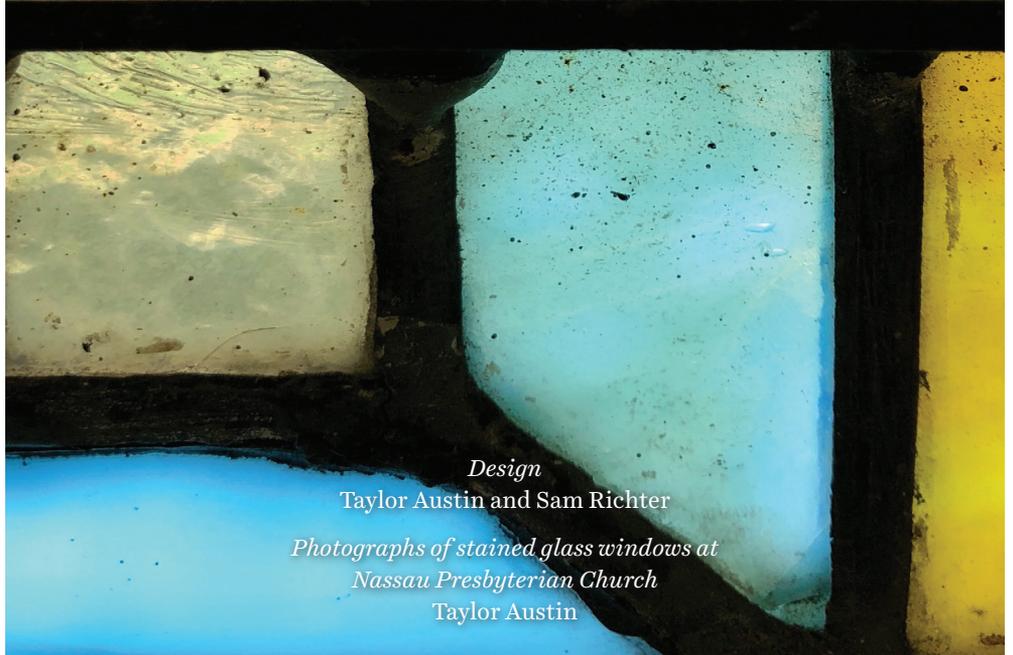
A close-up photograph of a stained glass window. The window is composed of several panes separated by dark leaded glass lines. The panes contain various colors and textures: a large triangular pane on the left with a mottled green and white pattern; a vertical pane on the right with a blue background and a bright, glowing orange and yellow light source; and several smaller panes at the bottom with shades of blue and white. The overall effect is a textured, multi-colored background.

LIFE AT NASSAU

NASSAU PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

2018-2019



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Photographs of stained glass windows at

Nassau Presbyterian Church

Taylor Austin

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Welcome,

Grace to you and peace in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ and welcome to Nassau Presbyterian Church and to this booklet we call *Life at Nassau*.

Here we affirm the worth of every person as a beloved child of God and we welcome all people, all ages, to the joy of the Christian life lived beside on another. Through the gift of the Holy Spirit we are guided in worship, outreach, education, and discipleship. We delight in knowing a God who calls us together in fullness, unity, and diversity.

As a part of the Presbyterian Church (USA) our faith binds us together with thousands of other congregations and strengthens us for mission in our own town and across the globe. We go forth with courage, knowing the foundation of our lives is the Lord who loves us.

We hope this booklet will help you find a place to serve and a place to be nurtured. Your presence here means everything to us.

With the Peace of our Lord,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Lauren J. McFeaters". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Lauren J. McFeaters
Associate Pastor

Nassau at a Glance

PROGRAM YEAR

The following are typically-scheduled events during the academic year, starting near the beginning of September and running through the end of May.

Sundays

Worship, 9:15 AM

Childcare for Infants–Age 1; Church School Age 2–Grade 12

Education, 9:15–10:15 AM

Children and Adults

Fellowship, 10:15–11 AM

Worship, 11 AM

Childcare for Infants–Age 3; Worship Explorers Age 4–Grade 3

Cantorei, 5–6 PM

Choir for Grades 9–12

Middle School Fellowship, 5–6 PM

Grades 6–8

Youth Dinner, 6–6:45 PM

Grades 6–12

Middle School Choir, 6:45–7:30 PM

Grades 6–8

Senior High Fellowship, 6:45–8 PM

Grades 9–12

Breaking Bread, 6:30–7:30 PM

College-age, grad school, young adult

Wednesday Afternoons

Joyful Noise Choir, Pre-K & Kindergarten, 4:15–5 PM

Carol Choir, Grades 1 & 2, 4:15–5 PM

Childcare for Younger Siblings, In-Choir Bible Study, 4:15–5 PM

Choir 345, Grades 3–5, 5:15–6 PM

A fellowship group for grades 3–5 meets for dinner and activities on Friday evenings six times a year, 5:30–7:30 PM.

