

Please join us at 9:30 or 11:00 as we celebrate our Lord's triumphal entry into Jerusalem. Pastor's sermon is titled "Jesus Was a Cowboy, or Jerusalem or Bust" from [Luke 19: 28-40](#).

Pastor Tom is in the office Tuesday through Friday. If you need to get in touch with him at any other time, he can be reached at 856/935-9140 (home), 609/970-0865 (cell) or by email at tpurchasesnj@comcast.net; (fax 856/935-9145).

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Please remember to bring fresh flowers on Easter Sunday to decorate our cross in the front yard!

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Many thanks to all involved in last Sunday's Easter drama, lunch, and egg hunt. Congratulations on a job well done!

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Thursday, March 24, at 7:00 p.m. will be our Holy Thursday Communion service, in our sanctuary, joint with the Absecon Methodist Church. Good Friday service will be at 12:00 p.m. The Church of St. Mark & All Saints. On Easter Sunday the ecumenical Sunrise Service will be 7:00 a.m. at the Heritage Park gazebo followed by our regular worship schedule at 9:30 and 11:00. Please join us! *(There will be no breakfast served on Easter.)*

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The church office will be closing at noon on Good Friday and will reopen Tuesday, March 29. Information for the Easter bulletin and announcements must be in the office by Tuesday morning.

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Our Winter Fundraiser total is moving upward but very slowly. We are now at \$2,750. It's not too late to donate to this much needed nursery windows replacement project! The estimated cost is \$10,000. Please mark your donation "Winter Fundraiser".

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Evergreens will be meeting at noon on Wednesday, March 30th, for their sandwich luncheon; dessert and coffee provided.

As seen on Public Television, a historic journey throughout Israel will be shown with Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Peter Greenberg as leaders. You won't want to miss this!!

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Spring Work Day has been scheduled for Saturday, April 9, from 9:00 – noon. Help is needed to get our church ready for warm weather!

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Sunday is the deadline for information to be included in the April Good News. Articles are to be in writing, email preferred, and submitted to the office ASAP! Please keep in mind it may be necessary to edit articles due to space limitations in our printed publications.

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Tickets are now available for Saturday, April 16th Ham Dinner and Bryan Popin concert; \$15/Adults, \$5 12 & under. See or call Joanie (641-1839). All seats reserved in advance (dinner seating choice at 5p or 6p). Details are in the Good News and on all posters.

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Absecon Presbyterian Church is again partnering with Beacon Church to provide group registration, partial camperships, aftercare and transportation for Vacation Bible School this summer. Camp will be July 11-15, and the final cost will be \$85 per camper for children of church members. Very limited space is available, please be sure to get the registration forms from Scott Sabo or Linda Gillis this Sunday, and return the completed forms and payment NO LATER than Easter Sunday, March 27th.

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Our new Sunday worship schedule begins in June. Please take note!

- There will be no change through March, April and May
- June 5, 12, & 19
 - 9:30 am Worship Service, children stay to worship with their families (no Sunday school)
 - 11:00 am Worship Service continues.
- June 26, July 3
 - 10:15 Single Worship Service, children worship with their families (no 2nd service)
- July 10 - December 2016
 - 9:15am - 10:00am Sunday school for children & adults
 - 10:15am Single Worship service, children stay to worship with their families
- The schedule changes will be evaluated in mid-October which will include using a congregational survey.

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Absecon's 9-11 Memorial Committee is sponsoring a trip to Philadelphia on Sunday, May 1, 2016. Bus leaves the American Legion Post 28 at 10:15AM and returns at 6:00PM. The trip includes a 2 hour cruise on the Spirit of Philadelphia, brunch and a visit to the Camden Aquarium. Cost is \$130 all inclusive. RSVP Terry Iaconelli (609/383-1010) by March 28.

AtlantiCare Hospice and Palliative Care is having a Hospice Volunteer Training on Saturday, April 9, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Training will be held at the hospice office in the Airport Commerce Center, 6550 Delilah Rd, Suite 210, Egg Harbor Twp. To register or for information call Kathleen Donadio or Maureen Hope at 609/407-2002.

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Sunday Servants

Lay Assistants

9:30 David Burgess
11:00 Lee Wolff

Head Ushers

9:30 Naida Burgess, Bud Burgess
11:00 Nancy Swank, Joanna Howell

Acolyte

9:30 Jack Little

Offering

9:30 Roy Birkbeck, Greg Hamaty

Nursery

9:30 Jennifer Platt

Deacons Guest Book

Anita Brown

Refreshments

Lee Wolff, Tina Harvey

Van Driver

Tina Brown

Breakfast Club Kitchen Crew

Set-up – Kris Jenoriki

Cook – Bill Hoesten

Clean-up – Dirk Williamson

Please Remember in Prayer

Grace Gras

Virginia Loeb

Robin McBrearty

Rose Scott

Elizabeth Brittlund

Josh Howling

Bob & Irene Hunter

Susan Little

Chuck Inman-Sergott

Rev. Kate Killebrew

Gus & Doris Steele

Denise Lenz & Child

Joanna Howell

Ruth Carmen

JoAnne Morgan

Essie Newell

Lucy Croneberger

Davenport family

This Week in Our Church . . .

Sunday

8:45 Breakfast

9:30 Sunday School & Worship

10:30 Refreshments

11:00 Worship

Monday

Tuesday

1:30 Bible Study in the lounge

4:00 King of Kings

Wednesday

7:00 Bible Study at the manse

Thursday

7:00 Holy Thursday Communion Service

Friday

Noon Good Friday Service, St. Mark & All Saints

Office Closed

Saturday

Easter Sunday

7:00 Sunrise Service at Heritage Park gazebo

9:30 Sunday School & Worship

10:30 Refreshments

11:00 Worship