

# *The Geneva Pres*



2019

# *The Presbyterian Church in Geneva*

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# Hands and Feet



“Hands and Feet: Presbyterians Engaging in Community” and Matthew 25 congregations are two exciting mission initiatives of the PCUSA. The mission movement began when Rev. J. Herbert Nelson, our PCUSA Stated Clerk lit a fire in the hearts of Presbyterians with his vision at the 222th General Assembly in 2016.

*Hands & Feet* mission projects and the *Matthew 25* congregations have been appearing in our Presbyterian magazines (Today and Outlook) and national websites. PCUSA congregations large and small have strengthen and created new missional projects. Each congregation is challenged to ask, “How do we facilitate change and communicate God’s love?”

**What is happening now?** Creative and “Out of the box” mission is happening everywhere. The *Hands & Feet* project is one example that builds upon the grassroots, community work congregations.



**What can the church do?** Attend the “Mission Retreat on September 13. Begin with an assessment of what we are already doing. And,

creatively market and focus our efforts. Attend the next biennial General Assembly gathering, June-27, 2020 in Baltimore will showcase “The Center: Mission outside of the Box”. It is an inventive and creative way to characterize what we hope to do. If you can’t attend, follow mission activities online. <https://handsandfeet-pcusa.org>,

<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/>

**What can you do?** How can you be involved in this congregation’s mission? September worship will center on mission using commandments to extend hospitality to the stranger and Christ’s challenge to feed and teach those who hunger and thirst for God. Find your own center in prayer and study. Listen to God’s messages. Reach out to others. Get involved with a mission already organized. Attend something new for you like small group study. Volunteer to do help with fellowship, Family Promise, join a committee, teach Sunday school, take a sacred arts class, and pray. Initiate or start something new. Host a gathering of members and/or visitors. Reach out to someone who is alone, new to the area, or in need of a friend.

May you be abundantly blessed, Pastor Deb

*αβγ*—“IT’S GREEK TO ME” Bible Study Starting Wednesday, noon, September 18 – bring your lunch and chew on the upcoming Sunday scriptures with Pastor Deb.

**Fall Worship Scriptures and Sermons:**

Sept 1 Labor Day: Hebrews 13:1-16 , Luke 14: 1-14  
Banquets and Barbeques: All are Welcome

Sept 8 Rally Day: Jeremiah 18:1-11,Luke 14:25-33  
Mission: to Build and Become Church

Sept 15 Matthew 25:  
Beth Newell preaching about Mission:  
Peacemaking Fellowship

Sept 22 Matthew 28: 16-20  
Great Commission: “What’s the Appeal?”

Sept 29 Luke 16: 19-31, 1 Timothy 6:6-19  
Mission: The Good Fight for Faith

Oct 6 World Communion, Luke 17:5-10, Philippians 4:12-20  
Abundance in scarcity



Family Promise®  
of Ontario County

**Thank You!**

*Thank you* to all who volunteered during our August hosting week for Family Promise of Ontario County. Our guests included two families, a mother and father with three children, and a mother with two children. Each time we host, things run more smoothly and, once again, the parents expressed gratitude for the program and their stay at our church. One of the mothers commented that this experience was so different—in a good way—from any shelter she knew of (and stayed away from) and that she would highly recommend the FPOC program to anyone. Our next hosting week is in November—we hope you’ll lend a hand.



WELCOME BACK!!!!

SEPT. 8 – RALLY DAY- 9:15 in Fellowship Hall

SEPT. 15 – 9:00 - sponsors meet with Confirmation youth (upstairs)

SEPT. – Youth Elders and Deacons installed  
Nehemiah Williams, Henry Augustine,  
Alex Komara

THANKS TO THOSE WHO HAVE VOLUNTEERED TO TEACH THIS YEAR:

Sara McLaughlin, Lisa Gage, Sue and Richard Henderson, Sage Gerling, Marsha Foote, Deb and Kristin Oswald, Phoebe Williams, Andrea Robertson, Sigrid Carle.

**BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION**  
**to benefit Geneva Head Start**  
**LOOK FOR THE BASKET**

**2 CENTS – A - MEAL**  
**We will collect 2 cents offerings on SEPTEMBER 1**  
**You can make a difference in the lives of hungry people!!!**

COME ONE, COME ALL . . .  
WELCOME BACK TO A  
NEW PROGRAM YEAR!!!!  
SEPTEMBER 8 is



We invite EVERYONE to join us in Fellowship Hall at 9:15 am on September 8, for games, songs, and fellowship. Let's all come and reacquaint with old friends and maybe make some new friends.

Then we hope you'll join us at the 10:30 worship service.

PLEASE BRING A SCHOOL SUPPLY -

Pkg washable markers

2 pack glue sticks

box of 16 or 24 crayons

pkg 12 pencils

children's scissors

ONE SUBJECT NOTEBOOKS

THANKS!!!!

Hope to see you SEPTEMBER 8, at 9:15.

## **TRIENNIUM- A GREAT EXPERIENCE!!!!!**

*I must offer my most sincere thanks to the synod and congregation for supporting our recent expedition to Presbyterian Youth Triennium at Purdue. We had an absolute blast scootering across campus and grooving to various energizers at worship. It's not every day that you're ushered into a music hall that seats 5,000 for service, no less by a Beyonce hit single. This year's theme provided ample opportunity for Presbyterian youth to answer God's call to tune our hearts to His orchestra, to wholeheartedly play in the song that is this life, each note ringing with new adventure and the eternal resonance of His presence. Adapted from "Come Thou Font," the "Here's My Heart" theme has called me to reciprocate the kindness done unto me at Triennium in the form of dedicated service to those who are weary and in desperate need of the love God calls us to radically give. Thanks again, Geneva Presbytery, for making this trip possible; I would love to return in future years as an advisor or member of the PYT Work Crew.*

*God Bless,  
Audra Burrall*

*Dear Congregation,  
Thank you for funding most of my Triennium experience. I had a great time in worship as well as meeting new people and making new friends. My favorite part about worship was that it was fun, not as serious, but I still learned. It doesn't matter what other people think; my faith is still my faith.*

*Thanks again,  
Aaron Carle*

*Thank you to everyone who contributed to Triennium and made it possible for me to go. I really enjoyed worship because of how immersive it was and I liked that it got you off your feet. I also enjoyed the free time on campus and it gave us the experience of navigating around campus as if we were college students.*

*Thanks again,  
Nehemiah Williams*

*Dear Congregation,*

*Thank you so much for giving me the opportunity to attend the 2019 Triennium. It was a truly incredible experience, and I wouldn't have been able to go without all of your support. Triennium was the chance to do so many new things, and I enjoyed every minute. I met so many new friends from all around the nation, and even some international youth. I loved trading pins with everyone because now I have awesome souvenirs and they are from everywhere! The worship services were also one of my favorites. The energy in the music theater was insane. Every Reverend delivered a wonderful sermon, and every day we would sing, dance and be super loud! The food was great, the air conditioned dorms were even better, and the best part was getting even closer with God. Every activity there always had something to do with Him, and it was a great time learning more and expanding our relationship. Again, thank you so much for my Triennium 2019 experience. I will always remember the amazing friends, memories, and more.*

*Sincerely,*

*Elizabeth Komara*

*Dear Congregation members,*

*Wow! What an experience! Triennium was such a fun trip. Without the support of all of you it would not have been possible for all of us to participate, and so I say thank you. Thank you for helping me deepen my faith on this wonderful journey. During this Triennium I have learned how to better understand myself and appreciate those around me by giving me new ways to reflect on my thoughts and actions. I enjoyed tremendously the sermons, activities, and opportunities provided at Triennium. I hope it continues for a long time so others may take in the knowledge provided by this spiritual gathering.*