October 12, November 16, January 11, February 15 (Late Night Movie Night, 7–10:30 PM), March 15, April 26.

Trenton Thunder (New York Yankees AA team) game in early June.

SUMMER

Sundays

Summer Choir, 9 AM

Worship, 10 AM

Summer Church School and Nursery, 10 AM

Fellowship, 11 AM

Adult Education, 11:15 AM

NOTABLE DATES AND EVENTS

Advent, December 2 through December 23

Christmas Eve, Monday, December 24, worship at 3, 7, and 10 PM

Christmas Day, Tuesday, December 25

Lent, Wednesday, March 6, through Saturday, April 20

Ash Wednesday, March 6, Communion Worship 12–1 PM

Holy Week, April 15–20

Maundy Thursday, April 18, Communion Worship 12–1 PM; Communion and Tenebrae, 7:30 PM

Good Friday, April 19, Worship 12–1 PM

Easter, Sunday, April 21, worship at 7, 9, and 11 AM

Pentecost & Confirmation, Sunday, June 9, worship at 10 AM

Children's and Family Ministry

Contact unless otherwise noted:

Corrie Berg (609-924-0103 x108, corrie@nassauchurch.org)

Advent Craft Fair

Children, age 3 and up, join us for this festive afternoon of crafts, treats, and Christmas stories by the tree. There will be a variety of projects suitable to every ability, and childcare is available for younger siblings. The Advent Craft Fair is held the second Wednesday in Advent.

Chancel Drama

Summer song, drama, and story presented to the congregation on a Sunday morning.

Ingrid Ladendorf (609-924-0103 x105, iladendorf@nassauchurch.org)

Childcare

Offered during all worship services and education classes on Sundays and as requested at other church events.

Children's Choirs

See full description in Music section.

Christmas Pageant

See full description in Music section.

Club 3-4-5

Friday night fellowship for children in Grades 3, 4, and 5. Club 3-4-5 builds faith and friendships through fun and engaging activities. First-timers and friends are always welcome!

Lenten Craft Fair

Craft and activities to help your children mark the beginning of the Lenten season. Come learn why we make pretzels for Lent! The Lenten Craft Fair is held annually on Ash Wednesday. Children, age 3 and up are welcome. Childcare is provided for younger siblings.

Morning of Mission

On Martin Luther King Jr. Day, we remember the work of this great leader and come together to serve local aid organizations. We begin the new year by reminding ourselves and our children of our Christian commitment to human flourishing in all places. All ages, all hands welcome and needed.

Sunday Morning Church School

Caring teachers and thoughtful lessons designed to foster faith in the children of our church and community. Sunday morning church school classes are offered during both worship services. Children attend the first part of the service with their families. After “Time with Children,” children are dismissed with their teachers to their age-appropriate classrooms.

Vacation Bible School (VBS) & PresbyCamp

VBS

Children enjoy an exciting and educational week-long morning program with music, recreation, arts and crafts and an emphasis on Bible stories. Age 3 to rising grade 6. VBS is held the last week of June each year.

PresbyCamp

PresbyCamp is afternoon fun with a mission-focus for rising 4th–6th graders. It takes place the last week of June and follows the morning VBS program. PresbyCampers enjoy daily field trips and engage in local mission projects.

Walk Talk Pray/Stretch Center Pray

Fitness, fellowship and faith for parents in one weekly session. Meets Thursdays (Sept to June), 9:00–10:15 AM. This group enjoys outdoor walks in fall and spring. From November–March we move indoors and practice yoga on the 3rd floor in a lovely, light-filled space. First-timers warmly welcomed.

Wee Christmas

Hear the Nativity story and join a low-expectation, high-participation flash pageant (costumes provided!). The evening concludes with a family-friendly dinner for all. Wee Christmas is intended for families with children age 2 to grade 2. This special gathering takes place the first Wednesday in Advent.

Youth

Contact unless otherwise noted:

Mark Edwards (609-924-0103 x109, mark@nassauchurch.org)

Confirmation

Typically completed in the 9th grade year, Confirmation is open to any high school student who is interested. What to expect: talking through the Christian faith, learning scripture, going on retreats with friends, and deciding for yourself what you truly believe.

Fellowship Grades 6–12 Middle and High School

Middle School and High School can be grand. But they are also rough. Each week we gather to blow off some steam, reconnect with God and each other, and recharge for the coming week. Some nights are serious, some nights aren't. Either way, you'll find just what you need most: fellowship with God and friends.

Sunday Mornings

You need good fuel for your heart, mind, and soul. On Sunday mornings we go to the best stories in the Bible, the best works of literature, and the best films to see what God has done for us. Hot bagels at 9:15 AM is just the start, for we cannot live by bread alone.

Youth Choirs

See full description in Music section.

SUMMER TRIPS

Not every trip offered every year.

