



FOCUS ON: Your Church's Local Mission Field



PSEC recently subscribed to a powerful demographic tool, MissionInSite, to help local churches discover their mission field. Visit www.MissionInsite.com to tap into the most recent information about the people who live around your church. You will be amazed to see how the

demographics of your area have changed in recent years because of the arrival of many new neighbors.

The information on the **MissionInSite** website will help you plan your mission outreach because you will be able to focus and target your efforts to fit the lifestyles of the actual people living in your area. This tool is easy to use and will enable your church to access information by zip code, by a radial map of the area around your church, and by specific road boundaries. Demographic information on the website includes: educational background, racial and ethnic make-up, age and family status, household income and financial statistics, as well as values, lifestyle choices, and interests.

All churches in PSEC can retrieve information by simply going on-line to www.MissionInsite.com, clicking on "Local Church" at the top of the screen, clicking "Church Registration" (each church is able to register one Administrator who will receive a special access code), entering our PSEC log-in code (L37UC), and finding your church through your town address. There is also a tutorial on the website which will help you see how to use the tool most effectively.

Watch for a training session next Fall. Your church can send a computer wiz to learn how to maximize your church's use of this tool to strengthen and develop its mission and ministry. This opportunity is made available to your church through the Church Change offering.

FALL EVENTS & EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

For brochures, flyers, on-line registration and a full list of meetings and events visit www.psec.org

for Stewardship Leaders . . . Sept 22-30 5:45pm, various locations

Plan to attend one of the **Covenant Renewal Suppers** this September. Registration is available on-line at www.psec.org. There is no fee for this event.



Tuesday, Sept. 22 – Glenside UCC, Glenside, PA
Wednesday, Sept. 23 – Christ UCC, Temple, PA
Thursday, Sept. 24 – Huff's Church, Albury, PA
Monday, Sept. 28 – Linfield UCC, Linfield, PA
Tuesday, Sept. 29 – Schuylkill Haven, PA
Wednesday, Sept. 30 – Pleasantville UCC, Chalfont, PA

We will begin with a light meal and fellowship, a great time to share current stewardship activities in your church and receive ideas from others! You will have a chance to hear representatives from the local church, conference and national level and learn how we all covenant together in our Stewardship mission.

for Spiritual Seekers . . . Oct 16 (4pm) -18 (11am), Mensch Mill

Walking with God—The Beatitudes and The Lord's Prayer: Two Lenses for Walking with God

This gathering for a weekend of reflection and prayer focuses on deepening the spirituality of everyday experience. This year participants are invited to explore the Beatitudes and the Lord's Prayer as two lenses for Walking with God. The presenters—Fr. Peter Chepaitis, OFM and Sister Anna Tantsits, IHM—will show how these two basic revelations of the Gospel Life speak to each other and to us. The insights of St. Francis and St. Clare will be interwoven in the sharing.

Christmas in July Sale

A Greater Gift items at the Church House
Reduced 50%



PRAYER PARTNERS - Your prayers are welcomed today for Epler's UCC, Leesport and the Rev. Dr. James Miller.