*Sincerely,*

*Luke Weber*

*Dear Presbyterian Church,*

*Thank you for supporting me as a delegate to Presbyterian Youth Triennium 2019 at Purdue University. This being my first trip to Triennium I wasn't sure what to expect. When Pastor Deb asked if I would be willing to chaperone I agreed without knowing what lay in store. My younger sister, Audra, boarded our chartered bus a repeat delegate. I stepped on behind her a reliant older brother. What came to pass when we arrived in West Lafayette, Indiana was roughly four days of uncomplicated fun. During this time period my fellow advisors and advisees were able to take part in the kinds of summer activities that aren't all that easy to come by. Through music, discussion, arts and crafts, food, and worship we were able to place the demands of our home lives aside and connect with one another and ourselves through faith. Triennium gave me the opportunity to take stock of those areas of my life I don't normally have time for, and be thankful for all that my Confirmation has given me. PYT 2019 also gave my sister and I the space to share before her foray into undergraduate education. Outside of our Triennium responsibilities Audra and I were reminded of our common religious beliefs and values, roots that will forever be intertwined.*

*I feel particularly fortunate to have been given this opportunity as an advisor. My days spent at Purdue reiterated the teachings of Christ and how I live out those teachings in my everyday life. Thank you again for supporting my journey.*

*In appreciation,  
Trevor H. Burrall*

FAMILY

# Kickoff Picnic



**When:** Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup>

**Where:** Church after worship (Rally Day)

**Time:** 11:30-1:30 (family games and  
planning for year)

Pizza and drinks will be provided.

Please bring a dish to pass!

Please RSVP by **Monday, Sept. 2** to  
**[pjfoote25@gmail.com](mailto:pjfoote25@gmail.com)**.

## COLLEGE CARE BOXES

Cookies and brownies are needed on Sunday, Sept. 22.

The Membership & Evangelism Committee is planning the annual preparation of Care Boxes to be sent to our college students and Welcome Bags to be delivered to HWS students who are Presbyterians.

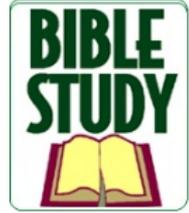
Please help us brighten the college students' day. Bring your treats to the conference room NO LATER THAN 9:00 am on Sept. 22. Sunday School classes will pack the bags and boxes.

If you have a child in college could you please let Kathy know their mailing address

[breeser@rochester.rr.com](mailto:breeser@rochester.rr.com)

# Adult Spiritual Formation

Meets Sunday Morning at 9:15  
in the South Parlor



*Please consider attending to  
enrich your faith journey!*

What does our faith find in new scholarly understanding? As scripture is the most influential piece of literature ever written, this book is a source of constant wonder, inspiration, and intrigue. We continue the video series with Biblical scholar and engaging speaker Amy-Jill Levine, who relates the cultural and religious context of some of the Bible's most treasured passages. As Professor Levine observes: "The Old Testament is endlessly fascinating because it offers everything to explore... tragedy, comedy, and farce; miracles and sometimes heavenly silence; answers that satisfy and answers that may not; destruction and rebuilding; despair and hope."

Sept. 15 **Isaac**. The accounts of Abraham's son Isaac and daughter-in-law Rebecca from Genesis 21-24.

Sept. 22 **The Jacob Saga**. Genesis 25.

Sept. 29 **Folklore Analysis and Type Scenes**.

This will help us understand common Biblical plot lines or "type scenes" that reveal narrative art and teach about community heroes and values.



