

**WEST SIDE IS A WELCOMING CHURCH,
ROOTED DEEPLY IN CHRIST,
INVITING ALL TO CONNECT,
GROW AND SERVE.**

A Story Worth Telling

We couldn't do it without them—the dedicated adults and teens who show up every Sunday from September through June (that's A LOT of Sundays) to share the teachings of Jesus with our children. A heartfelt thank you to all of our Sunday School teachers and helpers as well as to the enthusiastic members who lead our adult small groups and to the devoted teachers and assistants who lovingly nurture the students at West Side Nursery School. If you see any of the individuals listed below, please say "Thank you!"



SUNDAY SCHOOL SMALL-GROUP LEADERS Christine Cha, Kathy Dickerson, Christina Dyer, Patrick Elkins, Dawn Fleming, Gretchen Horwitz, Genevieve Lowry, Sally Merchant, Christine Park, Hyun Park, Bridget Parks, Lynette Parks, Brian Quirk, Jen Quirk and Sora Torres

SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPERS AND SUBSTITUTES Shannon Andrews, Sue Barbuto, Alix Brown, Susan Clayville, Grace Coxworth, Lynne Crowley, Sara Heuer, Andrea Holt, Henry Holt, Dennis Kim, Emma Kimura, Grace Kimura, Karina Mattis, Betty McGivney, MeiLiu Merchant, Natalie Morell, Nicole Oehler, Christine Ollenschleger, Jennifer Roche, Charlotte Soll, Andrew Steenvoorden, Stephanie Steenvoorden and Pam Welch

ADULT SMALL-GROUP LEADERS Heidi Ahlborn, Mark Babunovic, Shelagh Brooke, Donna Burdick, Hilary Cassells, Beverly Cassidy, Anne Deatly, Tim Dunn, Donna Dykstra, Terry Erzmoneit, Lynn Morneweck-Fuld, John Gutekunst, Penny Hogan, Mary Ann Hoogerheyde, Randy Hoogerheyde, Jim Horton, Daphne Kim, Mollie Ledwith, Genevieve Lowry, Carol Matthews, Craig Matthews, Pat McGlade, Nicole Oehler, Dave Opderbeck, Sue Opderbeck, Nancy Dykstra-Powers and Susan McBrayer

YOUTH LEADERS AND HELPERS Bill Anderson, Linda Banach, Jamie Chumas, Lauren Gavin, Michelle Jenkins, Scott Jenkins, Genevieve Lowry, Karen McWilliams, Rachel Pontone and Marion Strauch

WEST SIDE NURSERY SCHOOL STAFF Karen Antus, Laura Aurigemma, Dianna Cha, Kelly Cusato, Lori Daniels, Kathy Dickerson, Kelly Duane, Linda Duane, Esmé Elkins, Ann Friedman, Lori Garrity, Sue Goetze, Laura Haddad, Lauren Hammerle, Lauren Hollender, Michele Kane,

Is This Your First Time Visiting West Side?

Welcome! We're so glad you're here. We look forward to helping you connect with others, grow more deeply in your faith and enrich your own life by serving others. Wherever you are on life's journey, there's a place for you at West Side.

Please stop by the visitor table located just inside the front doors, fill out a Let's Connect card and pick up a visitor bag. And please stay after the service to enjoy coffee/tea and refreshments and meet the members and pastors:

Rev. Marc Oehler, pastor, moehler@westside.org

Rev. Penny Hogan, associate pastor, phogan@westside.org

Rev. Liz Junod, pastoral associate, ljunod@westside.org

For more information about our faith community, please visit westside.org.

Jennie Kibala, Linda Lemery, Stacey Macario, Nicole Merrick, Jennifer Mullen, Eileen Panczyszyn, Lynette Parks, Jennifer Pataki, Tish Patterson, Joan Pawlowski, Kathy Polak, Alexandra Schafer, Alissa Somers, Anne Spatz, Mary Steinberg, Stephanie Taylor, Nancy Toner and Susan Varady

New Sermon Series

Where do we turn for wisdom today? The Internet? TV? Family? Friends? For nearly 3,000 years people of faith have turned to the Book of Proverbs. The Proverbs were written from the perspective of elders passing on great truths about God and daily life to the next generation. In our new sermon series starting **June 23**, we'll study five major themes from the Book of Proverbs: friendship, wisdom at work, the wise use of money, the character of the wise and wisdom in family relationships.



