

## Palisades Presbyterian Church

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### Participants for January 21, 2007

Ministers	All the People
Interim Minister	Ray Bagnuolo
Music Director	Michael Shapiro
Lay Reader	Nina Voneckard
Children's Education	Carrie Adessi
Ushers	Arnold Finck & Robert Moore
Ride Deacon	Maria Gagliardi
Deacon of the Month (January)	Maria Gagliardi
Coffee Hour Deacons	Margaret Allen and Dallas Abbott
Session Representative:	Ann McKie
Pal Pres Editor	Ann McGill
Bulletins	Nancy Griffing

**If you are a visitor**, please sign the guest book in the Narthex and join us for coffee hour to learn more about the life of this church. Speakers are installed in the choir room in the Parish House so parents and guardians of infants and toddlers may hear the service.

**Weekly Gatherings:** See inside for any changes during this week.

Tuesdays 10:00 A.M.: Tai Chi

Wednesdays 12:15 P.M. Bible Study

Wednesdays AA Meetings: 7:30 P.M. (Women's Group); 9:00 P.M. Meeting

Thursdays 10:00 A.M.: Play Group; 8:00 P.M.: Choir Rehearsal

Fridays 10:00 A.M.: Chair Tai Chi

<sup>(1)</sup> Please email any announcement to Ray at [ppc10964@verizon.net](mailto:ppc10964@verizon.net)

<sup>(2)</sup> For updated announcements, calendar, sermons, and other information, please visit our website at [www.ppc10964.org](http://www.ppc10964.org)

<sup>(3)</sup> Also, please check our Presbytery website at [www.hudrivpres.org](http://www.hudrivpres.org)

<sup>(4)</sup> Presbytery Church USA web can be found at [www.pcusa.org](http://www.pcusa.org)

## Announcements: January 21, 2007

### Directory Survey Online

[www.ppc10964.org](http://www.ppc10964.org) and follow the links!

### 2007 Pledges – Almost There!



Thank you! As of Friday, we were within \$1,000 of our goal of \$86,000! Every pledge makes a difference, whether a few dollars a month or more. It's not just the financial part that is important. It's also the connection of being involved in another way that brings us together as a community and congregation. So, please know we mean it when we say that every pledge of any size is meaningful and very welcome. And, if this is a time when pledging simply is not possible, please know, as well, that the most important part of our life together is that you are here! We need you with us, so whatever your pledge – pledge to be with us and as active as you can in the life of the church we share. We will keep you informed of our progress and look forward to seeing you next week at our congregational luncheon and annual meeting. We're hoping for a large turn out – especially with the important work at hand. Lastly, if you need a pledge packet, please see one of the ushers. *We welcome all members and friends to pledge.*

### Congregational Luncheon and Meeting on Sunday, January 28<sup>th</sup>!

Soup and Bread Luncheon following worship. Congregational Meeting begins at 12:30 P.M. We will meet for the purpose of:

- (1) Receiving Annual Reports
- (2) Receiving the 2007 Budget
- (3) Receiving the Report of the Nominating Committee/  
Receive Nominations and to elect Elders and Deacons
- (4) Receiving Nominations for the Pastor Nominating Committee (PNC)  
and vote on the nominations, for the purposes of forming the PNC.

**SESSION & DEACONS!** Just a reminder that our Retreat and Officers Training will be held on Saturday, February 3 from 9:00 A.M. – 1:00 P.M in the Parish House. We'll have bagels and coffee ready by 8:30 A.M. – but please bring a bagged lunch and drinks for the noon hour. We'll break into groups about that time and will have a chance for lunch, if you choose to bring any! Chances are a few bagels will have survived – if you forget!

Readings & Other Information for Upcoming Services

Sunday, January 28: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 First Reading: Jeremiah 1: 4-10  
 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 13: 1-13  
 Gospel Reading: Luke 4: 21-30

Sunday, February 4: Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
 First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-8 (9-13)  
 Gospel Reading: Luke 5:1-11

Activities for the Week of January 14

Sun., Jan. 21  
 Tue., Jan. 23 7:30 P.M. Mission Meeting  
 Wed., Jan. 24 12:15 P.M. Bible Study  
 7:30 P.M. AA Women's Meeting; 9:00 P.M. AA Regular Meeting  
 Thu., Jan. 18 10:00 A.M. Children's Play Group  
 8:00 P.M. Choir Rehearsal  
 Fri., Jan. 26 TBA Midnight Run

2007 Extended Calendar:

Tue., Jan. 30 7:30 P.M. Mission Meeting  
 Sat., Jan. 27 9 – 3 Annual Meeting for Greenbush Presbyterian Church

**Sun., Jan. 28 11:30 A.M.  
 Pot Luck Soup Luncheon – followed by the Congregational Meeting  
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2007 Extended Calendar- Continued:

**Sat., Feb. 3 8:30 – 1:00 P.M. Annual Retreat & Officer Training** Parish House

Sun., Feb. 4 10:00 A.M. Welcoming Table Worship inviting members of the Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, and Questioning Communities throughout the Greater Rockland Area to join us for Worship, Communion, and Gathering.

Sat., Mar. 3 6:00 P.M. Palisades Pot-luck and Picture Show! Don't miss it!

Sun., Mar. 18 6:00 P.M. Irish Poets and Poetry Readers! More to come!

Phoebe Rides for January

<u>Date</u>	<u>Pick-up</u>	<u>Return Home</u>
1/14	John McKay	Sue Shaw
1/21	Richard Hansen	Jack Hoffmeister
1/28	Stephen Van Dyk	Sue Webb

Usher Schedule for 2006

1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of each month	James Rubenstone & Richard Hansen
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month	Roger Buck & Robert Rasmussen
3 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month	Arnold Finck & Robert Moore
4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month	Fred Griffing & Ann McKie
5 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of each month	John McKay & Stephen Van Dyk

Communion Servers (Elders)

February 2007	Bigelow Green, Fred Griffing
April 2007	Kathie Tiitsman, Open
June 2007	Stephen Van Dyk, Open

Lay Reader Rota Through February 2007

1/28	Ivan Szendro
2/04	Mercy Garland
2/11	Janice Van Buskirk
2/18	Annemarie Sellinger
2/25	Mercy Garland