

Church Announcements – September 6, 2026



I am excited to have the kids back at Sunday School on a regular basis! We are going to be exploring our second year of Growing in Grace and Gratitude. **September 27th** we will start by exploring Genesis and continue to explore the Old Testament throughout the fall including exploring the Ten Commandments.

We are looking for a second person to help downstairs each week so we can continue to host our Sunday School. If you are interested in helping but have not yet, please reach out to Christy to get the background check paperwork so we can get you on the vetted list of helpers. 908-310-6211 or ycyoung262@gmail.com

If you are available to help, please sign up with the QR Code for the list of dates that I am looking for helpers this fall. As always, I appreciate your help and dedication to helping teach the youth of our church about faith



Please register your child or children with the QR Code so you can stay informed on all the events that we have throughout the year.



CHOIRS With another wonderful Peach Festival behind us, it's time to look forward to an exciting new season of music! ***Rehearsals for both Handbells and Chancel Choir kick off on Wednesday, September 9th:***

Handbell Choir: 6:30 PM – 7:20 PM

Chancel Choir: 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM

We are especially thrilled to announce this year's Christmas Cantata, ***"A Thrill of Hope"*** by Joel Raney, which will be featured during worship on Sunday, December 20th. This special musical presentation will bring together choir, handbells, piano, percussion, and a rich instrumental ensemble including violin, cello, oboe, flute, and horn.

Whether you've sung or rung for years or are looking to try something new, we would love to have you join us! Simply come out to our first rehearsal on September 9th. Blessings, Matt Petrozelli

Gourmet on the Run will be cooking every Monday and Friday mornings in the church kitchen at 9:00 A.M. starting September 11th. Anyone who would like to come and help us make our frozen appetizers, soups, and entrees for the Holiday Extravaganza is welcome. Just bring an apron, your favorite paring knife, and yourself. You don't have to be a fantastic chef to cook with us. We will help and teach you. (Plus, our workers have access to our recipes!) We work hard but we have fun doing it! Any questions or concerns, contact:

Barbara Misar (908) 812-7634 barbaramisar@gmail.com or

Darcy Taylor (908) 996-4649 darcy2save@yahoo.com

Mission Council Coat Drive Mission Council is planning a coat drive for Market Street Mission for the second year. It was a great success last year. This year we will begin collecting on August 30 and end on October 3. We are looking for new and gently used coats for all ages and genders for distribution in the Morristown area. They also welcome new hats, gloves, and scarves. Drop off your items in the bin in the church office lobby during office hours. This is a great way to get rid of closet items as you sort through your winter wear this fall! Please share with friends and family so we can help Market Street Mission help others stay warm this winter. Also, if anyone is interested, they are looking for help sorting during September and October and distributing in early November. Please contact Jeanne Perry (jeanniema@aol.com) if you would like to help.

Join our Mission Council Wednesday, September 23 between 11 – 3pm. for a **Flu and vaccine clinic.** A Walgreens pharmacist will be available to get you vaccinated against the flu, Covid 19 and other seasonal illnesses. Bring your insurance card and ID. No appointment is required.



SEPTEMBER 24, 2026 5-8 PM
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- 🍏 Bring your own lawn chair or cozy blanket
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For more information, email info@comfortzonecamp.org

SCRIP NEWS ~ 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 nocase000@gmail.com) and she will be happy to help you. The next scrip order will be placed on Sunday, **SEPTEMBER 13, 2026**. Enjoy these last days of summer!

Coffee Hour Sign-up ~ Thank you to all who have signed up to host a coffee hour. Sign up with a friend, or family, make coffee hour what you want it to be, as simple or extravagant as you wish. Fellowship time is an important part of our church.

The CPC Book Club chose ***The Calamity Club*** by *Kathryn Stockett* as their next book to read. They plan to meet on Tuesday, September 29th for a discussion of that book. More participants are welcome to join and book suggestions welcomed. If you have any questions, please contact Joan Stephens (201) 874-1477.

