

Bower Hill Community Church
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M-F 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

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November 1
9:30am Pageant Rehearsal
9:30am Worship
10:30am Fellowship (Coffee)
10:45am Youth Volunteer Training (Room 101)
11:00am Faithful Conversations (FR)
11:00am First Baptist Worship
6:30pm Youth Group (Room 110)

November 2
8:00am Montessori
7:00pm Worship Committee (Rm 101)

November 3
8:00am Men's Breakfast Group - Denny's
8:00am Montessori
10:00am Staff Meeting (Rm 101)
7:15pm –8:15pm OA Meeting (Rm 105)
7:30pm –9:00pm Troop 28 & 9028 (FH)

November 4
8:00am Montessori
9:15am Koinonia (Rm 110)
6:00pm Bell Choir Rehearsals (Choir Room)
7:00pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal (Sanctuary)
7:00pm Mayfair on Moffett (110,105)

November 5
8:00am Montessori
5:00pm Events & Outreach Committee (Zoom)
6:30pm –8:00pm Cub Scout Pack 28 (FH)

November 6
8:00am Montessori

November 7
Get Outdoors - Cancelled
8:30am Amen to Action Food Packing Project (off-site)
1:00pm –3:00pm Hooks & Needles (FR)

November 8
9:30am Pageant Rehearsal
9:30am Worship
10:30am Fellowship (Coffee)
11:00am Faithful Conversations - Boisverts lead discussion on faith and food (FR)
11:00am First Baptist Worship
2:30pm –4:30pm Carnegie Carryout Dinners Mission Project (Kitchen)
4:30pm –6:00pm Tweener Meetup Grades 3-6 (Rm. 110)
6:00pm –7:00pm Youth Group Pizza Dinner (Room 110)
6:30pm Youth Group (Room 110)

WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS
November 8

Leading in Worship
Rev. Dr. Brian Snyder

Music Director
Anne Smith

Usher Captain
Matt Belardi

Greeters
Karl Casey, Nancy Criswell
Phyllis Madden

Lector
Cynthia Gissin

Flower Deacon
Judy Jacobs

Sexton
Judy Delestienne

Web Stream
Nate Ivey

Soundboard
Glenn Child

Offering Counter
Craig Grella, Peter Smith

Coffee Hour Hosts
Nancy Andrews, Joann Goode

Growing together …in Faith…Reason…Service…and Love

BOWER HILL

Bower Hill Community Church (Presbyterian U.S.A)

Find us on the web at www.BowerHillChurch.org

Worship Aids
Large print bulletins and listening devices are available in the Narthex. Copies of this week's sermon are available from the ushers for the hearing impaired. Please ask an usher for assistance with any of the above.

Sunday School
Children and youth will begin in worship with their families and remain in their seats for A Thought to Carry, a short reflection designed to give young people a meaningful thought, question, or faith connection to carry into their week. Following The First Scripture Reading, preschool–5th grade children will be escorted to Room 105 for Sunday School using the Holy Moly curriculum, while youth in grades 6–12 are invited to Room 110 for Bible Study. Parents may pick up preschool–5th grade children in Room 105 following worship.

New to Bower Hill? Want more info?
Please feel free to pick up a visitor packet in the Narthex (just outside the Sanctuary) or scan the QR code to request more information. Contact the pastor, Rev. Dr. Brian Snyder, via the office at 412-561-4114, with any questions.

ATTENDANCE --- 10/25/2026
56 total in-person worship / 0 children

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Nate Ivey

Sexton
Jean Miewald

Web Stream
Caroline Smith, Andy Smith

Soundboard
Dave Stewart

Offering Counter
Vic Colaiaco, Andy Smith

Communion Servers
Lynn Sirinek, Phil Neusius
Sarah Neusius, Phyllis Madden



Sanctuary Flowers / Donation Dedications

If you are interested in purchasing flowers or making a donation to the charity of your choice as a dedication in memory of or in honor of a loved one, please contact the church office to request a form or information.

What's Happening this Sunday with Children & Youth

9:30 a.m. All new options for kids K- 12th grade (read below)
10:45 a.m. Volunteer Training for adults working with children in room 101.
6:30 p.m. Youth Group in room 110 for kids grades 6-12.

New Sunday Morning Classes

New Sunday morning options during worship will engage kids to think about how learnings from the Bible can be applied to their world. All youth will begin in worship and remain through *A Thought to Carry,* a new short reflection designed to give young people a meaningful thought and faith connection to carry into their week. Youth are invited downstairs afterward to participate in one of the following Sunday School options.

Holy Moly for Pre-K to 5th grade in room 105.
Children preschool through 5th grade will hear and see a video and participate in activities to deepen their thinking around Bible stories. Parents may pick up their children in room 105 after worship ends.

***NEW* Bible Study for youth in 6th – 12th grade in room 110**
Middle and high school youth are invited to join in a theme-based Bible Study during worship in room 110. Parents may pick up their children in room 110 after worship ends.

YOUTH GROUP MEETS TONIGHT!

Youth Group meets every Sunday from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. for students in grades 6-12. This weekly meetup fosters fellowship through discussing current topics in age appropriate small groups. Whether you join for the talks, the snacks, or the fun games - don't miss out and invite your friends!



Tweener Pizza and Game Night for 3rd-6th grade

Sunday, November 8, at 4:30-6:00 p.m.

Join us and bring a friend to get a glimpse of what youth group is all about! Stay for an optional pizza dinner with the 6th-12th grade youth group afterward. If you plan to stay for dinner, please RSVP by clicking the link in the Friday EBlast or contacting Amy Grella, so we can plan food accordingly.

FOOD PACKING EVENTS ARE BACK!

Back by popular demand, join an all-family service opportunity through Amen 2 Action food-packing events. Kids in second grade and up are able to participate alongside adults. This year, we will go on Saturday, November 7, from 8:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. to Saints John and Paul Church, which is near Wexford and easily accessed off Interstate 79.

Registration is needed to ensure we have enough spots reserved. To register, scan the QR Code.

FAITHFUL CONVERSATION

Join us this Sunday at 11:00 a.m. in the Friendship Room.

November 1 – Christianity at the Crossroads

UNITY FOOD PANTRY COLLECTION

November 8

The food pantry's greatest needs right now are for boxed cereal, tuna, and peanut butter. They are also collecting dessert mixes for the holidays.

All non-perishable food items are welcome!



LIGHTING THE STEEPLE DEDICATION

November 3 & 6

In memory of Linda McElroy Thomas
by her husband Robert E. Thomas.