

# CHURCH NOTES - July 28, 2024

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**PRAYERS AND SYMPATHY** are extended for Erin and Chris Miller, and their son Leo, in the death of Erin's mother, Angela Brewer McGonagil, on July 20, 2024.

**TODAY'S SERVICE** As the Chancel Choir continues their well-deserved hiatus, we are grateful for the individuals sharing their musical gifts and talents in worship this month. The congregation is asked to help in singing the introit and responses as marked in the bulletin.

**SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL** Please join us at 9:30am on Sundays for our summer series – Flood, Fires, and Frogs: Old Testament Stories You Thought You Knew. The series will continue through August 18.

**VISITORS ORIENTATION CLASSES** If you are interested in learning more about Selwyn and its ministries and have a desire to unite with this congregation we invite you to the class series on August 11, 18, and 25 at 9:30am in the library.

**OPERATION SANDWICH, AUGUST 17** Assist by preparing bagged lunches for our Roof Above homeless neighbors. Please sign up in increments of ten lunches through the weekly email link. Prepared lunches should be brought to the church on August 17 between 9-10am for delivery to Roof Above.

**MONTCLAIRE ELEMENTARY** There are a variety of ways to assist in the new school year. Volunteer through the Montclair QR Code, weekly email link, the church website, or contact Ellen Harris or Denise Pineno.

**PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE** Presbyterian Church USA continues to provide assistance and support to partners in Israel and Palestine who are responding to the needs of those in their midst, no matter their religious beliefs, political views or nationality. We are called to care for all of God's children. Please pray for peace, safe passage, and relief. To offer support give [online](#), call 800-872-3283, text PDAIP to 41444, or mail a check made payable to Presbyterian Church (USA), P.O. Box 643700, Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700 with "DR000081-Israel/Palestine" on the memo line.

**BUDGET UPDATE** Selwyn member Pledges total \$766,600. Actual Pledge receipts YTD are \$349,526. Total deficit is \$97,657. We hope to inspire every member to serve, worship, grow and give with joy.

- To make a confidential pledge visit the church website, email church accountant, Tonya Moore or return your completed pledge card to the church.
- Text to Give: 704-734-9818 Enter an amount. The first time you will be prompted to SHELBY to confirm set up. You do not need a key word if giving to the annual fund. You may also give by scanning the Giving QR code.

## SAVE THE DATES

- August 18 - Margo and Steve Fraga Baby Shower, following worship. Join us for light refreshments and a time to fellowship with the Fraga's before the arrival of their baby boy. See the weekly email for additional information.
- August 25 - Rally Day Education Sunday starting at 9:30am, 10:30am worship with Communion, and Blessing of the Backpacks. Churchwide Rally Day Picnic following worship.
- September 22 – Installation Worship Service for Rev. Brian Daoust at 5pm.

The flowers in the sanctuary today are given to the Glory of God  
and in honor of The Rev. Dr. Lori Archer Raible.

**THIS WEEK AT SELWYN**

**Sunday, July 28**

9:30 Sunday School for All  
10:30 Worship

Church Notes deadline is Monday by 9am  
Spire deadline is Monday, July 29, 9am

**Thursday, August 1**

3:00 CDC Discernment Workgroup (L)

**Friday, August 2**

7:00 Men's Group (BH)

**Sunday, August 4**

9:30 Sunday School for All  
10:30 Worship  
11:30 Lemonade on the Lawn  
5:00 PFLAG Adult and Youth Meetings



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Montclair Elementary



Give

Hearing assistance directions are available in the narthex to download the app for use with earbuds or connecting a hearing aid to your cell phone.

