

TODAY'S WORSHIP THEME:

God has saved me = God has really touched me. We are in contact with Him. Our lives are "in Christ." Think of a baby in his mother before birth. Only BAD things can happen when the connection there is interrupted, blocked or severed. If your LIFE is IN CHRIST, only negative things happen when you try to live apart from Him. Draw your life from Jesus today. Please the Father by always depending on JESUS, never on yourself!

MORNING WORSHIP

Order of Worship
[* = Congregation Standing]

Announcements

Silent Prayer and Meditation

* Call to WorshipPsalm 99:1-3

* Prayer Invoking the Presence and Blessing of God

* Apostles' Creed

* Celebration Hymnal #3 Holy, Holy, Holy

* Open the Eyes of My Heart

* Know You

* Draw Near to You

Old Testament Reading Psalm 51

Pastoral Prayer

Bringing our Offerings to God

Offertory Doxology * Prayer*

Ministry of the Word

Scripture Reading 1 Thessalonians 4:1-8

"Paul to Thessalonians 17 - The Sanctified Life - Part 1"

Pastor Ed Gross

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

* Celebration Hymnal # 63All Creatures of our God and King

Stanzas 1, 3, 4 & 5

* God's Parting Blessing

Thought for the Week

"Thank you, Holy Father, for wanting to connect with me!"

THIS WEEK AT PILGRIM

Sunday	9:15-9:45 AM Prayer Meeting in Pastor Ed's office 10:00 AM Sunday School for all ages
Monday	7:00 AM Prayer Service at Pilgrim 7:30 PM Living Sacrifices Men's Group at Pilgrim
Tuesday	6:00-7:30 AM Men's Fraternity at Church of the Living Savior 10:30-11:30 AM Bible Study at Ivy Ridge Assisted Living 2:00-3:00 PM Cook Wissahickon Christian Release Time 6:00-8:00 PM Men's Fraternity at Pilgrim
Wednesday	7:00 AM Prayer Service at Pilgrim 7:00 PM Terrace Street Neighborhood Group, 203 Hermit Street, 215-742-7649. 7:30 PM Small Group at Donna Templin's, 876 Manatawna Avenue, 215-483-8329. 7:30 PM Walnut Lane Neighborhood Group at Tim & Becky Wainwright's, 660 Wendover Street, 215-756-1125.
Thursday	1:00 PM Prayer Meeting at Lil Turner's 203 Hermit St
Friday	7:00 AM Prayer Service at Pilgrim
Saturday	7:15 AM Men's Prayer Time at Pilgrim

COMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our average weekly giving for the month of February was \$4,638.
The amount needed to meet our budget is \$4,375.

TODAY 1-3 PM	Luncheon and Baby Shower for Crystal Booth.
Tonight 6 PM	Introduction to Membership Class. Please come even if TODAY was your first day with us if you are interested!
Thurs., Mar. 6 9:30-11:30 AM	MOPS meeting at Pilgrim.
Fri., Mar. 7 7 PM	The South Philly Monthly Worship and Watch at Christian Compassion Baptist Church 1608 Point Breeze Ave.
Sat., Mar. 8 9-11 AM	Women's Breakfast at Pilgrim. Come hear an inspirational talk from "Women of Faith." Bring a breakfast item to share. Childcare provided. Bring one or more items of clothing or accessories in good condition to exchange.
Sun., Mar. 9 2-3 PM	Monthly Outreach Fellowship at Ivy Ridge Assisted Living

EASTER SERVICES

**Maundy Thursday, March 20th 7 PM at Pilgrim,
Good Friday, March 21st combined service Noon at Pilgrim,
NCA Easter sunrise service, Sunday, March 23rd at 7:00 AM, Gorgas Park
Easter morning worship 11 AM at Pilgrim.**

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Pray for the Worldwide Spread of the Gospel

- North Africa - Pray for Nina and Jeff McRobbie who have both contracted lung infections and for Nina, especially, as she needs God's special comfort and friends in this very paternalistic culture.

