



# Morningside Messenger

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## June 2008 Worship at Morningside

Sunday, June 1, 11 a.m.

**"Sunday Brunch"**

**Text: Matthew 7:21-29**

**Joanna Adams preaching**

*The sacrament of communion will be celebrated.*

Sunday, June 8, 11 a.m.

**Sermon: "God's Zip Code"**

**Text: Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26**

**Sue Westfall preaching**

Sunday, June 15, 11 a.m.

**Sermon: "The Faith of Pharaoh"**

**Text: Exodus 5:1-18**

**Christopher Henry preaching**

*Father's Day*

Sunday, June 22, 11 a.m.

**Sermon: "A Matter of Death and Life"**

**Text: Romans 6:1-11**

**Christopher Henry preaching**

Sunday, June 29, 11 a.m.

**Sermon: "How Long, O Lord?"**

**Text: Psalm 13**

**Joanna Adams preaching**

*Infant Baptism; New Member Sunday*



## Dear Friends,

In our Brief Statement of Faith, we Presbyterians say that “the Spirit binds us together with all believers in the one body of Christ, the Church.” We claim that the Spirit also enables us “to work with others for justice, freedom, and peace.”

On June 21, the 218<sup>th</sup> General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church (USA) will convene in San Jose, CA. This gathering will bring together Presbyterians from all across the country, as well as around the world. As always, ecumenical partners and friends will be present at the Assembly. I will be there for a portion of the time. Though I am not one of the commissioners from the Presbytery of Greater Atlanta, I am a trustee of the Presbyterian Foundation, which meets in conjunction with the Assembly.

These are challenging times for our denomination, as debates over constitutional standards for ordination, dwindling resources, and theological divisions continue. Yet, in, through, and above it all, the Spirit of God is at work in wonderful ways, helping us

*To love across our differences*

*To share the good news around the world*

*To comfort the suffering*

*To advocate for those whose voices are seldom heard.*

At this Assembly, a new Stated Clerk will be elected to replace Clifton Kirkpatrick, who has filled the office with wisdom and dignity for the past nine years. A revised Form of Government will be presented for adoption by the Assembly and recommendation to the Presbyteries. Middle East concerns will also be before the Assembly, as well as major policy papers on energy and global warming.

I love the connectional nature of our Presbyterian Church (USA), which consists of 11,000 congregations and 2.2 million members. I love our tradition’s commitment to doing things “decently and in order.” I love the fact that, Assembly after Assembly, we stick together, as well we should, given the fact that no one part of the body can say to any other part, “I have no need of you.” (I Cor. 12:21)

Here in Atlanta, let’s commit to prayers for our fellow Presbyterians in San Jose.

*Almighty God,*

*In Jesus Christ you called disciples*

*and, by the Holy Spirit, made them one church to serve you.*

*Be with members of our General Assembly.*

*Help them to welcome new things you are doing in the world, and to respect old things you keep and use.*

*Save them from empty slogans or senseless controversy. In their deciding, determine what is good for us and for all people.*

*As this General Assembly meets,*

*let your Spirit rule,*

*so that our church may be joined in love and service to Jesus Christ,*

*who, having gone before us, is coming to meet us in the promise of your kingdom. Amen.*

– from the *Book of Common Worship*

Let it be so!

Your pastor,

Joanna Adams

## MPC Plans to Shower Rev. Chris, Sara

As our Associate Pastor Christopher Henry and his fiancée Sara Hayden plan their August wedding, our Congregational Life Committee plans to shower the couple with more than just good wishes. All Morningside members and friends are invited to a shower in Sara and Chris' honor Saturday, June 28, from 2 to 4 p.m. in Fellowship Hall.

Stuck for gift ideas? Sara and Chris have registered at Ten Thousand Villages in Virginia-Highlands, Williams Sonoma, Target and Pottery Barn. Anyone interested in going in on a group gift should get in touch with Sarah Brownlee, who has offered to coordinate that effort. Congregational Life also plans a reception for the newlyweds after they return to Atlanta.

