

5.17.26 Heritage Updates

2026 Graduates

Congratulations! We want to celebrate YOU! If you are receiving a diploma or degree this spring, please email Kristin in the office so we can get some more info and include you in our graduation celebration.

May Ladies' Dinner Out, Tuesday, 5/19

All women are invited to meet for dinner at Café Napoli on Kirkwood Hwy at **6:00 pm on Tuesday, 5/19**. Contact Amy Forrest at 302-359-2194 by noon on 5.19 if you plan to attend .

Thursday Women's Study, 5/21

We're continuing with Lesson 8 of *Living a Purposeful Life*, meeting every **other Thursday from 10:00 - 10:30 am** here at the church.

Mission Prayer Meeting, 5/21

We meet immediately following the Women's Bible Study to pray for our local and foreign missionaries and organizations. (Men, you're invited too!) We meet **every other Thursday from about 10:30 - 11:00 am**.

Men's Bible Study, 5/30

Note change of schedule, **5/30 at 8:30 am**. Continuing our study of Ruth, meeting at John Hrenko's home (111 Michaels Ln, Newark). All men are welcome! Contact John Hrenko for more information at 302-704-6798.

Ladies' Tea & Garden Tour, Saturday, 5/30

All ladies are invited for tea at the Mayberry's and a personal tour of some of the lovely gardens of Historic New Castle. Please sign up in the hall. To make parking easier, please plan to **meet at the church at 12:30** and carpool to the Mayberry's.

Presbytery Young Adult (18-30) Fellowship, 5/30

The next presbytery Young Adult Fellowship will be on **Saturday, 5/30 at 7pm at Gospel CAN** (105 Morrison Ave, Wilmington Manor, DE 19720.) All young adults are invited for singing, fellowship & food.

Love God * Love Neighbor * Serve Sacrificially

Summer Membership Class

This summer, we will be offering a membership class that meets on Sundays after the morning worship service, **starting 5/31** and ending in August . This class is open to everyone who would like to learn more about our church (its history, beliefs, government, and membership vows). For those interested in becoming a member of Heritage Presbyterian Church, this class is required. Even if you are not pursuing membership, you are more than welcome to join us. Please call or email Pastor Ruben for more details.

God's Kingdom Building: Good Neighbors Home Repair

This year, we've set a goal to raise **\$86,000** to help individuals and families in need with critical home repairs across our service area. We are so excited to announce that our Board of Directors and some very generous friends will be matching ALL donations received in the month of May - dollar for dollar!

For the whole month of May, you donation goes twice as far to help make homes warmer, safer, drier, and healthier for those in need in our community.

- Repairing/Replacing Roofs
- Installing wheelchair ramps
- Replacing HVAC systems
- Installing hot water heaters
- Repairing/Replacing doors, windows, floors, entryways
- Installing grab bars, tub cut-outs, and handrails

How Your Donation
Makes an Impact

Heritage Kids

Nursery is available for **infants-PreK** during worship (if staffing allows). Feel free to use it for however much of the service you desire.

Junior Church is available (if staffing allows) during the 2nd half of the service for students in **Kindergarten through 4th grade**. Children are dismissed during the songs before the sermon and return during the final song. The classroom is in the back of Fellowship Hall - straight out the back of the sanctuary.

Red Folder activity pages are also available at the table by the sanctuary door for anyone who wishes to use them.

**We are so excited to partner with A Door of Hope
Pregnancy Center for the Baby Bottle Benefit!
May 1-May 31**

For 45 years, A Door of Hope has been empowering women and families facing unplanned pregnancies to make life-affirming choices. They provide ultrasounds, education, mentorship, and material support – all for free, because of the support of churches like **ours!**

Let's help A Door of Hope reach their \$100,000 Baby Bottle Benefit goal and show families Christ's abiding love!

"If we love one another, God abides in us and His love is perfected in us." 1 John 4:12

I'm in! How can I give?

- **online** on Heritage's BBB Fundraiser link on our website

HeritagePCA.net

- **cash or check designated to ADOH** along with your offering

Grow a Garden of HOPE here at Heritage



You can make your gift in memory or honor of someone special, to fill our "Garden of HOPE"



in the narthex.

After giving via any way you choose, please let us know who your gift is in honor or memory of. We'll add your information to a flower in our Garden of HOPE.

My gift is in honor of _____

My gift is in memory of _____

Given by _____

(Turn this in with your gift or in the offering plate if you gave online)