

OUR MISSION

In response to the profound love of God through Jesus Christ toward all, we welcome everyone to join us as we study and proclaim the gospel, seek the will of God, grow in spiritual maturity, share our resources, and respond in service to the needs of our members and our neighbors.

ORDER FOR DIVINE WORSHIP

Sunday, October 7, 2018 10:00 AM
World Communion Sunday

WE GATHER IN THE LORD'S NAME

PRELUDE "How Great Thou Art" by *Stuart K. Hine* Billy Shaw, Vocalist

WELCOME AND SHARING OUR LIFE TOGETHER IN MINISTRY
BIRTHDAY RECOGNITIONS
WE GREET ONE ANOTHER IN CHRIST

INTROIT "Sing a New Song" by *Dan Schutte* Chancel Choir

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: This is the day the Creator has made.

People: We shall rejoice and be glad in it.

Leader: What shall we return to the Holy One for all the good things God has done for us?

People: We shall lift up the cup of salvation and call on the name of the Lord.

Leader: Let us worship God.

People: Yes, let us worship God together.

*HYMN "O God, Our Help in Ages Past" Red Hymnal No. 84

WE HEAR GOD'S WORD

UNISON PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Eternal Love, dig us new ears that we may hear your Word. Open our hearts that we may welcome its truth. Prod our minds to deeper understanding. Compel our lives by you overwhelming grace in Christ. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT Psalm 26 Pew Bible, OT, p. 503

ANTHEM "All Praise to God, Who Reigns Above" by *Johann J. Schuetz* Chancel Choir

NEW TESTAMENT Mark 10:2-16 Pew Bible, NT, p. 46

I Love You Lord, and I lift my voice to worship You, O my soul, rejoice! Take joy my King, in what You hear; may it be a sweet, sweet sound in Your ear. (Repeat) (pg. 85 red hymnal)

SERMON "The Consistent Christian" Rev. Deke Spierling

INVITATION TO DISCIPLESHIP

*HYMN "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending" Blue Hymnal No. 422

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

OFFERING "The Wind Beneath My Wings" by *L. Henley & J. Silbar*
Billy Shaw, Vocalist

*The Doxology

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

All good gifts around us are sent from heaven above. So thank the Lord, O thank the Lord, for all God's love. Amen.

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Bread of Life, as we now prepare to share the bread and wine of your Table, we confess how often we forget our need, our hunger and thirst, for your love in our own lives and life together. We admit that we are indifferent to the nourishment you offer to sustain our spirit and our service in your name. As we see bread broken and wine poured out, to be shared by all, refresh, heal and compel us by your grace. In Jesus's name. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON Christina Rossetti (1830-1894)

As the wind is your symbol, so forward our goings. As the dove, so launch us heavenwards. As water, so purify our spirits. As a cloud, so abate our temptations. As dew, so revive our languor. As fire, so purge our dross. Dearly Beloved, in the name of Jesus the Christ, we are forgiven and freed to live forward into the grace of our calling. Thanks be to God!

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION "Spirit Song" by *John Wimber*
Billy Shaw, Vocalist

WE GO INTO THE WORLD TO SERVE

*HYMN "Be Still, My Soul" Red Hymnal No. 451

*BENEDICTION

CHORAL RESPONSE "Peaceful Amen" by *Franklin Ritter* Chancel Choir

POSTLUDE "You'll Never Walk Alone" by *Rodgers & Hammerstein*
Billy Shaw, Vocalist

*Please stand if you are able

SERVICE TO OUR LORD AND HIS CHURCH

CLERK OF SESSION: Elder Charlene Woods; LITURGIST: Kathy Cerreta; GREETER: Deacon Manny Asare; USHERS: Linda Johns and Steve Johns; GUEST MUSICIAN: Billy Shaw - Vocalist; DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY: Matthew J. Russell; COMMUNION SERVERS: Dan Harrison, Diana Heaton, Charlene Woods and Steve Woods; PRAYER CHAIN: Philena Bolden; COFFEE HOUR: FLOWERS: The flowers in the Memorial Fund are provided by the Blackshear Fund in memory of The Rev. and Mrs. Robert H. Blackshear.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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Office Hours: Wed: 10AM-3PM, Thurs: 4-7PM,
On Call Friday and Saturday

