

POINSETTIA FLOWERS
ORDER DEADLINE ~ December 1st



Poinsettias will again be used for the poinsettia tree to decorate the sanctuary this December. Anyone wishing to purchase a plant may do so by completing the form below and returning it to the church office or place it in the offering plate.

Poinsettia Plants ~ \$11.00

Checks may be made payable to Paxton Presbyterian Church and must accompany this slip.

Please use the exact wording you would like in the bulletin:

In Memory of:

In Honor of:

Placed by:

PLEASE CHECK THE BOX IF YOU WILL NOT
BE TAKING YOUR POINSETTIA. Thank You!

Number of Plants _____

Amount Enclosed _____

Paxton Presbyterian Church

Established 1732



3500 Sharon Street, Harrisburg, PA 17111

717~561~0510, www.paxtonchurch.org

November 3, 2019 ~ All Saints Sunday

Worship Time: 10:00 a.m.

WE GATHER IN GOD'S NAME

(Take time to prepare your heart to worship God.)

PRELUDE "I Wait for the Lord, and in His Word do I Hope"
"Abide With Me"
"Chorale Prelude on 'Come, Come Ye Saints'"

F. Groden
arr. D. Wood
W. Blanchard

OUR LIFE TOGETHER

MUSIC INTERLUDE

TO GIVE PRAISE TO GOD

CALL TO WORSHIP

Revelation 7:9-1

After this I looked, and there was a great multitude that no one could count, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, robed in white, with palm branches in their hands. They cried out with a loud voice, saying:

Salvation belongs to our God who is seated on the throne, and to the Lamb!

* HYMN 310 "I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord"

* PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, we confess that we are indifferent to your will. You call us to proclaim your name, but we are silent. You call us to do what is just, but we remain idle. You call us to live faithfully, but we are afraid. In your mercy, forgive us. Give us courage to follow in your way, that joined with those from ages past, who have served you with faith, hope, and love, we may inherit the kingdom you promised in Jesus Christ. Amen.

(Please pause for a moment of silent confession.)

* ASSURANCE OF PARDON

Hear the Good News. In Jesus Christ we are forgiven.

Praise God. Amen.

* GLORIA PATRI (Hymnal Page 581)

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! LEAF RAKING!



The leaves have fallen! The leaves have fallen and we have to pick them up! When, you ask? Saturday, November 9 and Saturday, November 23 from 8 AM to 12 PM. The rain date is Saturday, November 16. If a second rain date is needed it will be announced. Hopefully we won't need it. Lunch will be provided. Bring your rakes, leaf blowers and tarps, if you have them. Extra rakes and tarps will be available. Come and join the fellowship with other members and friends to help prepare the church grounds for winter. Please come even if you can only come for an hour or two. See you in the Grove!

PAXTON'S FALL ANNUAL BLOOD DRIVE

It is also time for Paxton's Annual Fall Blood Drive.



This year's date will be, **Sunday, November 24** from 9:00 am – 12 Noon. The Central PA. Bloodmobile will be at Paxton at 8:30 am to get ready to take donations at 9 am. Sign-in, that morning, will be in the bloodmobile. (Any changes to the sign-in location will be posted on the bulletin board beside the church office.)

A sign-up sheet is located in the library. Please sign-up ASAP, so we can let the Blood Bank know how many donors we have. Last day to sign-up will be **Sunday, November 17**. Thank you for your continuous support. Each blood donation helps so many.

Any questions, please call Wanda Newhouse at 717-512-6546. Thank you again for your donations for Paxton's Fall Blood Drive.

**SHARE YOUR STUFFIES
WITH AN ANIMAL IN NEED!**



Your no longer needed stuffed animals can be recycled and transformed into an adorable toy for a loving cat or dog in need.

During the month of November, Paxton’s Mission and Outreach, and Christian Education Ministries will be collecting gently loved small and medium sized stuffed animals to be donated to Glad Dogs Nation, a Pennsylvania non-profit that supports Spay & Neuter programs, provides food and supplies to shelters and rescues, and provides toys to homeless dogs and cats.

Glad Dogs Nation sanitizes every toy in a very hot bath, replaces plastic eyes and hard noses (possible choking hazards), and adds new stuffing and a squeaker (or catnip.) “Sew Be It” volunteers sew up the toys. (Paxton’s Youth Group members will learn how to sew while serving as “Sew Be It” volunteers at an upcoming Youth Group Meeting.) The completed recycled toys are contributed to animal shelters and animal rescue organizations to be loved and cuddled.

