



**Siloam Hope First
Presbyterian Church**



Founded as the First NJ Christian Congregation in 1664



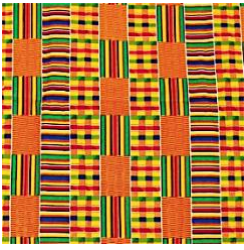
WELCOME. LOVE. SERVICE. COMMUNITY.

Reverend Dr. Wanda M. Lundy, *Pastor*
Jacob Paduano, Music Director

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Sunday Worship Service | 17 July 2022 | 6th Sunday of Pentecost

“THE WORD BECAME FLESH AND BLOOD AND MOVED INTO THE NEIGHBORHOOD (John 1:14).”



MEDITATION | ALL

PRELUDE | JACOB PADUANO

CALL TO WORSHIP | PASTOR LUNDY

INVOCATION | PASTOR LUNDY

WELCOME, ANNOUNCEMENTS & CELEBRATIONS | ELDER WANDA SIZEMORE- MCRAE

OPENING HYMN | SHFPC MUSIC MINISTRY

VIRTUAL PASSING OF PEACE | LEAD BY FAN COMMITTEE

LIVING OUR MISSION |

PRAYER OF CONFESSION | PASTOR LUNDY

SILENT PRAYER OF CONFESSION | ALL

ASSURANCE OF PARDON | PASTOR LUNDY

SCRIPTURE READING | LUKE 10:38-42

HYMN OF PREPARATION | SHFPC MUSIC MINISTRY

SERMON | PASTOR LUNDY: “*We’ve Got Work to Do – Part 2*”

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH | ELDER BESSIE ALLEN

PASTORAL PRAYER | PASTOR LUNDY

OFFERING OF GIFTS TO GOD | ALL

AND **MUSICAL SELECTION** | SHFPC MUSIC MINISTRY

CHARGE AND BLESSING | PASTOR LUNDY

MEDITATION BEFORE SERVICE

Silent meditation is the first order of worship. Take this opportunity to reflect upon God, the events of your week, and the persons who are touching your life. If you wish, share your prayer concerns there will be an opportunity to share your concern during our Joys and Concerns/Pastoral Prayer.

CALL TO WORSHIP

We gather this day from a week filled with needs and demands

We come to find rest and renewal of our spirits.

Open your hearts in love to hear the voice of God.

**We want to quietly rest in God’s presence, free from
the clamor of the world.**

This is the day that the Lord has made.

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Patient Lord, we schedule our lives down to the very second.

We crowd in as much activity as we can and then wonder why we are so stressed out and tired.

We are afraid to miss out on anything.

And when it comes time to be with others, we spend our time worrying about details rather than longing for the visit.

Forgive us when we get so caught up in the details and miss the opportunity to sit at your feet, learning, listening, growing in our faith.

Help us to place ourselves in your care.

Slow us down, just a bit, so that we can see the wonders you have placed before us and truly enjoy and share the blessings you have given to us.

For we ask this in Jesus' Name. Amen. *Silent Confession*

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

The psalmist proclaims, "I trust in the steadfast love of God forever and ever."
Brothers and sisters, receive forgiveness, and trust that God's love is always with us. Amen. **Thanks be to God!**

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Any dates for the Church Calendar should be given to Wanda Sizemore-McRae ASAP.

- **Operation Warm Heart** is still seeking donations of personal care items, socks, and/or bus cards for displaced individuals. Please contact Elder Bessie for more information.
- **2022 Per Capita** is \$45 per member. This and all donations can be submitted **during worship**; to **SHFP Church, P. O. Box 442, Roselle, NJ 07203**; or with *Zelle* using **shfpchurch64@gmail.com**.
- **What's the 313? The Ancestors Speak Video Blog** – Co-hosted by Pastor Lundy and James Amemasor on Sundays at 3p.m. It is a conversation about the Ancestors Speak Research Project on Zoom: Meeting ID 814 0595 3491 and Dial-in Number (929) 205-6099.
- *On Mondays, Prayer Service is 6:30pm and Bible Study is 7pm* on Zoom. The study will resume on 9/12 on New Testament *Matthew*.
- *Do you want to serve on a committee or ministry?* Please see a session member today.
- If you wish to be a **Liturgist**, please see Elder Wanda after service.

