

# Nassau Generations

Weekly News & Events at Nassau Presbyterian Church

September 10, 2017

## ADULT EDUCATION

### TODAY

#### *Young Adults in Ministry: Nassau's Mission Dollars at Work*

9:15 AM, Assembly Room, Katie McGee & Jonathan Freeman

### NEXT WEEK

#### *Healthcare Headwinds: New Jersey's Stake in the ACA Fight*

9:15 AM, Assembly Room, Jon Whiten

What impact would federal health care changes and the repeal of the Affordable Care Act have on New Jersey's health, families, state budget and economy? A leader from New Jersey Policy Perspective, which has been advocating for keeping the act, will join us to discuss the organization's analyses of the impact of repeal, what New Jersey can do to continue health care reform, and how you can get involved.

### Annual Meeting

The Annual Meeting will be held next Sunday, September 17, following the 11:00 AM service. We will receive the Annual Financial Report for 2016-17 as well as the report of the Audit Committee. Both reports are now available in the church office or on the website under the "Giving" tab.

### Teacher Commissioning

Church School and Worship Explorers teaching teams will be commissioned today in the 9:15 AM service.

### Ordination and Installation of New Ruling Elders

New ruling elders will be ordained and installed today in the 11:00 AM service.

Russell Annich	Monisha Pulimood
Audrey Brown	Jason Sterlacci
Polly Griffin	John Thurber
Holly Hardaway	
Camille Ladendorf	
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## A (Small) Community of Faith

Offering an opportunity for fellowship and conversation, small groups return to Nassau in the fall of 2017 with a myriad of offerings, each of which, in its own way, provides you with the opportunity for renewal.

Small groups are about being transformed, learning something new, and meeting that person to whom you say, "Peace be with you," on Sunday, but don't really know. They are about binding ourselves together in a community of faith and becoming different people in the process.

Pick up a brochure from the literature rack to read more about the groups. Sign-up begins today during Fellowship.

Champions of Children	Waking Up White
Fresh Air	Tapping into the Sermon Archive
A Bible Study for Everyone: Colossians	Photography and Psalms
Listening Ahead of Time	Just Mercy
Faithful Resistance	
Christ of the Celts	
Bonhoeffer's Discipleship	

## September Start-Up Continues

Alongside our return to the schedule of two services of worship today, many programs have kicked off or soon will, including the following. Learn more about any of these on the website and find out how to get involved.

<i>Church School</i> Sunday, Sep. 10	<i>Breaking Bread</i> Sunday, Sep. 17
<i>Worship Explorers</i> Sunday, Sep. 10	<i>Grace Note Singers</i> Tuesday, Sep. 19
<i>11:00 Senior Bus Service</i> Sunday, Sep. 10	<i>Children's Choirs</i> Wednesday, Sep. 20
<i>Small Groups Sign-up</i> Sunday, Sep. 10	<i>Club 3-4-5</i> Friday, Oct. 13
<i>Nassau Ringers</i> Thursday, Sep. 14	
<i>Youth Choirs</i> Sunday, Sep. 17	
<i>Youth Fellowship</i> Sunday, Sep. 17	

### Youth Fellowship

Youth Fellowship and Dinner kick off next Sunday. See “The Week Ahead” in the bulletin for times.

### Breaking Bread

College students, young adults, and all are invited to Breaking Bread, a community of saints and sinners who gather around Jesus’ table to worship, share stories, and grow as the beloved community. We’ll kick off next Sunday with a bash at 7:00 PM in the church lot by the campus gate, followed by worship in Niles Chapel at 8:00 PM.

### Prayer Chain

To request prayer for yourself, a loved one, or a friend through the Prayer Chain, contact Deacon Debbi Roldan (4drold2010@gmail.com). All concerns are confidential. You may also write your request in the prayer book in the Narthex. If you wish to participate in the chain, Debbi can add your email or phone number to the list.

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### Nassau–Westminster Partnership

*A note from Karen Hernandez-Granzen and Linda Byers:* Thank you, Nassau! What generous and gracious people of God! We really appreciate all that you have done and for your love and support of our Trenton children and youth. The supplies and cash donations that you have made over the past month allowed us to present dozens and dozens of backpacks to kids going back to school.

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### Stitchers for Peace

Central NJ Interfaith Stitchers for Peace will meet today from 3:15–5:15 PM at the Islamic Society of Central Jersey. All stitchers and non-stitching helpers are welcome. Contact Juanell Boyd for info.

Contact Juanell Boyd ([juanellbo@aol.com](mailto:juanellbo@aol.com))

### A Trick of the Light

Have you read mystery writer Louise Penny with her compassionate detective Armand Gamache? Join Penny fans in discussing repentance, forgiveness, and hope in *A Trick of the Light* — this Wednesday, September 13, 7:00–8:30 PM. Joyce MacKichan Walker, fan number one, will lead this exploration.

### Harvey Disaster Relief

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) is working to help all affected by Hurricane Harvey. To support the efforts of PDA, you may make a check to the church with “Harvey” in the memo. Or visit the Give Now page on the website and select the Disaster Relief Fund. All funds will go directly to PDA. See the PDA website to follow the efforts of the National Response Team.

Hermann Transportation is collecting items and supplies, which they will be trucking to Texas. See News on the church website for more information.

### New School in a New Season

The New School for Music Study presents a Faculty Recital next Sunday, September 17, at 2:30 PM in the Sanctuary, followed by a reception in the Assembly Room. Charl Louw, Amy Glennon, Kristin Cahill, and others will present selections from Ludwig von Beethoven.

### Westminster at Noontime

The Westminster Conservatory Noon-time Series resumes on Thursday, September 21, at 12:15 PM in Niles Chapel with several pieces: Beethoven’s “Serenade in D,” opus 25, for flute, violin, and viola; “Romance,” opus 23, for flute and piano by Amy Cheney Beach; and “Dumka” (duo concertante for violin, viola, and piano) by Rebecca Clarke.

### Sign Up the Kids

If your child is participating in Church School or any church programs this year, it’s time to submit the annual child registration form. It’s required and it ensures that our information is up-to-date. See recent news on the website for the new, easy-to-use form — it’s mobile-friendly, by the way.

### Coffee with Princeton Presbyterians

Are you an undergraduate, graduate student, or young adult who worships at Nassau? Princeton Presbyterians meets students on the Front Plaza outside the church at 10:20 AM to walk across the street to Chez Alice Café. Get to know us and your fellow students between the 9:15 and 11:00 AM services, and we’ll buy you a treat. If you have any questions about Princeton Presbyterians, get in touch with Andrew Scales.

Contact

Andrew Scales ([ascales@princeton.edu](mailto:ascales@princeton.edu))

### Come Sing in the Adult Choir

The Adult Choir rehearses on Wednesdays at 7:30 pm in the Music Room (Second Floor). We welcome all singers regardless of experience, and we are particularly looking for tenors and altos this year. Volunteers are supported by section leaders, and we are happy to welcome Elem Eley as our new bass section leader. Come sing with us!

Contact

Noel Werner ([nwerner@nassauchurch.org](mailto:nwerner@nassauchurch.org))

### Further “Oppor-tune-ities”

A group from Nassau Church leads an informal sing-along at the Princeton Care Center senior care facility on Bunn Drive on the first and third Thursdays of each month, 2:00 to 3:00 PM. You are invited to join the group regularly or occasionally as you can. If you would enjoy this outreach ministry, get in touch with Helen Duncan.

Contact

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