"He commanded us to preach to the people and to testify that he is the one ordained by God as judge of the living and the dead. All the prophets testify about him that everyone who believes in him receives forgiveness of sins through his name." Acts 10:42-43

Please join in worship on Sunday at 9:00a or 10:30a. Pastor's sermon is titled "Finding God at the Water's Edge" from Isaiah 42:1-9, Acts 10:34-43 and Matthew 3:13-17.

If you or someone you know from church is sick or hospitalized please notify the office at 609/641-3759 so Pastor Drew can reach out to you.

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#### **Please Remember in Prayer**

Vic Abelson - Lucy & Don Croneberger - Perry Family - Ron & Joyce Pfeiffer - Devin Morris - Family of Eddie Haldeman - Linda Gillis - Patti Morris - Laura Warrener - Frances Weir - Bill Tilley - Jean Delesantro - Betsy Cunius - Dan Hughes - Jerry Hoenes - Doris Steele - JoAnne Morgan - Marge Loeb - Carol Thomas - Edith Budd - Carol DeLaurentis - Zack Perry - Bob Gillis - Jim Mong - Aidan & Wendy Licolli - Ellen Plum - Dorie Keener - Russ Adkisson - Virginia Loeb - Marjorie McGuigan - Mildred Felsberg - Robin McBrearty - Ava Addams - Nancy Shaw - Lea Maxwell - Jessica Lobaz - Joyce Richard - Barbara Ferguson - Linda Gonzales -

Those hearing the Good News of the of the Savior perhaps for the first time
The poor, the abandoned, the homeless, the rejected, the lost
Church programs and events
Future members of Absecon Presbyterian Church
Families experiencing unexpected turmoil and transition
Members of our Armed Forces and First Response Teams
Victims of hate crimes, fires, storms, and other disasters around the world
Christians in Pakistan & the Middle East, People of South Sudan
Pastor Udo, his Churches & all Christians in Nigeria
Conflict and unrest throughout our nation and around the world

# **Sunday Servants, January 19**

<u>Lay Assistant</u> <u>Head Ushers</u> <u>Offering</u>

Georgina Umoren Nancy Sooy & Diane Kleiner Cindy Gorgo & Betty Lloyd

Acolyte Nursery & PreK Van Driver

Will Little Karen L, Tyler G & Jackson H Priscilla Schultheis

<u>Deacon of the Month</u> <u>Refreshments</u> <u>Counting Team</u>

# **Breakfast Crew**

Set up: Franklin Nale; Cook: Dirk Williamson; Clean up: Tina Brown

# This Week in Our Church

# Sunday

9:00a Liturgy of the Seasons

9:30a Pancake Breakfast

9:45a Chancel Choir Rehearsal

10:15a Nursery & PreK, ages birth to 4

10:30a Worship

11:00a Grades K-6 move to classes

9:00p God Is Faithful Church

Monday Martin Luther King Jr Day (Office Closed)

February Newsletter Deadline

10:00a AA Support Group

11:30a 3rd Monday Communion/Lunch

#### Tuesday

8:30a APC Prayer Meeting

4:30p King of Kings

9:00p God Is Faithful Church

#### Wednesday

10:00a AA Support Group

4:45p Rock Solid & New Disciples

7:30p Adult Bible Study

8:00p AA Support Group

#### Thursday

8:30a PB & J Sandwiches

5:30p Girl Scout Troop 11446

# Friday

10:00a AA Support Group

8:00p AA Support Group

# Saturday

9:30a Mission/Evang Committee Mtg

7:30p AA Support Group

9:30p AA 3<sup>rd</sup> Step Support Group

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with lunch at noon. The menu includes chicken salad sandwiches and vegetable soup with dessert and beverage. Please sign up on the pink clipboard so we know how many to prepare for.

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# The deadline for information to be included in the February newsletter is tomorrow. Articles are to be submitted in writing.

Thanks in advance!

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# **Session Spotlight**

#### Save the Date:

- 1. "Souper" Bowl Sunday on February 2
- 2. Shrove Tuesday Pancake dinner Fundraiser at 6 p.m. on February 25 to benefit the Deacons Fund
- 3. Ash Wednesday Service at 5:15 p.m. on February 26 with Soup and Sandwich dinner afterward and intergenerational devotional activities.
- 4. Maundy Thursday (joint service with the Methodist Church on April 9
- 5. Sight and Sound bus trip on October 12 to see "Esther". Details to follow.

### Recruiting team will begin search for new youth pastor

Annual Meeting and luncheon – February 9

#### **2020 Session Committees and Chairpersons:**

Christian Education – Scott Sabo
Fellowship – Bill Keener
Mission /Evangelism – Leo Ransone
Nominating – Bill Keener
Stewardship – Lee Wolff
Trustees – Don Wong
Worship – Isaac Umoren
Fundraising – Scott Sabo
Spread the Word – Kirk Conover

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#### **American Red Cross Blood Drive**

Sponsored By:
Lolla Chiropractic Center
Absecon Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall

# Thursday, February 13 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

During the weeks of Christmas and New Year's, about 500 fewer blood drives were hosted by volunteer sponsor groups than required to meet patient needs. Many groups postpone blood drives during the winter holidays when travel and holiday activities may make it challenging for many donors to give.

"Lifesaving medical treatments and emergencies never take a holiday," said Paul Sullivan, senior vice president, Red Cross Biomedical Services. "Declines in donations can affect patient care. That's why the Red Cross is encouraging eligible donors to make an appointment to give now and help those sidelined by illness and trauma."

The Red Cross needs to collect more than 13,000 blood donations and 2,500 platelets every day to meet patient needs locally and across the country. Please help us save lives!

For an appointment call:
1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767)
To register online visit RedCrossBlood.org
Search by sponsor code: Lolla Chiro

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#### Access our online calendar 24/7/365!

The Google calendar (found on <u>our website</u> under "News") is updated as information is received in the office - good for reminders of events and meetings, or if you need directions to an event held off-site. For easier viewing click on the "Agenda" tab at the top right.

This calendar is also a helpful tool for committees and groups when planning events. See what dates, times and rooms are available.

Click on an event for more information!

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