

Collingswood Presbyterian Church

"A Friendly Church Where Jesus Christ Is Lord"



"Jacob's Ladder" - Denis and Philip Ratner

July 5, 2009

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**COLLINGSWOOD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
SERVICE FOR THE LORD'S DAY**

July 5, 2009

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time/The Lord's Supper

ASSEMBLE IN GOD'S NAME

Silent Prayer

We have searched in so many places, through so many days for you, O God. We climb up and down the roads of life, looking for fulfillment and peace. Here you are waiting for us in this time of worship. Help us to see you, O God. Amen.

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

We welcome you in the name of our Lord, Jesus Christ! Please sign the guest book in the narthex so we can send you a welcome packet.

Gathering of Prayer Concerns and Joys

Please raise your hand to share your joys or concerns to be included in the prayers of the people this day. You may also write your concern on the pink sheets and hand to the Pastor. Please mail a prayer card from the narthex to your loved one.

Centering Music

Call to Worship

Leader: O God, you know us inside and out, through and through.

People: **You search us out and lay your hand upon us.**
You know what we are going to say even before we speak.

Leader: **We praise you, O God, for the wonderful knowledge** that whoever we are and wherever we go, you are with us.

*Hymn - "All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name" # 142 PH

Assurance of Forgiveness

Leader: If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God to whom we have been reconciled by Christ. Rejoice then, for we are known, accepted, loved and forgiven

People: **Thanks be to God!**

*Congregational Response - "Kyrie" #2275 STF

Kyrie, Kyrie eleison

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Kyrie, Kyrie eleison

Kyrie, Kyrie eleison, eleison

*Sharing the Peace of Christ

Leader: The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all.

People: **And also with you.**

PROCLAIM GOD'S WORD

Children's Sermon

(Children are dismissed to Sunday School)

Anthem "Giga" from Sonata in F Major

by G.F. Handel

Jane Trent, Flute

Old Testament Lesson: Genesis 28:10-22

Psalms 47:1-9 (responsive)

Leader: Clap your hands, all you peoples;
shout to God with loud songs of joy.

People: **For the LORD, the Most High, is awesome,
a great king over all the earth.**

Leader: He subdued peoples under us,
and nations under our feet.

**People: He chose our heritage for us,
the pride of Jacob whom he loves.**

Leader: God has gone up with a shout,
the LORD with the sound of a trumpet.

**People: Sing praises to God, sing praises;
sing praises to our King, sing praises.**

Leader: For God is the king of all the earth;
sing praises with a psalm.

**People: God is king over the nations;
God sits on his holy throne.**

Leader: The princes of the peoples gather
as the people of the God of Abraham.

**ALL: For the shields of the earth belong to God;
he is highly exalted.**

**Hymn - "We Are Climbing Jacobs Ladder"*

**We are climbing Jacob's ladder
We are climbing Jacob's ladder
We are climbing Jacob's ladder
Brothers, sisters, all**

**Every rung goes higher and higher
Every rung goes higher and higher
Every rung goes higher and higher
Brothers, sisters, all**

**Every round a generation
Every round a generation
Every round a generation
Sisters, brothers, all**

**We are climbing Jacob's ladder
We are climbing Jacob's ladder
We are climbing Jacob's ladder
Sisters, brothers, all**

New Testament Lesson: Philippians 2:1-13

Sermon: Cool Stories of Faith for a Hot Summer

"Jake the Social Climber"

The Rev. Dr. Katherine G. Killebrew

WE RESPOND TO GOD'S WORD

*Affirmation of Faith – Nicene Creed

We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father; through him all things were made For us and for our salvation he came down from heaven, was incarnate of the Holy Spirit and the Virgin Mary and became truly human. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; he suffered death and was buried. On the third day he rose again in accordance with the Scriptures; he ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is worshiped and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead, and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Offering

*“Some give freely, yet grow all the richer; others withhold what is due,
and only suffer want. A generous person will be enriched,
and one who gives water will get water.*

Proverbs 24, 25

Offertory “Minuet” by Telemann

*Prayer of Dedication

The Lord’s Supper

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Leader: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them to the Lord.

Leader: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

Leader: It is truly right and our greatest joy. . .

And join their unending hymn singing, (Hymn #581)

**People: *Holy, Holy, Holy Lord,
God of power and might
Heaven and Earth are full of your glory
Hosanna in the highest
Blessed is he who comes
in the name of the Lord
Hosanna in the highest!***

Leader: Blessed are you, O Lord Most high...