Appalachia Service Project (ASP)

Spend a week in Appalachia serving families in need to make their homes Warmer, Safer, Drier. This trip will change lives, including yours. (ages 13+, having completed 8th grade; adult chaperones always welcome)

Beyond Malibu: Backpacking

This week-long mountaineering trip in British Columbia, Canada gives you the chance to get Beyond your normal life and walk into a great adventure. Every route is different and some offer the chance to rock climb, rappel, and peer into ancient crevasses on your way across a glacier. The real adventure, though, is the chance to spend a week finding God in the wonders of His creation and in the faces of your friends. (ages 15+ and adult chaperones)

Beyond Malibu: Sea Kayak

Get Beyond the chaos of life and spend a wondrous week on the coastal waters of British Columbia, Canada. We will journey up the Jervis Inlet, deepen friendships, and take in life as we paddle through rapids, view marine life up close, swim at the base of waterfalls, and explore the breathtaking wilderness. A guide team will keep us safe as we enjoy the wildlife, the campfires, and stars. It'll be a refreshing week of simplicity, purity, and adventure. (ages 15+ and adult chaperones)

Camino de Santiago

A medieval pilgrimage in historic Northwest Spain, this journey emphasizes that we are all pilgrims on this earth. Hiking in community, worshipping in simplicity, living in purity, you are guaranteed to have a *buen camino*, a good journey. (ages 15+ and adult chaperones)

NorthBay

One Amazing Week in Maryland on the Chesapeake Bay: you'll play crazy games, try new things, eat delicious food and spend time making memories with friends with an excellent program, superb facilities and exciting activities like sailing, tubing, climbing wall, and ropes course! (for those who have completed grades 5–8 and adult chaperones)

Vacation Bible School & PresbyCamp Volunteers

VBS has been a meaningful ministry to the children of this church and our larger community for decades. We've got a great thing going! Please sign up and join us in ministry and memory-making for our next generation.

College-Age and Young Adult

Breaking Bread Evening Worship Service

Come as you are to evening worship at 6:30 PM in Niles Chapel during the academic year! Beginning Sunday, September 16, we will join around Jesus' Table in worship, prayer, reflection, and communion. Breaking Bread is an evening worship service that gathers students and young adults in Princeton, but people of all ages and life stages are welcome to join.

www.princetonpresbys.org

Andrew Scales (ascales@princeton.edu)

Len Scales (lscales@princeton.edu)

Princeton Presbyterians

Princeton Presbyterians is a campus ministry gathering undergraduate and graduate students committed to doing justice, loving kindness, and walking humbly with our God. Events planned throughout the academic year include conversations on the intersection of life and faith, meals together, and space to grow as the beloved community.

facebook.com/PrincetonPresbyterians

instagram.com/PrincetonPresbys

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Fellowship & Support

Al-Anon

Program of healing and recovery for relatives and friends of alcoholics.

Nancy Prince

Card Making for Mission

Gatherings to create greeting cards and paper art that help fund Nassau's local and global Mission Partners. All are welcome.

Agnes Olah

Deacon's Ministry

Deacons are responsive to needs within our church family. They stand ready to minister in many of life's transitions, challenges, and joys.

Lauren McFeaters (609-924-0103 x102, lauren@nassauchurch.org)

Emergency Response Team

ERT oversees the wellbeing of the congregation and is available during worship services when a health emergency occurs. Anyone with medical or EMT training is welcome to join the team.

Barbara Happer

Membership

Becoming a member of Nassau Presbyterian Church gives you an opportunity to explore the meaning of Christian faith and church membership, and to learn more about the Presbyterian Church (USA). Classes are open to anyone wanting to discover more about our church and is required for those who wish to become church members. Our next scheduled classes are:

October 14, 21, 28, 2018; 9:30–10:30 AM; Chapel (first floor)

March 10, 17, 24, 2019; 9:30–10:30 AM; Chapel (first floor)

Lauren McFeaters (609-924-0103 x102, lauren@nassauchurch.org)

Nassau Stitchers

Knitting, sewing, embroidery, hand stitching. Meets on the second and fourth Monday from 1:00–3:00 PM, September to May.

Ginger August
Sue Rodgers

Ushers

Teams are assigned for 9:15 AM and 11:00 AM services, and serve every fourth month through the year.

Gary Patteson
Will Allen

Walking Group

Nassau members and friends gather to walk for an hour each week throughout the year in local parks, towpaths and trails.

Barbara Happer

SENIOR ADULT

Senior Adult Ministry

Provides ongoing fellowship opportunities for our senior adults through education, and lunches throughout the year.

Lauren McFeaters (609-924-0103 x102, lauren@nassauchurch.org)

Mission & Outreach Events/ Partners

ABC Prison Literacy

ABC Prison Literacy taught literacy with an emphasis on teaching inmates how to teach reading and writing to their fellow illiterate inmates. We have published a book of poetry and essays written at New Jersey State Prison. We now connect tutors with prison education programs, collect annual calendars for the inmate and support the Mass Incarceration's pen pal program.

