



# SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

## November 2024 Announcements



### Join Us

#### Adult Sunday School - (virtual)

Every Sunday from 8:00am

[meet.google.com/scc-ghrd-cfh](https://meet.google.com/scc-ghrd-cfh)  
Join by phone: +1 (828) 705-6092  
PIN: 356 398 253#

#### Every Wednesday SBC Bible Study

12:15 pm sessions will resume on 9/11  
7pm - Virtually Only

#### Adult Sunday School (in person)

Every Sunday 9:00am

#### Intercessory Prayer Call

[meet.google.com/irg-ykcz-cfh](https://meet.google.com/irg-ykcz-cfh)  
Join by phone: (650) 779-0279  
PIN: 205 702 116#

### How to join 10:30am sunday worship service



How to Join 10:30 am Sunday  
Worship Service  
Youtube & Facebook



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Join us via  
YouTube & Facebook



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### Communion Sunday



### Hebrews 10:23-25



Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; for he is faithful that promised;  
And let us consider one another to provoke unto love and to good works: Not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together, as the manner of some is; but exhorting one another: and so much the more, as ye see the day approaching.

### Prayer Requests

Send your prayer request to:  
[i.pray@shilohchesterpa.org](mailto:i.pray@shilohchesterpa.org)



Scan QR Code

to access SBC's website

(610) 872 8147

[shiloh.clerk@shilohchesterpa.org](mailto:shiloh.clerk@shilohchesterpa.org)



[ShilohChesterPA.com](http://ShilohChesterPA.com)



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*From The Pastor's Desk...*

# MOURNING



“It is better to go to the house of mourning, than to go to the house of feasting: for that is the end of all men; and the living will lay it to his heart. Sorrow is better than laughter: for by the sadness of the countenance the heart is made better. The heart of the wise is in the house of mourning, but the heart of fools is in the house of mirth.”

Ecclesiastes 7:2-4

During a recent time of grieving my grandmother in 2020, the Lord brought Ecclesiastes 7:2-4 to my remembrance. As I reflected upon the verse I knew the Holy Spirit was comforting me with the truth I was receiving. I couldn't get away from the phrase: “it's better to go into the house of mourning than to go to the house of feasting.”

For many they have not yet been able to join in on festivities of the holiday seasons as they approach or even engage in happy conversations. I was perplexed as to why I was so tired after a simple conversation and why I wasn't “snapping out” of the grief faster.

During a time of grieving, it is extremely hard to be happy. I recalled how hard it was to put on a smile and try to act like I was happy when inside I was extremely sad. It was even harder to be in a group of happy people and try to make yourself act happy. This was going against the core of my true emotional and spiritual state at the time of grief. Our grief speaks of the level of the love and honor we had for the person we've lost.

When I am sad and grieving a loss, I am not real or authentic when I am putting on a happy face. It is taking more emotional energy for me to be happy. It's depleting me of valuable resources that I need right now to replenish. So, putting on a happy face when I am not happy is not authentic but fake. It is not replenishing me; it's draining me of the emotional energy that I need to process my loss and grieve the passing of my friend. If I'm honest, sometimes it even makes me feel angry that I'm being forced to be happy when I shouldn't have to be.

Grief is not something to hide, it reflects love and honor. It's a time to reflect on what you loved the most or honored the most in the person, and the love and honor you want to give, but now you cannot give. The more you loved someone, the more you grieve. All unspent love gathers up in the corners of your eyes when you recall the good memories. The happiness of the good memories is authentic but cannot come until you allow the sadness of the reality that they are no longer present. Grief is love with no place to go until you determine how to honor the person after they are gone. Then, all the love is poured into honoring by carrying on their legacy.

Many people remove anything from the home that would remind them of a loved one who passed. They don't know what to do with the feelings that come when they are constantly reminded of their loved one. When you're allowed to grieve properly, keeping cherished items and traditions reflecting honor, allows legacy to carry on, and keeps the love alive.

During this holiday season, take the time to remember the impact your loved one had, and reflect on how you can make the same impact on others.



*Pastor Marvin E. Barner Jr.*

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[www.shilohchesterpa.com/news-information](http://www.shilohchesterpa.com/news-information)

## November HEALTH AWARENESS

- Bladder Health Month
- Diabetic Eye Disease Month
- Lung Cancer Awareness Month
- National Alzheimer's Disease Awareness Month

### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

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|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1st Deborah Jackson        | 18th Patricia Henderson    |
| 6th Trustee Richard Slater | 18th Joseph Hollis         |
| 7th Deanna Mays            | 20th Paulette McIntire     |
| 8th Nona Stallings         | 21st Donna Northern        |
| 9th Gail McClary           | 24th Min. Michele Speed    |
| 11th Sherrell Carroll      | 26th Shelly Thompson       |
| 15th Shirley Alexander     | 27th Marla Dennis Copeland |
| 15th Tammy Thompson        | 28th Deacon Darnell Searcy |
| 15th Taquera Dunn          | 29th Rhoda Hamler          |
| 15th Thomas Roten          | 30th Kierah Gillis         |
| 16th Carrie Nelson         | 30th Tamika Walls          |
| 16th Tawina Thompson       | 30th Alice A. Davis        |

### Happy Anniversary

- 14th Trustee Colin & Dawn Walker
- 18th Michelle & Richard Hill

## November 12th 2024

### Election of Church Officials



## PRAYER FOR OUR SICK & SHUT-IN

Heavenly Father we come before you in faith, seeking your healing touch. We believe in your power to restore health and well-being. Please lay your hands upon the sick & shut-in, remove sickness or pain from their body. Grant them strength and vitality so that they may continue to serve you and others.