(Prayers of intercession, petition and the Lord’s Prayer)

The Words of Institution

The Distribution of the Elements

The congregation is invited to come forward and receive the bread and the cup and return by the side aisles

Musical Meditation - "Arioso"

J.S. Bach

Prayer after communion (unison)

Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which you have given yourself to us. Grant that we might go into the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

People's Choice Hymn - "Great is Thy Faithfulness" # 276 PH

Requested by Jean Fulton

GO IN GOD'S NAME

*Benediction

*Postlude



**Those who are able, please stand.*



Go Forward and Serve!

Be a part of God's work through CPC!

For the rest of the summer we will be doing "Peoples Choice" for the last hymn. Let's give the organist a head start! Please fill out a hymn request insert with the name and number of your favorite hymn and we will include it in the coming weeks! Let's have fun singing!



**Please join us in the lounge for fellowship.
We will be serving cold drinks during the
summer to help you stay cool!**

Sunday, July 5, 2009

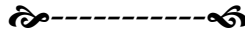
Welcome to the fellowship of Jesus Christ!

☞ ***If you are a visitor, please sign the Fellowship Book
in the narthex so we know you are here!*** ☛

Large print bulletins and hymnals are available for your convenience.

If you have difficulty hearing, personal amplifiers are available in the narthex.

*Parents, please pick up a worship activity bag for your children.
Please return the bags to the narthex after the service.*



Thank You for your service!

Liturgist: Bob Marks

Deacon of the Day: Lorrie Heuser

Welcoming Team: Mike Dersch, Jane Trent, Bob Marks, Fred Heuser
and Lorrie Heuser.

Opening and Closing Building: Bob Marks

Fellowship Hour Hosts: Jane Trent

Flowers: The flowers today are given by June Lattimore in memory of
her mother, Alma Lattimore.

Communion Servers: Martha Jane, Barbara Maylath, Fred Heuser
and Jane Trent.

Announcements

Summer Help Needed! - We need gardeners to provide and plant some flowers and clean-up the flower beds through the summer. It's a great activity for the family. If you are interested, talk to Pastor Kate.



Riversharks Baseball - Friday, July 31 at 7:05 pm Free tickets! First come, first served - 25 seats are available for the Rutgers' Box. (Food is not included). Great family time! Enjoy fireworks after the game. Sign up on the podium if you are interested.



Quarterly Statements are now available. Please pick yours up from the mailboxes in the hall outside the lounge. Help us save on postage!

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION NEWS

VBS Starts Next Sunday - Help Needed!

Sunday, 7/12 to Thursday, 7/16



- Snacks - There is a sign up sheet on the window sill near the lounge if you can provide a snack.
- Sanctuary decorators are needed - please see Jennifer.
- Teaching assistants are needed to assist the teacher during the lesson and shepherd the children to their activities. This is a great job for a teen or first-time parent helper.
- An art assistant and gym assistant are needed. **FUN JOBS!!** Please see Jennifer if you would like to help.

Summer Sunday School We need Summer teachers. This is a great way to meet the children of our church. You can teach one week or more. The curriculum is available on the credenza in Jennifer's office. Sign up on the window sill near the podium.

SUMMER HEALTH AND WELLNESS

Tuesday, July 7 - 7:00 pm

In place of our usual Stretch and Pray session this week, **Mary Ellen DiMatteo**, of **Balanced Nutrition Services of Cherry Hill**, will be giving a presentation on healthy eating in the lounge. She is a registered dietician and nutritionist and works with individuals, assisted living situations and hospitals. Cost is \$10 per person. After the presentation you will be able to schedule a one-on-one consultation with **Ms. DiMatteo** at your convenience. Take a step to taking better care of yourself!





**Collingswood
Presbyterian Church
Vacation Bible School
Sun., July 12 - Thurs., July 16**

6:30 to 8:30 Pm

(ages 4 years through entering 6th grade)

Registration Form

Name of child: _____

Address: _____

Age: _____ **Grade Entering:** _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

email: _____

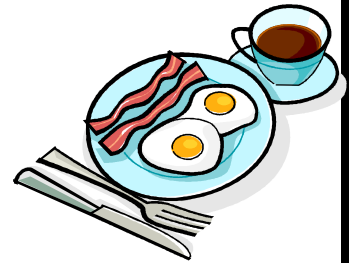
**Any special needs? Allergies? Other important information
about your child** _____

**Return to: Collingswood Presbyterian Church
30 Fern Avenue
Collingswood, NJ 08108
856-854-4523**

or email information to : collspres@verizon.net

CALLING ALL MEN!

We will be having the first monthly Men's Breakfast on Saturday, August 29 at 8:30am at the Crystal Lake Diner on Cuthbert Boulevard. All men age 16 and above are welcome. Order from the menu and enjoy each other's company. (Bring friends!) Speakers will be set up for the next meetings so start thinking about who you would like to hear from. Sign up in the narthex so we can make reservations. See Keith Haines if you have any questions. Come hungry!



