

S E P T E M B E R

8<sup>th</sup>



**A Warm Welcome** is extended to our guests worshipping with us today. We welcome you to be part of our church family regardless of your race, ethnicity, gender, age, sexual orientation, marital status, social or economic state, physical or mental challenge, and whether you are confident or questioning your faith. We offer opportunities through the week for worship, study, service, and fellowship. If you would like to know more about the church, or make a prayer request, please fill out the information card located in the pew rack. Also, should you want to visit with Pastor Joe, he may be reached at 847-381-0975.

**Fellowship Gathering:** Please join us for refreshments in Fellowship Hall following the 10:00 am worship service.

## Stephen Ministry

**Love One Another as I Have Loved You . . .**



In John 15:12, Jesus says, "This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you." Loving and caring for one another is not just the pastor's job—it's something Jesus calls us all to do! Stephen Ministry is a ministry in which people with special gifts for caring ministry can put those gifts to use in an organized way, bringing Jesus' love and care to those who most need it.

If you know someone who is going through a difficult time, contact Jack Raaths at 847-867-3718 or Pastor Joe at 847-381-0975 about Stephen Ministry. Our Stephen Ministers are ready to provide focused, confidential, one-to-one Christian care—to help that person experience the healing power of Christ's love.

# News You Can Use



**September 8 Summer Choir**

**September 15 Joanne McDade, soloist**

The **Wednesday Morning Bible Study** for women will begin on Wednesday, **September 11 at 9:30 a.m.;**



coffee begins at 9:15 a.m. We meet in Fellowship Hall on the second Wednesday of each month.

Our guide this year is titled "Love Carved in Stone: A Fresh Look at the Ten Commandments" by Eugenia Anne Gamble.

Study guides are \$10 plus \$1 shipping. Books will be ordered on Tuesday, August 27. **Contact Susan Raaths no later than Monday, August 26.** If you want a book and plan to come. You don't have to attend every class to be included- it's easy to read and follow the guide on your own when you cannot join us. Susan Raaths [gillsrocksue1@aol.com](mailto:gillsrocksue1@aol.com) 847-571-7817

## New Perspectives

Join us as we resume our study of the Book of Mark  
**September 9<sup>th</sup>** at Chessies 11 am.

Our reference texts are both authored by N.T. Wright.

Mark – 20 Studies for Individuals and Groups

Mark for Everyone.

For further information, contact Bob Kosobud at  
[bobkosobud@comcast.net](mailto:bobkosobud@comcast.net)

**Saturday October 19** Guest Lecturer and author – Skye Jethani  
Based on Two Books Currently Being Studied in Theology on Tap  
Morning Session – “Building Your Relationship with God”  
Afternoon Session – “Discovering Your Purpose For Today”

More info on the church website [PCBARRINGTON.ORG](http://PCBARRINGTON.ORG), in  
Fellowship Hall and in the church pews,

Want to see a sample?

Watch one or both of Skye's videos on the church website?

Sponsored By The Adult Education Committee

**Kitchen Cabinet - Fall Luncheon Program Kicks Off**



SAVE  
THE  
DATE

Our program season begins with a remarkable member of our church, **Steve Alton-agreed** to speak to us about his journey from sight into the unknown world of darkness and the many lights that have been turned on for him — physically, mentally and spiritually. He also touches on the difficulty of adjusting to his new life while Julie, his wife journeyed with breast cancer. How did they keep everything together you might ask? Steve willingly shares his insights with grace and humor. You won't want to miss this program on Wednesday, September 11, at 11:30 a.m.

It will be at MAKRAY country club and the new new upscale buffet is \$28.

**Call or email Jack Raaths, 847-540-0710 or [jackhenri9@aol.com](mailto:jackhenri9@aol.com) for your reservations.**



### **PCB Announces Choral Scholar Program**

The Choral Scholarship is awarded to several high school students each academic year. The recipients of the Choral Scholarship will participate in the music program at the Presbyterian Church of Barrington and will gain valuable experience as young music professionals.

Auditions and interviews for this position will take place on September 15<sup>th</sup>. Contact Director of Music, Kirsten Hedegaard, for more information: [khedegaard@gmail.com](mailto:khedegaard@gmail.com).

