

# RELIGIOUS LIFE DIRECTORY

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**The Religious Life Council  
and the  
Division of Student Affairs**

**West Chester University**

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## INTRODUCTION

West Chester University's Religious Life Council was formed to help meet the spiritual needs of students through a cooperative working relationship between religious organizations and the University. The mission of the group is based on the belief that a student's spiritual life is an important aspect of overall intellectual and personal development.

The council, comprised of representatives from campus religious student organizations, representatives from community denominations serving WCU students, and University administrators, coordinates a variety of functions. The goals of the council are as follows:

- To develop a communications network between the University and religious organizations for the purpose of sharing information about services and programs;
- To develop a comprehensive program to acquaint students with religious organizations on the campus and in the community, and
- To serve as a resource group for the University on matters of a religious nature.

In an effort to acquaint the University community with the many and varied religious services and programs offered both on and off campus, the Religious Life Council, under the auspices of the Division of Student Affairs, has developed this directory. It is the council's hope that the following information will be of value to those seeking affiliation with a particular religious denomination and/or involvement with a religious student organization.

## UNIVERSITY RELIGIOUS STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

### **Campus Crusade for Christ:**

Campus Crusade for Christ is a movement of students where the message of Jesus has captured our hearts, transformed our lives, and caused us to engage with our community here at West Chester University, and around the world. We are a movement a group of college students from various backgrounds growing in their understanding of Jesus's message - that God loves you and wants you to know him, personally - and helping others comprehend it as well. Whether it's at our large group meetings, Fall Retreat, small group bible studies, or simply one-on-one, playing basketball or gathering at Starbucks, we not only share the message of Jesus, but also share our lives as well. Come and see for yourself. You just may be surprised at who you meet there. Check out our Web site at [www.wcucrusade.org](http://www.wcucrusade.org).

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Dr. Stefani Yorges  
Department of Psychology  
04 Peoples Building  
Telephone: 610-436-3154

Campus Director: Please see [www.wcucrusade.org](http://www.wcucrusade.org)

### **Catholic Newman Student Association/Center:**

Located just one block south of Schmidt Hall on South New Street, the Newman Center is the Catholic facility established to serve the WCU community. We are open Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; and Sunday 3:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m., with extended hours during finals week. We welcome all students to use our chapel for quiet prayer, library and computers for study, and kitchen and lounge with fireplace and television for relaxation. Activities include Bible study, choir, prayer experiences, discussion nights, community service projects, retreats, and a variety of spiritual, educational, and social programs sponsored by the Catholic Newman Student Association. Check out our Web site at [iws.wcupa.edu/stu/newman/](http://iws.wcupa.edu/stu/newman/).

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Dr. Peter Kyper  
Academic Development Program  
103 Lawrence Center  
Telephone: 610-436-1050

Campus Ministers: One priest and one lay minister of the  
Archdiocese of Philadelphia  
409 Trinity Drive  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-436-0891

### **Covenant Campus Fellowship:**

Covenant Campus Fellowship members are passionate about God's glory, our relationships with Christ, and local churches. We seek to grow in our relationships while reaching out to other students with the hope of the Gospel. We offer weekly meetings, small groups, retreats, and the Alpha course for those who have questions about Christianity. We are an outreach of Covenant Fellowship Church.

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Dr. Thomas Ahlborn  
Computer Science  
402 Anderson Hall  
Telephone: 610-436-2817  
E-mail: tahlborn@wcupa.edu

Campus Director: Mr. Joseph Stigora  
1 Fellowship Drive  
Glen Mills, PA 19342  
Telephone: 610-361-0606  
E-mail: jstigora@covfel.org

### **CrossSeekers Campus Ministry:**

Relationships are at the core of every human on the planet, and CrossSeekers Campus Ministry aims to make those relationships at West Chester University as healthy and strong as possible. At the heart of CrossSeekers is a twofold desire: (1) to have students and others in the academic community come to know Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord and (2) to equip those who know Christ to make Him known to those around them. CrossSeekers is committed to sharing the story of the gospel, engaging students in ministry and missions, growing students in Christian discipleship, and involving them in the work of the church. To that end, we are active on campus through weekly gatherings, Bible discussion groups, fellowship activities, retreats, and a whole lot more.