## Batter Up! Men's Softball Season Starts

The Atlanta men's church league will begin summer softball the week of June 2, but it's not too late to join the team and uphold MPC's winning tradition. Just contact coach Marshall Hunter, 404 815.1608

or [Marshall.Hunter@siemens.com](mailto:Marshall.Hunter@siemens.com). The cost is \$25 per player. Watch the web and [Life@Morningside](mailto:Life@Morningside) for dates, locations and times to cheer on our team.

## New Movie Group Makes Scheduling Easy

Ever feel like there's no one around to talk about that great new film you just saw? Or even join you in dissing a movie you found you didn't like as well as you'd hoped? Either way, the new Morningside Movie Group offers a monthly opportunity to review films over dinner with a friendly group of cinema fans. One of the best parts is that you don't have to struggle to find a

night to go the theater in mass—see the movie on your own or with friends at your convenience.

June's feature film is the 'serious comedy' "And Then She Found Me," directed by and starring Helen Hunt; dinner/discussion is June 11. E-mail Lucy Enniss ([lucy.enniss@gmail.com](mailto:lucy.enniss@gmail.com)) for information.

### Morningside Milestones

- Proud in caps 'n' gowns: Kyle Behm (The Westminster Schools, off to Vanderbilt University this fall), Nick Bremer (New York University with a Music degree), Miranda Brownlee (double major in Latin American and Religious Studies from Emory), Miriam McCrackin (University of Virginia with majors in Art History and Spanish), Laura Marshall (University of Georgia Law School) and Kellie Anderson-Picallo (Union Theological Seminary, New York City).
- Celebrating his first birthday, Trenton Kean also celebrated the Sacrament of Baptism, as did Anthony and Joseph Cochran May 11. Along with these young Christians, MPC also welcomed new members Michelle and Nowell Berreth, Diana and Mark Cochran, Gabriel Couret and Jay and Kelly Myers.
- The world and Morningside welcome these children recently born into our congregation: Harrison Riley, April 25, to Emy and Dylan; Hollis Holmes to Rebecca and Cha (and big brother Clint), May 7 and Harrison James, May 15, to Jennifer and Will (and proud grandmother Gail Kitchens).

## Adult Studies for Summer Explore Diverse Perspectives

Since at MPC we “don’t check our brains at the church door,” a diverse array of short-term studies fill the summer calendar for the *Exploring the Book* class meeting Sundays at 9:45 a.m. in the New Morningside Room.

June begins with the second week of Rev. Christopher Henry’s short exploration of faith and works in the Letter of James. Then June 8 Amy DeBaets, a Ph.D. student in Ethics and Society at Emory with a specialization in bioethics, particularly ethical issues in emerging technologies, will lead a special study on Genesis 11, “Thinking Theologically About Technology.” We’ll talk about how we make choices in our development and use of technology using various theological lenses. Amy and husband Brian Mills moved to Atlanta after she completed her M.Div. and Th.M. degrees at Princeton Seminary. They are regular visitors.

June 15, 22, 29, the topic will be “Perspectives on Reading the Bible as Scripture.” We will examine the startlingly wide variety of Bible approaches in our diverse culture, looking through Jewish, Roman Catholic, Latino, and Liberation lenses. Questions surrounding how to interpret the Bible are pressing and divisive in the church today. In light of this, we’ll ask what we might have to learn from the Jewish method of Midrash, the perspective of poverty-stricken Christians in Puerto Rico, or the ritual and tradition of Catholic Bible Teaching.

Through the month of July, *Exploring the Book* will take up the eternally perplexing question addressed in the Book of Job: why must the innocent suffer? This stunningly poetic story is one of the earliest and most eloquent explorations into human suffering and the heart of God. We will walk through the story, paying particularly close attention to the timelessness of its characters and plot.

## *As MPC Children Grow in Numbers, Church Sees Growth in Needs*

Three big ways to help fulfill our promise as a community to raise perky little Presbyterians call for our attention. First, our growing populations of kids needs volunteers to keep a good ratio of adults to children in our Christian education programs. The greatest need is with three-to-four-year-olds, but all age groups could use new helpers in the Sunday rotation. Contact Christian Education Chair Emilie Paille at 404 873.3985 or [Emilie\\_paille@bellsouth.net](mailto:Emilie_paille@bellsouth.net) if you can join this ministry.