ST. PAUL'S FOOD PANTRY UPDATE



I'd like to thank everyone on the behalf of the Deacons for donating 66 boxes of cereal and 1 grape jelly in June for St. Paul's Food Pantry in Collingswood.

Since cereal is a much needed item, we're going to extend our collection through July. So with that said, July will be "cereal month" too! Please place your donation on the cereal table and watch it grow! If you are unable to shop, please see me and I'll shop for you.

*Your Deacon,
Martha Jane*

Support

Metro Camden



Habitat for Humanity®
and have a **FAMILY FUN DAY**
at **Campbell's Field...**



Bring new meaning to **"HOME RUN"**...buy your tickets today for the
Camden RiverSharks to support Habitat!
Spend "Family Fun Day" with your family and know that you are
helping to bring more families home at the same time!

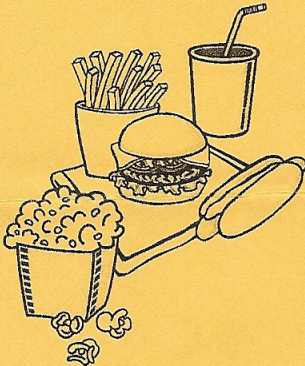
Date: Sunday, July 26, 2009

1:05pm game time

◆ Tickets \$11 each ◆

*(Price the same regardless if child or adult – only exception –
infants or toddlers who would sit on an adult's lap the entire time).*

All payments are final. No refunds



Make sure to visit the **Habitat Concession
Stand** that day for all your refreshment needs!

Habitat will receive additional funds for sales *only* made at the Habitat stand.
(No food or beverages may be brought into the stadium)

See you at the game!

For questions or information visit www.habitatcamden.org and click on Upcoming Events
or call (865) 963-8018.

To order tickets complete form below and mail to : **Metro Camden Habitat for Humanity**
PO Box 3311
Camden, NJ 08101

Name					
Address					
City		ST		Zip	
Number of Tickets Requested					
<i>Each ticket costs \$11.00 each</i>		x \$11.00 each			
Total Enclosed		\$			



Urban Promise

Building a City of Promise

....one child at a time.

Dear Friends at Collingswood Presbyterian Church,

Today is the first day of Summer Camp here at UrbanPromise. As I drove up this morning and saw a huge banner that read ***“Welcome Camp Faith”*** it really warmed my heart. Our vision is to welcome the children and youth of Camden into our hearts, into our lives, into our buildings, into our programs, and into a brighter safer world. You are such a huge part of helping us make that happen. Without churches it would not be possible to do all the things that we do. You **ARE** making a difference in the lives of the children and youth of Camden. They love you.

Thank you for ALL you do. Thank you for your most recent kindness – a day of meals for our Interns. They really, really love you.

If you can, please join us at one of our Open House events this summer!

UrbanPromise Open House and Tour

Wednesday, July 15 and July 29

9:30 am – 11:30 am

Have a great summer!

Jeri

❧ **PLEASE KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS...** *❧*

Those celebrating birthdays this week: Mako Haines, Keith Haines and Dottie Striewski.

Those who serve in government, our military personnel, & those who work in other countries:

Our country, our new president, and our leaders
Our troops in Iraq and Afghanistan and around the world
CPC Military personnel -- Mark McCaulley
Jessica Lowden-- in Monrovia, Liberia

Shut-Ins

Mabel Cordier	Robert Johnson	Dorothy Lawnicki
Barbara Perry	Rosemary Sammons	

Pray for Health and Wellness*

Applegate Family	Brandon Brauns	Jenn Brooks
Gloria Cezarez	Chuck Christy	Doris Coelln
Bree Donovan	Anastasia Fillmore	Arlene Galeski
Sarah Ginter	Ralph Gunther	Max Gureki
Philip Lagakos	Jonathan Lazorko	Richard Marks
Susan Moler	Paul Masarek	Eddie Ostrander
Christine Siravo	Nicki Stefanucci	Catherine Tumminia
Tony Tumminia		

Our Partners in Mission

First Presbyterian Church of Bridgeton
Our PCUSA mission in Senegal
Juan G. Hall Presbyterian Church, Cardenas, Cuba
Njikob Presbyterian Church, Cameroon

If you are going into the hospital or would like a pastoral visit, please call or have a family member call the church office or Pastor Kate at home 218-1976. If you don't call, we are going to assume you don't want a visit!

* Please remember to fill out a
new pink form with each update for the prayer list.