*To our extended family of friends in The Presbyterian Church in Geneva we send greetings from Illinois. We want to thank you from the bottom of our hearts for the many cards, phone calls, flowers and prayers we received in celebration of the life of my sister, Wilma. Although her passing was unexpected we know she is with her maker and the family that has gone before her.*

*We miss all of you.*

*Fondly, Bette and Ron*

I want to extend my heartfelt Thank You and voice of appreciation to all that welcomed the Churchwide Presbyterian Women United States Mission Experience participants to our church in early July. On behalf of the Presbytery's Presbyterian Women, I especially want to thank --

- Donna Newcomb led several of our women to prepare, serve, and clean up the Welcome & Opening Dinner on Friday, July 12.
- Pastor Deb and Ellen Reynolds led the Welcome & Opening Worship in the Chapel.
- Eleanor Stearns presented her portrayal of Dr. Elizabeth Blackwell.
- Gary Harman and Ellen Reynolds provided transportation service from the airport.
- Lou Tarr sat at Welcome Table at Hotel distributing materials and information.
- Bonnie Osbourne & Grapevine Tours provided shuttle service to and from airport.
- Colleen VanAllan assisted with numerous tasks including copy service.
- Alan Schenck assisted with several set ups.
- Lisa Gage, Ed & Elfrieda Frick the perfect host for Sunday, July 21 worship and lunch.
- Kathy Breese loaned craft supplies.

Virginia Champlin

## **THANK YOU THANK YOU THANK YOU**

Thanks to the generosity and diligence of this congregation, Boy Scout Troop 4 raised more than \$270 from returnables over the summer -- that's something like 5,400 bottles and cans.

Through your largesse in the past, we were able this year to pay \$100 toward the fee for each of the Scouts who went to Camp Babcock-Hovey in Willard during July.

We do appreciate your continued beneficence, and look forward to serving you at the annual Pancake Breakfast on Sunday, Oct. 20.

-Fred Schühle, Assistant Scoutmaster

Boy Scout Troop 4

Sponsored by this congregation since 1917



## **SERRV** International Fair Trade Gift Shop

Summer days will soon be over and our shop will resume normal Sunday hours beginning Rally Day after each church service and every Saturday from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

At SERRV, our mission as a fair trade nonprofit is to break the cycle of poverty for disadvantaged artisans and farmers worldwide. Why? Because we believe that freedom from poverty is a basic human right, one that paves the way for achieving other human rights, including education, secure housing, equality, and dignity.

We look forward to seeing everyone again as we resume regular services. Stop in and see our new items!

# Take Note



***Make a Joyful noise to the Lord  
serve the Lord with Gladness and  
come before God's presence with Singing!***

Amazingly the summer is almost over and Rally Sunday is fast approaching. As I write this, the beginning of our Fall Music programs are just two weeks away and I wanted to encourage you to come and join us in celebrating our Faith with music. Our active and vibrant **Adult Choir** meets on Thursday evenings from 7:00 until 8:30. The choir is open to all adults **and high school students** who enjoy singing. If you cannot make a commitment for the whole year, come and **join us for the season that you can**. In late September we will begin rehearsing our Christmas music and will plan to work on that music at the beginning of each rehearsal.

Another wonderful opportunity to musically celebrate our Faith is with the **Bell Choir** which has had a resounding year. The Bell Choir meets Monday evenings from 5:15 to 6:15 and is a great group of fun loving ringers. If you have never rung a bell, you are in for a treat. It is a wonderful experience to stand in the middle of such beautiful sounds. We are a group of both very experienced ringers and beginners. We have great fun AND make beautiful music. Come and join us on Monday evenings! Our **Children's Choirs** rehearse every Sunday morning at the beginning of Sunday School. Make sure your child has this opportunity to learn, sing, and praise God.

There are always opportunities to **share your instrumental and vocal talent** individually or with one or more of your friends. Just ask and we will find a date you can share your praise in music of our loving God.

If you are interested in joining any of these groups or want to find a time to perform, please call Richard Cox at 315-789-0996 or just come to a rehearsal and see what it is like. Our Adult Choir rehearsals will begin September 5th and the Bell Choir starts September 9th.