Donations may be placed in the box in the Great Room. Look for our display near Coffee Central. Thanks and paws up for your support.

To learn more go to: gladdogsnation.com.

World Kindness Day

World Kindness Day is celebrated annually on November 13th. On this day, participants attempt to make the world a better place by celebrating and promoting good deeds and pledging acts of kindness. World Kindness Day was first launched in 1998 by The World Kindness Movement. The mission of The World Kindness Movement and World Kindness Day is to create a kinder world by inspiring individuals and nations toward greater kindness.

TO CELEBRATE THE FAMILY OF FAITH

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

* PASSING OF THE PEACE

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.
And also with you.

MORNING PRAYER/LORD’S PRAYER

TO HEAR GOD’S WORD PROCLAIMED

FIRST LESSON

Habakkuk 1:1-4; 2:1-14 (OT Page 871)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

ANTHEM “My Faith Looks Up To Thee”

arr. O. D. Hall, Jr.

Adult Choir ~ Cindy Green, Keyboard

GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 19:1-10 (NT Page 82)

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

SERMON

“Living by Faith”

Pastor Green

HYMN 649 “Amazing Grace, How Sweet the Sound”

* APOSTLE’S CREED (Hymnal page 35)

MINUTE FOR MISSION

“Santa Shop”

Janice Hutchison

TO OFFER OUR GIFTS AND OUR LIVES

PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY “I Want Jesus to Walk with Me”

arr. M. Rinehart

* DOXOLOGY (Hymnal Page 606)

READING OF THE NECROLOGY

TO GO REJOICING IN GOD’S NAME

* RECESSIONAL HYMN 326 “For All the Saints”

* BENEDICTION

* CHORAL RESPONSE “Alleluia”

Adult Choir

R. Vaughn Williams

POSTLUDE “It Is Well With My Soul”

arr. V. and J. Hostetler

* Those who are able may stand.

THE LECTOR this morning is Elder Kitti Taylor. Kitti is a member of the Christian Education Ministry.

THANK YOU FOR VISITING WITH US TODAY! We are happy to share this Sunday with you and hope you come back soon! Please fill out the yellow card and be sure to include your name, address, and phone number for our records. If you are interested in membership at Paxton Church, please indicate this when the friendship folder is passed or speak to the Pastor or Lector following worship.

THE USHERS joyfully serving the month of November: Hung Nguyen, Captain; Michael DeRemer, Robert Martin and Brenda Martin, Kevin and Stephanie Roland, Cathy Roland.

TODAY Pastor Green will greet at the south door, the lector will greet at the porch door and an usher will greet at the parlor door.

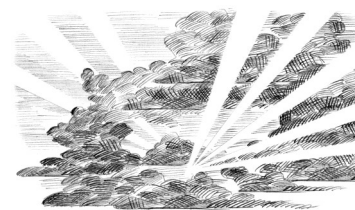
WE HOLD IN CHRISTIAN MEMORY A. Winifred Lenker who joined Paxton Church in 2009 and entered the Church Triumphant on October 25, 2019. Our sympathy and prayers are extended to her family and friends.

WE HOLD IN CHRISTIAN MEMORY Edward Linhart who joined Paxton Church in 1962 and entered the Church Triumphant on October 26, 2019. Our sympathy and prayers are extended to his family and friends.

THE FLORAL ARRANGEMENT in the chancel this morning is placed in memory of Dr. Thomas and Mrs. Holtzman, and Tom and Zach Holtzman, by the Holtzman family.

NOVEMBER'S COINS FOR CARING will help support the Santa Shop. Thank you for sharing your spare change to support this voluntary mission opportunity.

MANY THANKS GO TO THEE CROP WALKERS from the Paxton Presbyterian Church: Dawn and John Palmer, Shawn Gray, Nancy and Aaron Bingaman, Cindy Green, Joe and Sam Frank, Peter Apeti, John and Karen Schmidt. Kudos for their efforts despite the rain. Thank you to the Paxton congregation for your generosity.



All Saints' Day

“What I am saying, brothers and sisters, is this: flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God, nor does the perishable inherit the imperishable. Listen, I will tell you a mystery! We will not all die, but we will be changed, in a moment, in the twinkling of an eye, at the last trumpet. For the trumpet will sound, and the dead will be raised imperishable, and we will be changed. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.”