## **PCB Kids Announcements September 8, 2019**



**Youth Bonfire!**  
**Sunday September 8**  
**4-5:30pm**  
**SunAt the Bower home's**

**The** Join our new Youth Ministry Team **for food and fellowship**

**Bring your ideas for activities and mission events.**

are invited to create a video during worship.

Parents are **Feel free to bring a friend!**

Sunday School registrations you received on the way

into worship then bring them down to the

Middle School room after worship

Sunday School Calendar and some looked

**Worship with Me**

**Kindergarten Orientation Milestone**

**Sunday, September 15, 2015**

**9:30 am -9:55 am**

The Kindergarteners will meet Ms. Jeannine in the sanctuary on the blue steps. They will learn a little bit about church, have a "behind the scenes tour", including a stop by Pastor Joe's office and much more.

also be recognized

All kindergarteners

please feel

g friends.

Jeannine

gton.org with any

questions.

**Sunday September 22**

**during worship**

**1<sup>st</sup> grade "Read with Me" Milestone**

**class will be held at**

**9:30am on September 22.**

Kids will meet Ms. Jeannine in the

Middle School Room and learn

some of the Bible stories that are

fundamental to our faith.

**4th grade "Study with Me"**

**Milestone class will be held at**

**11:15am on September 22.**

Kids will meet Ms. Jeannine in the

Middle School Room and learn

some Bible Basics including the

books of the Bible and how to find

Bill Springeripture verses.

will host the Men's Fellowship at

**MONTHLY**  
**MEN'S**  
**FELLOWSHIP**

6:30 pm on Thursday, September 19.

Please RSVP to Bill by September 15 at [w.f.springer@comcast.net](mailto:w.f.springer@comcast.net)



MANY, many thanks to everyone who volunteered at the Church Picnic AND to all those who came and enjoyed the beautiful Summer Sunday! Worship with the wonderful Blue Grass musicians and the yummy picnic fare made for a very special Sunday indeed! Special thanks to Wendy Bower and her tasty pasta salad for 100, to Pam Anderson and her Texas sheet cake and to Laura and Gil Semmen who donated the Polar Bear Ice Cream Truck for all to enjoy! We've experienced the downpours, and the stifling heat in recent years, but Sunday was truly the perfect day for the history books... Goodbye Summer!!

## Don't miss Sunday September 22!!

Featuring our Youth Mission Trip Report

Milestones – 1<sup>st</sup> Grade “Read with Me”  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade “Study with Me”

And

Rally  
Sunday



September 22, 2019

See You at The Starting Line  
Fellowship Hall after 10 am service



We are seeking late afternoon / evening driving help for our teenage daughters. We are open to a Junior or Senior in high school with a driver's license, local college students, or female adults looking to get out of the house and make additional money. The need is 1-2 days a week to drive our middle schooler and occasionally our Freshman to and from evening activities. Please let us know if you or someone you know may be interested. Thank you John and Jennifer Garrels  
847-420-0793 [jengarrels@comcast.net](mailto:jengarrels@comcast.net) or [Johngarrels@comcast.net](mailto:Johngarrels@comcast.net)

Can you help?

## GREETERS NEEDED



Greeters at the side door welcome those who enter via that door and also assist those who have mobility issues. They arrive about 35 minutes prior to each service and remain until the start of the service. If you are physically capable of assisting and desire to occasionally help with this ministry, please contact Tom Long at [tomclong@yahoo.com](mailto:tomclong@yahoo.com)

## **YOU can fill a great need at the FISH Food Pantry with just a couple of hours a Month!**

The first Wednesday of the month sign up to serve morning and/or evenings our church needs 5 to 6 volunteers for each shift. If you are able or know anyone who might be able to help, please contact Ross Bogue [rossb@commconceptsmidwest.com](mailto:rossb@commconceptsmidwest.com) or (312) 543-2243

7:30-9:30 AM stock shelves  
9:30- 12:00 walk clients through  
5:30- 8:00 walk clients through

FISH is located 7 miles (12 minutes) from the church.  
It's at the back of Meadowdale Mall (behind Tractor Supply).  
150 S. Kennedy Dr. Carpentersville  
847-428-4357



**california**  
**PIZZA KITCHEN**

**Christopher House Auxiliary: EAT & EARN:**

Invite your family, friends, and neighbors to California Pizza Kitchen on Sept. 17 & 18. (at the following location-20502 Rand

**Rd. Deer Park, IL. 60010----phone: 847-550-0273)**

The Christopher House Auxiliary is having their annual **FUNDRAISER** to help support their educational programs for infants through high school age students. California Pizza Kitchen is donating 20% to the Christopher House Auxiliary for each meal purchased. All you need to do is eat lunch or dinner on **Sept. 17th or 18th** and give your waitress the **CALIFORNIA PIZZA FUNDRAISER FLYER**. The **FLYER** will be available after the church service, at church committee meetings and in the church office.

