

Consequently, faith comes from hearing the message, and the message is heard through the word of Christ. ROMANS $10:17\,\mathrm{NIV}$

We joyfully welcome the Holland family who will lead our entire Sunday service. This is becoming a happy summer event, and we rejoice that Jon, Vicki, and five of their children will be here to lead us into the presence of God. We know we will be blessed. (*Pastor and Mrs. Cobb are away through Thursday*.)

Timothy Holland will be preaching on "Prayerful Walk of Faith" from Romans 10:14-17 and Romans 8:22-25.

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We are happy to announce that Tina Harvey will be our new Christian Education Coordinator beginning now. Welcome, Tina. We look forward to a great year!

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Our Cents-Ability Offering will be received this Sunday. Please use the lunch containers at the doors to the sanctuary for your donations.

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Our church picnic will be Sunday, Aug. 18, at Noon. Join us at Egg Harbor City Lake by signing up in the vestibule ASAP. (Headcount is important!) Cost is \$4 for adults – children are free. Dress for that Sunday's service is very casual.

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Our own Rev. Gerry Reedell will speak on August 25 when our pastor is again away. We are always glad to have you in the pulpit, Gerry!

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The Doug Jablonski Men's Fellowship will have their last summer picnic on Labor Day Sunday, Sept. 1. The menu will be the same as their last two (pretty much). Cost is \$5.

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Sept. 1 is also the last single service Sunday. Our fall schedule will resume on September 8. That is Rally Day for our Sunday School as well.

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Our senior youth will be away at Cobb's cabin this weekend. We pray for a time of enjoyment and renewal for them.

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2nd Monday of the Month Lunch needs your help. We are looking for people to help set up, serve or clean up. Set up is at 9 am. We serve at 11:30. Clean up goes from 11:30 until 1 pm. Contact Karen Muldoon.

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This past Thursday the second most senior member of our church was buried in our cemetery. Flora Hutchinson joined our church in 1942, making her a member for 70 years. (Laura May St. John is the only more senior member, joining in 1940.) Flora died at home on Monday, August 5.

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DON'T MISS THE BOAT

Only two weeks left to get your discount tickets for the bus trip to Sight & Sound!

The FUNdraiser Committee is sponsoring our second annual Columbus Day bus trip to Sight and Sound Theater to see "Noah" on Monday October 14th. Tickets include bus transportation, shopping at Kitchen Kettle Village, lunch at Dutch-Way Family Restaurant, and reserved seats for the show, plus all gratuities. The bus will leave from church at 9:00am and will return by 9:00pm. Tickets are available until Sunday August 25th at a special discount price (\$100 for adults, \$80 for teens, and \$60 for children) directly from members of the FUNdraiser Committee, with a \$25 deposit due per ticket and full payment due on or before September 15th. Any remaining tickets will be available to the public at full price (\$115/\$95/\$75) after August 25th. This is a great day of fellowship and fun (and food) as we see the Word brought to life. Tickets sold out quickly last year so get yours at the discount rate now. See Scott Sabo or Dawn Duran for tickets now!

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August events for A₂J ~ RSVP Linda Gillis

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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Sunday Servants

<u>Head Ushers</u> Elaine Risley, Carol Thomas Lay Assistant Scott Sabo <u>Collection</u> <u>Nursery</u>

Joan Nale, Franklin Nale Gloria Achamizo

40 Minute ClubDeacons Guest BookK-3 – Fran Tanner, Sarah GillisGinny Davenport

4-7 – Tina Brown, Chris Gillis

<u>Van Driver</u>

<u>Refreshments</u>

Carol Kleiner

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Please Remember in Prayer

Marguerite Downer Frank Loeb Patti Morris Family of Flora Hutchinson

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This Week in Our Church...

Sunday Cents-Ability Offering
9:50 Hymn Sing
10:00 Worship - The Holland Family

11:15 Refreshments

Monday

Senior Youth Home from Poconos

Tuesday Special Election Day
6am-8pm Elections in Madden Hall

Wednesday

Thursday

11:45 Serve at Sister Jean's7:00 Mission/Evangelism Committee

Friday

Saturday