

Nassau Generations

Weekly News & Events at Nassau Presbyterian Church

September 29, 2019

ADULT EDUCATION

THIS SUNDAY

'Til All God's Children are Fed: The Purpose and Practice of the Hunger Offering

9:30 AM, Assembly Room, Sarah Steward, Ria Smit, Ross Wishnick
Holley Barreto, moderator

PC(USA) International Peacemaker

11:45 AM, Witherspoon Street Presbyterian Church Fellowship
Hall, Monique Ngoie Mukuna Misenga

Come welcome and meet International Peacemaker Monique Ngoie Mukuna Misenga from the Democratic Republic of the Congo. Elder Misenga will talk about how education and income-generating projects help women lift themselves out of extreme poverty. She is an advocate for women's rights and works to end violence against women. The program will also include information about Witherspoon's connections with Liberia and Ghana.

NEXT SUNDAY

Exodus: Wilderness Formation—From Call to Crossing (Exodus 1-15)

9:30 AM, Assembly Room, Jacq Lapsley and Anne Stewart

Do a deep dive into Exodus this Fall. Read the stories, remember the events, and revisit the characters that are formative to our faith. Each Sunday, in this 5-week series, we will focus on a handful of chapters and learn how God forms a people and the people, in turn, take leadership in shaping their relationship with God. Many of the Fall Small Groups will be discussing Exodus and Dave Davis will be preaching the same passages in worship.

WEEKLY

Colossians In-Depth

9:15 AM, Maclean House, George Hunsinger

Lunch with VIP Guests

Join us NEXT Sunday, October 6 at 12:15 PM in the Assembly Room for a lunch to celebrate Villages in Partnership (VIP) staff visiting from Malawi. Enjoy conversations with Nassau members who have traveled to Malawi, and hear more about this international partnership.

Stretch Center Pray – Fall Yoga Begins October 3

Come join this gentle and welcoming class led by yoga instructor, Linda Domino. No previous experience required. Registration cost is \$77.00 for 11 classes. Classes meet Thursdays, 9:00-10:15 AM, in room 301, October 3 to December 19.

Contact Corrie Berg (corrie@nassuachurch.org)

Coffee with Princeton Presbyterians

Undergraduates, graduate students, and young adults are invited to gather on the front plaza at 10:15 AM on Sundays. This is a casual time of fellowship between the 9:15 AM and 11:00 AM worship services. Coffee and baked goods are our treat.

Contact Andrew Scales (ascales@princeton.edu)

Become a Member of Nassau Church

To be Presbyterian is to join a way of life informed by a sacred rhythm: God calls us in grace and love; we respond in gratitude. Come explore church membership in Inquirers Classes for New Members October 6, 13, and 20, 9:30-10:30 AM in Niles Chapel; first floor.

Contact Lauren McFeaters (Lauren@nassuachurch.org, x102)

Coat Drive

Princeton Theological Seminary is preparing to open its annual "Coat Shop." Many international students arrive in New Jersey without adequate protection against our winters. To help prepare them for the winter, we are collecting unused and gently worn men's and women's light jackets, heavy coats, fleece pullovers and winter accessories. Please bring items to the collection rack in the Assembly Room by Sunday, October 13 or contact Arie if you would like to assist at the shop. Your help is appreciated!

Contact Arie Manchen (alcerbin@aol.com, 956-466-0118)

Club 3•4•5 Kicks Off!

Friday, October 4, 5:30-7:30 PM

All 3rd, 4th & 5th graders are welcome to this run-around, Friday night fellowship event. Bring \$5.00, bring a friend. Dinner included. No need to RSVP, just show up and jump in.

Contact Corrie Berg (corrie@nassuachurch.org)

Youth Fellowship

All Youth are invited to Fellowship and Dinner tonight. See “Today at Nassau” in the bulletin for times. Contact Mark Edwards (mark@nassauchurch.org).

Breaking Bread

Sundays, 6:30 PM in Niles Chapel. Breaking Bread is the worshipping community of Princeton Presbyterians, a campus ministry in Princeton. Our time together equips us to do justice, love kindness, and walk humbly throughout the week. Undergraduate students, graduate students, young adults, and friends are invited to come as you are. Visit princetonpresbys.org for more information or contact Andrew Scales (ascales@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 (x106, lyeh@nassauchurch.org).

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 (4droid2010@gmail.com)

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

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Central New Jersey Interfaith Stitchers for Peace

We’re dedicated to crafting hope, healing, and peace one stitch at a time. Christian, Jewish, and Muslim houses of worship take turns hosting our meetings. Our next meeting is Oct. 13, 2:00-4:30 PM, here at Nassau, Assembly Room. Join us and learn to make plarn! We are a Peace Pod of Knitting4Peace: www.knitting4peace.org

Contact Juanell Boyd (juanellbo@aol.com, 732-940-9442)

Fall Small Groups – Forming Community

Questions about community are in the headlines and preoccupy modern life. Are communities strong when defined by common beliefs, or distinguished by a diversity of gifts? Several of Nassau’s Fall Small Groups will study the book of Exodus and learn how God formed a group of wandering refugees into a (mostly) faithful community. Sign-up in Fellowship TODAY.

Princeton Cemetery Tour, Sunday, October 13

There will be guided walking tour of the Princeton Cemetery on Sunday, October 13 at 1:15 PM. It will begin at the cemetery entrance at 29 Greenview Avenue. There is no charge and all are invited to attend. The tour will highlight many of the more interesting graves as well as point out some of the sections of the cemetery ranging from the original Old Graveyard and President’s Plot of Princeton University to the most recently added Pardee Memorial Garden.

Contact Linda Gilmore 609-924-0103, linda@nassauchurch.org.

2019–2020 Artist Residency

The Worship and Arts committee is pleased to announce our new Artist-in-Residence, Trudy Borenstein-Sugiura. Trudy is a local collage artist commissioned for a Nassau community work created from the papers and materials important to (and provided by) our congregation. All ages can participate. Join us for the informational presentation on October 20, at 12:15 PM where you will be able to see a sketch of the final design and even begin to add to the work yourself! This residency is supported by the Frances Clark Fund and the Ammons Music Fund. You can learn more about Trudy on our church website in the music and arts section of congregational life.

Join the Mass Incarceration Task Force (MITF)

MITF meets in the 1st Floor Conference Room on October 6 from 12:15–1:15 PM. Did you know the ACLU reports there are more jails than colleges in the United States? Bring your skills, compassion and support as we work to make a difference together.

Contact Mary Beth Charters (mbc4695@gmail.com), Jonathan Shenk (jshenk@greenleafpainters.com)

Flowers for Worship

Please contact the church office if you are interested in donating flowers for worship on October 27.