Third Thursday

The guys are getting together for a pool-side BBQ at Steve Marquard's house on **June 20** at 7:00 pm. Join them for an evening of great food and fellowship, and meaningful conversation around a spiritual topic. Please RSVP to Anne Lee (alee@westside.org) by tomorrow.

Luncheon for Carolyn

Come celebrate Carolyn Conetta, who has been a member of the West Side family for 12 years, at a lunch in the Narthex at noon on **June 25**. Please RSVP to Anne Lee (alee@westside.org).

Volunteers Needed for Summer Sunday School

Parents of children Pre-K through 3rd grade: Please consider volunteering in your child's Sunday School classroom this summer, either as a helper or as a small-group leader. No experience is necessary. It's super easy. And it's fun! Interested? Questions? Reach out to Esmé Elkins (eelkins@westside.org).

Summer Sunday School Starts June 23

We've moving to a two-room Sunday School format on **June 23**, with Pre-K and Kindergarten meeting in Room 206 and 1st through 3rd grades meeting in Room 306. Children will head to their classrooms during the passing of the peace. Youth in 4th through 7th grades will remain in worship with their family.



Eva's Village

Can you help serve lunch at Eva's Village on Saturday, **June 29**? We meet in the West Side parking lot at 10:45 am, carpool to Paterson and return by 1:30 pm. If you'd like to volunteer, please reach out to Craig Matthews (craiggmattthews@aol.com or 917-952-1840).

VBS at First Pres

Looking for a fun, faith-based experience for your 4-to-8-year-olds this summer? Register them for Vacation Bible School at First Presbyterian Church, **August 5 to 9**. The half-day program (8:45 am to noon) will include a Bible lesson, music, crafts, science time and snack. Cost: \$30 per child. Registration forms are available in the Narthex.

Worship and Picnic at First Pres

We're worshipping at First Presbyterian Church on **August 11** at 10:00 am! Pastor Marc will be preaching, and the service will be followed by a church picnic. Volunteer to be a greeter/usher, sing in the choir, or bring a salad or side dish by contacting Anne Lee (alee@westside.org).

Summer Choir School

If your children love to sing, sign them up for Summer Choir School. It's our 47th year of offering children a fun summer experience combining joyful music with faith formation and community. The program runs from **August 19 to 23**, and is open to children who are currently in 2nd to 8th grade. Brochures are available in the Narthex, and you can register online at westside.org.

Little Learners Music Camp

Younger kids can enjoy summer music at West Side too. Children entering K-2nd grade are invited to join us for singing, Bible stories, crafts and more—**August 19 to 23**. Flyers are available in the Narthex, and you can register online at westside.org.

TODAY AT WEST SIDE

8:00 am—Little Lambs Child Care - Room 202	10:15 am— Traditional Worship - Sanctuary
8:15 am— Chapel Worship - Chapel	10:15 am—Sunday School - Rooms 206, 306, 311, 312 and Serenity Room
9:00 am— Contemporary Worship - DePhillips Hall	11:15 am—Prayer Circle - Chapel
9:00 am—Sunday School - Rooms 206, 306, 311, 312 and Serenity Room	11:30 am—Sermon Talk Back - Chapel
9:00 am—Faith and Life- Conference Room	11:30 am—Mission and Social Concerns Meeting - Serenity Room
9:45 am—Centering Prayer - West Side Room	

COMING UP AT WEST SIDE

June 20 - Third Thursday Men's Group BBQ at Steve Marquard's home at 7:00 pm

June 22 - Imperial Brass Concert in the Sanctuary at 7:00 pm

June 23 - Summer Sunday School takes place in Rooms 206 and 306

June 29 - Eva's Village service opportunity from 10:45 am to 1:30 pm

July 4 - Office Closed for the 4th of July

July 5 - Summer Office Hours Begin - 8:00 am to 12:00 pm on Fridays

July 10 - A Day at Camp Johnsonburg for ages 6 to 11

July 27 - Youth Mission Trip with Appalachia Service Project

August 5 - Vacation Bible School at First Presbyterian Church in Ridgewood

August 11 - Worship and Picnic at First Presbyterian starting at 10:00 am

August 19 - Summer Choir School and Little Learners Music Camp

September 2 - Office Closed for Labor Day

September 8 - Homecoming Sunday