CrossSeekers Campus Ministry is a part of the largest network of campus ministries in the country (Baptist Collegiate Ministries) and is sponsored locally by the Greater Philadelphia Baptist Resource Network, The Journey and Paoli Baptist Church, and nationally by the North American Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention.

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Frederick Struckmeyer  
Department of Philosophy  
100 Main Hall  
Telephone: 610-436-1004

Campus Ministers: Brodie and Becky Smith  
200 S. Church St.  
Telephone: 814-880-0730

E-mail: [wcubcm@yahoo.com](mailto:wcubcm@yahoo.com)  
Web site: [www.wcubcm.wordpress.com](http://www.wcubcm.wordpress.com)

### **Gospel Choir:**

The purpose of the Gospel Choir is to minister the Gospel of Jesus Christ through song and Liturgical dancing, and to provide the University and surrounding community the opportunity to experience and appreciate Gospel music. The choir holds weekly meetings and rehearsals, as well as participates in programs and events sponsored by the community, local churches, and other universities. We sponsor two major concerts per year, Inter-Collegiate Joy Night (fall semester) and the Year-End Gospel Explosion Concert (spring semester), and participate in numerous campus-wide activities.

Faculty/Staff Advisers: Ms. Grace Hackett Kelly  
Office of the President  
106 Philips Memorial Building  
Telephone: 610-436-6974

Mr. Marcus Harrison  
Office of Residence Life and Housing  
Sanderson Hall  
Telephone: 610-436-2184

### **Hillel Jewish Student Union:**

The purpose of Hillel is to meet the needs of Jewish students at West Chester University as well as the needs of non-Jewish students who wish to better understand Judaism. The organization stresses both social and religious activities. These activities take place several times a month and have included bimonthly Torah study, connecting students with services at local synagogues, bagel brunches, speakers, and holiday celebrations such as a chocolate Seder and a Chanukah party. We also stress educational activities concerning Israel and other Jewish matters. Our students are a part of Hillel in Philadelphia (HIP), along with Temple and Drexel universities, and are welcome to participate in all HIP activities. We are affiliated with the Hillel of Greater Philadelphia and the B'nai Brith Organization. Please see our Web site at [www.hillelinphilly.org/campus/westchester](http://www.hillelinphilly.org/campus/westchester).

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Dr. Roger Barth  
Department of Chemistry  
219 Schmucker Science Center II  
Telephone: 610-436-3210

Campus Director: Jordan Bendat-Appell, rabbinical student

Hillel Office  
213 Sykes Union  
Telephone: 610-436-3121  
[jbappell@hillelinphilly.org](mailto:jbappell@hillelinphilly.org)  
[www.hillelinphilly.org](http://www.hillelinphilly.org)

**Latter-day Saints Student Association:**

The student association of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints assists students in balancing their academic, social, cultural, and religious education.

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Dr. Lorraine Bernotsky  
Department of Political Science  
105 Ruby Jones Hall  
Telephone: 610-436-2286

Campus Director: Mr. A. Wayne Burton  
541 North Walnut Street  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-696-6591

**Lutheran Student Association:**

The Lutheran Student Association seeks to welcome, encourage, and nurture West Chester University students who are dealing with questions of faith and life in an academic community. In weekly meetings of discussion, worship, and prayer, we support one another in the context of Christian fellowship. A variety of other activities, including service opportunities, are available throughout the year to supplement the campus experience. The Lutheran Student Association is affiliated with Calvary Lutheran Church. Participation is open to all West Chester University students.