Marcia VanDyck

Arm in Arm

Arm In Arm partners with our community to prevent hunger and homelessness and promote long-term stability for low- income residents of Mercer County. We have ongoing volunteer opportunities in our Trenton food pantries, home food delivery service, homelessness prevention, and workforce development programs.

www.arminarm.org

Sarah Unger
Princeton Office (609-921-2135)
Trenton Office (609-396-9355 x35)

Cetana Educational Foundation

Lois Young, a long-time Nassau Church member, founded Cetana in 1993 with her siblings. Lois grew up in Burma/Myanmar, where her parents served as missionaries. The foundation provides educational opportunities to the young people of Myanmar, which has suffered from decades of violence, human rights abuses, and political repression. The foundation operates learning centers in Yangon, Kyaing Tong, Kanpetlet, and Dawei. As part of the partnership, congregation members travel to Myanmar, attend educational events, and support library development and scholarship programs.

Sue Jennings

Central New Jersey Interfaith Stitchers for Peace

Knit, crochet, and quilt items for charities, usually the second Sunday of each month, 2:00–4:00 PM, but check with Juanell or Sue if interested. Hosted jointly by the Jewish Center of Princeton, Islamic Society of Central Jersey, and Nassau Presbyterian Church.

Juannel Boyd
Sue Rodgers

Church Mouse Program

Provides support for young adults immediately following high school through first semester of their senior year in college or that same time frame if not going away to school. The goal of the program is to let our children of the church know that they are loved and prayed for by their church family and to maintain a connection during what could be difficult transition years. We need your help to be a church mouse, sending notes, small gifts and thoughts to a college student anonymously. In their senior year your identity will be revealed! An important and fun ministry! Please reach out to us if you feel moved to help.

Joan Kettelkamp
Kate Harmon

Churches for Middle East Peace

Nassau Church has long worked for both Israeli security and Palestinian justice through denominational activities (including an overture to the 2006 General Assembly), organizations supportive of the peace process, and financial support of intercommunity peacemaking groups in the region (Mar Elias Educational Institutions, the Oasis of Peace, and the Parents Circle). Nassau has also been a partner organization of Churches for Middle East Peace since 2006.

www.cmep.org

Tom Charles

Health for Haiti Christmas Tree

Help decorate our tree with items for Friends for Health in Haiti Clinic. Each day in rural Haiti a clinic staff of 7 consults with 100 patients. Needed items are placed on the tree and then sent to Haiti with the Presbytery Mission trip. Needed items include: Muscle rub, antibiotic cream, gauze, tape, Band-Aids, ACE bandages, thermometers, wooden tongue depressors, non-latex gloves, hand lotion, small cakes of soap, packaged toothbrushes, small children's toys (matchbox cars, jump ropes, etc.), barrettes and hair ribbons.

Lauren McFeaters (609-924-0103 x102, Lauren@nassauchurch.org)

Immigration

Advocacy. Carries out a variety of support activities for broad-based immigration reform.

Bill Wakefield

Love Your Neighbor, Welcome the Stranger, Help Your Neighbor.

Connects volunteers to people in need identified by the Princeton Clergy Association, Princeton Human Services, the Latin American Legal Defense and Education Fund, and the Neighborhood Sanctuary Alliance. Volunteers are needed to assist with legal aid, notary public services, ESL instruction, transportation for people without driver's licenses, issuance of Community Identification Cards, and for friendship and support.

Frances Slade

Sanctuary. Nassau is a "sanctuary church." The Sanctuary Steering Committee prepares for the possibility of a person or family threatened with detention or deportation taking refuge in the church. In that eventuality, volunteers will be needed to provide intensive support.

Maureen Llort

Frank Llort

International Mission Worker Support

The Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) works with partner churches and organizations in more than 100 countries and has appointed mission personnel to serve in more than 50 countries.

Nassau Church supports Dr. Jonathan Seitz and his family in Taiwan and Rev. Dr. Karla Ann Koll in Costa Rica.

www.pcusa.org/worldwide

Latin American Legal Defense Fund

The Latin American Legal Defense and Education Fund (LALDEF) is a grassroots nonprofit organization formed to defend the civil rights of Latin Americans, facilitate their access to health care and education, and advance cross-cultural understanding in the Mercer County area. LALDEF acts as a conduit between the existing resources of social services and the local immigrant community, helping dismantle the barriers that stand in the way of a more fair and just society, and supporting the incorporation of these immigrants in the social fabric.

laldef.org

Executive Director Adriana Abizadeh (609-688-0881, info@laldef.org)

Loaves and Fishes

For more than fifteen years, Nassau Church has provided a meatloaf dinner for the hungry and homeless on the third Saturday of August at St. Mary's Cathedral in Trenton. Volunteer opportunities include preparing food in advance, volunteering for the day in Trenton, and providing financial support.

