

Church Newsletter July & August 2018

Church Newsletter

 Grace Church in Haddonfield

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**SUMMER
SUNDAY
SCHOOL**

Join us for faith & fun!
Bring friends!
Ages 4 and up,
Nursery is available for
children under age 4

Sunday Mornings
July 8 - August 26, 2018
9:30 a.m. -10:10 a.m.
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From the Interim

Dear Members and Friends of Grace Church,

It's with joyous anticipation that I offer myself to you as your Interim Rector beginning July 2nd. Having lived in Cherry Hill just ten minutes' drive from your beautiful church for twenty-eight years, I know of some of the many good works that God has done and is doing through you.

When I retire July 1st from Grace Church, Merchantville, my wife Betsey and I will both welcome a part-time call to serve new friends in Christ and those at Grace Church we have known at St. Mary's, Haddon Heights and Church of the Atonement (now Church of the Holy Family), Laurel Springs.

I see my role simply as one who works closely with your excellent staff, lay leaders, and members to help Grace Church prepare for your next rector. Though I am a Transition Consultant for the diocese and have helped a number of discernment committees with their process of calling a rector, the Interim Rector's role is different. I will attend to the daily tasks of pastoral care, preaching, and teaching while others do the important work of discerning God's call of your next priest.

Finally, I ask your prayers for me as I complete eight fulfilling and demanding years at Grace, Merchantville. Already, my "new" Grace Church in Haddonfield is coming into focus, and you are in my prayers. Please also pray for Fr. Pat Close (and Diane) as we change places and they begin their work at Grace, Merchantville in early July.

Fr. Jeff Kirk



Rev. Dr. Jeffry Kirk,
Interim

About the Father Kirk

Résumé of The Rev. Dr. Jeffrey M. Kirk



Rev. Dr. Jeffrey Kirk,
Interim

Objective

To serve as the rector of a suburban or urban parish, offering gifts for pastoral care, preaching, worship leadership, Christian formation, administration, and counseling.

Pastoral Experience

2010-Present, Rector, Grace Episcopal Church, Merchantville, NJ

1996–1998, *Interim Rector*, and 1999–2010, *Rector*, Church of the Atonement, Laurel Springs, N. J.

1990–1995: Rector, St. Mary's Church, Haddon Heights, N. J.

1987–1990: Rector, St. Mary the Virgin, Falmouth Foreside, Maine

1982–1987: Rector, Church of the Ascension, Rochester, N. Y.

1978–1982: Assistant for Education and Community, St. Paul's Church, Rochester, N.Y.

Summer, 1980: Interim Dean of All Saints' Cathedral, Cairo, Egypt

1975–1978: Assistant to the Rector, St. John's Church, Hampton, Virginia

Education

Doctor of Ministry, Bexley Hall/ Crozer Theological Seminary/ Colgate
Rochester Divinity School, Rochester, N.Y.

M. Div., with Distinction, Episcopal Divinity School, Cambridge, Mass.
John S. Lloyd, Jr. Prize in Biblical Studies

Master of Business Administration, Kent State University, Kent, Ohio
Beta Gamma Sigma, National Business Administration Honorary

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering, Lehigh University, Bethlehem,
Penna.

Chi Epsilon, National Civil Engineering Honorary

Other Experience and Continuing Education

2015-present, Transition Consultant, Episcopal Diocese of New Jersey

1990-present: Various one-day workshops on church growth, spiritual life, and Christian education

1975–1990: Member, American Association of Pastoral Counselors

1995–2010: Part-time Life and Health Insurance Agent, Pennsylvania and New Jersey

1968–1970: Industrial Engineer, 1970-1972 promoted to Staff Methods Engineer,

The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio

1975, 1976, 1977, and 1989 – Christian Education Conferences, Kanuga, NC (five days each)

1978–1993 – Four Preaching Conferences at the College of Preachers (five days each)

1979 – Canterbury Cathedral Ecumenical Summer School (twelve days)

1986 – National Conference of Diocesan Liturgy and Music Commissions (5 days)

Individual study: church administration, church growth, church architecture, and Egyptology

1970-72, Vestry Member and Youth Group Leader, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Akron, Ohio



