

The Week Ahead at Grace Presbyterian Church: Sept. 13-Sept. 20

For additional information, call the church office or ask an usher!

Sun. Sept. 13	9:30 am Sunday Service/Communion 10:30 am Fellowship
Mon. Sept. 14	9:00 am Jazzercise 6:00 pm Reiki Share 7:00 pm Yoga
Tues. Sept. 15	9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 6:00 pm Session Meeting 6:00 pm Jazzercise
Wed Sept. 16	9:00 am Jazzercise 9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 7:00 pm Deacons Meeting 7:00 pm Essentrics
Thur. Sept. 17	9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 6:00 pm Jazzercise
Fri. Sept. 18	9:30 am Restorative Yoga
Sat. Sept. 19	9:00 am Flea/Craft Market
Sun. Sept. 20	9:30 am Sunday Service 10:30 am Fellowship

Vision Statement

We are an open and affirming congregation. We genuinely welcome people of all ages, race, ethnicities, genders, sexual orientations, beliefs, and those who are cognitively and or physically challenged. Our vision is to be a community of love and purpose, each one engaged in ministry, seeking to know Christ, growing in discipleship, and embodying God's love for the world.

Adult Education

Sunday, Sept. 13 - Sunday, Oct. 11 - 11:00 -12:00 in Room 3

We will follow the stories of Joseph shared in worship and this will allow time for questions and deeper conversation.

Sept 13 - Communion, Genesis 37, "Joseph, the Favored One".

Sept 20 - Genesis 39 "Joseph's Rise and Fall"

Sept 27 - Genesis 40-41 "Joseph Interpreter of Dreams"

Oct 4 - World Communion, Genesis 42-45, Family Reunion

Oct 16 - Genesis 46-50. "Turn of Fortune"

Quilts For Kids

Quilts for kids meets the first Saturday of every month from 10 am - 3 pm in the octagon. All are welcome to come and sew. Bring your machine and we will teach you. For more information contact BJ Rieck at bj_rieck@hotmail.com or 732-213-4372

South Brunswick Food Bank Items Needed

Ground coffee - Peanut Butter- Jelly - Chef Boyardee, or any canned pasta
Crushed tomatoes - Pancake mix - Syrup Spaghetti, and any boxed pasta Paper goods:
toilet paper, paper towels, tissues, napkins, Boxed milk such as Parmalat - Canned meat
and tuna. Please bring the item(s) to the church and put it in the cart by the front door. If
you have any questions contact Lee - mrsp52@comcast.net



GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

at Sand Hills Community Wellness Center

Starting September, join a small, supportive peer group where you can connect with others who understand the experience of loss in a safe and welcoming environment.

Our grief support group offers:

- A welcoming and confidential environment
- Guided conversations around common experiences of grief
- Opportunities to share (only if you feel comfortable)
- Support from others who understand what you're going through

Everyone's grief journey is unique. There is no expectation to speak or share more than you wish.



INFORMATION

We will meet biweekly for 10 weeks starting
Tuesday, September 22 | 6:30 pm – 7:30 pm

Peer Support Group - not therapy
Suggested Donation: \$10 per session
Limited to 10 participants

If you are interested in participating, please reach out. A brief intake will help determine if the group is a good fit.

Call: 732-419-3551

Email: sandhillswellness@gmail.com

Facilitator: Maryann Rappa, MA, CPC

You don't have to go through grief alone. We would be honored to support you during this time.

**Join Us!!
Oct-May**



of Grace Presbyterian Church

Toddler time is a once a week program for 2-3 year olds and their caregiver. Lead by a teacher, toddler time introduces your child to school, classroom routines, friends and play with the comfort of their caregiver by their side.

**Each class has open play,
crafts, snack, singing, &
playground time.**



Email for questions and registration
toddlertime.gpc@gmail.com

Grace Presbyterian Church

PRESENTS

Grace for Dinner

OFFERING FOOD ♥ CONNECTION ♥ HOPE



A FREE MEAL for anyone facing food insecurity.
If you are a neighbor in need, please come to our table.
All are welcome. Guests can also **choose 2 bags of groceries**.
Doors open at 4:00pm



SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10, 2026
from 4:00–5:30pm



57 Sand Hills Road
Kendall Park, NJ 732-297-9182



CONTACT US

Email: office@gracepcsb.org
Website: gracepcsb.org



Stay and enjoy meals
and company on site
or take them home.