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Dr. James Lewandowski  
Department of Geography  
108 Ruby Jones Hall  
Telephone: 610-436-2724

Pastor-Adviser: Pastor Bill Seamon-McGowan  
Calvary Lutheran Church  
730 S. New Street  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-696-2475

**Muslim Student Association:**

The Muslim Student Association (MSA) meets to promote unity among the Muslim students at WCU. The group desires to remove misunderstanding about Islam and promote better interreligious harmony. The association establishes Friday prayers, including the sermon, and plans Islamic religious festivals. Prayer meetings, sermons, and festival gatherings are open to all students of WCU.

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Dr. Naseer Ahmad  
Department of Chemistry  
231 Schmucker Science Center II  
Telephone: 610-436-2476

### **Young Life:**

Young Life at WCU is committed to being a mission community of Christ-centered people to reaching adolescent youth with the Gospel of Jesus Christ. We believe that we, as a community of adult Christians who belong to a broad diversity of church traditions, have been called and gifted by God to carry out this ministry. We do this by building personal relationships with young people, by sharing our lives and participating with them in a variety of experiences through which the Gospel can be heard and experienced. Our weekly meetings are a time of fun, fellowship, teaching, and encouragement in our personal walks with Christ as students are prepared and equipped to go into the local high schools with the love of Jesus Christ.

Faculty/Staff Adviser: Mr. Jeffrey Harris  
Department of Health Sciences  
302 Sturzebecker HSC  
Telephone: 610-436-2655

Campus Adviser: Mr. Todd Madonna  
7 West Gay Street  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-344-7330

**LOCAL CHURCHES, SYNAGOGUES, AND WORSHIP GROUPS**

**AFRICAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH (A.M.E.)**

***Bethel A.M.E. Church***

Address: 334 E. Miner Street  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-431-7866  
Contact: Pastor Lanxton Washington  
Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service: 10:45 a.m.

*Wednesday*

Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.

**ASSEMBLIES OF GOD**

***Trinity Assembly of God***

Address: 1022 Pottstown Pike  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-692-1897  
Contact: Rev. Dan Clark, Pastor  
Web site: [www.trinityag.org](http://www.trinityag.org)  
Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Early Worship and Christian Education: 9:00 a.m.  
Worship Celebration: 10:30 a.m.

**BAHA' I**

***Baha' i***

Telephone: 610-918-1329  
Contact: Susan Mason  
E-mail: LYCAR1@comcast.net

*The Baha' i faith teaches that all religions of the world come from the same God, and that there is only one religion, that being the religion of God. God sends different divine teachers at different times. Each of these divine teachers, otherwise known as prophets, such as Krishna, Moses, Buddha, Christ, and Muhammad, teach that He will return. For Hindus, it is the reincarnation of the Lord Krishna; for Buddhists, the arrival of the Fifth Buddha; for Christians, the return of Christ; and for Muslims, the coming of the twelfth Imam. Baha 'u 'llah, the manifestation for the Baha' i faith, claims to be the Promised One of all religions.*

**BAPTIST, AMERICAN**

***Baptist Church of West Chester***

Address: 221 South High Street  
West Chester, PA 19382

Telephone: 610-696-7466

Contact: Pastor Donna Hailson

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.

Worship Service: 9:30 a.m.

**BAPTIST**

***Bible Baptist Church***

Address: 1237 Paoli Pike  
West Chester, PA 19380

Telephone: 610-692-4492

Contact: Pastor Michael Ascher  
Mr. John Caputo

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.

Morning Worship: 10:30 a.m.

Evening Service: 6:00 p.m.

*Wednesday*

Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

*Transportation available*

***First Baptist Church of Newtown Township***

Address: 3722 West Chester Pike  
Newtown Square, PA 19073

Telephone: 610-356-1082

Contact: Pastor David Frampton

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.

***Landmark Baptist Church***

Address: 40 West Pennsylvania Avenue  
Downingtown, PA 19335

Telephone: 610-269-7716

Contact: Dr. Yannizzi, Pastor

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.

Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.

Evening Worship: 6:00 p.m.

*Thursday*

Service: 7:00 p.m.

***St. Paul's Baptist Church***  
***(National Baptist Convention USA, Inc.)***

Address: 1 Hagerty Boulevard  
West Chester, PA 19382

Telephone: 610-692-2446

Contact: Rev. Robert Scott Jones

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Worship Service: 10:45 a.m.

*Wednesday*

Prayer Band: noon

Prayer Meeting: 6:30 p.m.

Bible Study: 7:00 p.m.

***The Journey***

Address: 200 S. Church Street  
West Chester, PA 19382

Telephone: 610-344-9332

Contact: David Pearson

Web site: [www.thejourneywc.org](http://www.thejourneywc.org)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.

*The Journey is a new church starting in the fall of 2007 that is interested in helping students encounter God and experience community through genuine worship, relevant messages, and ministry together. The Journey sponsors CrossSeekers Campus Ministry at WCU and is conveniently located just four blocks north of campus.*

**BAPTIST, REFORMED**

***Grace Covenant Baptist Church***

Address: 111 Lloyd Ave.  
Downingtown, PA 19335

Telephone: 610-430-0444

Contact: Pastor Mitch Lush, 610-486-6085

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Sunday School: 9:15 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 10:40 a.m.  
Evening Worship: 5:00 p.m.

*Wednesday*

Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

*Transportation available: 610-486-6085*

**BAPTIST, UNAFFILIATED**

***Goshen Baptist Church***

Address: 1451 West Chester Pike  
West Chester, PA 19382

Telephone: 610-696-3188

Fax: 610-918-0167

Contact: Dr. Peter Nelson, Pastor  
Mr. Al Stoltzfus, Associate Pastor  
Mr. Greg Klimovitz, Student Ministries Pastor

Web site: [www.goshenbaptist.org](http://www.goshenbaptist.org)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Services: 8:30, and 11:00 a.m.  
Church School: 10:00 a.m.

*Wednesday*

Prayer Meeting: 7:00 p.m.

*Transportation available*

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**

***First Church of Christ, Scientist***

Address: 227 N. High Street  
West Chester, PA 19380

Telephone: 610-696-8011

Contact: Mr. Royston Gathings, 610-431-5863

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Church Service: 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.  
(for young adults up to age 20)

*Wednesday*

Evening Meetings: 8:00 p.m.

*The Christian Science Reading Room, 129 N. High Street, is open Monday - Friday, 11:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. and Saturday, 10:00 a.m. - noon. Phone: 610-696-2847.*

## **ECUMENICAL**

### ***Church of the Loving Shepherd***

Address: 1066 S. New Street  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-692-8280  
Contact: Rev. John Woodcock  
Services and Meetings:  
    *Sunday*  
    Worship Service: 10:00 a.m.

*Call for more information regarding Christian education and concerts.  
Chapel and quiet spaces for reflection are available daily.*

## **EPISCOPAL**

### ***The Church of the Holy Trinity***

Address: High and Union Streets  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-696-4640  
Contact: Father Edward Rice  
Pastor Pat Stelz

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Holy Eucharist: 8:00 and 10:30 a.m.

Church School: 9:15 a.m.

Adult Education: 9:30 a.m.

Child care is provided for Sunday services; forums and coffee are  
after the 10:30 a.m. service.

*All are welcome and invited, as baptized persons, to partake of Holy  
Communion. The clergy, by appointment, are available for pastoral  
counseling.*

## **FRIENDS, RELIGIOUS SOCIETY OF (QUAKERS)**

### ***West Chester Friends Meeting***

Address: 425 North High Street  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-696-0491  
Contact: Ms. Caroline S. Helmuth, Secretary  
Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Service: 10:30 a.m.