From the Senior Warden



Tom Westerfield,
Senior Warden

The first phase of the transition has passed as we move from our two months of Supply Priests to the start of our six month interim period with Father Kirk. I hope you enjoyed experiencing the different preaching styles and are thankful that all of them gave up their time to come to Grace in our time of need. I am also happy to announce that the Discernment Committee completed the reconciliation of the information gathered through the parish survey and small group meetings and created the necessary documents for Grace to post for the permanent Rector position. The posting will be open until August 15th, when Brandon and I will make the decision if there are sufficient candidates to begin the process of evaluating the candidates or if more time is needed. We have added a prayer for our transition in the weekly Prayers of the People, and I hope you will all contemplate and pray during this time.

I also want to provide an update on the Capital Campaign. As of May 29th, we have received 115 pledges for a total of \$332,128. Our goal is still \$375,000 with a stretch goal of \$400,000. We are still accepting pledges and will do another push in January for those who were not able to pledge during the initial phase. It is critical for us to make capital improvements to the property just as we do with our personal residences. Without facilities, we cannot fulfill our mission including providing outreach through the many offerings that occur in our buildings. We have collected \$91,142.49 of the \$332,128 pledged, which is allowing us to start the work on the rectory upgrades so it will be ready for our new rector. The Property Committee is in the process of getting bids, and I would expect the work to begin in the fall. If you are interested in making a pledge now or in the future, you can always contact me or the office.

Lastly, I would like to let you know how we are doing financially. At the end of May, our treasure, Bill Sweeney, reported that Stewardship Pledges are currently at 43% of budget (41.7 would be 5/12ths) and loose offerings are 58.8%. Our total income is slightly ahead of budget at 43.7%. Our total expenses are slightly over the yearly budget at 45.4%, but this is partially due to the Rector's salary and benefits being realized in the first 4 months of the year. We will have lower budgeted expenses for Supply and Interim ministry costs for the remaining 8 months. Although we have done well in the first half, I encourage everyone to be faithful and diligent during the summer months so we can continue to make our monthly commitments without having to borrow for any shortfalls.

Thank you all for being such a kind, open, patient and loving congregation that is making this transition period less difficult for all of us.

In His Service,
Tom Westerfield, Sr. Warden



Summertime

Summertime on the surface may seem to take us away from God. Church attendance goes dramatically down. Sundays become more about being near the ocean rather than being in a church. Folks go away to relax, and most people get away from it all, including religion, during the summer months.

However, of all the seasons, the one we are entering now - SUMMER – is especially nourishing for the soul. Summer has a certain natural and reckless hospitality that uniquely invites us to "get barefoot" with the world. Summer begs us to "reduce the barriers" that we have allowed to be erected between ourselves and all those charming life forms that live and dance around us (including other people). In summer, we peel off layers of clothing...open windows and doors...sit and sleep outside...spend many hours under the trees with family and friends...swim in cool waters...eat sweet corn and watermelon while listening to the cicadas...feel the sunlight, wind and rain directly upon our faces - in summer we dive deliciously into many pleasing pools of simple, direct living. Summer entices us to know and touch (without complication) sky and sea...sunrise and sunset...forest and field...beast and bird...family and friends...food and fun. Summer is the time which welcomes us to reconnect with life in all its deep and Holy simplicity.

Summer is when we can "touch" God most readily. The majesty of a summer thunderstorm or the splendor of the ocean points directly to our creator. The smell after a rainstorm or the smell of the ocean...the gentle rhythms of the waves caressing the shoreline...we just witness and become part of it all. These Holy moments can be a powerful time to commune with God.

Summer is when we can "touch" others most readily as well. We relax our guard around others, and we spend lots of much needed time with friends and family. Some of our strongest memories of family, friends, and a sense of wellbeing take place during the summertime. These Holy moments can be a powerful time to share God's love with one another.

This is where God lives...in nature, in people, and ultimately in ourselves. God's rhythm can be seen and heard in the simplicity of summer. It is the Sabbath we crave all year. It is the Sabbath, a time to sit and reflect on what it means to be connected and whole. During the summertime we feel more connected to the world and the rhythms of life; we feel alive and whole - more like our true selves.