In Jesus name.  
Amen

## PRAYER REQUEST



- Laraine Banks 226 Willers Road, Aston, PA 19014
- Leroy Bates 721 W. 9th Street Chester, PA 19013
- Rosie Hatcher 464 Yarnall Street Chester, PA 19013
- Trustee Monroe Johnson 70 Martin Creek Court Stockbridge, GA 30281
- Gail & Cyrus McClary 206 Ginkgo Lane Chester, PA
- Emma Memminger Pine View Healthcare Center 50 N Malin Road, Broomall, PA 19008
- Nora Short 1230 Palmer Street Chester, PA 19013
- Mary Smith 2331 W. 4th Street, Chester, PA 19013
- Eartha Speed 26 Luray Rd New Castle DE 19720
- Denise Symonds 34 W. Parkway Ave, Chester PA, 19013
- Inez Walker 8528 Society Drive-Apt 528, Claymont, DE 19703
- Deacon Clyde West Penn Medicine 3400 Spruce Street Philadelphia, PA 19101
- Gladys Willis 601 Garron Point Pass Bear, DE 19071

**Gentle Reminder: 2025 Calendar of Events Meeting Tuesday November 19th. All Ministries should have a representative to address your requests as we plan for 2025.**



# Shiloh Baptist Church 2024 Theme: "THE YEAR OF RESTORATION"

**Thanksgiving BASKET GIVEAWAY!**

MONETARY GIFT OF \$75.00 WILL FEED A FAMILY

**DROP-OFF LOCATION:**  
SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH- 703 CENTRAL AVE., CHESTER, PA  
BETWEEN NOVEMBER 10-NOVEMBER 23, 2024

Contact Church Office @ 610-872-8147 or  
Tanisha Bullock @tanisha.bullock@yahoo.com

How you can help - by providing the following items to assist with completing a "THANKSGIVING BASKET"

- FROZEN TURKEY (13LBS. OR LARGER)
- BOXED STUFFING
- CANNED GREEN BEANS
- CANNED GREEN PEAS
- CANNED CORN
- TURKEY GRAVY
- POWDERED TEA/JUICE/LEMONADE
- ALUMINUM FOIL TURKEY PANS
- ALUMINUM FOIL (25SQ.FT.)
- CASE OF BOTTLED WATER

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**  
Assist in making deliveries and carrying items to recipients vehicles.

*Basket Distributions: Tuesday, Nov. 26 @ 6pm*

WE ARE ALSO ACCEPTING ANY MONETARY DONATIONS.

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## THANK YOU VETERANS

WE TRULY VALUE YOU

November 11, 2024

SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH  
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## HOLIDAY BAZAAR

SATURDAY  
DECEMBER 14TH 10AM TO 3PM

ALL ARE WELCOME

### The Church Van

Available to transport you to Sunday Worship Service. Please contact the Church Office 610.872.8147 the Thursday before and a member of the Transportation Team will contact you with your scheduled pick-up time.

### Gentle Reminders

Facility Use & Budget forms are due at least 30-60 days prior to your scheduled event

## Upcoming Meetings & Events

**Saturday, November 2nd - Deacon & Deaconess Ministry Meetings at 9:00am**

**Sunday, November 3rd - Communion/Baptism Sunday & Daylight Savings**

**Tuesday, November 5th - Presidential Election**

**Wednesdays Weekly, In Person Bible Study 12:15pm, and Virtual Bible Study 7:00pm**

**Saturdays, November 9th & 23rd- Kappa Alpha Psi Guide Right 9:00am-12:00pm**

**Monday, November 11th - Senior Ushers Meeting at 6:30pm**

**Tuesday, November 12th - Scholarship Ministry Meeting at 6:00pm & Election of Church Officials at 7pm**

**Tuesday November 12th - Pastor Support Meeting at 6:30pm**

**Thursday, November 14th - SBC Board of Directors Meeting at 7:00pm**

**Friday, November 15th - Saint Night Fellowship 6:30pm**

**Friday, November 15th - Senior Ministry Meeting at 12pm**

**Friday & Saturday, November 15th -16th - Children's Weekend**

**Sunday, November 17th - Children's Day**

**Tuesday, November 19th - 2025 Calendar of Events Meeting**

**Monday, November 25th - Trustee Board Meeting at 6:30pm**

**Thursday, November 28th - Thanksgiving Day**

### Weekly Meetings

#### Monday

**Mass Choir Rehearsal at 7:00 pm**

#### Tuesdays

**Praise Dance Ministry Rehearsal at 6:30 pm**  
**Angelic Choir Rehearsal Tuesdays at 6 pm,**  
12:15pm sessions will resume September 11th

#### Wednesdays

**Bible Study**  
**7:00 pm Virtually Only**  
12:15pm sessions will resume September 11th