I Corinthians 15:50-51, 57

Nancy Hetrick Ace

Jack Albright

*Carol Anderson

*Gwen Casey

*Sarah Craig

Linda Czap

Ann Day

*Martha Diffenderfer

*Barbara Foreman

Russell Harvey

Lorraine Johnson

*Riet Jongma

Gary Kelcourse

George Kohl

*A. Winifred Lenker

*Andrew Lick

*Edward Linhart

Ilo Loughner

Agatha Graham Loyacano

Melba Ludwig

Ron McHone

Ron McWatters

Naafiysh Morris

Kayla Nevirauskas

*Daune Palmer

Susan Pletz

Michael S. Powers

Brooke Raham

*Jack Reinhart

*Morris Rill

Judy Long-Robinson

Jack Robertson

Marian Sanford

Jared Smith

Larry Staiger

Arlene Steckbeck

Michael Swistak

*George Taylor

Phil J. Walsh, Sr.

Carrilee Zimmerman



FALL TEA
 NOVEMBER 10, 2019
 2:00-4:00 PM
 Featuring Paxton Musicians

An Open Invitation to All Paxton Members
 You are invited to Blanche Skinner's 75th Birthday Celebration
 Saturday, December 7 ~ 3:00 ~ 8:00 PM at Paxton Church
 Please RSVP by November 15th ~717-564-5658

PRAYER SQUARE

As Christians we are called to pray for everyone in a difficult time of life. To protect the privacy of those for whom we are praying we ask that permission be received before a name is placed for prayer request.

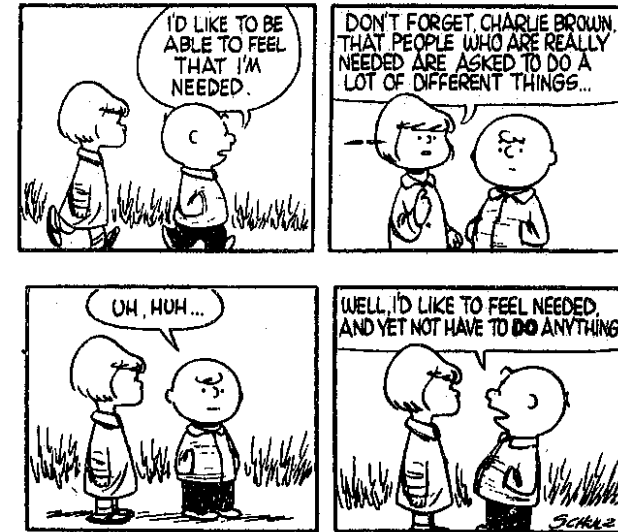
Please keep the following members of Paxton in your prayers: Jo & Chuck Cain, Kathie Zimmerman, Kacey Bowers, Nancy Wion, Christopher Bruce Family & Vera, Sally Killian, Linda Brillinger, Elsie Williams, Paul and Dottie Remaly, Brenda Brinkley, Jo Jacoby, Barbara Mark, Harvey Roberts, Jan Watt, Bert Wood, Travis Ziebell, John Moyer, Isabelle Smith, Bob Greenwood

Continued Prayers: Krista Baer, Jim Gischel, Carmen DeLuccia, Erin Francis-Friel, Lori Giroux, Kathy Clark, Fred Purvis, Joyce Burd, Greg Brazil, Lynn McWatters, Dennis Otte, Anya Zvorsky, Carolyn Watt

November 3 - Bill and Judy Clark, Rob Hess, Cindy Priest, Rev. David Cook, Jane Freet, Peter Bucher, Shannon McDonough, Calvin Leonard, Connie Buck, Ron Gearhart, Steve Toomey, Ruthanne Herr, Sherry Hower, Clifford Stern

Each week we will be praying for our brothers and sisters in Christ within our Presbytery. This week we are praying for the Wells Valley Presbyterian Church.

SERMON HELP



PW Thank Offering

Then when you call upon me and come and pray to me, I will hear you. When you search for me, you will find me; if you seek me with all your heart. . .

Jeremiah 29:12-13 NRSV

During the month of November, PW of Paxton will be collecting our annual Thank Offering. There are envelopes in the pew racks. Information about the 2019 recipients can be found on the PW bulletin board or by going to www.presbyterianwomen.org/thank. Please give generously.