So be safe, have fun and reconnect with God and one another - which is our one true calling as Christians. Remember that wherever there are two or more gathered in God's name (especially at BBQs) He'll be right there in the midst of you! And especially don't forget to give thanks and to worship our creator no matter where your journeys may take you this summer - including a Church.

God Bless You All This Summer!

Your faithful servant,

carmen



Venerable Carmen
Viola,
Arch Deacon

It's Half Time



Reverend Jim Gowland,
Deacon

As in sports, when the game gets to half time, the participants and coaches huddle up in the locker room to either enhance their game plan, because it has been successful, or revamp the plan and combine it with a successful one from the past. It really comes down to who can out-guess the other and create the desired player match up. Life presents the same situations where it is necessary to change up. The only problem is that we often don't see a need until situations force us to move out of our comfort zone. For some of us that causes stress and anxiety; others just change and adapt.

When I was in the second and third quarter of my life and changes had to be made both at home and in my business I was never stressed, but did have some anxiety waiting for the changes to take place and wondering if I had made the right decision. I believe many of us fall into that scenario. Oh, but now that I am in the middle of the fourth quarter of my life, I realize that most of the problems worked out and my worrying about them did not change anything, I now understand the change and adapt program. But that does not mean that in the late stages of my game there is no longer a need to make changes when necessary.

One thing I have come to realize is the importance and difference God has made in my life. Some of you know the story of my being the financial secretary of LU #692 and my aspiration to become the business manager, but I lost the election. No need to go into the details. Now I understand why; God does lead us in the way that is best suited for us. That does not mean we willingly accept it. It was not until years later that I understood why, and now I am so happy that it did not turn out the way I had envisioned. I am sure some of you agree, and others will not, and that's okay. The Holy Spirit is always present in our lives guiding us on our path, and sometimes that means trying to change our direction but not forcing it on us, God does not force us into anything. We have free will to make our own choices. That free will thing is great, but what about God's will for his children? Do we just ignore it or do we heed the Spirits guidance? Interesting question that only you can answer.

Well, we are at half time in the church, Easter and Pentecost have past, and we have entered into what is known as ordinary time. The third quarter is about to start, and the search for a new rector will begin. Fr. Kirk is here to assist and stabilize the operation of the church and to ease any stress or anxiety's we may have. This is the point where we either enhance the game plan, or revamp the plan for success. And remember "God is always in control".

Jim G

Summer Service Schedule

Saturdays

- 5:30 pm Holy Communion, Rite II spoken

Sundays

- 8 am Holy Communion, Rite I
- 9:30 am Holy Communion, Rite II, Family & Choral



Parish House Holy Communion

Sunday, July 1 at 9:30 a.m. the Parish House Holy Communion will be served for everyone. We will gather in the Grace Performance Hall to share the joy of the Parish House Holy Communion.

This is an active service with participation from all who attend. The children are given many opportunities to help during the service, including lighting the candles, collecting the offering, setting the table and bearing the chalice. This is a great opportunity to experience the faith of children and bring a friend to church.



Kings Highway Closures

Saturday, July 7 & Sunday, July 8, 2018, Kings Highway will be closed from Haddon Avenue to Washington Avenue. There will not be access to parking in front of the church. Please adjust your route to church and plan extra time.

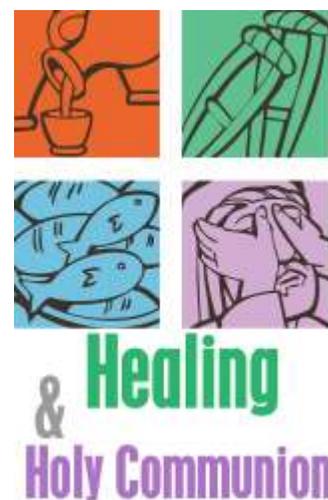


Healing & Holy Communion Saturday, July 28 & Sunday, July 29

Saturday, July 29 at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday, July 30, at both 8:00 a.m. and 9:30 a.m., we will have a special healing service with Holy Communion. All who attend the services will have the opportunity to receive a laying on of hands. We will also include prayers for healing.

