

The Week Ahead at Grace Presbyterian Church: July 26 - Aug. 2

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

Sun. July 26	9:30 am Sunday Service 10:30 am Fellowship
Mon. July 27	9:00 am Jazzercise 6:00 pm Reiki Share 7:00 pm Yoga
Tues. July 28	9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 6:00 pm Jazzercise
Wed July 29	9:00 am Jazzercise 9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 7:00 pm Essentrics
Thur. July 30	9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 6:00 pm Jazzercise
Fri. July 31	9:30 am Restorative Yoga
Sat. Aug. 1	8:30 Jazzercise 8:45 am Yoga
Sun. Aug. 2	9:30 am Sunday Service/Communion Congregational Meeting 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.

Congregational Meeting

We will be having a congregational meeting Sunday, August 2 immediately following the service for the installation of deacons.

Help Us Share the Good News!

Our church's Facebook and Instagram pages are wonderful ways to let others know about the love of Christ and the life of our church family. Every one of us can play a part in reaching our community.

When you see a church post, please take a moment to:

- 👍 Like it
- 💬 Leave a comment
- ➦ Share it with your friends and family

These simple actions help our posts reach more people and increase awareness of our church. You never know who may be looking for hope, encouragement, or a church home—and your click could be the invitation that brings them here.

Thank you for helping us spread God's love beyond our church walls. Together, we can make a difference, one post at a time!

Pastor on the Porch

Weekly on Thursday if the weather permits. Please dress appropriately for the temperature. We will gather on the church porch at 6:00 pm for the old tradition of sitting with friends and neighbors at the end of day. Conversation is optional. There will be coffee, tea, and cold water for all. Feel free to bring a treat to share and a lawn chair.

Our Abundance Table for July is Kitchen Gadgets

Abundantly blessed by God, we are invited to share in recognition of our abundance and God's generosity. In sharing, we pass along the gifts we no longer need. In this expression of thanksgiving, we extend the blessing of the gift. Each month we are invited to fill a table in the fellowship hall with items from our homes and lives that we are happy to share. This month our "Abundance Table" is a place for kitchen gadgets in good condition.

Any suggestion for future table items and other comments should be directed to Gloria Bernard, deacon in charge, at gloriabernard74@yahoo.com.

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

St Barnabas Program Invitation

St. Barnabas is offering an intergenerational program "All God's Children Gather for the Summer" this July. We are so happy to partner with you.

Here are some of the basics. We will meet on Wednesdays, July 8, 15, 22 and 29th from 6-8 PM at St Barnabas. We'll begin by sharing a meal, doing crafts/activities, studying Bible stories, and end with prayer and music. "Children" of all ages are welcome.

Questions - Contact Barbara - bpmoreno@aol.com

FLEA/CRAFT MARKET

Grace Presbyterian Church

57 Sand Hills Road

Kendall Park 732-297-9182

SAT. SEPT. 19 - 9:00-2:00

RAIN DATE - SEPT. 26

VENDORS WANTED

\$30.00 SPACE RENTAL

SCAN THE QR CODE OR EMAIL

OFFICE@GRACEPCSB.ORG TO

RESERVE YOUR SPACE

YOUR ULTIMATE FLEA MARKET

DESTINATION FOR AMAZING

DEALS - FOOD TRUCKS

**Craft Caffe
Mobile Barista
Cold Brew
Coffee -so
much more
thecraftcaffe.
com**



**Beastro BBQ
Fusion
- Mac & Chee.
Variations -
Sauces
beastrocuisine.
com**



An Evening of Kirtan with Bhakti Bliss at Sand Hills Community Wellness Center

Bhakti Bliss Kirtan is a heart-opening chanting experience that invites you to tap into your voice, awaken your spirit, and share in the bliss of collective devotion.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29TH
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

REGISTER ON OUR WEBSITE
\$30 PER TICKET

Visit www.bhaktiblisskirtan.com to
learn more about Bhakti Bliss

Kirtan is the joyful expression of Bhakti Yoga, the yoga of devotion, and it's one of the easiest ways to open your heart and feel your love connection to all of everything!

Led by Cheryl Chaffee, a Grammy Award-winning vocalist and longtime kirtan leader, each gathering blends soulful music, accessible mantras, and an inclusive, welcoming space—perfect for both first-time participants and experienced Bhakti practitioners.

**REGISTER AND LEARN
MORE ON OUR WEBSITE**



Sand Hills Community Wellness Center
57 SAND HILLS ROAD, KENDALL PARK, NJ 08824

QUESTIONS? CONTACT MARYANN

732-419-3551 OR SANDHILLSWELLNESS@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, AUGUST 8, 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



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ORDER MEALS BY MONDAY, AUGUST 3RD

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



One meal
per person.

CHOICE OF:

1

Turkey Sub

2

**Ham, Salami
& Cheese**

3

Cheese Sub

Meals prepared by **Tastee Sub Shop 2**
3087 Rt. 27, Franklin Park



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**.

A graphic of a heart with hands holding it, and rays of light emanating from the top.
All are welcome!

Look Who's Serving

	July 26	August 2	August 9	August 16
Liturgist	Laura Taff	Carol Thomson	Lee Piotrowski	Amy Miller
Usher	Amy Miller	Judianne Brown	Laura Taff	Sandy Chmielewski
Zoom	Brian Boccardi	Gabi Quaely	Brian Boccardi	Peter Godinez
Worship Leader	Rev. Donald Pitches	Rev. Debbie Paton	Rev. Debbie Paton	Rev. Debbie Paton
Coffee Hour	Cheryl Kotch	Vilja Casey	Gabi Quaely	
Counters	Laura Taff Lee Piotrowski	Dottie Pickell Mike Royer	Fran Trischetta Carol Thomson	Laura Taff Lee Piotrowski
Musician	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 - contact **Kathie Scott**
kathiemscott@icloud.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; **Preschool** - Nancy Varga, Carol Thomson; **Property** - Jim Elieff, Mike Royer; **Worship** -Dottie Pickell; **Stewardship** - Rob Aug; **Christian Ed.** - Nancy Varga; **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, Judianne Brown, Vilija Casey, Barbara Elieff, Amy Miller, Gabi Quaelly, Kathie Scott

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!