Welcome to our In-person and virtual Worship Service. Our church members are asked to introduce themselves to any visitors or members they do not know and introduce visitors to

Our flowers this morning are given by Miriam Gonsiska to the glory of God and in loving memory of her husband, Albert Gonsiska on his birthday.

Scripture Readings for Sunday, May 22nd: Acts 16:9-15 and Psalm 67 or Deuteronomy 34:1-12 and Psalm 109:21-31; Revelations 21:1-6: John 13:31-35.

Lay Assistant for Sunday, May 22nd: Elder John Pfaff

Ushers for Sunday, May 22nd: Deacon Hope LeFrancis, Deacon Ruby Young

Fellowship & Refreshments: Deacon Karen Stewart, Elder Emily West, Jennifer Dean



Week of May 15th, 2022 - CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS



FOOTSTEPS



Following Our One Teacher to Study Teach Experience Pray Salvation

Sunday School: Last week in Sunday school we completed our Mother's Day gifts and celebrated these special ladies in our lives. A big thanks to Kevin West and Paul Rolfe for filling in for me last minute. This week we will be learning about Jesus feeding the 5000 and we have a fun craft to go along with it! Can you believe we only have a few more meetings left this year and VBS is quickly approaching?! VBS will run August 15th-19th this year from 9am-12pm each day. If you can help in any way, please see me or reach out via email or cell (908) 674-2734. We continue to master the Lord's Prayer each week with most of the children even jumping ahead of me before I can say it! We also continue to use our five-finger model to pray for ourselves and others. I love hearing the prayers each week and the children are really grasping the power of prayer. Sunday June 12th all church picnic...more details to follow!!! Confirmation class will meet this Wednesday at 6:30pm till 7:30pm here at CPC. Our next few meetings will be June 1st and our final meeting will be June 15th.

Thank you, Emily West. If you have any questions, please feel free to call or text 908-674-2734 or e-mail familyministries@cpcchester.org

There will be a **Presbyterian Women's** meeting after the service this morning. Grab your coffee or tea and everyone is welcome to join us.

SCRIP NEWS ~ This month we had 13 families purchase scrip with a net rebate of \$188.20 for CPC; our year-to-date net total is \$1,293.90. As always, we appreciate your support. Betty Wright won this month's donated gift card. Orders are placed on the second Sunday of the month, but individual orders/payments can be dropped off in the office prior to that if it's more convenient. If you have any questions regarding the scrip program or would like to place an order, please contact Nancy Case (201-317-4437 or nbcase48@yahoo.com) and she will be happy to help you. The next scrip order will be placed on **Sunday**, **June 12, 2022**.

"Let's change things up, Coffee Hour Your Way"

Ladies, does it seem like any time you plan to take a Sunday off or have a busy Sunday afternoon planned, you are on the list for Coffee Hour hostess? Gentlemen, have you ever wanted to host a coffee hour?

- Would you like to pick your own coffee hour partner and date?
- Would you like to do coffee hour as a family?
- Do you dread the thought of baking for Coffee Hour?
- Would you prefer to buy your Coffee Hour goodies?
- Do you love to "do it up" for Coffee Hour?

Do you want to keep it simple with just coffee and tea, that's acceptable too!

Parish Life has a solution, and it's pick your date and do it your way Coffee Hour. Parish Life will continue using this new method for Coffee Hour. May 29th is still open, **and all Sundays in June, July and August are available.** Please contact the office if you would like to serve on a Sunday or look for the coffee hour schedule at coffee hour; thank you. ... **AND** if we have dates without volunteers we will have fellowship without the coffee. Thanking you in advance for your participation

PEACH FESTIVAL 2022 ~Even though we have just celebrated Easter, the peach festival "pit crew" has been busy making plans for this year's event. We believe everyone thoroughly enjoyed the kinder, gentler Peach Festival of 2021, so we plan to follow a similar pattern for Peach Festival 2022. Since this is our church's major fund raiser we are asking you to save some dates , donate some hours , and help make this event a success. Peach Festival 22 will be held on Saturday, August 6, from 9 am to 3 pm . Please mark your calendars and watch future bulletins, newsletters and emails for dates and information . This year's One Great Hour of Sharing

campaign used the tagline "if we all do a little, it adds up to a lot." So let's all do a little so it will add up to a lot!