When Jesus left the disciples, there were three things that he wanted them to continue for him-to teach, to preach and to heal. Many of us are in need of healing, either physical, emotional or spiritual. This service gives an opportunity to reflect on the healing needed by the world, those around us and ourselves.

If you are sick, homebound or hospitalized, please let the office know by email (office@gracehaddon.org) or by phone (856.429.0007). We will add you to the prayer list and can bring you Holy Communion.





Life Events

We welcomed these newly baptized members in June:

- ✎ Michael Maurice Baker
- ✎ Daniel Jacob Menna
- ✎ Ryan Sharple

Prayer for July 4

Freedom Prayer for Independence Day

Lord God Almighty, in whose name the founders of this country won liberty for themselves and for us, and lit the torch of freedom for nations then unborn: Grant that we and all the people of this land may have grace to maintain our liberties in righteousness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.



Transfiguration of our Lord August 6, 2018



Celebration of the Transfiguration began in the eastern church in the late fourth century. The feast is celebrated on Aug. 6. This was the date of the dedication of the first church built on Mount Tabor, which is traditionally considered to be the "high mountain" of the Transfiguration. Others locate the Transfiguration on Mount Hermon or the Mount of Olives. Celebration of the feast was not common in the western church until the ninth century. It was declared a universal feast of the western church by Pope Callistus III in 1457. The feast was first included in the English Prayer Book as a black letter day in the 1561 revision of the calendar of the church year. It was included as a red letter day with proper collect and readings in the American Prayer Book of 1892. Its inclusion reflects the efforts of William Reed Huntington, who wrote the BCP collect for the Transfiguration. This collect prays, "O God, who on the holy mount revealed to chosen witnesses your well-beloved Son, wonderfully transfigured, in raiment white and glistening: Mercifully grant that we, being delivered from the disquietude of this world, may by faith behold the king in his beauty. . . ." (BCP, p. 243). The Transfiguration is listed among the holy days of the church year as a Feast of our Lord. Other provinces of the Anglican Communion followed the lead of the Episcopal Church in celebrating the Transfiguration as a major feast. The Transfiguration gospel is used on the Last Sunday after the Epiphany in all three years of the BCP Eucharistic lectionary. As an Epiphany story, the Transfiguration provides one of the most distinctive and dramatic showings of Jesus' divinity.

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The Feast of the Transfiguration celebrates Jesus' radical change of appearance while in the presence of Peter, James, and John on a high mountain (Mt 17:1-8; Mk 9:2-8; Lk 9:28-36). The Gospel of Matthew records that "he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his garments became white as light." At this moment Moses and Elijah appeared, and they were talking with Jesus. Peter, misunderstanding the meaning of this manifestation, offered to "make three booths" for Jesus, Moses, and Elijah. A bright cloud overshadowed them and a voice from the cloud stated, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased; listen to him." The disciples fell on their faces in awe, but Jesus encouraged them to arise and "have no fear." They saw only Jesus. The Transfiguration revealed Christ's glory prior to the crucifixion, and it anticipated his resurrection and ascension. It may have given strength and comfort to his disciples in the difficult times that followed. It also prefigures the glorification of human nature in Christ.

"Transfiguration of Our Lord Jesus Christ, The." *Episcopal Church*, 11 Oct. 2017, www.episcopalchurch.org/library/glossary/transfiguration-our-lord-jesus-christ.



Summer Choir

Do you like to sing, but can not make choir rehearsal?

Join the summer choir!

Warm up takes place on Sunday mornings at 9 am in the choir room on the 3rd floor of Parish Hall. All teens and adults are welcome to join. There is no need to vest, and it is a great opportunity to share your talent.



Beauty & the Divine



Max Esmus,
Director of Music &
Organist

Dear Friends,

Earlier this year I had the opportunity to attend the musical *Dear Evan Hansen* on Broadway. It's a story about Evan Hansen, a high school boy who at the start of the school year desperately seeks a way out of his daily struggle with anxiety and loneliness. He makes a series of choices that get him closer to gaining everything his heart desires but also tied him up in a web of falsehoods. The consequences of Evan's mistakes for himself, his family, and his friends are devastating, and ultimately very, very human. Beyond its gripping plot, *Dear Evan Hansen* is, in my view, nearly the perfect musical. The songs are catchy and pack an emotional punch; they emerge naturally out of the action and enhance the story. The dialogue is pitched in that perfect place where it is completely believable and true to character while being crafted into a cadence just slightly more poetic than ordinary everyday speech.

