

*“You have commanded your precepts to be kept diligently.  
O that my ways may be steadfast in keeping your statutes!” Psalm 119:4-5*

Come and worship Sunday at 9:00a or 10:30a. Pastor’s sermon is titled “Humanity and the Law: Preserving the Real You” from [Psalm 119:1-8, 1 Corinthians 3:1-9 and Matthew 5:17-37](#).

***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.***

**Please Remember in Prayer**

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

Future members of Absecon Presbyterian Church  
Church programs and events

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  
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, February 16**

Lay Assistant

JoAnn Sabo

Head Ushers

Mary Bew & Betty Lloyd

Offering

Diane Kleiner & Nancy Sooy

Acolyte

Matthew Rodriguez

Nursery

Christina Smith & Maryiam Bhatti

Pre-Kindergarten

Claire Mangione

Van Driver

Priscilla Schultheis

Deacon of the Month

Vic Abelson

Refreshments

TBD

Counting Team

Nancy & Kirk Conover

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 **Presidents' Day** (Office Closed)

- 10:00a AA Support Group
- 11:30a 3rd Monday Communion/Lunch
- 1:30p King of Kings Roller Skating

### 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
- 7:00p Adult Bible Study
- 8:00p AA Support Group

### Thursday

- March Newsletter Deadline**
- 5:30p Girl Scout Troop 11446

### Friday

- 10:00a AA Support Group
- 8:00p AA Support Group

### Saturday

- 5:30p Movie Night - Toy Story 4
- 7:30p AA Support Group
- 9:30p AA 3<sup>rd</sup> Step Support Group

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Thank you for being a part of Absecon Presbyterian Church! Last Sunday we handed out copies of the 2019 Annual Report highlighting how you have revealed the Kingdom of God to your community. In the report, Pastor Drew included a survey at the end that he hopes you will fill out and send to the office or put in the collection plate on Sunday. If you don't have a [copy of the report](#) use this link or see an usher on Sunday. Or visit our Web site at [abseconpresby.org](http://abseconpresby.org) and go to the bottom of the page. You will also find a link to [fill out the survey online](#) and another to [print just the survey \(2 pages\)](#) and turn that in. Your participation is

important and will help your church leadership know your thoughts and perceptions of the church. Thank you and God bless you.

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**Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner February 25 at 6:00pm** in Madden Hall. Enjoy all the pancakes you can eat for a donation of \$5 or more (\$3 youth) and raise funds for the work of the Deacons!

Ash Wednesday Service and Devotional Dinner February 26 at 5:15pm. Mark the start of the season of Lent with ashes, a simple soup and sandwich meal and a devotional activity.

### **The Return of Lenten Lunches**

You are invited to worship with your brothers and sisters in Christ Wednesdays at noon during this season of reflection and preparation before Easter. A light lunch will be provided by the host church each week.

March 4: Reformation Lutheran Church

March 11: Absecon Presbyterian Church

March 18 Absecon United Methodist Church

March 25 St. Mark & All Saints Episcopal Church

April 1: To be determined

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The Community Food Bank of New Jersey offers their heartfelt thanks to you for your generosity during the winter food drive. 123 pounds of various food items were delivered by Naida this past week on your behalf. Well Done, Church!

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The deadline for the March newsletter is Thursday, February 20. All articles are to be **in writing** and submitted to the office (email preferred) by the due date.  
Thanks in advance!

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3rd Monday Communion Lunch is Monday. Meet in the sanctuary at 11:30 for the communion then move to Madden Hall. Lunch will be beef stew with fresh baked bread, dessert and beverage. Please sign up in the vestibule. All are welcome!

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The **Award Winning Toy Story 4** will be featured in Madden Hall on February 22 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Free pizza, popcorn and drinks will be provided. Admission is free.

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Wednesday Adult Bible Study led by Leo Ransone has moved to 7:00p. All are welcome to meet in the lounge.

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

The Google calendar (found on [our website](#) 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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