Sunday	8:30 AM	Community Breakfast (<i>Social Hall</i>)
October 7, 2018	9:15 AM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
<i>World Communion Sunday</i>	10:00 AM	Worship (with Communion)
	11:30 AM	Coffee Hour (<i>Social Hall</i>)
	11:30 AM	Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal
	12:00 PM-2:00 PM	Gates of Heaven Worship Service/Coffee Hour
Monday	7:00 PM-9:00 PM	N.A. Meeting
Tuesday	7:30 PM	Christian Education Ministry Meeting (<i>Library</i>)
	7:30 PM	Gates of Heaven
Wednesday	7:30 AM	Morning Prayer call 1.641.715.3277, 703366#
	6:30 PM	AA
Friday	4:30 PM-8:30 PM	Youth Ministry (<i>Social Hall</i>)
	7:30 PM	Gates of Heaven Bible Study
Saturday	6:00 PM	"Spirit Talk" (<i>Worshipping Center</i>)
Next Sunday	9:15 AM	Chancel Choir Rehearsal
October 14 2018	10:00 AM	Worship
<i>Baptism</i>	11:30 AM	Coffee Hour (<i>Social Hall</i>)
	11:30 AM	Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal
	12:00 PM-2:00 PM	Gates of Heaven Worship Service/Coffee Hour

Flowers are needed for upcoming Sundays. Call Fay Meneses, 737-4675

Can we pray for you? Join us each Wednesday for prayer by phone.

Pastor Stephany can be contacted for appointments or emergencies at: 410.493.6748

Vision Statement

The Peekskill Presbyterian Church is a faithful and diverse community of Christians with varied backgrounds, ethnicities, talents, and ages. Guided by the Holy Spirit, we are committed to nurturing individual and corporate faith through: *Vibrant Worship; Committed Stewardship; Relationship Building Fellowship; Mission Focused Discipleship; and Servant Leadership.*

Save the Date

October 20, 2018 – Saturday, 6:00 PM-9:00 PM, Congregational Dinner & Movie, Social Hall

October 27, 2018 – Saturday, 8:30 AM-12:00 PM, Work Bee, Cleaning Chandeliers/Painting

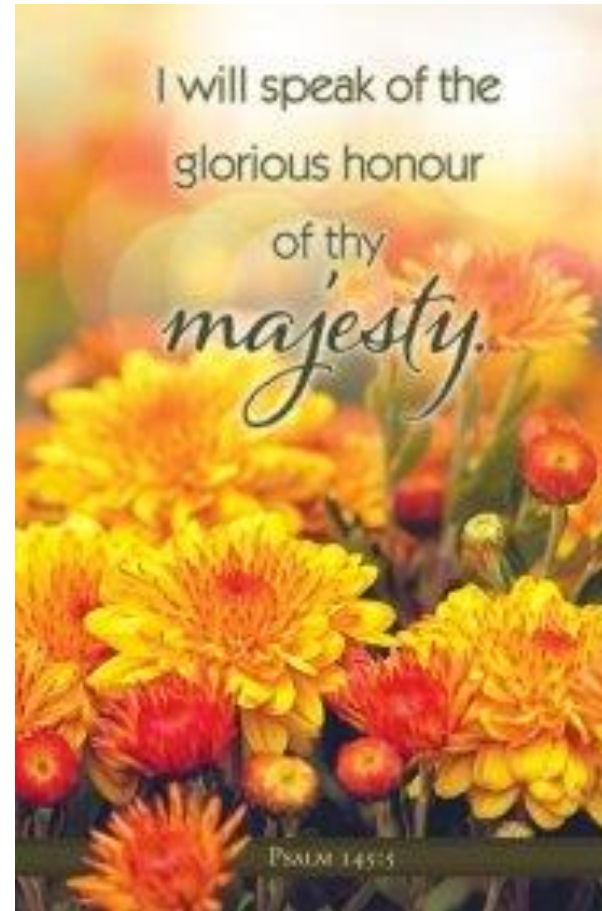
October 27, 2018 – Saturday, 6:00 PM, "Spirit Talk", New Worshipping Center

November 6, 2018 – Tuesday, All Day, Photos for new directory by appointment, Social Hall

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Praying, Serving and Sharing Together
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