

Join us on this communion Sunday. May God make us one in the Spirit and one in the Lord at His Table. We thank Vic Werner for his special music during the communion.

Serving communion will be ordained officers Karen Little, Kris Jenoriki, Elaine Risley, and Jo-ann Weller.

Pastor's sermon is titled "It's Not About the Money" from <u>Luke 12:13-21</u>.

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Sunday evening our next visiting mission team arrives from Covenant Presbyterian Church of Manassas, VA. They will be staying through Friday and helping with Sandy recovery.

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Our organist, Harold Hawkes, is on vacation the month of August. Dot Ryon will fill in on the organ August 4, 18 & 25.

Pastor and Mrs. Cobb will be on vacation Aug. 11 & 25. Rev. Gerry Reedell will lead us in worship on the 25th.

The Holland family will lead the entire service on Aug. 11. Seven members of the family will be here, the most we've had for a Sunday morning service with the Hollands. This service is always a highlight, so plan on being with us.

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This month's Lunch Bunch will be an extended trip to Victorian Cape May on Wednesday. We will walk the Mall and then meet at the Pilot House for lunch at noon. Meet at the church at 9:00. Call if you want to be picked up.

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There will be a staff meeting Tuesday at 6:30pm in the chapel. Staff, we will plan for September and October.

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Plans for our big church picnic were finalized last Sunday. We will meet at Egg Harbor Lake after worship on Aug. 18. Please sign up now so we know how many tables to reserve. Cost is \$4 for adults and free for kids.

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The Fellowship Committee continues to be in need of volunteers (2 people per week) to supply refreshments during Sunday coffee time. Please sign up in the vestibule for a turn in the rotation or see Dawn Duran.

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August events for A₂J ~ RSVP Linda Gillis

Friday, August 9th: Swimming at Egg Harbor City Lake – meet at church at 10 am and back by 3:30 for pick up. Cost is \$4 and bring a sandwich. RSVP by Wednesday, Aug. 7. Chaperone needed and needs to RSVP as soon as possible.

Monday, August 19th: Mini Golf & Manco and Manco Pizza in Ocean City - Meet a church at 10am and back at 3:00pm. Please RSVP by Wednesday, August 14th. Chaperone needed and needs to RSVP as soon as possible.

Wednesday, August 28th: Fun and Games - Meet a church at 6-8pm in Madden Hall. Have pizza and play games. Please bring a dessert to share. RSVP no later than Monday, August 26th. Chaperone needed and needs to RSVP as soon as possible.

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The City of Absecon will be running its Cultural Arts Alliance this month in our facilities. This program will feature classes during the day and evening at various times over a four week period. We are glad to be part of this community effort for our Absecon kids.

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National Night Out is next Tuesday from 6-9pm. Absecon's is at the Pitney Road soccer field and Galloway's is at the Galloway municipal complex. Pick one, pack up the family and enjoy some community fun!

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Sunday Servants

<u>Head Ushers</u>
Deborah & Donald Wong

Lay Assistant
Vic Abelson

<u>Collection</u> <u>Nursery</u> Jeremy & Elisa Wong Jennifer Platt

40 Minute Club

K-3 – Kathy Moore, Tina Harvey

4-7 – Karen Little, Kassie Little

Deacons Guest Book
Ginny Davenport

Van DriverRefreshmentsJohn ChannellKris Jenoriki,Sandy Shinsato

Please Remember in Prayer

Frank Loeb
Patti Morris
Marguerite Downer – hospitalized this week
Melvin Washington – death of brother
Gus & Doris Steele – celebrating their 60th wedding anniversary Thursday

This Week in Our Church . . .

Sunday

9:50 Hymn Sing 10:00 Worship Mission team arrives from Manassas, VA

Monday

Tuesday

6:30 Staff Meeting

Wednesday

9:00 Lunch Bunch to Cape May

Thursday Congratulations to Gus & Doris Steele!

9:00 PB & J

11:45 Serve at Sister Jean's

Friday

10:00 A₂J to Egg Harbor Lake

Saturday

Senior Youth Cabin Trip