Next up, we expect 65-75 kids at Morningside’s Vacation Bible School June 23-27. Volunteers, props (baskets, rustic blankets, clay pots, pitchers), bits of mosaic tile, snack items—all need to come together to make VBS a magical experience. We’re

busy sewing costumes, building wells, practicing lines, planning music—join in the fun and contact Program Director Melinda Sandkam at 404 876-7396 ext. 15 or [msandkam@morningsidepc.org](mailto:msandkam@morningsidepc.org) to see how you can help.

Thanks to the generous donation of flooring by members Sandy and Todd Jones, four of our six preschool rooms will have a totally new look--in a tiny window of time between Sunday school and the start of MPP’s July summer camp. We have from Sunday afternoon, June 29, to Tuesday, July 1, to clear classrooms, install floors and put everything back in place. Contact Sandy Jones at [sandy-bonejones@yahoo.com](mailto:sandy-bonejones@yahoo.com) or 770 321.8680 if you can help. Moving skills are just as important as floor-laying experience!

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>
9:45 a.m. Church School Classes 11 a.m. Worship; Communion 12 noon Fellowship 12:15 p.m. Strategic Planning committee 12:30 p.m. Adult Christian Education 3 p.m. Elysium concert	7 p.m. Mandolin Society 7:30 p.m. Nicotine Anon	7:30 p.m. MLPA Zoning	7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir; Venture Crew		Paris/Geneva Trip Departs	8:15 a.m. Weight Watchers 9:30 a.m. Weight Watchers
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>
9:45 a.m. Church School Classes 11 a.m. Worship 12 noon Fellowship; Playground Picnic	Preschool Summer Camp begins 7 p.m. Mandolin Society; Morningside Lenox Park Assoc. 7:30 p.m. Nicotine Anon	10 a.m. Common Ground 6:30 p.m. Preschool committee; Weight Watchers	6:30 p.m. Movie Group 7:30 p.m. Venture Crew			Paris/ Geneva Trip Returns 8:15 a.m. Weight Watchers 9:30 a.m. Weight Watchers
<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>
Father's Day 9:45 a.m. Church School Classes 11 a.m. Worship 12 noon Fellowship 2 p.m. Guitar Atlanta	6 p.m. Human Resources 7 p.m. Session; Mandolin Society 7:30 p.m. Nicotine Anon	6:30 p.m. Weight Watchers	VBS Set-up 12 noon Seniors' Luncheon 7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir; Venture Crew	VBS Set-up	VBS Set-up	218th General Assembly convenes San Jose, CA  8:15 a.m. Weight Watchers 9:30 a.m. Weight Watchers VBS Set-up
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
9:45 a.m. Church School Classes 11 a.m. Worship 12 noon Fellowship 2-5 p.m. Vacation Bible School set-up	6:45 p.m. Parliamentarians 7 p.m. Mandolin Society 7:30 p.m. Nicotine Anon	6:30 p.m. Prayer Group; Weight Watchers	7:30 p.m. Venture Crew		12 noon VBS closing program	9 a.m. VBS clean-up 8:15 a.m. Weight Watchers 9:30 a.m. Weight Watchers 2-4 p.m. Shower for Chris Henry and Sara Hayden
Vacation Bible School—Vacation Bible School—Vacation Bible School—						
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>					
9:45 a.m. Church School Classes 11 a.m. Worship; Baptism; New Member Sunday 12 noon Fellowship	7 p.m. Mandolin Society 7:30 p.m. Nicotine Anon					

## VACATION SEASON AFFECTS CHURCH ACTIVITIES

What's on and what's not for the summer at Morningside? Well, don't look for *Morningside Messenger* in your mailbox or online for the month of July. We'll suspend publication for a summer break. Session won't meet in July, either. However, there will still be plenty of activity at MPC all summer—especially as we watch our elevator rise.

Senior Luncheons will continue the third Wednesday each month. More Playground Picnics after worship also are planned, with the next one June 8. Bring a dish to share and meet at the picnic tables near the playground. Call Brooke Williams at 404 881.8015 or [gilviewilliams@bellsouthnet](mailto:gilviewilliams@bellsouthnet) with questions.

