

Please join us in worship at 10:00 a.m. Sunday. Pastor's sermon is titled "The Judge and the Widow" from [Luke 18: 1-8](#).

Many thanks to Sharon Neff and Rick DeKarski for providing our worship music. Dot Ryan will be at the organ console October 23, 30 and Harold returns for our communion service on November 6.

***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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There will be a special meeting of the congregation following worship on Sunday. This meeting has been called by session for the sole purpose of electing one elder to fill an unexpired 2-year term.

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Work Day is scheduled for this Saturday from 9 am - 12 noon and many hands are needed to complete various chores around the church. Refreshments will be provided!!! Hope to see a lot of your smiling faces there!!

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Mayor John Armstrong will be speaking on the "Future of Absecon" on Wednesday, October 26<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 PM in Madden Hall following Evergreens' monthly meeting/sandwich luncheon, (12 noon). Dessert and coffee provided. Everyone is welcomed to come and bring a friend.

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Join us for Trunk or Treat Oct. 30 from 4:00-7:00 pm. Wear your favorite sports team colors and enjoy the campfire, S'mores, hot dogs, games, crafts and Fun! Admission is a canned good for the Community Food Bank. Bring your decorated vehicles and join in the fun! (Donations of candy gratefully accepted.)

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Have you gotten your Shoe Box yet? Visit the table in the vestibule to get your shoe box and label, fill the box according to the directions and return it on November 20. Make a child happy!

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Earlier this year our member data base had a “meltdown” following an update. Files had been backed up, but some information was lost. In order to be sure our files are up to date please use the insert (or [download here](#)) to submit your current contact information. An updated church directory will be available in December. Thank you!

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DVDs of the Greg Buchanan concert will soon be available thanks to Louise Speitel. Many requests have already been received (contact Joanie to get on the list – 641-1839). The Fellowship Committee requests a donation for each one with all money received being put toward the cost of a return concert by The American Boychoir! 90% of the boys receive financial aid for housing, schooling and travel to concerts world-wide. Again, we thank you for the continued support of our concert series. (Mark Dec. 9 for our Christmas event with John Taylor.) Dawn Duran, Fellowship Chair.

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Donations of dinner plates, forks and plastic tumblers (all dishwasher safe) for Sister Jean’s Kitchen can be left in the designated boxes in Madden Hall. Our volunteers will make certain they are delivered to Frank and his staff. Thanks so very much for all your gifts, which are very much appreciated and needed.

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***Annual Friends of Jean Webster’s Fundraising Dinner*** Wednesday, October 19, at 6:00 PM at Laguna Grill, Brigantine. Tickets are \$30.00 for dinner, an auction of gift baskets and various prizes and the distribution of an ad book. Other opportunities to help raise funds are: donating a gift basket or auction item or purchasing an ad (prices range from \$25 - \$300.) Contact Rev. John Scotland at [jrscotland@aol.com](mailto:jrscotland@aol.com) or 609-404-0290 for tickets, donations, and/or ad purchase.

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## **A Night of Music**

Ocean Heights Presbyterian Church

October 29 – 7:00 p.m.

One Piano Many Hands – featuring 4 and 6 handed compositions with Heera Ghorashi, Alice Groome and Scott Breiner

Special guest musicians: Roberta Beckler and Robert Helsabeck

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### **Sunday Servants**

#### Lay Assistant

Leo Ransone

#### Head Ushers

Kirk & Nancy Conover

#### Acolyte

Jack Little

#### Offering

Roy Birkbeck, Jo-ann Weller

#### Nursery

Gloria Achamizo

#### Deacon of the Month

Russ Adkisson

#### Refreshments

Georgina Umoren, Greg Hamaty

#### Van Driver

Tina Brown

#### Breakfast Club Kitchen Crew

Set-up – Donna Hughes

Cook – Bill Hoesten

Clean-up – Dirk Williamson

### **Please Remember in Prayer**

Ferd Morgan

Jim Wooding

Cathy Guenther

Bob & Irene Hunter

Susan Little

Chuck Inman-Sergott

Lucy Croneberger

Bill & Julia Chavis

Fran McManus

Stan Weir

Joanna Howell

Ruth Carmen

Rose Scott

Betsy Cunius

Dottie Hanlon

Dirk Williamson

Jordan Torjussen

Virginia Loeb

Robin McBrearty

Essie Newell

Kayla Storr

Weed/Scardilli, Davies, Krause, Risley & Hoesten Families  
Victims of Hurricane Matthew  
Christians in Pakistan & the Middle East, People of South Sudan,  
Pastor Udo, his Churches & all Christians in Nigeria  
Conflict and unrest throughout our nation and around the world

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

Sunday

8:30 Breakfast

9:00 Sunday School

10:00 Worship

11:15 Special Meeting of the Congregation

Monday

Tuesday

1:30 Bible Study, lounge

4:00 King of Kings

Wednesday

7:00 Bible Study at the manse

Thursday ***Good News Deadline***

Friday

Saturday