*Every third Sunday we have a pot-luck lunch after worship. During the  
summer months there is child care; however, there are no Forums or Sunday  
School classes.*

## Islamic

### ***Islamic Center of Chester County***

Address: 1001 Pottstown Pike  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-344-9488  
Service: 1:00 p.m.

## JEWISH

### ***Keshet Israel Congregation***

Address: 1000 Pottstown Pike  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-696-7210  
Contact: Rabbi Eric Rosin  
Services and Meetings:  
*Friday*  
Service: 7:30 p.m.  
First Friday  
of every month: 6:00 p.m.  
*Saturday*  
Service: 9:00 a.m.  
Torah Study: 10:00 a.m.

*Please contact the synagogue for shabbat service times as well as for high holiday times and tickets.*

### ***Beth Chaim Reform Congregation***

Address: P.O. Box 3093  
West Chester, PA 19381  
Telephone: 610-724-2930  
Contact: Rabbi Aileen Hollander  
Web site: [www.bethchaim.net](http://www.bethchaim.net)  
Services and Meetings:  
*Friday*  
Service: 7:30 p.m. twice a month  
Please see Web site for more information

## LUTHERAN

### ***Advent Lutheran Church***

Address: 1601 Green Lane  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-436-0807  
Contact: Rev. William Mueller  
E-mail: office@e-advent.org

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Services: 8:00 a.m. and 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Church School: 9:00 a.m. (for children through adults)

**Calvary Lutheran Church**

Address: 730 South New Street  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-696-2475  
Contact: Associate Pastor Bill Seamon-McGowan  
Web site: [www.clcwc.org](http://www.clcwc.org)  
Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Morning Worship: 8:00, 9:00, and 10:30 a.m. (contemporary)

*Calvary Lutheran Church welcomes West Chester students and faculty to worship and become part of our Christian life. The Campus Ministry Committee of Calvary, with student leaders, plans activities during each semester for spiritual growth and social activities. The Calvary Lutheran Church is affiliated with the Lutheran Student Association group on campus.*

**METHODIST, UNITED**

**Grove United Methodist Church**

Address: 490 W. Boot Road  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-696-2663  
Contact: Pastor John T. Wright  
Pastor Christopher Schiavino  
Ms. Charity Harter (youth and young adults)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Services: 8:00, 9:30, and 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

*Grove Church has in its membership West Chester University students and faculty. We welcome you to also share in worship, study, service, and fellowship.*

**Marshallton United Methodist Church**

Address: 1282 West Strasburg Road  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-696-5247  
Fax: 610-696-7800  
Contact: Pastor Scott Widmer  
E-mail: [mumc98@early.com](mailto:mumc98@early.com)

Web site: [www.gbgm-umc.org/marshltn](http://www.gbgm-umc.org/marshltn)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Traditional Worship: 11:00 a.m.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.

Contemporary Service: 5:30 p.m.

Bible Study: 7:30 p.m.

*Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday*

Christian Preschool: 9:00 - 11:30 a.m.

*Wednesday*

Bible Study 10:00 a.m.

*The Marshallton United Methodist Church welcomes West Chester University students and faculty to learn, share, and celebrate God's glory through worship, education, spiritual growth, and prayer. Youth groups, Christian fellowship, Bible study, musical opportunities, and paid child-care opportunities are available for interested students.*

**West Chester United Methodist Church**

Address: 129 South High Street  
West Chester, PA 19382-3226

Telephone: 610-692-5190

Contact: Pastor Truman Brooks  
Ms. Carolene Brubaker  
Mr. Cory Smith

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Services: 9:00 a.m. (traditional worship)

10:30 a.m. (contemporary celebration)

Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.

*Second Sunday of every month*

Encounters Worship Service for youth and young adults at 6:30 p.m.