Pray for One Another

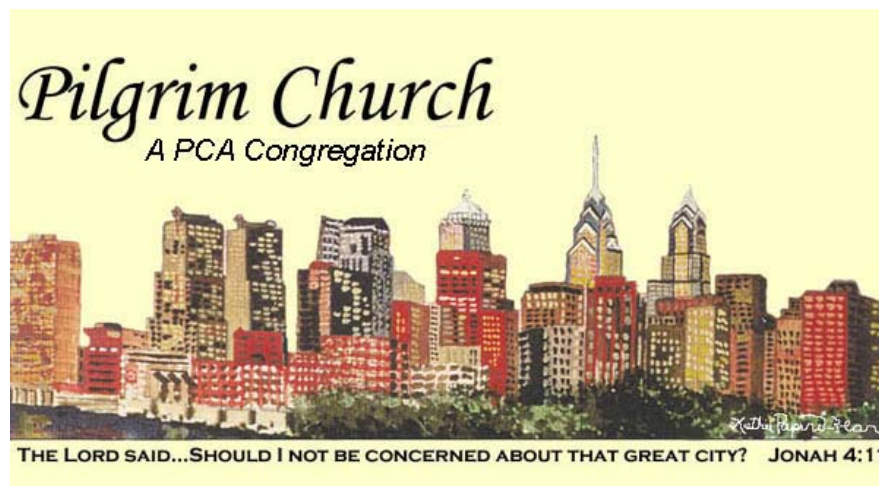
- Pray that all Pilgrim will long for God's will that leads to joyful and holy living.
- Pray for the Women's Breakfast on Saturday - that many visitors will come!
- Praise God for our growing Men's Fraternity! Pray for even more to join us this Tuesday for week 4.
- Pray for the New Members Class - that many will want to commit further to Christ and His Body at Pilgrim.
- Pray for the many visitors coming to Pilgrim each week - that God will powerfully impact their lives and lead them further to Jesus.

Weekly Devotional for the Week of 3/2/2008		
	Morning	Evening
Sunday	At Church	1 Peter 1:13, 15
Monday	Psalm 24	Psalm 99:3,5,9
Tuesday	Psalm 25	Isaiah 6:1-5
Wednesday	Psalm 26	Habakkuk 2:19-20
Thursday	Psalm 27	Hebrews 7:26-28; 10:10
Friday	Psalm 28	Hebrews 12:14-17
Saturday	Psalm 29	2 Peter 3:11-14

Memory Verse

"Therefore, Prepare your minds for action; be self-controlled... just as he who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do" (1 Peter 1:13, 15).

Date	SS Nursery	AM Worship Nursery	Greeter	Worship Elder
Today	Valerie Heywood	Mary Mancini Andrew Maienshein	Mimi O'Brien	Rich Yates
3/9/08	Geoff Brock	Katie Brock Elsa Heubach	Grace Heywood	Ed Gross



March 2, 2008

***To all who are spiritually weary and seeking rest;
To all who mourn and long for comfort;
To all who struggle and desire victory;
To all who sin and need a Savior;
To all who are strangers and want fellowship;
To all who hunger and thirst after righteousness;
And to whoever will come –
This church opens her doors
And offers her welcome in the name
Of the Lord Jesus***

Our Mission

Pilgrim Church exists to glorify God with other Christians through constant worship and the making of true Christian disciples of all those around us, by reaching every man, woman and child with the gospel in our section of Northwest Philadelphia and then throughout the earth.

Our Vision

Pilgrim Church is devoted to the joyful worship of God and the loving service of our neighbors, seeking to reach every man, woman and child in our area with the gospel by working with other Christians in a strategic outreach of Christ-centered deeds and gospel words that connect us with all our neighbors from every culture.

Christ, Living Head of the Church and Chief Shepherd of the Sheep

Minister: Every member of the congregation:

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