



PITTSFORD COMMUNITY
CHURCH

PCC Bulletin Connections

June 17, 2020

Sunday Worship Options (Sundays, 10:30 am)

In addition to livestreaming at home on your own or with friends or in your car in the church parking lot (Drive-In Worship), we're happy to reopen our building for services at 25% capacity. Some safety guidelines will help us make this a safe reopening:

- Arrive early so you can avoid entering the building in groups.
- Bring and wear your own mask from the time you enter the building until you leave (even during singing).
- Use the hand sanitizer stations as you enter the building.
- Observe seating restrictions and maintain 6-foot social distancing between families.
- Be willing to worship in the Family Life Center when our Worship Center reaches capacity (we can seat 70 in the Worship Center and 100 in the Family Life Center).
- Don't move the chairs in the Family Life Center—they have been measured and placed for safe distancing.
- Parents, be sure to be with your child(ren) at all times and help them along—there will be no children's ministry classes, preschool, or nursery for a while.
- Respect the guidance of our safety team—they are part of us, and they are here to help.
- Avoid leaving in clusters—spread out as you exit.

Thank you for your cooperation as we make steps toward a full reopening.

Our Daily Breads have arrived for June – August. A supply of them will be left at the office window and at the Welcome Desk in the foyer if you wish to stop by and pick one up.

A limited number of THE 2020-2021 PCC DIRECTORIES have been printed and are available (1 per family) at or near the Welcome Desk in the Foyer. Pick one up today for your household.

We have resumed our regular office hours at PCC. We request/require social distancing, face masks, and sanitizing procedures for those that enter and use facilities.

New Members—We welcome Todd & Alina Oldham and Rich & Bethany Oppedisano into the membership of Pittsford Community Church!

GLOBAL PARTNERS UPDATE: Adelle Johnson

It has been a year of growth like no other for me. G has implemented a series of changes that have made me hold plans loosely, more flexible, and more reliant on Him .

In my new role, I am interacting more with my colleagues, supporting them, and knitting them together through sharing P requests and regional/home office communications.



My role also provides an opportunity to visit colleagues for 2 -3 months and work alongside them. This results in encouragement for the fields. They know someone has seen and understands their work at a deeper level. I've found that once I have visited the team, trust has been built and the door is open for them to connect with me after I've left.

So far, I've visited colleagues in Thailand, VN, Slovenia and East Timor. When I go, I support the team in doing whatever they ask. It's sometimes very challenging because I may be doing something I've never done before – like teaching English in a

formal setting. I've had the chance to witness to nationals in each setting. I've found G has always equipped me. All glory and honor to Him. Below is a picture from each place. Thank you for accompanying me. Your intercession and financial partnership make it possible for me to persevere and flourish in each culture, bringing the aroma of J. -- Adelle



**1st anniversary of C
In Thailand**

**Dinner by
Candlelight
(Electrical
Outage)**



Prayer Groups—Consider joining others for weekly or monthly prayer. Simply contact the prayer group “host” to receive an invitation to a Zoom-based prayer meeting:

- Tuesday Night Prayer Group (7:00-8:30 pm), email Al Emmans at alemans1@gmail.com.
- Wednesday Virtual Intercessory Prayer Group (7:30-8:30 pm), email Dana Goodnough at goodnough@pittsfordcc.org
- Sunday Morning Prayer (9:00-10:00 am), email Al Emmans at alemans1@gmail.com.
- First Friday Praying for Teens (May 1, 7:00 pm) email Maryann Quirk at sistermar2003@yahoo.com

-- Prayer Needs

- **Jean McDermott** – possible pneumonia; please pray for her health, healing, and well-being as it's been 9+ weeks of this
- **Steve and Megan Soja** ask for prayer for their daughter, Hope, who will be having heart surgery in Boston on July 28.

PCC WEEKLY PRAYER PLAN – June 17, 2020

Prayer application from Sunday's sermon, "[RIDICULOUS SIGHT](#)"

Read II Kings 6:8-23. Ridiculous Sight is the ability to see and understand things from God's perspective. He makes His spiritual perspective available to those who trust Him, exalt Him, and are led by Him. If we are NOT in that place with Him, chances are we are spiritually blind.

Ways we can know if we are spiritually blind.

- 1.) II Kings 6:8. When we make bad or short-sighted decisions, such as fighting against God.
- 2.) II Kings 6:9-10. When we ignore signs that we are going the wrong way. When we say, "It's my way or the highway".
- 3.) II Kings 6:11-14. When we respond improperly to adverse situations. Rage, pride, lack of peace.
- 4.) When we feel lost, directionless, stopped in our tracks.

Ways God blesses us when we are spiritually blind.

- 1.) II Kings 6:15-17. In His mercy, he exposes our blindness. He humbles us, for our own good.
- 2.) II Kings 6:18-19. He thwarts our plans. As He tries to form and shape us, He uses painful things to break our stubborn wills and spiritual blindness.
- 3.) II Kings 6:20-23. He crushes our pride.

REALITY CHECK - Are you blind? Are you filled with pride? Is God thwarting your plans? Has He brought you to the end of yourself on something? Will you respond to His attempts to bless you?

How should we respond?

- 1.) Read Isaiah 55:7. Recognize your blindness. Humble yourself before God.
- 2.) Read Psalm 146:8. Stop. Pray. Repent, and listen to God.
- 3.) Read Proverbs 3:5-6. Move forward in dependence on Him.

PRAYER PLAN

- 1.) Pray for scheduling of and outreach during PCC's "Worship in the Park" – Revised date TBA.
- 2.) Pray for PCC's reopening process – planning, safety, etc.
- 3.) Pray for the unrest in our nation. In what ways is our spiritual enemy attacking? Ask for wisdom and revelation of his strategy so we can be one step ahead.
- 4.) Ask for awakening/revival in our community and nation. Join the Revival Prayer Group (via Zoom) - Monday & Friday nights 7:30 PM. <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82145902070>.

Pray for PCC congregation with various needs

- 1.) Continued sharing and reach of PCC's viewership of the live stream services
- 2.) Salvation for streaming listeners who don't know the Lord
- 3.) Application of the sermons – ask God to help those who are convicted or questioning content
- 4.) Neighbors that PCC members are reaching out to
- 5.) Summer planning for families with kids
- 6.) Employment situations
- 7.) Those dealing with sicknesses or mourning
- 8.) Multiple generational presence in our prayer groups – people of all ages