

PHS Matters

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Early Years of the Korea Mission



This year the Presbyterian Church of Korea celebrates the 110th anniversary of its first presbytery meeting. But Presbyterianism in Korea did not begin in 1907. It began 23 years earlier, in the tense aftermath of an assassination attempt. [READ MORE](#)



May 21 is Presbyterian Heritage Sunday

Isabella Graham was an early advocate for women and orphans on both sides of the Atlantic. Download our [2017 bulletin insert](#) about her life and share it with your church.



2017 PHS Research Fellows Announced

Douglas H. Brown Clark, Anna Holdorf, and Andrea L. Turpin are this year's Research Fellows. [Learn about](#) their work, the fellowship program, and how to apply for 2018.



Calls of Duty: Pittsburgh's John Barr Clark & the Civil War

Little did the elders and members of the Second United Presbyterian Church of Allegheny City, PA, know what they were getting themselves into during the [summer of 1860](#).



Taste of History: Last Chance for Discount Tickets

[Purchase tickets](#) to our May 4th outdoor event by Friday to get them at a discounted rate. Celebrate our conserved statues while enjoying great local fare. All proceeds support the Society's historical work.



The Wells Family and a Well-Traveled Gibbon

Click on the block above to watch a recently digitized silent home movie from the 1930s shot by missionaries to Thailand Kenneth and Margareta Wells, part of [Record Group 268](#). Their family's tame gibbon, Bimbo, stars.

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