The Theology on Tap and Men's Social Gatherings will take a break from these monthly gatherings (which will begin again in the fall) and will instead have a "Saturday Escape" to the North Georgia Mountains, July 12. John and Ann Watson will host at their home and land along the Appalachian Trail in Suches, GA (about 75 miles

north of Atlanta). We'll meet in the church parking lot to ride together, then spend the day enjoying mountain trails, cool air, and fellowship with one another over meals. In addition, Associate Pastor Chris Henry will lead a short discussion on "Men at Rest: The Sabbath for Men Today." When was the last time you had a truly "lazy Saturday"? Stay tuned to your e-mail and weekly "Life@Morningside" for more information about this exciting event.

Meanwhile, Women's Roundtable and Wednesday Bible Study will pause, although small group outings are in the planning stages. RHO Readers will take June off and resume regular meetings Sunday, July 13, with a discussion of *Madame Bovary*.

And mark your calendar for an all-church potluck on July 13 to welcome home Walter Huff, Jennye Guy and Lenna Turner to our choir after their tour of France performing "Porgy and Bess" with the Atlanta Opera Chorus.



### June Birthdays

1 Jill Davis  
1 Athalie White  
2 Mary Johnson

5 Clint Kehoe  
6 Dana Zahnle  
8 Bill Humphries  
8 Kyle Behm  
8 Bill McClure, Sr.  
10 Jeff O'Connor  
10 David Bothwell  
10 Mike Woods  
10 Sandra Crawford  
10 Sarah Tomaka  
11 Joan Adams  
11 Derek Metz

11 Anne Barnette  
13 Kathy Bremer  
14 Roy Simpson  
14 Bill Crawford  
14 Grace Lazzaro  
14 Lynsley Tyler  
16 Quinn Jarratt  
17 Carol Southwood  
17 Martin Dunlap  
18 Grace Gay  
20 Caroline Prevost  
20 John Keller

22 John Hawkins  
23 Lois Baldwin  
23 Elaine Tomkinson  
25 Keith Blount  
26 Kent Balch  
27 Patty Mosley  
28 Andy Anderson  
29 Jackson Adams  
29 Lloyd Prince  
29 Bart Engram  
30 Jake Frank

### Elders on Call for June

Randy Parrish June 1-7  
Jim Armstrong June 8-14  
Lynn Hogue June 15-21  
Ruthlyn Newell June 22-28  
Emilie Paille June 29-July 5

### Deacons on Call for June

Bradley Odom June 1-7  
Nancy Collins June 8-14  
James Klotz June 15-21  
Sarah Mercer Tinnon June 22-28  
Collier Maxwell June 29-July 5

## *Mission Motto: No More Stranger, Nor Guest, But Like Child at Home*

Morningside Presbyterian is excited to share reports from outreaches that we partner with about new homes, renovated homes, individuals finding homes, filling those new homes with food, clothing, household goods and lots of love.

- Lysley Tyler and Ted McMahan on behalf of all the volunteers who helped with MPC's latest Habitat for Humanity build, received the church's fourth hammer award Sunday, May 18. The new homeowner is Diane Jones who works for the City of Atlanta in the Department of Watershed Management and looks forward to having her own place to better care for her 84-year-old mother and her daughter, Ashley.

- At a spring celebration of the volunteers of Shearith Israel Night Shelter for Homeless Women, the leaders expressed a renewed desire to continue our work until no one is left homeless. The shelter has provided temporary housing for almost 1,000 women in transition since 1983, offering a consistent and structured environment as residents begin to rebuild their lives without having to worry about basic necessities. Of the 22 women served this season, 12 transitioned to supportive living or independent housing. Eight of the women also secured or maintained employment during their stay.

- When men from Clifton Sanctuary Ministries move to new homes, they are given a Welcome Home basket full of household goodies, bare essentials to fill their new homes.

