# Nassau Generations

Weekly News & Events at Nassau Presbyterian Church April 14, 2019

ADULT EDUCATION

#### THIS SUNDAY

 $Questioning \ Jesus$ 

 $9:\!30\,\mathrm{AM},$  Assembly Room, Shane Berg

Luke 18:18-30

"What must I do to inherit eternal life?"

#### **ADULT EDUCATION RESUMES MAY 5**

### **Please Note: Worship Schedule Changes**

APRIL 2I - EASTER SUNDAY:

6:00 AM Sunrise Worship with Witherspoon Street

Presbyterian Church

**Princeton Cemetery** 

9:00 AM Worship

Sanctuary

11:00 AM Worship

Sanctuary

APRIL 28 - COMMUNIVERSITY:

9:15 AM Worship

Sanctuary

(No 11:00 AM Worship, no bus service)

#### **Easter Flower and Brass Memorials**

Today is the final Sunday to give in memory or in honor of a loved one for our Easter tulips and Easter brass ensemble, which will adorn and be heard throughout the church on Easter Sunday. A listing of all commemorations will be printed in the worship bulletin on Easter Sunday. After worship deacons deliver the tulips to the ill, homebound, and bereaved. For your convenience, order cards are available in the main office. A donation of \$20 is appreciated and checks can be made payable to Nassau Presbyterian Church.

Contact Taylor Austin (TAustin@NassauChurch.org, x125)

## Deacon Hand-Crafted Easter, All-Occasion Greeting Cards, and Gifts

Available for sale Today in support of our Nassau mission partners: the CETANA Schools in Myanmar and Villages in Partnership in Malawi. These hand-crafted cards, designed and created by members of Nassau, are on sale for \$15-\$20 per package at 10:15 AM at our table during coffee fellowship in the Assembly Room and noon outside the church office.

Contact Agnes Olah (agnes.olah@comcast.net)

### **One Great Hour of Sharing**

Today we will collect the special offering for One Great Hour of Sharing, which supports projects that aim to break cycles of poverty, hunger, and thirst. It also provides disaster and crisis relief. Seeking to respond to Jesus' ministry to the most vulnerable, this ecumenical effort started in 1949 and now supports projects in more than 100 countries. The children of the church will bring their "Fish Banks" forward for this offering during the processional, and we are invited to join them and Christians across the country in opening our hearts to witness tangibly through this offering to the providential love of God. Make your gift during the Offering using the special pew envelopes.

## Spring Clean Up - TODAY

The property committee invites you to participate in a spring clean up and spruce up of our grounds on 3 Sundays after worship. Join us on any or all days with your gardening gloves and we'll provide the bagels.

TODAY, 12:15–2:00 PM, Sunday, May 5, 12:15–2:00 PM and Sunday, June 2, 11:15–1:00 PM. All are welcome.

## Piano Music of Debussy and Readings of Family Letters in April 25 Conservatory Noontime Recital

On Thursday, April 25, at 12:15 PM Westminster Conservatory at Nassau will present pianist Mary Greenberg performing music of Claude Debussy. Including a reading of letters from the Debussy family, this free recital will take place in the Niles Chapel.

### **Nassau Book Group**

We will meet on Sunday, April 28th at 11:45 AM at the home of Jack and Maryellen Smiley to discuss *All the King's Men* by Robert Penn Warren. This novel is one of American literature's definitive political novels, as well as a profound study of human fallibility in politics. Set in the 1930s, it describes the dramatic rise to power, as state governor, of Willie Stark, a one-time radical attorney. This Pulitzer Prize winner is a political tragedy, a study of individual corruption, and a compelling southern drama with a long afterlife. Bring a sack lunch. Coffee and tea are supplied.

Contact Ginger August (609-924-6391, gingeraugust@gmail.com)

#### **Youth Sunday Special Offering**

Thank you all for the special Appalachia Service Project (ASP) offering on Youth Sunday, which provided \$4,399 toward warmer, safer, drier homes for those living in Appalachia!

## $Youth\ Fellowship$

All youth are invited to Fellowship and Dinner tonight. See "Today at Nassau" on the bulletin back page for times. Note the special schedule after this week: Apr. 28 is Communiversity; on May 5 we hike the Sourlands; and May 12 is Senior Send-Off.

#### Breaking Bread

Breaking Bread is the worshipping community of Princeton Presbyterians, a campus ministry in Princeton. Come as you are on Sundays, 6:30 PM, Niles Chapel with feast to follow on Easter. Visit Princetonpresbys.org for more information or Contact Len Scales (lscales@princeton.edu).