PEACH FESTIVAL CORE COMMITTEE will meet at 3pm on Monday, May 16th in the Fireplace Room.

Parish Life Book Club chose <u>The Henna Artist</u> by Alka Joshi as our next book and plan to meet on Thursday, May 26th at 6:30pm for a discussion of the book. Book suggestions and additional participants are always welcome! If you have any questions, please contact Joan Stephens (201-874-1477).

Join us for our next **WOMEN'S BREAKFAST**, Saturday, June 4th, 8 am at the Chester Diner. Bring a friend, the more the merrier.

CHESTER FOOD PANTRY: Please keep the food pantry on your grocery list and drop off your donations in the trunk located between the kitchen and foyer doors. *Some much needed items: laundry and dish detergents, toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo and conditioner, salad dressing, mayonnaise, ketchup, mustard, peanut butter, jelly, cereal, macaroni and cheese, cookies, crackers, coffee.*

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sunday, May 15 th		In-person Family and Virtual Worship
	10:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Fellowship & Refreshments
		Presbyterian Women Meet
	3:00 p.m.	Pinot's Palette~Hackettstown
	6:00 p.m.	IPSA*
Mon., May 16 th	3:00 p.m.	Peach Festival Meeting
	7:00 p.m.	Worship Council Meeting
Tues., May 17 ^h	3:00 p.m.	Bible Study
	7:00 p.m.	SESSION
Wed., May 18 th	9:30 a.m.	Healthy Bones
	6:30 p.m.	Confirmation Class
	6:30 p.m.	Bell Rehearsal
	7:30 p.m.	Choir Rehearsal
Sun., May 22 nd	9:15 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal
	10:00 a.m.	In-person Family and Virtual Worship
	10:15 a.m.	Sunday School
	11:00 a.m.	Fellowship & Coffee
	2:00-5:00 p.m.	Eagle Scout Ceremony
	6:00 p.m.	IPSA

FOR YOUR PRAYERS AND CONSIDERATION

Friends and Family of Community Presbyterian Church

The Dubas Family and Andrea Jacques the people of Ukraine **Dolores Burt** Michael Baker Mark Stephens **Doris Mark** Allie Allen Marie Duryea **Emily Hontz** Steve Debbie B. **Helen Jones** Kris **Betty Harris** Becca King Dylan R. Ed Barker Patricia Barbara **Betty Badeaux** Ryan H Kari Charlene Reggie Craig **Cheryl Scrivens** Bill and Liz G. Anne Ronnie Theresa Shirley Robert JOL Joyce Becky T. Noelese Janice Moore

Connie Tsai Patrick Jack Evie Goei Matt Colleen Donna KB Austin Luella Smith Erin Amanda Jason Hev Judy Kathy Eric Arnold Amy Alec Susan Waite Michelle F. Brandon Lindsey Michael Evan Kristen Erica Richard Suzanne Pfaff Ron McConnell Adam Kathleen

JohnnySophiaSuzanne HoffmanEstherJohnTerryKathy Z.GlennBrianClaire WranitzDonnaAndrew

Joe&Roseann Donofrio Scott Harris Garry H. Ryan

Dawn C.DebbiOther Prayer ConcernsScottGerryThose who cannot openly andBeverly WillittsSusanfreely worship our Lord. VictimsStevenSamanthaof abuse: children, the elderly,J. D. FinlayGeorgethose who cannot protect

Cindy Zimmer

Tom Stewart Carol Stiner themselves.

If you are aware of any names that can be removed or that should be added to the list, please notify the church office of these changes. Thank you.

Community Presbyterian Church, Chester Parish Life invites all ladies to a



Ladies' Afternoon Out at Pinot's Palette 1885 – NJ 57, Hackettstown, NJ May 15, 2022 3pm ~ 5pm

Cost: \$38 per person (makes a nice Mother's Day Gift)

we will provide light snacks

everyone brings their own beverage

Invite some friends to join you

They can seat up to 45 people

Gign Up in Fellowship Center or call the Office (908) 879-5091 and we will be happy to add your name The picture above is the one we will be painting