- Six Star Refugee Partnership has had some exciting developments this year, with one family moving into their own home ahead of schedule and another family able to come to Atlanta in their place. Current needs for this family include trans-

portation to appointments and interviews. As they become familiar with the language and the culture, they need helpers to stay with them to answer questions and help them complete forms. The commitment can be as little as a few hours each month. Contact shepherd Holly Campbell at [hollycampbell1@gmail.com](mailto:hollycampbell1@gmail.com) or 404 233.0045 for more information or to sign up. Also, the 19-year-old son of the family needs a job. His English improves every day. If you are able to help in this search, get in touch with Holly.

- Since 1988, Our House, a free daycare center for preschool children from homeless families, has been in the same 3,200 square-foot space serving about 90 children and their parents from Fulton and DeKalb counties each year. Under the theme "A Home Outgrown" Our House has launched a capital campaign to renovate, adding more than 3,800 square feet of classroom space. The new building will allow Our House to serve 100 more families annually, caring for children from infancy to five years and working with parents toward rebuilding their lives.
- Watch for information on items to provide for In-town Community Assistance July 13-Aug. 3. ICA provides many essentials – food, toiletries and more— to those facing homelessness.
- What's a home without food? Morningside volunteers will sort food Saturday, July 19, at the Atlanta Community Food Bank, 9 a.m. to 12noon. This outreach is always lots of fun and frequently our volunteers enjoy a lunch together afterward. Use the Mission bulletin board to sign up or contact shepherd Randy Brookins at [365runswim2live1968@gmail.com](mailto:365runswim2live1968@gmail.com) or 404 444.4960.

## Tweens Off To Camp, Youth Coordinator Seeks Leaders

Our Double Digit tweens will be off to a week of fun, fellowship and study at Camp Calvin in late June, while the youth of Morningside take a break for summer. However, plans are well underway for next fall. Rebekah Diehl will remain with our youth program this coming year with her role changing from youth intern to youth program coordinator where she will work with volunteers to make youth Sunday school and youth group happen.

Rebekah will be reaching out to many of you this summer to invite you to assist with our youth program. If you have ever considered leading a youth Sunday school class, taking youth ice skating, heading up Souper Bowl Sunday with our teens or any of our other activities to keep young people involved with their church, please contact Rebekah or Program Director Melinda Sand-

kam to let them know of your interest. Later in the summer, we will be organizing training of youth volunteers and getting ready for our kickoff at the start of school. Take some time to discern if you are called to be a part of the youth programs of MPC in 2008-09.

### *Meals on Wheels Seeks*

#### *A Few Good Drivers*

Sarah Brownlee is searching for new Meals on Wheels volunteer(s) to take over one time slot – on the third and fourth Wednesdays each month beginning June 18. This Morningside/Virginia Highland route takes less than an hour. Meals are prepared and picked up at First Presbyterian Church in Midtown. For questions and further information, please contact Sarah at 404 876.3572 or [rsbrownlee@joimail.com](mailto:rsbrownlee@joimail.com).



## Openings for Preschool Summer Camp and Next Year

Morningside Presbyterian Preschool Director Martha Hartzell says the school's Summer Camp program is filling up fast, but a few openings remain. The preschool will offer four two-week sessions for children ages two through five. Camp hours are 9:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Monday-Friday, beginning June 9 and continuing until Aug. 15 (with a two week break for VBS

and the Fourth of July). Visit MPP Summer Camp link at [www.morningsidepc.org](http://www.morningsidepc.org) for all you need to enroll your child.

Due to a few families moving away from Atlanta unexpectedly, there are a few 5-day openings for three-year-olds. Contact Martha today!

## 'Godly Play' May Engage Youngsters This Fall

Have you heard about "Godly Play"? It's a creative, storytelling approach to spiritual formation for young children that we're investigating as a good possibility for our young children's Christian Education. A storyteller, using a few props and words presents stories from the Old and New Testaments to a circle of children. At the close of the story, rather than explain it to the children, the teacher and the children explore its meaning together. Then children respond individually, using art or storytelling materials to retell the story on their own. In

Godly Play, children and the adults who encounter the stories with them have the opportunity to come closer to God by using their minds, their imaginations, and their hearts. As Dr. Jerome Berryman – originator of Godly Play – says, when we know these stories "in our bones," they become our comfort and encouragement in the tough moments of life, no matter how old we are.