Scott and Kate Harmon

Mass Incarceration Task Force

We are seeking an end to policies that have skyrocketed our prison population, disproportionately targeting communities of color. Although the U. S. has only 5% of the world's population, we house 25% of the world's prisoners. We are motivated by the deep conviction that each being—no matter how damaged or broken—is a beloved child of God. We also realize, in the words of justice advocate Bryan Stevenson, that “you can't understand most of the important things from a distance. You have to get close.”

Join us as we “get close.” Bring your gifts, compassion, and support to the role of pen pal, tutor or mentor.

For the '18-'19 calendar year, Task Force meetings will be held the second Sunday every other month from October to April at 12:15–1:15 PM in the Conference Room. Coffee and snacks provided.

Mary Beth Charters, co-chair
Jonathan C. Shenk

Project Teach

Volunteers teach sewing every other Wednesday, October to June, to pregnant and parenting adolescents.

Loretta Wells

Refugee Resettlement

Over the past 60 years, Nassau Presbyterian Church has sponsored and welcomed 12 refugee families from such countries as Bosnia, Burma/Myanmar, Cambodia, Cuba, Hungary, Indonesia, Iraq, Sudan, Syria, and Vietnam. The congregation helps families find housing and medical care; enrolls children in school and serves as their advocates; supports the adults with ESL tutoring and job searches; provides modest help with start-up expenses; and assists in getting governmental assistance benefits to which refugees are legally entitled.

nassauchurch.org/refugee-resettlement

Trenton Children's Chorus

Trenton Children's Chorus (TCC) is an award winning 29-year-old nonprofit organization providing exceptional musical, academic, and leadership opportunities for children in grades K-12. Tuition is on a sliding scale, and no child is ever denied participation because of limited resources.

TCC programs include choral music education and performance opportunities as well as drumming and keyboard instruction, music theory instruction, intensive academic support, PSAT and SAT prep, college application help, summer camp experiences, and leadership enrichment programs.

TCC also employs competitively selected high school members as Rehearsal Assistants. Financial support is offered for outside tutoring and music lessons, and scholarships are provided for college.

One hundred percent of students who remain in the program through high school graduate and go on to attend college. TCC has performed nationally and for corporate, community, church, and private events in the greater Trenton area.

www.trentonchildrenschorus.org

(609-278-0822, info@trentonchildrenschorus.org)

Villages in Partnership

Working with local development experts, Villages in Partnership helps implement programs in Malawi, Africa, that address the root causes of extreme poverty: lack of access to clean water, food insecurity, poor health care, inadequate education, insufficient infrastructure, and lack of economic opportunities.

Loretta Wells
Stephanie Patterson

Westminster Presbyterian Church Partnership

This partnership is designed to enable the members of Nassau to engage in a wide range of ministries with the members of Westminster Church. In the course of pursuing these ministries together, we anticipate that participants will deepen their understanding of, and empathy for, the challenges both communities face that deprive individuals and families of their capacity to thrive as children of God.

Please see Mission and Outreach brochure for events.

Music

Choral Evening Services & Concerts

CHORAL EVENING SERVICE

October 20, 2018, 5 PM; Nassau Sanctuary

Featuring *Melodious Accord* by Alice Parker

With choir and soloists of Nassau and Witherspoon Street Churches

Accompanied by brass quartet and harp

ADVENT JAZZ VESPERS SERVICE

December 1, 2018, 5 PM; Nassau Sanctuary

Featuring Ike Sturm and Jazz Ensemble Members from

St. Peter's Lutheran Church, NYC

THOMPSON MCLURE ORGAN RECITAL

February 2, 2019, 2:30 PM; Nassau Sanctuary

Featuring Stephen Tharp, concert organist

Co-sponsored with Westminster Choir College of Rider University

And the American Guild of Organists

CHORAL EVENING SERVICE

March 2, 2019, 5 PM; Nassau Sanctuary

Featuring *Mass of the Children* by John Rutter

With Nassau's Adult, Children, and Youth Choirs

Accompanied by chamber orchestra and organ

ORGAN CONCERTO RECITAL

March 30, 2019, 5 PM; Nassau Sanctuary

Featuring Michael Ryan, Nassau's student organist

With Chamber Orchestra

Ensembles

Choirs from pre-K through adults and handbell ensembles rehearse each week from September to May. Opportunities also exist for instrumentalists to share their gifts in worship.

Adults and Instrumentalists

Noel Werner (609-924-0103 x104, noel@nassauchurch.org)

Children and Youth

Ingrid Ladendorf (609-924-0103 x105, ingrid@nassauchurch.org)

Handbells

Robert Lamb (roblamb17@gmail.com)

Ensembles are listed below.

JOYFUL NOISE

Pre-K & Kindergarten, Wednesdays, 4:15–5:00 PM

Our youngest choristers focus on musical activities that nurture inherent joy, collaboration, and a love of singing. Worship offerings are minimal, with the primary emphasis being comfort with the developing singing voice in a group setting.

Teacher: Emily Vite

CAROL CHOIR

Grades 1 & 2, Wednesdays, 4:15–5:00 PM

At this age, children are often ready to begin participating as a choir in worship. Focus remains on developing musicianship and ensemble skill through a love of singing, movement and playing rhythm instruments.

