small group, or just looking for a time of fellowship with the whole church family, we hope you will join us! RSVP at pcmorristown.org/dinner



CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP

WEDNESDAYS | 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM | ONLINE

The Caregivers Support Group welcomes anyone who is providing or assisting with the extended care of a loved one. That care may take many forms: primary caregiver, part-time caregiver with professional assistance, periodic caring duties, etc. Through group discussion, Caregivers provide positive support and ideas/strategies for care of their loved ones. Sign up at pcmorristown.org/caregiver



CHRISTIAN YOGA

TUESDAYS 5:00 PM | THURSDAYS 9:45 AM | PARISH HOUSE

Take a small pause in your week and join us as we unify mind and body through meditation, gentle movement, and pranayama (breathwork). This welcoming class offers space to slow down, breathe deeply, and reconnect with God's presence. Pre-registration is required and classes are free: pcmorristown.org/yoga.



GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

THIRD WEDNESDAY | 12:00 - 1:00 PM | ONLINE

A monthly, guided discussion group for those grieving the loss of a loved one. This safe space allows for participants to engage as much or as little as they would like. By leaning on our faith and one another, we can learn so much about ourselves through the journey of grief. Sign up at pcmorristown.org/grief



MAH JONGG MAVENS

FIRST AND THIRD FRIDAY | 1:00 - 3:00 PM | PARISH HOUSE

Are you interested in learning how to play Mah Jongg? If so, please join the Mah Jongg Mavens on the first and third Fridays of each month in the Parish House and we'll play for about two hours. Everyone, beginners and experienced, is welcome. Sign up at pcmorristown.org/mahjongg



ROMEO MEN'S GROUP

FIRST WEDNESDAY | 8:30 AM | MORRISTOWN DINER

Our monthly Men's Fellowship Group—also known as ROMEO (Retired Old Men Eating Out)—is expanding, and despite the name, you do not need to be retired or old to join! This group is open to all men who enjoy good food, meaningful conversation, and building community. We gather on the first Wednesday of each month at the Morristown Diner. Please contact Jim Wood or visit pcmorristown.org/romeo



SEW AND SO CRAFTERS' GROUP

FIRST THURSDAY | 1:30 - 3:00 PM | PARISH HOUSE

Our group may be just what you need to kick start your creative genius (again)! Catch up on your peyote or seed beads; slip, cross or blanket stitching, hemming a garment or sewing on buttons, ... or any other kind of stitching or handiwork you enjoy. Bring your project(s) for a time of fellowship and crafting. Sign up at pcmorristown.org/sew



YOUNG ADULT COFFEE CHATS

FIRST SUNDAY | 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM | ETHAN AND THE BEAN, MORRISTOWN

A community created for millennials and recent college grads who are looking to connect, share experiences, and support each other as we navigate the twists and turns of adulthood. Whether you're figuring out your career path, building relationships, or just trying to make sense of it all, this group is here to provide a space for meaningful conversations, new friendships, and collective growth. Let's figure out life together, one step at a time! Sign up at pcmorristown.org/youngadults

MORRIS COUNTY HIKING GROUP

Experience the great outdoors and get to know your neighbors!



THIRD SATURDAY | 10:00 - 11:30 AM | MORRIS COUNTY

Now that the weather is changing, let's spend some time together outside!

Hikes are designed for everyone who enjoys nature, and for all experience levels. Each hike lasts about 90 minutes, and takes place on scenic trails or private estates open to the public throughout Morris County and nearby communities. Whether you're new to hiking, bringing the kids along, or just looking for a relaxed outdoor activity, you'll find a place here.

Hikes are generally offered March - November, the third Saturday of the month from 10:00 - 11:30 am. Future destinations may include the Wick Farm to Soldier's Huts at the Morristown National Historical Park, Pyramid Mountain Natural Historic Area in Montville, Boonton Upper Lakes Falls Trail, Birchwood Lake White Trail at the Tourne, Loantaka Brook Reservation, and Duke Farms.

Recommendations from church members are welcome, and all hikes are scouted out in advance to assure the best and most scenic routes for the group.

This group is open to all! Sign up by visiting pcmorristown.org/hike or contact Beverly Tignor beverly.tignor@gmail.com if you have any questions.

FINANCE COMMITTEE UPDATE

Betty Darcy, Chair, Finance Committee



Highlights from our most recent Treasurer's Report:

Revenues

Pledges were significant for the first two months of the year at \$351,591, which exceeded budget by \$75,324. This is an historic trend, receipt of prepaid pledges early each year. A portion received (\$23,489) was for prior year pledges.

Expenses

Operating expenses were larger than expected for Buildings & Grounds due to two major snowstorms, utilities due to the very cold winter, and the breakdown of the Parish House boiler but this has been offset by the \$23,000 refund from Worker's Compensation Insurance received in January.

Results

February year to date, the church is \$127,242 favorable to budget on a net basis.

Major Maintenance

There were no major maintenance expenditures for this year.

Endowment Activity

The only Endowment distribution in February 2026 was from the Eklund Fund for a total of \$15,000 paid in scholarships to 6 recipients. Our endowment funds grew from \$9,254,102 as of 12/31/2025 to \$9,600,029 as of 02/28/2026. The PCM Endowment is up 1.9% for February, and 3.7% YTD, with similar results for the Eklund Fund, which is \$971,489.

We are grateful for all that God does and the generosity of our congregation.

The PCM Finance Committee
(Reporting as of 02/28/2026)



LET'S STAY CONNECTED

Please contact the office to update your contact information.

We worship weekly in-person at 8:00 am (Chapel) or 10:00 am (Sanctuary)

Our weekly 10:00 am service is livestreamed and available for replay at: pcmorristown.org/livestream

Summer Worship

From **June 28 - September 6**, worship will be held at the Parish House (65 South Street), to keep us cool. Online worship will be also available each week!

The **Parish House** is located at 65 South Street
The **Sanctuary, Chapel, and Howard House** are located at 57 E. Park Place

Please feel free to contact our offices at the Parish House at **973-538-1776**

PCM STAFF

Rev. Daniel Vigilante | Pastor

Rev. Audrey Webber | Associate Pastor

Alexandra Mead | Director of Children, Youth, and Family Ministries

Dr. Ben Riggs | Interim Director of Adult Music

Madelyn Ortiz | Interim Director of Children's Music

Kevin Graf | Organist

Caleigh Lawlor | Director of Youth Ministries

Paul Koski | Director of Administration

Amanda Tufts | Director of Community Engagement

Jeanne Mueller | Director of Presbyterian Church Nursery School

Kay Smith | Administrative Assistant

Kevin McAllister | Finance Administrator

Kristo Pango | Sexton

Sigris Lorena Girón Sorto | Weeknight Custodian

Cory VillNeuve | Weekend Custodian

Carly Tufts | Childcare Coordinator

FIND US ONLINE [PCMORRISTOWN.ORG](https://pcmorristown.org)



LOVE FIRST.