

Please join us in worship at 9:30 or 11:00 Sunday. Pastor's sermon is titled "Restraint of Trade" from [Luke 8: 26-29](#).

There will be a special breakfast to celebrate our dads & grads as well as the last day of our regular schedule. Be sure to join us!

Congratulations to all of our graduates! May God continue to guide you in your life, continuing education, and career path.

***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](mailto:tpurchasesnj@comcast.net); (fax 856/935-9145).***

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Our summer worship schedule begins Sunday, June 26, with a hymn sing at 9:45 and service at 10:00. Refreshments will be served outside weather permitting. 40 Minute Club for grades K-6 begins July 10. Until then children will remain in worship with their families.

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### **Remember, Deadlines are Important!**

Sunday bulletin announcements – Noon Wednesday  
"The Presby Post" (Friday email) – Noon Thursday  
"Good News" (monthly newsletter) – the 20th of the month

The deadline for the summer edition (July/August) of the Good News is Monday. All articles are to be **in writing** and submitted to the office (email preferred) by the due date. Please keep in mind it may be necessary to edit articles due to space limitations in our printed publications.

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The annual FUNdraiser bus trip to Sight & Sound Theater in Lancaster will be on Columbus Day, Monday October 10. There is a new show this year - "Sampson", the original superhero! The itinerary, as in years past, will include a stop at Kitchen Kettle Village on the way, and family-style dinner after the show at Dutch Way Restaurant. Tickets are available now and cost \$120 for adults, \$100 for teens and \$80 for kids. A

payment plan is available and there is a \$10 discount for full payment before July 31. We expect this trip to sell out, so see Scott, Dawn or Linda for your tickets now.

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Sister Jean's Kitchen staff and volunteers are currently serving lunch to over 300 needy women, men and children. The manager, Frank, thanked us for bringing peanut butter and jelly sandwiches every second Thursday – these are given to our diners to use for their suppers.

Currently, the Kitchen is in need of *dinner-size plates, forks and plastic tumblers* – all **dishwasher** safe (no plastic or paper goods, please). There are two luncheon settings – 12:30 and 1:15; and very often, we are waiting for the dishwasher to finish its cycle so that we can either finish setting the tables or serving the hungry.

Many of us have Spring fever and are ready to purge our closets, attics and basements of no longer used kitchen items, among other goodies. If you see any plates or forks or plastic tumblers and would like to donate them, we have a very needy home.

There is a table in Madden Hall, where we will collect your donated items. Those of us that volunteer at Sister Jean's are very thankful for whatever you may be able to give.

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General Assembly convenes in Portland tomorrow and will meet through Saturday, June 25. It consists of commissioners elected by each of its 172 presbyteries. The GA is full of activities: business sessions, committee meetings, an exhibit hall, daily worship services, and mission tours sponsored by the Committee on Local Arrangements.

During the week the assembly acts on hundreds of items of business, which it receives through the reports and recommendations of various assembly entities, and through overtures from synods and presbyteries. We will hear more on the outcome of some of these items in the near future. Please pray for the GA daily.

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### **Community News:**

**AtlantiCare Hospice and Palliative Care** is again offering a “Coping with Loss” support group for those grieving the death of a loved one:

July 7 – August 11, 2016  
7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Location: AtlantiCare Homecare Conference Room  
6550 Delilah Road, Building 200, Suite 210  
Egg Harbor Township, NJ 08234

Topics include:

|                              |                                 |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Understanding Loss and Grief | Factors that Influence Grief    |
| Challenges of Grief          | Resources for Coping with Grief |
| Picking Up the Pieces        | Remembering and Moving On       |

For additional information call Barbara Edelhauser at 609/407-2020.

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### **Sunday Servants**

#### Lay Assistants

9:30 David Burgess  
11:00 David Burgess

#### Head Ushers

9:30 Kirk & Nancy Conover  
11:00 Mary Bew, Betty Lloyd

#### Acolyte

9:30 Jack Little

#### Offering

9:30 Roy Birkbeck, Greg Hamaty

#### Nursery

9:30 Jordan Hawkes

#### Deacons Guest Book

Anita Brown

#### Refreshments

Ginny Davenport, Betsy Eberhard

#### Van Driver

Vic Abelson

#### Breakfast Club Kitchen Crew

Set-up – Donna Hughes  
Cook – Bill Hoesten  
Clean-up – Dirk Williamson

**Please Remember in Prayer**

General Assembly  
Joanna Howell  
Ruth Carmen  
Rose Scott  
Elizabeth Brittlund  
Kayla Storr  
Jordan Torjusson

Grace Gras  
Virginia Loeb  
Robin McBrearty  
Rev. Kate Killebrew  
Lucy Croneberger  
Pastor Israel Suppogu  
Family of Cheryl Pulse

Bob & Irene Hunter  
Susan Little  
Chuck Inman-Sergott  
Essie Newell  
Linda Cragg  
Betsy Cunius  
Family of Bob Wilkenloh

### **This Week in Our Church . . .**

Sunday     General Assembly meets this week  
              8:45 Breakfast  
              9:00 Chancel Choir Rehearsal  
              9:30 Worship  
              10:30 Refreshments  
              11:00 Worship  
              12:15 Music Director Search Committee

Monday  
              July/August Good News Deadline  
              7:00 Fellowship Committee

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday  
              General Assembly ends