Conductor: Ingrid Ladendorf

Accompanist: Michael Ryan

See the Wednesday Afternoons schedule (pg. iv) under “Children” for information about Homework Hangout and In-Choir Bible Study for Parents.

CHOIR 3-4-5

Grades 3–5, Wednesdays, 5:15–6:00 PM

Through small group, solo and ensemble singing, choristers explore their individual voices in creating a beautiful choral sound. Movement, ear training and improvisation along with opportunities to collaborate with instruments are fundamental in developing musicianship during these beautiful singing years.

Conductor: Ingrid Ladendorf

Accompanist: Michael Ryan

MIDDLE SCHOOL CHOIR

Grades 6–8, Sundays, 6:40–7:30 PM

Youth rehearse in sectionals as well as ensemble, in order to focus on the development of the changing voice and efficiently learn parts. In addition to vocal training and anthem preparation, rehearsals include musicianship skill and music literacy training, improvisation and partner work.

Conductor: Ingrid Ladendorf

Accompanist: Michael Ryan

CANTOREI

Grades 9–12, Sundays, 5:00–6:00 PM

The Latin word Cantorei means “people who provide music for their church”. Cantorei offers challenging and diverse repertoire. Section leaders and a librarian provide leadership for the group. In addition to Sunday morning worship, Cantorei prepares music for Christmas Eve with choir alumni, Good Friday, and Youth Sunday services.

Conductor: Ingrid Ladendorf

Accompanist: Michael Ryan

The Youth Choirs on Sunday nights alternate with Youth Fellowship. All Youth are invited to participate in Youth Dinner at 6:00 PM.

ADULT CHOIR

College age and up, Wednesdays, 7:30–9:30 PM

The Adult Choir provides the primary choral leadership for Sunday morning services and gives special concerts throughout the year. Our choir is supported by four professional section leaders, an organist-accompanist, and a choral librarian.

Director: Noel Werner

Accompanist: Michael Ryan

GRACE NOTES SINGERS

Adults, Tuesdays, 1:00–2:15 PM at Kingston Presbyterian Church

Grace Note Singers is designed for adults of all ages, including choir retirees and those who may never have sung in choir before. The Grace Note Singers extend Nassau's music ministry to special services of worship and retirement and nursing communities. Members of any congregation are welcome to join us.

Director: Noel Werner

Coordinator: Juanell Boyd

HANDBELL CHOIRS

High School and up, Thursdays, 5:30–6:45 PM

Building on Nassau's long tradition of handbell choirs, this year we are adding a Coaching/Learn to Ring class each week (5:00–5:30 PM) and a smaller more advanced choir option after the regular rehearsal (6:45–7:30 PM). The choirs play six to seven times per year in worship and visit a local retirement community or nursing home once per year.

Director: Robert Lamb

SERVICE MUSICIANS (INSTRUMENTALISTS)

Instrumentalists frequently share their gifts in our worship services by providing prelude and offertory pieces and accompanying the choirs. Our church is blessed by a wide community of musicians, and we welcome all levels of ability and experience, from young to old.

Noel Werner (609-924-0103 x104, nwerner@nassauchurch.org)

SINGALONG TRAVELING SINGERS

An outreach program that involves residents of the Princeton Care Center in singing along with familiar, well-loved melodies of their youth. Anyone who likes to sing or is willing to accompany on the piano is welcome.

Helen Duncan

Chancel Drama

Children and Youth, rising grade three through high school are invited to take part in the staging of the gospel with energetic storytelling, singing, costumes, set and props! We will gather each afternoon August 4–9, 12:30–4:30 PM, to prepare a musical production which will then be offered in Worship on Sunday morning, August 11, 2019 at 10 AM. Each afternoon offers Bible study, music and staging rehearsal, and a mission focus. Auditions take place mid-May, with full dress rehearsal on Friday evening, August 9, 6–8 PM. Join us—we have a role for you!

Ingrid Ladendorf (609-924-0103 x105, ingrid@nassauchurch.org)

Christmas Pageant

Our Choirs for Children and Youth assume the musical leadership (rehearsed during their regularly weekly schedule), with spoken roles portrayed by children through older adults. Auditions take place October 28 and November 4 at 12:15 PM, with rehearsals for spoken roles each Sunday one month prior to Pageant, 12:15–1:30 PM. (Full dress rehearsal December 15, 9 AM–12 PM.) All are welcome to participate and join in a memorable sharing of the birth story, Sunday, December 16, 2018 at 4 PM.

Ingrid Ladendorf (609-924-0103 x105, ingrid@nassauchurch.org)

Study

Men's Breakfast

Open to all men every Friday morning at 7:30 AM, September–May. We take turns leading the discussion, often on the upcoming scriptural preaching texts.