*Wednesday*

Young adult classes 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. (dinner, Bible study, and worship with Communion)

**NAZARENE**

**First Church of the Nazarene**

Address: Price and Darlington Streets  
West Chester, PA 19382

Telephone: 610-692-3120

Contact: Interim Pastor James Peterson  
Administrative Assistant: Helen Marshall MF

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Services: 10:45 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. (all ages)

**NONDENOMINATIONAL, CHRISTIAN**

***Calvary Fellowship Church***

Address: 95 West Devon Drive  
Downingtown, PA 19335  
Telephone: 610-363-7171  
Contact: Senior Pastor Jeff Allem  
Web site: [www.calvary-fellowship.org](http://www.calvary-fellowship.org)  
Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Services: 8:10, 9:50, and 11:30 a.m.  
The Bridge: 6:00 p.m.

***Covenant Fellowship Church***

Address: 1 Fellowship Drive  
Glen Mills, PA 19342  
Telephone: 610-361-0606  
Contact: Mr. Joseph Stigora  
Web site: [www.covfel.org](http://www.covfel.org)  
E-mail: [jstigora@covfel.org](mailto:jstigora@covfel.org)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Celebration Service: 9:00 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

*Covenant Fellowship Church welcomes students to join us in glorifying Christ as we pursue sound doctrine, passionate worship, and reaching out to the surrounding community. We have a very active college-age ministry and offer small groups, retreats, and a variety of other activities throughout the year. Our ALPHA course is a practical introduction to the Christian faith that gives people the opportunity to discuss various topics and ask questions in a relaxed, small-group setting. We are also privileged to sponsor Covenant Campus Fellowship at WCU.*

***Living Faith World Outreach Centre***

Address: 910 South High Street  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-429-3300  
Contact: Pastor Jerry Schwartz  
Web site: [www.faith-alive.org](http://www.faith-alive.org)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Service: 10:30 a.m.

*The church is charismatic with contemporary worship music and small-group ministry meetings. All people of all ages are welcome.*

**New Life in Christ Fellowship, Inc.**

Address: 1 South 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Coatsville, PA 19320  
Telephone: 610-384-3344  
Contact: Pastor Dan K. Williams  
Web site: [www.nlicf.org](http://www.nlicf.org)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Service: 8:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

*Thursday*

Bible Study: 1:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

**West Chester Church of Christ**

Address: 1326 Park Avenue  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-696-6674  
Contact: Mr. Lon Mohundro

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Bible Class: 10:00 a.m.

Worship: 11:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.

*Wednesday*

Bible Class: 7:00 p.m.

*Transportation available*

*The Church of Christ is a nondenominational and independent church that worships God through Jesus Christ using inspired scripture as its only religious authority. It is fundamental in principle and evangelical in practice.*

**West Chester Pastoral Counseling Center**

Address: Miner and Darlington Streets  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-696-7842  
Contact: Rev. J. F. McConoughy

*The center offers individual, couple, and family counseling with a spiritual perspective and sliding-scale fees.*

**Maranatha Evangelistic Temple Church**

Address: 245 East Lincoln Highway  
Coatesville, PA 19320  
Telephone: 610-383-6105  
Contact: Pastor Jonathan Stonewall  
Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.

Worship Service: 11:30 a.m.

*Wednesday*

Family Night: 7:00 p.m.

*Maranatha - the Lord cometh. Our mission is to show this generation and those generations to come the praises of the Lord, His strength, and the wonderful works that He has done. We welcome you to tune in to Bible Way Expression, Sundays, 7:00-8:00 a.m. on WCHE 1520 AM.*

**ORTHODOX CATHOLIC**

***Holy Ghost Church***

Address: Post Office Box 66  
Starr and Bridge Streets  
Phoenixville, PA 19460

Telephone: 610-933-3336

Contacts: Very Rev. Protopresbyter John R. Fedornock, Pastor

Web site: [www.hgoc.org](http://www.hgoc.org)

Services and Meetings:

*Divine Liturgy*

Sundays: 9:30 a.m.

*Vespers*

Holy days: 8:45 a.m.