#### Music at Nassau

Membership in our musical groups is always open. Check the website for information about rehearsal times and worship service responsibilities. To learn more, contact Lauren Yeh (lyeh@nassauchurch.org, x106).

## Prayer Chain

To request prayer for yourself, a loved one, or a friend:

- fill out a pew prayer card and place it in the marked basket in the Narthex;
- write in the prayer book in the Narthex; or
- contact Debbi Roldan (4drold2010@gmail.com)

To join the prayer chain, send Debbi your email address or phone number.

# Coffee with Princeton Presbyterians

Calling all undergraduates, graduate students, and young adults. Princeton Presbyterians gathers at Chez Alice Café between 10:20 AM and 10:50 AM this Sunday. Come as you are between the morning worship services for casual conversation. Coffee and baked goods are our treat. This is the last time we will gather for this school year.

Contact Andrew Scales(ascales@princeton.edu)

### "It's Cool in the Furnace" – Chancel Drama 2019!

Chancel Drama Week starts Sunday evening, August 4. Rehearsals take place each afternoon, August 5–9, and the drama will be shared in Worship on Sunday, August 11. Audition dates for speaking roles and solos below. No prior experience is needed, and all 3rd–12th graders are invited to participate. Adult and youth volunteers also needed.

- -Sunday, May 5, 10:30 AM
- -Wednesday, May 15, 4:30 РМ
- -Wednesday, May 22, 4:30 PM

Register now and select an audition date at nassauchurch.org/cdw

Contact Ingrid Ladendorf (Ingrid@nassauchurch.org, x105)

# All-Church Retreat on Memorial Day Weekend

The all-church retreat is a great way (actually, the best way) to start your summer. It begins with dinner on Friday and ends after lunch on Sunday. The cost is \$130 for adults, \$65 for children (3–10), and under-3s are free. Private rooms plus bath available at slightly higher cost. Scholarships available. Sign up online or get more information by emailing Corrie Berg by May 6.

Contact Corrie Berg (Corrie@nassauchurch.org, x108)

## ExtraOrdinaryStories: The Parables of Jesus

Monday, June 24 to Thursday, June 27. A despised man, a jealous brother, an impatient judge, a fearless widow and a frustrated host. Jesus uses the stories of very (extra!) ordinary people to teach us about our extraordinary God. Come to VBS and be part of the ExtraOrdinaryStory.

Vacation Bible School (age 3 to rising grade 6) - 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

PresbyCamp (rising grades 4 - 6) - 12:00 PM - 3:30 PM

The fun and fellowship continues for older children. PresbyCampers travel offsite and participate in local mission projects.

Contact Corrie Berg (Corrie@nassauchurch.org, x108)

### **LALDEF-Cristosal Event**

Nassau is co-sponsoring an event on April 25,7:00 PM at Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Princeton (50 Cherry Hill Road). El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras experience some of the highest levels of violence in the world. Yet families seeking safety have few protections in their countries of origin or when they cross an international border. Join for a dialogue with the executive directors of LALDEF and Cristosal, Adriana Abizadeh and Noah Bullock, about their experiences building direct assistance programs and advocating for victims' at both ends of the international crisis.

#### **ArmInArm Benefit**

Please join ArmInArm at our Spring Benefit on Thursday, May 6, as we honor the enduring service of our Cornerstone Council. The vision and commitment of this group of former board members have supported our mission to provide stability for neighbors in need since our founding in 1980. We invite you to share the evening with partners and friends, and celebrate our collective impact in our shared community.

Nassau Inn, Princeton 6:30 PM cocktail reception 7:00 PM dinner and program

For more information, and to reserve your tickets, visit www.arminarm.org/events

#### Send a Child to a Ball Game

It's time for the 22nd Annual Outing to the Ball Park! In association with the Get S.E.T. after-school program of Westminster Presbyterian Church, help us send students to the Trenton Thunder game on Sunday, May 19. Dave Bush will be collecting donations during Fellowship or you may make out a check to the church with "Baseball 5/19" in the memo field and bring it to the church office before May 12. The cost to sponsor one child's attendance is \$10.

Contact Dave Bush (215-435-5151)

Nassau Presbyterian Church 61 Nassau Street Princeton, New Jersey 08542 609-924-0103 | nassauchurch.org