

MINISTRY STAFF — HOW CAN WE SERVE YOU?

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SHEPHERDING PASTORATES — Alphabetical by last name:

- A-Br** — Elder Emily Fortna & Ruth Bandstra
- Bs-Eo** — Elder Thalia Towle & Deacon Kate Mogan
- Ep-HI** — Elder Chuck McGrath & Deacon Lauren McGrath
- Hm-Mc** — Elder Sue Cooper & Deacon Beth Bol
- Md-S** — Elder Dawn Lefrancois & Deacon Dexter Greene
- T-Z** — Elder Tony Brookhouse & Deacons Connor Kuik, Mike O'Rourke

COUNCIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR — Our annual congregational meeting will be on Tuesday, December 13. Agenda items will include the selection of new elders and deacons and approval of the 2023 budget.

PLEASANT STREET FINANCIAL 3rd QTR UPDATE

Please prayerfully consider your weekly giving to the General Fund. Thank You for your Kingdom partnership and support!

General Fund—Q3	September	Year to Date
Total	34,823.00	309,395.75
Required	43,323.17	389,908.53
Surplus (-Deficit) to Budget	(-8,500.17)	(-80,512.78)
Surplus (-Deficit) Actual		(-52,686.80)

CARE — COME ALONGSIDE OTHERS

LET'S PRAY TOGETHER — Happy Birthday to Henrietta Hoogendyke who turns 91 tomorrow.

SERVE — CONTRIBUTE YOUR TALENTS & RESOURCES

FAITH PROMISE FOR MISSIONS — Please remember to put the colored tear-off tag in the offering today or any Sunday in November as a faith pledge of how much God would have you give in 2023 for local and global missionaries our church supports. Electronic forms will be emailed next week. Thanks!

TEAM PSCRC — Raised a total of \$2,010 for this year's annual Blackstone Valley CROP Walk. Thanks to all of you who donated your time and treasure!

THIS THANKSGIVING — PSCRC has the privilege to help 16 families (35 adults, 41 children) in our community celebrate Thanksgiving! The deacons will have tags on the table in the Fellowship Hall, please take a tag to bless a family in our community this season! All Thanksgiving baskets will need to be delivered to church on Sunday, November 20, before noon, so we can distribute from 12-1pm.

GROW — CULTIVATE YOUR FAITH

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SOCIAL — Will be held once a month during this winter season. Our first Wednesday social will be a movie night held in the foundation. What wonderful way for fellowship amongst our members of all ages. Invite a neighbor or friend. Stay tuned for more information. 🎬

MARK YOUR CALENDAR — Friday evening, November 18, Rev. Justin Ruddy, church planter and pastor of Resurrection Church East Boston will be with us. He will be helping us to host a conversation about another post-pandemic reality many in our churches and communities face - *Spiritual Deconstruction*. Join us for a conversation about spiritual deconstruction, and what Christianity (and denominations in particular) might have to offer to us for putting things together in a world of taking things apart. "*Choosing Church: Deconstruction, Demolition, and the Enduring Gifts of denominations*"

REACH OUT — CONNECT WITH OUR COMMUNITY

ECUMENICAL SERVICE — at East Blackstone Quaker Meeting House, 197 Elm Street in Blackstone, **today** at 3pm. Rev. Bill Vis will be preaching. All are invited.

TRUNK OR TREAT — The Blackstone Valley United Methodist Church Youth Group will host a Trunk or Treat event **today** from 3-4pm. Trunk or Treat will take place in the church parking lot. All kids ages 3-10 are invited to attend but we ask that they be accompanied by an adult. We will also have some games and prizes. The event is totally free and open to the public but we will be accepting donations for the Northbridge Food Pantry.

WELCOME

We're glad you joined us!

508.234.5268 + Office: 8a-4p Mon-Fri
October 30, 2022 + 9:30am
Exodus 2:11-25 + "What's your 40?"



If you have been worshipping with us for a long time or you are entering the doors of a church for the first time, it is our hope that you will experience a kind welcome, a sense of genuine community, and the grace and truth of Jesus Christ that the Christian Church has celebrated for centuries.

LIVING THE STORY OF GOD THIS WEEK

- Tonight 6:30p HS Youth Group Study: Foundation
- M 9:30a Women's Bible Study: Fellowship Hall
- 6:30p Celebrate Recovery: Fellowship Hall
- T 9:30a Coffee Break: Fellowship Hall; Childcare
- 6:00p Women's CR Step Study: Under the Balcony
- 6:30p Divorce Care: Classroom E
- 6:30p Grief Share: Fellowship Hall
- W 6:15p Midweek @ PS 🍷
- 6:30p Adult Bible Study: Classroom E
- 6:30p Prayer Meeting: Under the Balcony
- Th 7:00p Men's CR Step Study: Classroom E
- Sa 9:00a Praying The Psalms; Women's Study: Fellowship Hall

Prayer of Preparation

Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit. Amen.

GATHER

Welcome and Announcements

Call to Worship—Psalm 103

Praise the LORD, my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. Praise the LORD, my soul, and forget not all his benefits. Who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases, Who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, Who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. The LORD works righteousness and justice for all the oppressed. He made known his ways to Moses, his deeds to the people of Israel: The LORD is compassionate and gracious, slow to anger, abounding in love. Praise the LORD, all his heavenly hosts, you his servants who do his will.

Praise the LORD, all his works everywhere in his dominion. Praise the LORD, my soul.

SONGS: *Your Grace is Enough*
How Great is Our God

RENEWAL

Prayer of Confession

Gracious God, you have given us the law of Moses and the teaching of Jesus to lead our path in life. You offer us your Holy Spirit so that we can be born to new life as your children.

We confess that we've disobeyed your Holy word. We've sinned against your law and failed to do your will. Lord, we cry out to you and plead for your salvation.

Purge our lives of selfishness and our hearts of bitterness.

Lead us back to righteousness, save us through Jesus Christ

Silent Confession

Words of Assurance

You did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" It is that very spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God. And if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ. For through Jesus Christ, You find forgiveness.

Amen.

COMMIT

Morning Offerings: Ministries of Pleasant Street



SONG: *How Deep The Father's Love For Us*

Passing the Peace

The peace of Christ be with you

And also with you!

WORD

Morning Prayers

Exodus 2:11-25 + "What's your 40?"

TABLE

Invitation to the Table

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Tasting Grace

SONG: *As The Deer*

SEND

Lord's Prayer:

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from the evil one.

Benediction

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord turn his face towards you and give you peace.

SONG: *Build Your Kingdom Here*

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord, Jesus Christ!

The candle in the front is lit as a symbol that Jesus Christ is present in our worship this morning.