*Confessions:*

Saturdays: 11 a.m. - noon

Before and after Vesper Services

**PENTECOSTAL**

***Highway Gospel Community Temple***

Address: 418 East Miner Street  
West Chester, PA 19382

Telephone: 610-344-0475

Contact: Pastor Carl A. Turner, Sr.

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Altar Prayer: 9:30 a.m.

Sunday School: 10:00 a.m. (for all ages)

Morning Worship Celebration: 11:30 a.m.

*Monday*

Overcomers Class: 7:00 p.m. (dealing with issues)

*Tuesday*

Altar Prayer: 6:30 p.m.

Bible Enrichment Class: 7:30 p.m.

*Transportation available*

*Highway Gospel Community Temple Ministries is relative to and concerned with LIFE in all aspects, on every side, and in every direction. Jesus came that we might have life more abundantly. The goal of this ministry is to build, brick by brick, the kingdom of God and to prepare people everywhere for God's coming. The vision that God has given Pastor Turner includes outreach and help ministries.*

## **PRESBYTERIAN**

### ***First Presbyterian Church***

Address: 130 West Miner Street  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-696-0554  
Contact: Rev. Dr. William D. Hess II, Pastor  
Rev. Robert M. Barcus  
Rev. Elizabeth Hartwell  
Rev. David Pickett  
Web site: [www.firstpreswc.com](http://www.firstpreswc.com)  
Services and Meetings:

#### *Sunday*

Worship Service: 8:00, 9:00 and 10:30 a.m.  
Contemporary Service: 10:45 a.m.  
Church School: 9:00 a.m. (for all ages)  
10:30 a.m. (ages 3 through 6<sup>th</sup> grade)  
Youth and College Fellowship: Call for information

*Covenant groups meet in homes biweekly. Worship services are broadcasted on Sundays at 9:00 a.m. on WCHE 1520 AM. There is no 8:00 a.m. worship service during the summer.*

### ***Reformed Presbyterian Church***

Address: 312 W. Union Street  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-696-3482  
Contact: Pastor Stan Gale  
Services and Meetings:

#### *Sunday*

Sunday Bible School: 9:30 a.m. (for all ages)  
Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.

*The church is wheelchair accessible and located within walking distance of WCU. Weekly small group meetings are held in homes.*

### ***Second Presbyterian Church***

Address: 114 South Walnut Street  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-692-4466

Contact: Reverend Brenda Moore  
E-mail: [secondpres114@hotmail.com](mailto:secondpres114@hotmail.com)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Service: 11:00 a.m. (10:00 a.m. June - August)  
Sunday School: one hour before morning service

*Join our Christian family as we seek to make known the kingdom of God and Jesus Christ through teaching, learning, and growing in the word. Everyone is always welcome.*

**Westminster Presbyterian Church**

Address: 10 W. Pleasant Grove Road  
West Chester, PA 19382

Telephone: 610-399-3377

Contact: Rev. Don Lincoln  
Rev. Ann Dickey  
Dr. Wesley Smith

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Services: 8:30, 9:30 a.m.  
Prayer and Communion: 11:00 a.m.  
Contemporary Service: 11:15 a.m.  
Alternative Worship: 7:00 p.m.

*Wednesday*

Bible Study: 9:15 a.m. and 7:00 p.m.

*Worship services are broadcast on Sundays at 10:00 a.m. on WCHE 1520AM.*

**ROMAN CATHOLIC**

**Newman Center**

Address: 409 Trinity Drive  
West Chester, PA 19382  
(Corner of S. New St. and Trinity Dr.)