**Come and Join Us!**



Dear Church Family,

My mother-in-law passed away in August. Unfortunately, there was some poor communication between the facility taking care of her and our family, which has left us not feeling very good about the facility. I plan to take the next few newsletters to give you some information that might help you navigate through certain issues.

One problem we encountered was the definition of Comfort Care, Palliative Care and HOSPICE. Apparently there are a number of health professionals who use these terms interchangeably. They are not all the same thing! After reading several articles about this topic, I find that Comfort Care is the umbrella term under which Palliative and HOSPICE Care fall. When asked if you want Comfort Care for your loved one, your response should be "which type?". In our case, the Nurse Practitioner thought Comfort Care was the same as HOSPICE Care. She made a referral to HOSPICE. My mother-in-law did not want HOSPICE, and that was still her choice to make. They stopped trying to encourage her to eat, they stopped giving her certain meds (which I thought actually helped her to be more comfortable). When a HOSPICE nurse called about meeting with us for an admission to HOSPICE we were confused, thinking she was on Palliative Care. We asked my mother-in-law if she wanted HOSPICE and she declined. We had her changed to Palliative Care.

So what is the difference? Palliative Care works to help patients with pain control and emotional issues. This can be done alongside working to CURE the patient's illness. Pain control, maintaining and prolonging life, and improving quality of life are the hopeful outcomes. HOSPICE Care is end of life care. The patient is no longer looking for a cure and has been given an approximate 6- month or less life expectancy by a doctor. Frequently many of the meds a person takes daily (including insulin) are stopped. If they choose not to eat, they are not encouraged to. Controlling pain, enhancing quality of life as much as possible, and a "peaceful" death is what HOSPICE hopes to achieve.

Both HOSPICE and Palliative Care can be done in the hospital, nursing home, or home. There are several excellent HOSPICE homes with 24/7 care in the area. HOSPICE can be done in your own home but a family member or friend must be a full time caregiver. A HOSPICE nurse is on call 24hrs. by phone. HOSPICE is a fully covered Medicare benefit. Call me with any questions!

God Bless, Beth

## **THE ENSURING OUR FUTURE APPEAL AND THE FALL STEWARDSHIP CAMPAIGN**

For over 220 years the Presbyterian Church has been a presence in Geneva, and that presence has made an importance difference in the lives of members, friends and in the local community. We can't continue to support our vibrant programs by using the principal of our endowment, as we have done for decades. We are at a crossroads, with an opportunity now to ensure the financial sustainability of The Presbyterian Church in Geneva into the future.

In the next few months, we will be visiting all members and friends of the church to ask you to join in the Ensuring Our Future Appeal and the Annual Stewardship Campaign and to hear what you have to say about our church and its future.

This is the time to act. We are a vibrant church blessed with active and generous members and investments that total nearly \$1.5 million. With these bountiful resources, we have the ability to achieve financial sustainability that will last for generations.

### The Goal for the Appeal

The goal is to raise \$3 million in permanent endowment. This will yield, on average, about \$150,000 per year in interest and yields to cover annual expenses of our ministry and mission that aren't met with pledges, plate offerings, and current investment income. We are pleased to report that even though the Appeal has just begun, we have received nearly \$350,000 in pledges.

### The Goal for the 2020 Stewardship Campaign

The goal is to increase pledges by 20% over the amount pledged in January, 2019, if at all possible. The request for a 20% increase in pledges for the last 6 months of 2019 has met with an excellent response, and we sincerely thank those who have pledged increases. We encourage everyone to continue their increased giving through the end of this year. It is anticipated that this 20% over last January's level will be included in the budget for 2020.

## Timeline of Events:

Now through the end of 2019: Every pledging unit in the Church will be called upon. At that time, you will receive a brochure, a pledge card for the Appeal, and a pledge card for the Stewardship campaign. The callers will come ready to listen to your questions, suggestions, and concerns as well as to answer your questions.