REMINDERS

- Pastor's office hours are by appointment in the *Snyder Academy*. Contact her at **201-970-3337** or **wandamlundy@gmail.com**.
- During worship service, **kindly turn off or put phones on vibration**.
- Our church is a COVID-19 conscious setting, so **please wear a facemask** properly.
- Anyone requesting a **pastoral visit or at-home communion** should contact one of the Ruling Elders, Deacons, or Pastor.

SESSION REPORT: *Financial Report*

Income: **\$9,196** | Expenditure: **\$37,598**

Once again, most of the expenses were due to needed repairs in the Snyder Academy for busted pipes.

1. May 29: **Ordination** of Elder Amaka Njoku and Deacon Niki Allen
2. We updated **church budget** for 2022.
3. We'd like to have a **Church Family Day** Outing.
4. We voted to allow an **Immigration Group** to hold Sunday afternoon meetings in the church for \$350.
5. We need new members to serve on Session and Deacon Board for 2023.
6. The **repaving of the cemetery** walkway is complete. A coat of sealant is necessary
7. The beginning structure of the **313 Monument** is done.

SANKOFA SAYS

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NATIONAL MINORITY MENTAL AWARENESS MONTH



JULY is NATIONAL MINORITY MENTAL HEALTH MONTH

20% of AFRICAN AMERICANS ARE MORE LIKELY TO REPORT HAVING SERIOUS PSYCHOLOGICAL DISTRESS THAN NON-HISPANIC WHITES

ASIAN AMERICAN WOMEN HAVE THE HIGHEST SUICIDE RATE OF ALL WOMEN OVER AGE 65 IN THE U.S.

HISPANICS RECEIVE MENTAL HEALTH TREATMENT HALF AS OFTEN AS CAUCASIANS

"Minorities are less likely to receive diagnosis and treatment for their mental illness, have less access to and availability of mental health services and often receive a poorer quality of mental health care."
—U.S. Surgeon General

RECOVERY IS POSSIBLE FOR EVERY HUMAN.
Take action. Talk to a mental health professional.

SOURCE:
The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Office of Minority Health

FUN FACTS

Do You Know?

On last Monday, our campus and other historic Elizabeth sites acknowledged Alexander Hamilton Day. *Why?*

“On July 11, 1804, in one of the most famous duels in American history, Vice President Aaron Burr fatally shoots his long-time political antagonist Alexander Hamilton. Hamilton, a leading Federalist and the chief architect of America’s political economy, died the following day.

In 1789, he (Hamilton) was appointed the first secretary of the treasury by President Washington, and during the next six years he crafted a sophisticated monetary policy that saved the young U.S. government from collapse.

A masterful politician, he (Burr) was elected to the New York State Assembly in 1784 and later served as state attorney. In 1790, he defeated Alexander Hamilton’s father-in-law in a race for the U.S. Senate. (<https://www.history.com/>).”

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

(July Birthdays)

6th Jeston Robinson
18th Theresa Edmond,
Rev. Wanda Lundy,
and Lamar Pryor
21st Robert Linton
30th Hazel Garlic

(July Anniversaries)

7th Mr. Curtis & Rev. Wanda Lundy

³⁸ As Jesus and his disciples were on their way, he came to a village where a woman named Martha opened her home to him. ³⁹ She had a sister called Mary, who sat at the Lord's feet listening to what he said. ⁴⁰ But Martha was distracted by all the preparations that had to be made. She came to him and asked, "Lord, don't you care that my sister has left me to do the work by myself? Tell her to help me!"