**THANK YOU** for supporting Christopher House Educational Programs for their low-income families. (Sally Hilgendorf, Mary Heath, Joyce Simpson, Sally Kilham)

**PS:** The PCB Auxiliary Members will reserve a table for our church members on Tuesday Sept. 17th (11:30) for Lunch and on Wednesday Sept. 18th (6:30) for Dinner. If you wish to join us call Sally Hilgendorf (847-934-8164) or email:( [sallyjhilgendorf@gmail.com](mailto:sallyjhilgendorf@gmail.com))



**SUNNY HILL**  
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

School is starting, and we will again be collecting healthy snacks for the Sunny Hill students. The children love the snacks and it makes the after-school programs and Homework Club more productive. Thank you for your help!

**Woodstock Soup Kitchen** - We need volunteers to serve at the Woodstock Soup Kitchen. We serve on the **third** Sunday of the month. If you would like to serve or have questions please



contact Skip Dolan by phone at [847.382.9418](tel:847.382.9418) or email at [skiptdolan@gmail.com](mailto:skiptdolan@gmail.com).



**BACKPACKS/ SCHOOL SUPPLIES for CHRISTOPHER HOUSE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:**

Many, many **THANKS** to all who so generously donated to the

**"BACKPACKS/SCHOOL SUPPLIES PROJECT"** for the Christopher House Elementary School Scholars.

We are happy to report that the participating Presbyterian Churches (Barrington, Arlington Heights & Park Ridge) received donations totaling \$4,010.00.

This will provide Backpacks for (130) 3rd & 4th graders and (50) 7th graders as well as providing school supplies for all 454 Scholars. The "Backpacks" and a "Check for School Supplies" was delivered to Christopher House on August 12th. "

**THANK YOU"** for helping these **SCHOLARS** get excited about starting a new school year with a new **BACKPACK** filled with **SCHOOL SUPPLIES**.

Blessings: Mary Heath, Sally Kilham, Joyce Simpson and Sally Hilgendorf

**CROP  
HUNGER WALK**  
**ENDING HUNGER ONE STEP AT A TIME**



We are five weeks away from the 37<sup>th</sup> annual Barrington Area CROP Hunger Walk on October 13. CROP Hunger Walks are community fundraising events sponsored by Church World Service

(CWS), an international relief, development, and refugee resettlement agency. Money raised by CROP Hunger Walks nationwide is used by CWS to provide food, medical care, disaster relief, and self-help development for needy people around the world. Twenty-five percent of the funds raised are returned to be dispersed to hunger-alleviating agencies in the Barrington area. Please see Barbara Trumbull, [bts316@sbcglobal.net](mailto:bts316@sbcglobal.net), 847/707-5913 for more details and how to sign up to be a Walker, to

sponsor a Walker, provide healthy snacks for walkers, or for more information.

Also visit [crophungerwalk.org/barringtonil](http://crophungerwalk.org/barringtonil) and our Facebook page.

**FREE!!**

Tom Long has a Piano free to a good home. Please contact Tom Long if you are interested at [tomclong@yahoo.com](mailto:tomclong@yahoo.com)



If you have a prayer request that you would like listed here, please write it down on the Pew Card found in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. **Please be sure to check the box "Share with Congregation"**

**THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE**

**SUNDAY – September 8**

**8a** Worship Service

**9a** Music Rehearsal

**9:45a** Nursery & Toddler Care

**10a** Worship Service

**THURSDAY – September 12**

**1:30p NO** Garlands Bible Study

**6:30p** Finance/Stewardship

**7p** Stephen Ministry Cont. Ed

**FRIDAY – September 13**

**4:30a** Men's Bible Study & Breakfast

**In Touch** - a weekly info source of  
People, Places, Events and Ministry Opportunities of  
The Presbyterian Church of Barrington