Telephone: 610-436-0891

Contact: Director or Associate Director

Web site: <http://iws.wcupa.edu/stu/newman>

E-mail: [thenewmancenter@earthlink.net](mailto:thenewmancenter@earthlink.net)

Services and Meetings:

*Mass*

Sunday: 5:30 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.  
Weekdays: 4:20 p.m. Monday - Thursday  
Holy days: See monthly calendar

*Sacrament of Reconciliation*

Sunday: 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
8:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

*Individual confession anytime by appointment*

*Catholic Newman Student Association meets on Wednesdays at 7:30 p.m.*

***Saint Agnes***

Address: 233 W. Gay Street  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-692-2990  
Contact: Rev. Monsignor Edward M. Deliman, Pastor  
Services and Meetings:

*Mass*

Sunday: 5:30 p.m. Saturday Evening Vigil  
7:00, 9:00, 10:15, and noon  
Chapel: 8:00 and 11:30 a.m. (Spanish)  
Weekdays: 6:30, 8:00 a.m., and 5:15 p.m. (Chapel)  
Saturday: 8:00 a.m.  
Holy Days: 5:30 p.m. Vigil, 6:30 and 8:00 a.m.  
12:10, 5:30, and 7:00 p.m. (Spanish)

*Confession*

Saturday: 4:00 - 5:00 p.m.  
Vigil of Holy Day: 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.  
Thursday before First Friday: 4:00 - 4:30 p.m.

***St. Maximilian Kolbe***

Address: 15 E. Pleasant Grove Road  
West Chester, PA 19382  
(left off 202 S, behind Westtown Municipal Building)  
Telephone: 610-399-6936  
Contact: Monsignor Hugh Campbell, Pastor  
Services and Meetings:

*Mass*

Sunday: 5:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil  
7:30, 9:00, 10:30 a.m., and noon  
Weekdays: 8:00 a.m. Monday-Friday  
9:00 a.m. Saturday  
Holy days: 8:00 a.m., noon, and 7:00 p.m.

*Confession:*

Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. or anytime by appointment

*Charismatic prayer groups meet each week.*

***Saints Peter and Paul***

Address: 1325 Boot Road  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-692-2216  
Contact: Rev. Monsignor James J. Foley, Pastor  
Services and Meetings:

*Mass*

Sunday: 5:30 p.m. Saturday Vigil  
7:30, 9:00, and 11:00 a.m.  
Weekdays: 6:30 and 8:30 a.m.  
Saturdays: 8:00 a.m.  
Holy days: 6:30 and 9:00 a.m., 12:15 and 7:30 p.m.  
*Confession:*  
Saturday 4:00 - 5:00 p.m. or anytime by appointment

**SWEDENBORGIAN**

***Swedenborgian Church at Temenos***

Address: 1564 Telegraph Rd.  
West Chester, PA 19382  
Telephone: 610-696-8145  
Contact: Pastor Susannah Currie  
Web site: [www.temenosretreat.org](http://www.temenosretreat.org)  
E-mail: [revscurrie@yahoo.com](mailto:revscurrie@yahoo.com)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Services: 10:30 a.m.  
Discussion Group: 12:15 - 1:00 p.m.

*We are an intergenerational community open to all spiritual seekers. Child care is provided. Please join us.*

**SALVATIONIST**

***The Salvation Army***

Address: 101 E. Market Street  
West Chester, PA 19380  
Telephone: 610-696-8746  
Contact: Major Jerry D. Stinson  
Services or Meetings:

*Sunday*

Worship Service: 11:00 a.m. (English and Spanish)  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Dinner: 12:30 p.m.

*Thursday*

Bible study for men: 6:30 p.m.  
Ladies Circle: 7:15 p.m.

*Leadership opportunities are available in working directly with groups of boys and girls and in music (singing, brass instruments, and Timbrels).*

**UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST**

***Unitarian Fellowship of West Chester***

Address: 501 South High Street

West Chester, PA 19380

Telephone: 610-692-5966

Contact: Rev. Kate Rohde

Web site: [www.ufwc.org](http://www.ufwc.org)

Services and Meetings:

*Sunday*

Service: 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Religious education services for children: 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

*Unitarian Universalism is a religion that encourages religious inquiry and is open to wisdom from all religions, from science, from history, and other disciplines. Activities include choir, discussion groups, and Sunday School.*