Presbyterian Women is looking for a new treasurer. Anyone interested, we will be asking each one to put together their experience and email it to

Michelle: miciscriv@comcast.net;

Beth: jlpfaff@comcast.net &

Christy: ccsdsign@icloud.com.

We will then evaluate and determine the next treasurer.

Remember... **Presbyterian Women** still collecting any type of jewelry (broken pieces are good) in the collection bag in Fellowship Center. There are tax donation letters in the bag, so please take one. Thank you all so much for your previous donations.

The Chester Mendham Food Pantry is focusing on the most asked for wants and needs of its clients. *We will be asking for you to concentrate on 3 to 5 items monthly. This month's items are:* [Shampoo/Conditioner; Adult undergarments; body wash](#)

COMING UP ~ BYG



BYG will have two clothing drives at CPC this fall ~ Saturday, October 3rd and Saturday, November 7th from 10 to 4 p.m. All items donated must be in good condition. Items we collect ARE NOT SHREDDED. Accepted Items: Clothing and shoes for Men, Women, Children and infants; Toys: soft or hard below 14 inches; Accessories: belts, purses, backpacks, hats, scarves, etc. NO Winter Boots, Coats, single shoes, ice or roller skates.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Sun., Sept. 6	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	11:00 a.m.	Fellowship and Refreshments
	6:00 p.m.	IPSA
Mon., Sept. 7		<i>OFFICE CLOSED – LABOR DAY</i>
Tues., Sept. 8	10:00 a.m.	Al-Anon
	10:30 a.m.	Fifty Plus Club
	7:00 p.m.	Overeaters Anonymous
Wed., Sept. 9	9:30 a.m.	Healthy Bones
	6:30 p.m.	Bell Rehearsal
	7:30 p.m.	Chancel Choir
Thurs. Sept. 10	10:30 a.m.	Quilty Pleasures
Fri., Sept. 11	9:00 a.m.	Gourmet-on-the-Run
	9:30 a.m.	Beginners Meeting
	10:00 a.m.	Al-Anon
Sat., Sept. 12	9 – 4 p.m.	Craft Fair Parking ~ BYG Fundraiser
	7:30 p.m.	AA Meeting-Fireplace Room
Sun, Sept. 13	9-4 p.m.	Craft Fair Parking – BYG Fundraiser
	9:15 a.m.	Choir Rehearsal
	10:00 a.m.	Worship Service
	11:00 a.m.	Fellowship and Refreshments
	11:15 a.m.	COUNCILS
		Scrip Orders Taken
	6:00 p.m.	IPSA

FOR YOUR PRAYERS and CONSIDERATION

If you have any names you would like to have put on prayer list, please call the Church office and we will be happy to put the person(s) on the list, we would also appreciate a call or email to remove names from our list. Thank you for your consideration.

Gail Lee and family on the passing of Gail's husband, Paul.

Mark and Joanne

Tammy P.

Tina D.

Christy Fairchild

Miriam Gonsiska

Jess H.

Ryan H.

Joelyn

Tom and Valerie

Art D'Angelo

Heather A

John & Kelly Savarese

Judy

Olwyn Shaffeld

Pastor Dave T and Joan

Paul and Robin

Janet

Annette

Pete

Ben

Valerie

Stephanie

Bruce Campbell

John

Karen

Jack Bonacci

Ron

Hope

Marilyn

Maureen

Helen Kopacka

Tom S

Dale Byerlee

Dottie M.

Joyce

JoAnn Spinelli

Tony De Pasque

Joni

Fred Ertel

Frank D.

Sarah

Richard H.

Larry

Daniel

Kathy Petrozelli

Thomas Price

Don Sluter

Joe and Ann

Hillary

Sarah

Bill L.

Patrick

Tracy

RH

Cindy B

Declan

Jerry

Ethan

Tom

Joanne

Bonnie

Jan

Matthew

Barbara

LC

Suzanne Pfaff

Ukrainian People

Anna

Andrea & Jay J.