Emilie Paille  
Christian Education Chair

# Your Session at Work: May 19 Meeting

- On behalf of Facilities Manager **Ray McCullough**, **Rev. Joanna Adams** reported concrete for our elevator shaft – representing the main accessibility portion of our *A Time of Promise* campaign--will be poured the week of May 19. Despite rain delays, Ray still expects completion at the end of September.
- Session will review a revised Strategic Plan at the June meeting. Budget and feasibility will be main considerations. Once Session approves the plan, it will take over its implementation.
- **Bill Southwood** reported for the Finance committee that revenues surpass 2007 levels; right now 2008 revenues are 21 percent ahead of budget, but slightly lagging expenditures. The committee will continue to analyze revenue trends. Session passed a motion to spend up to \$5,000 for a church financial review. After discussion of other unanticipated 2008 expenditures, Finance will be asked about delaying this project and including it in next year's budget.
- According to the Atlanta Presbytery, Morningside is enjoying noteworthy growth. In 2007, we added a net 63 new members, for a total of 335 members at year-end. We placed second to Peachtree Presbyterian, which added 114 new members to a total of about 8,000. **Daisy Ottmann** asked that everyone wear their nametags to Fellowship Hour to help facilitate our getting to know each other better.
- The Property Committee, led by **Lloyd Prince**, reported that the garden sub-committee will plant a new hedge along the edge of the main parking lot where a neighbor's tree fell. The neighbor will remove the balance of a damaged fence before the planting. Under watering rules for new landscape, we should be able to get the hedge settled in before the heat of summer.
- For the Human Resources Committee, **Martin Dunlap** moved that we hire a seminary intern to help **Melinda Sandkam** with church programming, another need not covered in the 2008 budget. The measure passed unanimously.
- Member **Barbara Brooks** is revising MPC's wedding policy and adding more theological content, among other things. She leads a new wedding guild, which also includes **Martha Jondle**, **Sarah Mercer Tinnon**, **Leslie Prince** and **David York**. The policy will go into effect before the next wedding at MPC this fall.
- Working with Environmental Action Committee Chair **Sarah Tomaka**, **Daisy Ottmann** hosted a team conducting an energy audit of the church and then wrote a grant application, based on the audit recommendations, to Georgia Interfaith Power & Light. We requested \$14,670, half of which must be matched by MPC, plus \$5,000 to pay down interest on a construction bridge loan from the Presbyterian Investment and Loan Program.
- Program Director **Melinda Sandkam** reported that about 70 children have enrolled for Vacation Bible School, including children from 24 families not currently MPC members.
- MPC has outgrown its database software. A committee comprising **Daisy Ottmann**, **Chip Edgerton**, **Sherrill Terry** and computer specialist Mike Faff explored options and recommended software designed for and used by many churches from ACSTechnologies. After discussion the Session approved buying the basic ACS database module for \$995 plus \$21.75 per month in support, with necessary training, and a file server as recommended by Mike Faff to allow all the staff to use the powerful new tools. The motion was amended to consider additional modules next year as the budget permits.

**Ruthlyn Newell**

Clerk of Session

## *Music Continues to Ring Out While Walter's Away*

While Organist/Choirmaster Walter Huff and choir members Jennye Guy and Lenna Turner are in France performing Gershwin's "Porgy and Bess" with the Opéra-Comique de Paris, MPC continues to enjoy the music of our newly renovated Wickes-Coulter organ and our outstanding Chancel Choir. Filling in for five of the seven weeks Walter will be away is Jeremy Rush, director of handbells and associate organist at Peachtree Presbyterian. The congregation immediately noticed a change when the choir entered the Sanctuary May 18, accompanying their hymn and the organ on handbells.

Subbing for Walter on the other two Sundays will be Gene and Sarah Martin. Mrs. Martin was Walter's first piano teacher when he was eight years old.

See the story on Page 8 about our 'welcome home' potluck for our traveling friends.



*A New Look* behind the organ—Jeremy Rush fills in this summer while Walter Huff is in France.