⁴¹ "Martha, Martha," the Lord answered, "you are worried and upset about many things, ⁴² but few things are needed—or indeed only one. Mary has chosen what is better, and it will not be taken away from her (Luke 10:38-42)."



Flair Turkey Salad

{Yield: 10 servings}

Ingredients:

- 7 cups fresh turkey breast, roasted
- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup celery, coarsely chopped
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup sweet relish
- $\frac{3}{4}$ cup fat-free mayonnaise
- $\frac{1}{4}$ cup onion, finely diced
- 2 large red-skinned apples, coarsely chopped
- 1 cup red grapes
- $\frac{1}{8}$ teaspoon ground pepper

Instructions:

1. Shred or dice the turkey and add with the other ingredients.
2. Mix thoroughly and chill before serving.

Suggestion: Serve on whole wheat rolls or bread!

This recipe is courtesy of our *Fitness Activities and Nutrition* Committee. **Learn more about FAN and be healthier at www.shfpchurch.org/fan-resources.**

PHOTO OF THE WEEK



Our Food Ministry
preparing food donation
bags as a family. We invite
you to participate in GOD's
work at the Snyder Academy.

LITERARY CORNER

WORD OF THE WEEK

“If I were my neighbor, what type of neighbor would I see in me,
One that I hardly knew at all or one who stopped by regularly.
When a neighbor's needed, is this the one on whom I could call,
Or would he just turn his back, not acknowledging my call at all.

If I were injured or became ill and was unable to mow my grass,
Would I see this neighbor out there mowing, even before I ask.
Then, later, would he come back by, seeking to do another chore,
Or just become scarce until I was well and not see him anymore.

Would I see him as a loving husband, a good helpmate to his wife,
Or someone who is selfish and lazy, with signs of anger and strife.
Would I see in him a caring father, a devoted type of family man,
One who provides quite well for them, giving the best that he can.

Seeing myself in my neighbor's eyes, am I pleased in all that I see,
Or would I be totally shocked, hanging my head rather shamefully.
When I'm outside, as things go wrong and my temper begins to soar,
I'll try to remember the world is watching and it all begins next door
(©Robert Hedrick).”

NEIGHBOR



“Someone who lives very
close to you or A country that
is next to another country
(<https://dictionary.cambridge.org/us>)”

PSST! Do You Write Poetry or Short Stories? Submit It to shfpchurch64@gmail.com.



Our community is rich with interesting and talented people. In an effort to tighten our family bond, we will feature a member, friend, and/or supporter of our church.

Who will be our first volunteer?

Tell us . . .

- Where were you born and raised?
- When is your birthday?
- Who makes up your family?
- What is/was your career or main job?
- What is your favorite color, dessert, and/or vacation spot?
- Who is/was your hero or role model?
- How did you arrive in our church community?
- What is your unique skill or talent?

. . . what you want us to know!

Please send a letter or email to Elder Pamela Robinson Smith at:

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Attn: Elder Pam
Elizabeth, NJ 07201

(or)

theagent@pameladsmith.com

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| Advocate | Door | Lawgiver | Redeemer |
| Almighty | Emmanuel | Life | Resurrection |
| Alpha and Omega | Everlasting | Light | Rock |
| Amen | Faithful and True | Lion of Judah | Savior |
| Apostle | First and Last | Lord | Servant |
| Beloved Son | Forerunner | Lord of Lords | Shepherd |
| Bishop | Foundation | Master | Son of David |
| Branch | Governor | Master | Son of God |
| Bread | Head | Mediator | Son of Man |
| Captain | High Priest | Messiah | Vine |
| Carpenter | Holy and Just One | Mighty God | Way |
| Chosen | Horn of Salvation | Morning Star | Wonderful |
| Christ | I AM | Nazarene | Word |
| Consolation | Jesus | Only Begotten Son | |
| Cornerstone | Judge | Passover | |
| Counselor | King | Priest | |
| Day Star | King of Kings | Prince of Peace | |
| Deliverer | Lamb of God | Prophet | |