Mid-October: A letter describing the Appeal and the Campaign will be sent, along with a Stewardship pledge card (unless you have already received this through the calls), a card for your per capita pledge, and the Time and Talent sheet.

November 10: Pledge Sunday. We hope that all of you will return the Campaign pledge cards, the per capita cards, and the Time and Talent sheets by then. There will be bulletin inserts and Moments for Mission on the Sundays preceding Pledge Sunday.

Appeal pledge cards: These can be returned any time after you have been called upon, but we hope to have everything completed by the end of 2019.

Please give prayerful consideration about your individual pledge to the appeal and to the annual stewardship campaign. Together, we have an opportunity to ensure the financial health of this Church in perpetuity.

Appeal and Sustainability Committee members:

Walt Gage, Elizabeth Newell, Fritz Aude, Rick Bley, Don Damick, Gary Harman, Judith McKinney, Jennifer Morris, Beth Reiners, Don Wertman



## **DEACONS**

*How clear is our vocation,  
Lord when once we heed your call  
to live according to your word and daily learn,  
refreshed, restored,  
that you are Lord of all and will not let us fall.  
(hymn 432 verse 1)*

The Board of Deacons will be meeting on September 11 to plan for the coming church program year. We look forward to continuing to serve our church family in many caring ways. Blessings!



## **PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN**

**Friendship Study Group – Will not meet in Sept.**

**Needles/Crafts – Will not meet in Sept. – will be contacted in Oct. by Pam Bishop**

### **Upcoming events:**

**Sat. Sept. 14<sup>th</sup> – 9:30am – Church wide Retreat @ the Church –**

**“Focus on Mission”**

**Sun. Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> - Presbyterian Women will meet following the 10:30 Service in the Conference Room.**

All women in the Church are considered Presbyterian Women and are invited to attend. The agenda will include:

- Strawberry Festival wrap up and financial report
- Kitchen update and needs – some cleaning and purchases to improve flow
- Mission update

PC(USA) Presbyterian Women Global Mission Dinner on July 12<sup>th</sup> was well received and enjoyed by all who attended. We received a beautiful commemorative gift.

The pillowcases we sent with our church Youth Triennium delegates were also well received. Thank You to B.J. Radford for her delightful and creative work.



We say that our church's mission is mission. Our small committee needs to know what the entire congregation thinks this means!

The goal will be to gather together everyone interested in mission to address the following questions:

What is our vision for the mission of the Presbyterian Church in Geneva?

What should our mission priorities be for the coming year?

Are there new areas of mission we should consider?

How can we better coordinate mission efforts among our many church committees and groups?

How can we improve the ways we inform people within our congregation – and in our community – about the mission we do?

How can we better engage everyone in mission – especially in some hands-on way?

The Rev. Dr. Betsey Crimmins, pastor at First Presbyterian Church in Elmira and a Synod Coach, will be our facilitator. We'll be holding the retreat at our church.

Please join us on the 14th! We look forward to hearing your ideas about mission.

For more information, please contact Jackie Augustine, Chair of the Mission & Social Concerns Committee.



## From the church office . . . . .

Have you moved, changed your email address or your phone number recently? If you have, help us keep your contact information accurate by calling the church office or by emailing the information to: [secretary@pcgny.org](mailto:secretary@pcgny.org)

### Church directory changes:

**Address change for John & Kate Komara & family:**  
1455 Fraser Way, Farmington, NY 14425

## Add to Calendar

Did you know it is possible to add an event from the calendar on the church website to your personal calendar? It's simple! Click on the event in the calendar grid to display the event. Then click on the **Add to Calendar** button and follow the prompts to add the event to your personal calendar.

### NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

August 13, 2019 | | [Edit This](#)

**WHEN:** September 18, 2019 @ 12:00 pm Repeats

**CONTACT:** Colleen VanAllan  
: (315) 789-1343  
 Email  
 Event website [↗](#)

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# Happy Birthday

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Sept 1	Andrea Robertson	Sept 21	Sage Gerling
Sept 2	Marge Bailey		Rita Reissig
Sept 4	Chris Wertman	Sept 23	Kelly Allen
Sept 5	Agnes Hoefler	Sept 24	Tammy Bates
Sept 8	Joan Morley		Kathy Davies
Sept 9	Ronald Schubert		Jane Donegan
			Killian Johnson
Sept 10	Bill Buell	Sept 27	Caitlin Ryan (Cieri)
	Sandra Hartsfield	Sept 28	Dalton Barnes
Sept 11	Preshanta Augustine		Pam Bishop
	Pastor Deb		Liz Hall
Sept 14	Dot Newcomb		David Hornbeck
Sept 15	Karen Shoemaker		Art Lewis
Sept 16	Kenneth Carle		Barb Zeller-Maw
	Richard Cox	Sept 29	Jackie Augustine
Sept 17	Jonah Williams		Marilyn Castle
Sept 19	Iona Camp		Lorraine Jones
Sept 20	Christopher Jones		Suzanne Otterbacher



Regular worship schedule resumes on September 8 (Rally Day) – Worship services at 8:15 (Chapel) and 10:30 (Sanctuary)

**September 2019**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b> 9:30 Worship Service  Two-cents-a-meal offering  Donate food for Geneva Center of Concern	<b>2</b> Labor Day Church office closed	<b>3</b> Ont/Yates Hospice Bereavement group 1:00  Adult Ed. Committee 5:30 Property Committee 7:00	<b>4</b> Alzheimer's Support 1:30   Sacred Arts class 10:00	<b>5</b>   Choir rehearsal 7:00	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b> RALLY DAY !! Events in the Fellowship Hall at 9:15  Communion at both services SERRV Shop open	<b>9</b> Sacred Arts class 5:30  Bell Choir rehearsal 5:15 Christian Ed. Committee 7:00 Interpret. & Stewardship 7:00	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Self-Help Sewing 9:00 Sacred Arts class 11:45 DEACONS mtg/dinner at yacht club 6:00 Worship Committee 7:00 Finance Committee 7:30	<b>12</b>   Choir rehearsal 7:00	<b>13</b> Twilight Group 10:30	<b>14</b> Churchwide Mission Retreat 9:30 – 12:00  SERRV Shop 10:00 – 12:30
<b>15</b> Beth Newell preaching  Blood pressure screenings following both services  P.W. meeting 11:30 SERRV Shop open	<b>16</b> Sustainability Committee 4:00 Bell Choir rehearsal 5:15 Sacred Arts class 5:30	<b>17</b> Ont/Yates Hospice Bereavement group 1:00  Communications Comm. 7:00	<b>18</b> Self-Help Sewing 9:00 Sacred Arts class – 11:45 Bible Study – noon Newsletter deadline – noon SESSION meeting 7:00	<b>19</b>   Choir rehearsal 7:00	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> International Day of Peace  SERRV Shop 10:00 – 12:30 Memorial service for Harry Burt 1:00
<b>22</b> College care packages being prepared at 9:00 in the Conference Room  SERRV Shop open	<b>23</b> Bell Choir rehearsal 5:15 Sacred Arts class 5:30 Mission & Social Concerns Committee 7:00	<b>24</b> Red Cross Blood Drive 1:00 – 7:00 Geneva Presbytery mtg. 4:00 at Camp Whitman SERRV Committee 7:00	<b>25</b> Self-Help Sewing 9:00  Bible Study – noon	<b>26</b>   Choir rehearsal 7:00	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>   SERRV Shop 10:00 – 12:30
<b>29</b> Installation of Youth Officers at 10:30 service  "Discovering our Presbyterian Heritage in Scotland" – noon SERRV Shop open	<b>30</b> Bell Choir rehearsal 5:15 Sacred Arts class 5:30					