David Boyd

Nassau Book Group

Nassau Book Group typically meets the third Sunday of the month (depending on presenter's schedule) from September–May at 12:15 PM. We usually meet at church in Room 202. Bring a sack lunch. Coffee and tea provided. Everyone is welcome.

Ginger August
Sue Rodgers

In-Choir Bible Study

While young children's choir programs are in session, parents gather to study the biblical passage children will explore in Church School on the coming Sunday. Led by Carol Wehrheim, educator and author, Wednesdays, 4:15–5:00 PM. Childcare is provided for infants–age 3. This group meets September through May.

Corrie Berg

Early Bird Women's Bible Study

Eat, Sing, Read, Discuss, Pray. Fridays, 7:00 AM.

Doodie Meyer
Lynne Seidel

Small Groups for Study and Fellowship

Short-term small groups form each fall and spring for fellowship, study, prayer and nurturing one's life of faith. These meet in private homes or at church, both daytime and evening, weekday and weekend. Friends from the community are welcome!

Ned Walthall

Committees

Adult Education Committee

Larry Alphs
Lisa Burke

Candidates Committee

Tom Coogan

Cemetery Committee

John Thurber

Children's and Family Ministry Committee

Melissa Davis

Human Resources Committee

Stephanie Patterson

Membership Committee

Polly Griffin
Lauren McFeaters (609-924-0103 x102, lauren@nassauchurch.org)

Mission and Outreach Committee

Advises and educates the church on local and world social witness.

Bill Wakefield
Loretta Wells

Property Committee

Maintains our building and grounds, organizes work days, and supervises repairs and improvements.

Linda Gilmore (609-924-0103 x134, linda@nassauchurch.org)
Holly Hardaway

Small Groups Committee

Ned Walthall

Worship and Arts Committee

Develops and implements arts initiatives and supports staff in the maintenance of worship. Artist residencies, communion, music, dance, drama, and art shows are among our many areas of involvement.

Pam Kelsey

Youth Ministry Committee

Scott Harmon

Ruling Elders (Session)