PAXTON PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Website: www.paxtonchurch.org
 Email: office@paxtonchurch.org

Ministers ~ All Members

SESSION

Erika Hanes (Clerk of Session)

Connie Cochran	Evangelism & Membership
LaVerne Collins*	Christian Education
Erin Giambrone*	Mission & Outreach
Doug Hitz*	Stewardship & Finance
Don Laughery	Pastoral Relations & Staff
Rich Lengler*	Property Management
Robert Martin	Stewardship & Finance
David McPherson	Worship & Music
Cindy Mory*	Worship & Music
Gary Myers*	Pastoral Relations & Staff
Blanche Skinner	Property Management
Kristian Stennett*	Evangelism & Membership
Kitti Taylor	Christian Education

*Chair

BOARD OF DEACONS

Pam & Louis Robertson (Co-Moderators)

Nan Bonnet	Sue McLain
Linette Burd	John Moyer
Judy Daniels	Wanda Newhouse
Linda Flowers	Leigh Ramsey
Nino Giambrone	Cathy Roland
Marti Greiner	Joy Stennett
Jim Holtzman	Bev Ziebell

**We are a Stephen Ministry Church
 thankful for our Stephen Ministers
 and Leaders**

STEPHEN LEADERS STEPHEN MINISTERS


Helen Heidelbaugh	Carol Anderson
Gary Myers	Ronald Brinkley
Jane Rising	Craig Foster
Jane Sanford	Karen Herrold
	Cheryl Holtzman
	Janice Hutchison
	Annette Kilpatrick
	Bill LaDieu
	Donna Leaver
	Nancy Lengler
	Steve Miller
	Kathy Woodbridge



For confidential referral, or if you are interested in becoming a Stephen Minister please contact a leader.

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sun 3	9:00	Sunday School
	10:00	Worship/All Saints Sunday
	11:00	Sunday Snacks
	6:30	Youth Fellowship
Mon 4	1:00	Paxtang Civic Club
Tues 5	9:30	Staff Mtg.
	10:30	PW Board
	12:00	Unity Circle
Wed 6	8:00	Men's Fellowship Breakfast
	9:30	Sewing
	6:00	Property Mgmt.
	7:00	Special Session
Thur 7	6:15	Bells
	7:30	Adult Choir
Sat 9	8:00	LEAF RAKING
Sun 10	9:00	Sunday School
	10:00	Worship
	11:00	Sunday Snacks
	2:00	FALL TEA



During the month of November
 The Deacons will be collecting
**PEANUT BUTTER CRACKERS,
 RAMEN NOODLES**

Please keep the Paxton Church Staff in your prayers.

- Pastor, The Reverend John W. Green*
- Director of Youth & Children's Ministries, Shawn Gray*
- Director of Music, Richard Fowler*
- Organist, Jeanne Bruce*
- Treasurer, Laurence A. Kilpatrick, CPA*
- Office Staff, JoAnn Snyder, Financial Secretary*
- Judy Frankford, Church Secretary*
- Wedding Coordinator, Peg Elder*
- Custodian, Mary Bowers*

BAKING SPIRITS BRIGHT

This year's Cookie Sale is on December 14th. Sign-up sheets will be available after Sunday services in the Great Room. We need 10 dozen of each cookie. Please consider signing up to bake this year.



We know some of you have favorites that you bake each year. If you want to bake those cookies this year, please let the cookie committee know. Perhaps some of you have a specialty that you would like to share with us or have been unable to bake in the past but would like to do so this year. As in past years, we will include cookie recipes that require no baking or are for those bakers who might be short on time.

If you have any questions, please contact a committee member: Janice Hutchison, Penny Knight, Nan Bonnet, Trish Moore, Diane Jacobs, Bev Ziebell, Jan Gough or Sally Appleby.

SANTA SHOP NEWS

- Donations are welcome now until November 15.
- The sign-up poster can be found in the Gathering room.
- Preparation workshops are Tuesday, 11/19 at 9 am and 6pm and Thursday 11/21 at 9am. No sign-up necessary.

Here's our 2019 wish list:

- Jewelry-- new, old, or broken**
- Balls of all sizes**
- 2020 Calendars**
- Crayons**
- Pack of crackers**
- Unused Wrapping**

- Candy Bars**
- Women's Stretchy Gloves**
- Toiletries**
- Preschool-- Size Yarn Hats
 (Store bought or hand-made)**