ORDER MEALS BY FRIDAY, OCT. 2ND

Call or email with name, phone number,
number of meals needed and
number of children under 18.



One meal
per person.

CHOICE OF:

1

Chicken Francaise

2

Penne a la Vodka

Meals prepared by **The Pine Tavern**
Old Bridge, NJ



Let us know if you have transportation limits;
we may be able to arrange delivery. If you are
unable to pre-order, any remaining meals will
be given out starting at **5:15pm**.



All are welcome!

Look Who's Serving

	Sept. 13	Sept. 20	Sept. 27	Oct. 4
Liturgist	Lee Piotrowski	Amy Miller	Christie Chow	Carol Thomson
Usher	Amy Miller	Judianne Brown	Sandy Chmielewski	Janice Royer
Zoom	Peter Godinez	Maryann Rappa	Janice Royer	
Worship Leader	Rev. Debbie Paton	Rev. Debbie Paton	Rev. Debbie Paton	Rev. Debbie Paton
Coffee Hour	Sandy Chmielewski	Amy Miller Evelyn Savage		Gabi Quaely
Counters	Dottie Pickell Mike Royer	Laura Taff Lee Piotrowski	Dottie Pickell Mike Royer	Fran Trischetta Carol Thomson
Musician	Vince DiMura	Vince DiMura	Vince DiMura	Vince DiMura
Open/Close	Carol Thomson Mike Royer	Carol Thomson Mike Royer	Carol Thomson Mike Royer	Carol Thomson Mike Royer

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Pastor Debbie - Debbie is in the office Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday. Works off site on Friday. She can best be reached by email pastordebpaton@gmail.com or cell phone 630-886-6785. Please honor Monday as her sabbath by only calling if it is an emergency.

Vince Di Mura - Music Director

Church Office - Maryann Rappa will be in the office Monday, Tuesday, Thursday. She can be reached at office@gracepcsb.org or 732-297-9182.

NOT SURE WHO TO CONTACT?

- ❖ Questions about donations - Contact **Al Goddard**
- ❖ Questions about the children's ministry - contact **Nancy Varga**
nmvarga2011@comcast.net
- ❖ Questions about the Deacons - **Sandy Chmielewski**
sandra.chmii@gmail.com
- ❖ Have a prayer request? - contact **Tami Aug** tamaraaug@gmail.com
- ❖ Put an announcement in the bulletin? tell the **church office by Wednesday.**
office@gracepcsb.org
- ❖ Put an article in the newsletter? Maryann Rappa office@gracepcsb.org
- ❖ Want to get involved? **Contact an elder.**

Questions about **Finance or Personnel** - Rob Aug; **Hospitality** - Janice Royer, **Outreach** - Donna Keller; **Property** - Mike Royer; **Worship** -Dottie Pickell; **Stewardship** - Rob Aug; **Wellness** Irene Carman; **Clerk of Session** - Peter Godinez

Elders - Rob Aug, Irene Carman, Jim Elieff, Peter Godinez, Donna Keller, Dottie Pickell, Janice Royer, Mike Royer, Nancy Varga

Deacons - Tami Aug, Gloria Bernard, Vilija Casey, Sandy Chmielewski, Barbara Elieff, Cheryl Kotch, Amy Miller, Gabi Quaely

USERS' GUIDE

- **Welcome!** If you are visiting, please sign our guest book on the table in the hall before entering the worship space.
- If you have a **prayer request**, fill out a blue *prayer request card* (the other side of the welcome card) and put it on the offering plate.
- **Restrooms** are on the fellowship hall side of the sanctuary.

More information?

Grace Presbyterian Church- 57 Sand Hills Road, Kendall Pk, NJ 08824 Phone number- 732-297-9182 email us at - office@gracepcsb.org - Visit our website: www.gracepcsb.org - Or check us out on Facebook!