



*"Penn Valley Church exists to help our neighbors discover the story of God, be disciplined in the family of God and deliver the love of God to our community and beyond."*

October 9, 2022

Sermon Series: "Why Penn Valley Church?"

Messages are available on the website.

This Week: "Why Penn Valley Church?" ~ Hands of God  
Acts 9:36-43 ~ Adam Larew Speaking

Next Week: "The Holiness of God" ~ What is It?  
Genesis 3:1-24 ~ Adam Larew Speaking

### Events this Week

Tuesday 10/11: Young Adults @ 7 p.m. in the Coffee House

Wednesday 10/12: Youth Group @ 6:30 p.m. in the Gym & Coffee House

Thursday 10/13: GCS Mom's in Prayer @ 7 p.m. in the Coffee House

Friday 10/14: GCS Mom's in Prayer @ 11 a.m. in C. House

### Announcements

#### Are you on our One Call Messaging List?

If you would like to receive messages from Penn Valley Church please email us at [info@pennvalleychurch.org](mailto:info@pennvalleychurch.org) with your name and phone number.

#### Souderton Park Project

Penn Valley has purchased a bench for the Souderton Park project on behalf of the church. We would also like to purchase a second bench in memory of Pastor Larry. If you would like to donate funds for this second bench, checks can be written to Penn Valley Church with the note "Park Bench Donation" written in the memo line. The bench will read "A man who served the Lord Jesus and his community with all his heart and taught others to do the same." Any funds that come in over and above the cost will go towards a Theological Library in memory of Larry. Questions? See or contact Pastor Adam.

### Announcements Continued

#### Fields of Faith

Come out and join our youth at Fields of Faith next Wednesday night, October 19 from 7:30 - 9 p.m. at the Souderton High School Football Field! Fields of Faith is a peer-to-peer movement where thousands of students from across the nation and world gather together on their school's athletic field to share faith stories and challenge each other to apply the Bible as their "game plan for life". Questions? Contact Ted Brunner via email at [ted.brunner@pennvalleychurch.org](mailto:ted.brunner@pennvalleychurch.org).

#### Membership Class

Would you like to become a member of Penn Valley Church? We will be holding two membership classes on Sunday, October 23 & Sunday, October 30 after church from 12-2 p.m. in the Coffee House. Lunch will be provided. If you would like more information contact Pastor Adam at [adam.larew@pennvalleychurch.org](mailto:adam.larew@pennvalleychurch.org).

#### Tacos Tuesday

Please join us for our first TACOS night of this year on Tuesday, October 25 from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. in the Gym. The night will start with enjoying some actual (food) TACOS!! Sign up on our website under "Events".

#### Thanksgiving Food Drive

Penn Valley Church will be working with the Keystone Opportunity Center to serve vulnerable members of our community by filling Thanksgiving meal bags. If you are willing, please pick up a reusable grocery bag (or two) in the church foyer today or next Sunday, October 16 to fill. Each bag includes a shopping list. The list includes a \$25 gift card which will need to be purchased; you may add a few non-perishable grocery items (candies, nuts, paper products) if you would like. Please return bags to the church foyer by Sunday, October 23. **Our goal is to fill 50 bags this year!** Questions? Contact Karen Kelly at [love4labs@gmail.com](mailto:love4labs@gmail.com).

#### 2 Open Spots for the Women's Retreat

Please see Megan Giuffrida if interested in attending.

### Grace Christian School

#### GCS Race for Education

Race for Education is next Friday, October 21 at 8:45 a.m. Lace up your sneakers and get ready to hit the track as you help raise funds for the school!

#### GCS Fall Family Fun Night

GCS Families - join us for a fun night of fall activities on Friday, October 21 at 6:45 p.m. in the Gym.

### Telford Offering Numbers

#### Weekly Totals (Sept. 24 - Sept. 30, 2022)

Last Week's Giving: \$7,303  
Weekly Giving Need: \$14,335  
Overage/Shortage: **\$7,032**

#### Fiscal YTD Totals (Aug. 1, 2022 - Sept. 30, 2022)

Budgeted Amount: \$129,022  
Actual Giving: \$103,615  
Equity Transfer: \$59,438  
Total Income: \$163,053  
YTD Expenses: \$156,808

If you have any questions about setting up online or text giving, contact Dave Schmidt at [david.w.schmidt55@gmail.com](mailto:david.w.schmidt55@gmail.com).

### Prayer Concerns

See our monthly prayer sheet to see how you can be praying for members of the Penn Valley Church Family. Prayer sheets are available in the information rack in the lobby.

Prayer Requests, Comments or Suggestions

Drop this card with your requests/comments at the Welcome Center.