Class of 2021

Holley Barreto
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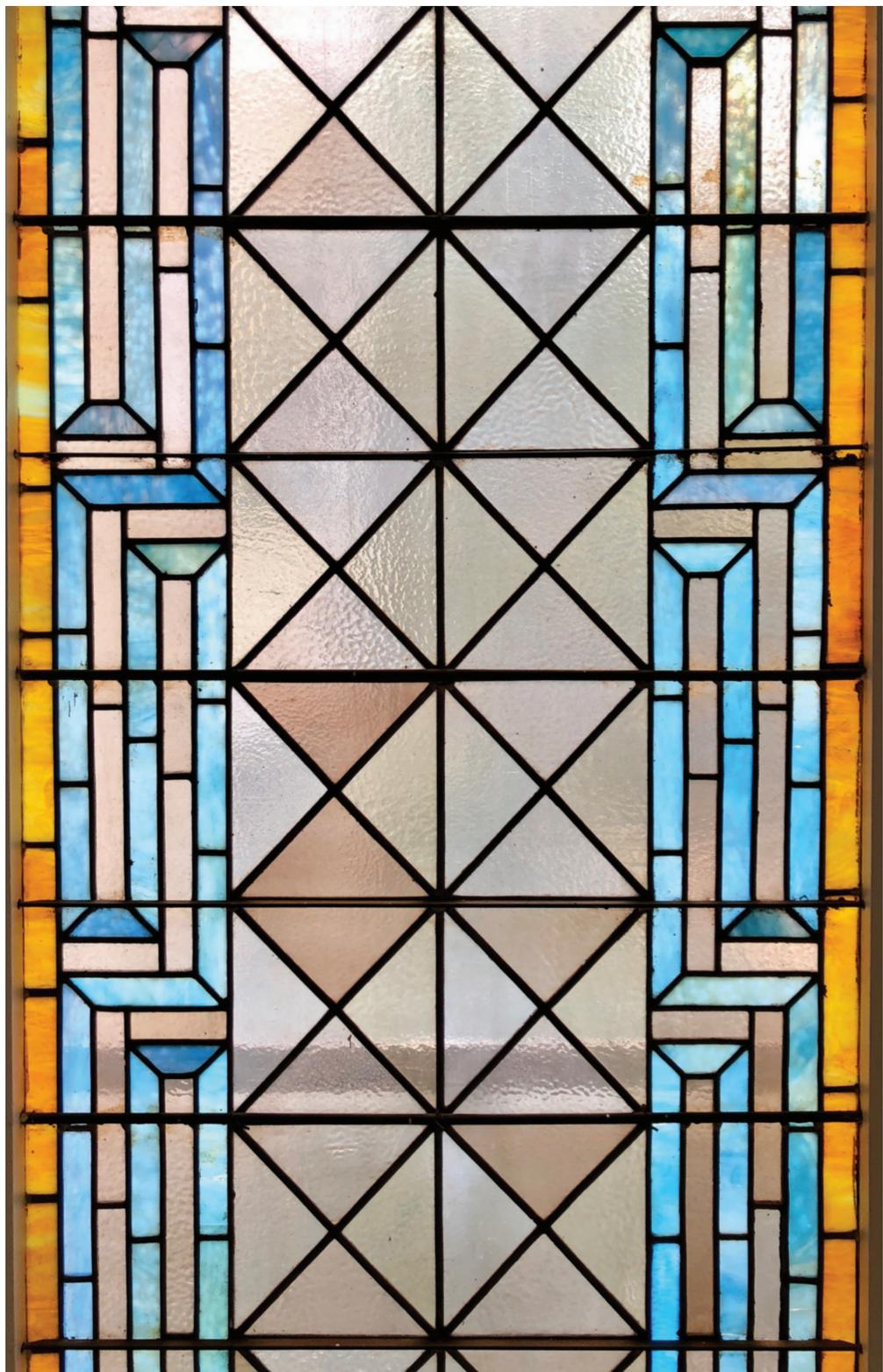
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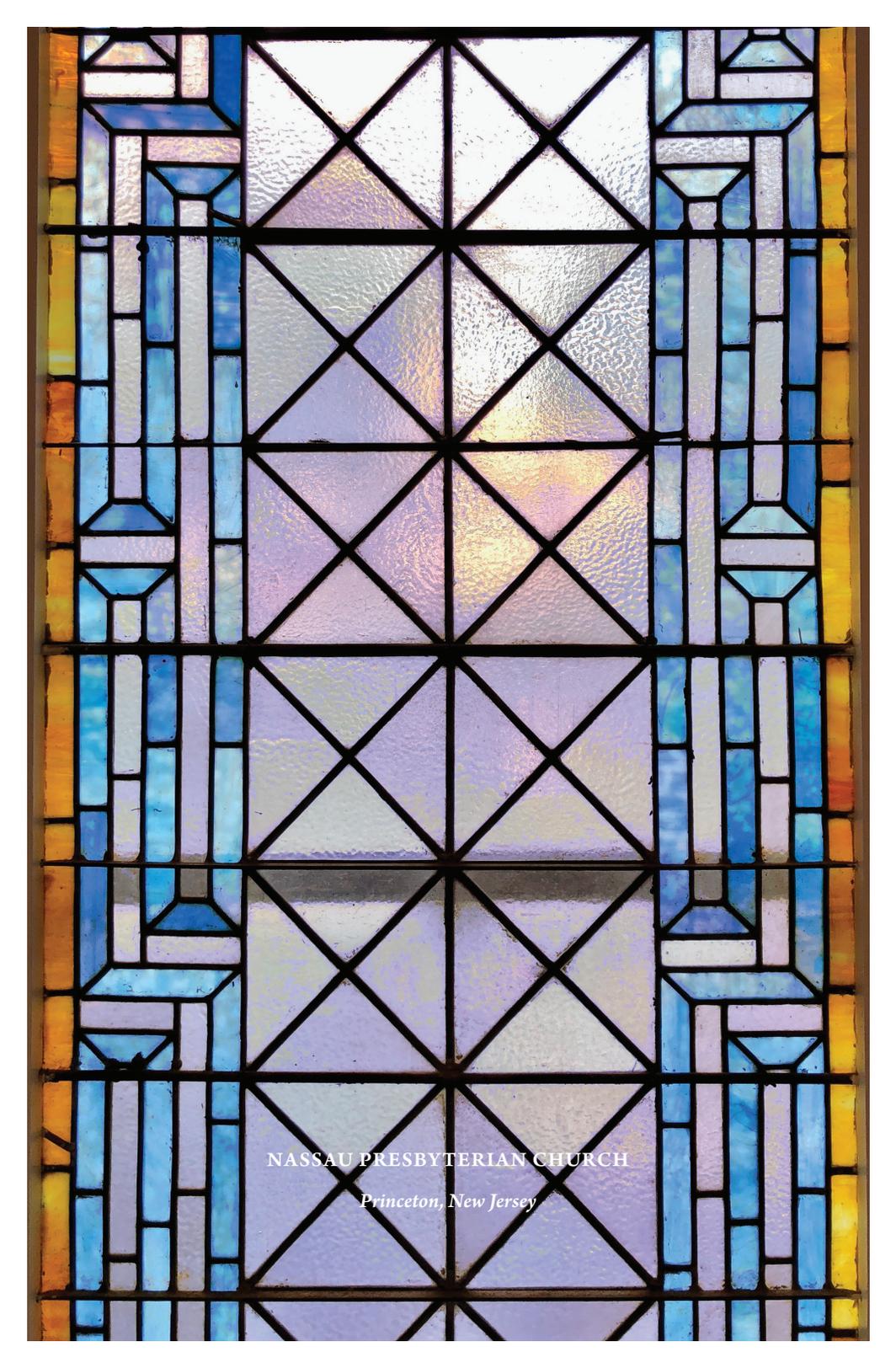
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