



Connecting with PCL

Worship this Sunday



SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

July 5

"Imagining Freedom"

Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

Rev. Mike Eller

SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE

NO Sunday School

Worship Service at **10:30am**

There will be no Activity Period during the Summer months

SUNDAY'S LEADERS

Elder: Rachel Stott

Second Reader: Vicky Li

Greeter: Nancy Salvati (month of July)

Ushers: Emily Haines, Milo Haines-Walker

Coming Up

Happy 250th Everyone!

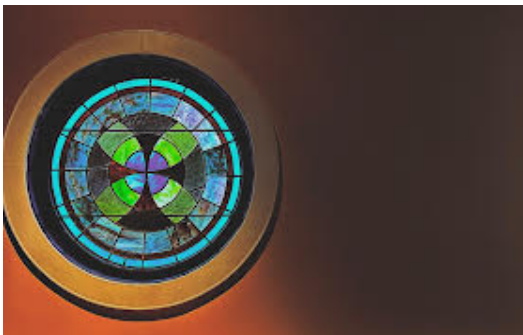


Today, we mark the 250th anniversary of the US. This is a remarkable milestone, which we celebrate with gratitude as well as with honesty.

We give thanks for the ideals that have inspired generations: liberty, justice, equality, and the hope that all people are created with inherent dignity and worth. At the same time, we celebrate with honesty. We know that our nation's story is also marred by exclusion, violence, and ongoing injustice. We have a long way to go.

Perhaps the most patriotic thing people of faith can do is not to pretend we have arrived, but to continue the work of becoming—to continue to seek justice, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with God.

No Sunday School through the Summer



As schools break for the Summer, so will our Sunday School classes. There will be **no Sunday School** through the Summer months.

Parents, also note that there will be **no Activity Period** (4th grade and younger) during the Summer. Children are to remain in the worship service for the duration.

Welcome Baby Isla!



Isla Marie Dailey

June 26, 2026

1:16am 8lb 2oz 19.5in

It is with joy that we welcome **baby Isla!** Laura Collins is now a proud aunt. Isla Marie Dailey was born on June 26, 2026 to mom, Taylor, and Dad, Kyle, who all doing well.

Sept. Retreat (Johnsonburg) FAMILY INTEREST FORM



The 2026 **Church Retreat** will be the weekend (Saturday and Sunday) of September 26-27 at Camp Johnsonburg. For information about the camp, visit their website:

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

For now, we need to know how many children will be attending. Families, please fill out the Family Interest Form to let us know if you plan to attend. This is NOT the official Registration Form. At this time, we just need to submit the number of children who might attend.

VISIT HERE: <https://forms.gle/uaM1CzNNK9EMZ4796>
(or scan QR code)



Other Announcements

Jazz Jam will be this Friday, July 10.

The next **Session Meeting** will be next Tuesday, July 14 at 7:30pm.

Stenken/Bingham Scholarship It is with great joy that we announce this year's recipients of the Stenken/Bingham Scholarship: **Levi VanDeWeert and Lyla Bacon**. Levi will be attending WPI and Lyla Bacon will be attending Hunter College. The scholarship supports the education of those who have been faithful participants in Christian Education in particular and the work and worship of the church as a whole. Please join us in congratulating Levi and Lyla, and in keeping them in prayer as they take this next step. We are proud of them and grateful for the legacy of generosity that makes these scholarships possible.

This Week at PCL

July 5 (Sun)

10:30 am—Worship with Communion

July 9 (Thurs)

7:00 pm—BollyX Class

July 10 (Fri)

8:00 pm—Jazz Jam

July 11 (Sat)

10:00 am—Support Group Meeting

July 12 (Sun)

10:30 am—Worship

Rev. Mike Eller (he/him/his)

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General Office Hours

Day off: Friday

Mon-Thurs: 10-3 pm

Sun: *Schedule with Mike*

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