This is just my personal view, but the experience of *Dear Evan Hansen* was more than mere entertainment. It was an experience of beauty that left me in awe. It is a beautiful show. Consider some of your own experiences of profound beauty. What is it like for you? There is often a feeling of awe at the ineffable *beyond* that leaves us speechless.

Beauty can take many different forms. In the music realm, I'm currently obsessed with the *Goldberg Variations* by J.S. Bach, a set of thirty keyboard pieces in which Bach spins off a staggering variety of emotions and gestures from a single musical idea. As for visual art, there's a painting in the Philadelphia Art Museum that brings me to tears every time I see it, *Breaking Home Ties* by Thomas Hovenden. There is something utterly true about the way the mother looks at her son in this work. In a room full of awkwardly uncertain family members, she's the only one who has the courage to look her son in the eye at the final moment before he leaves home.

Our awareness of beauty, whether it comes through art, music, nature, or the face of a loved one, must be cultivated. The part of the human soul that responds to beauty is a precious gift. This summer, remember to seek out ways to nurture that part of you. It is the part that erupts in awe and wonder at an encounter with the sublime. Leisure time is for beauty, not just rest and relaxation, fun and games, and entertainment (though all of that is good, too!). If you are planning a travel vacation, maybe include a visit to a museum, concert, or play. Be thoughtful about balancing your entertainment options so that you have an opportunity to go deep. If you're outdoorsy or into camping, don't forget to actually stop now and then to *really* look at the natural wonders around you.

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For many people, the experience of beauty is a pathway toward the experience of God. Indeed, our tradition's emphasis on beautiful language, music, and architecture is one of the things that draws people to the Episcopal Church. May God open the eyes of our hearts to behold glimpses of the Divine in all that is true and beautiful.

Peace,
Max

Music Ministry Information

For more information about the music programs at Grace Church contact:

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Betsy Murphy
Director of Christian
Formation

Dear Friends of Grace,

Happy Summer! Happy Season after Pentecost!

The Church season between Pentecost and Advent is one of the longest church seasons of the year, and yet it lacks a great name. Some churches call it Ordinary, which is not much better than The Season after Pentecost. It is a very important part of our Christian story, even though it lacks the pizzazz of Christmas or the glitz of Easter. The Season After Pentecost is the time during the Church year when the readings tend to focus more on the actions of the disciples. How can we include the Season After Pentecost and its lessons and readings into our lives? How can we add meaning to it all? Who will help us with all these questions?

Sorry to say that no one can answer all of those questions for you. Some people can through discussion, thought and conversation, help you find answers that work for you and that you can make your own. If you are brave or naïve enough to google any religious or spiritual questions, you will find millions of blogs, postings, and answers. They are not really answers. What they are is opinions, some good, some bad. Looking at this information can be even more confusing than the question, if you can even remember after reading a few blogs. This is part of the reason that church matters. You can talk to God through prayer about your questions. You can attend church and visit churches when you are out of town.

Church is a community of people, seeking to know and understand the way that God works in everyday life. Church is a place to exchange thoughts, ideas, worries, fears, love, and support for each other. It is hands-on and caring. It is a place where, instead of saying everything is fine, you can say I had a really bad week. There will be someone there to listen to you. Maybe they even have a similar story or have had a similar week. It can provide physical, spiritual and emotional relief.

Our lives are currently so busy, how can we fit church into them? Think about this for a minute: there are thousands of people in the world paying for cell phone apps that reminds them to breathe, ie. Headspace, Calm, etc.. We have actually made ourselves that busy. I know that when I have free time, I tend to spend it asleep. I am glad that sometimes at night, Ryan will come into my room at bedtime and say, "Mom we forgot our nighttime prayers." Taking time out is important.

I am also glad, however that I take the time each week to go to church. I am reminded that I am not alone, especially on at those times that I feel like Job. I can be encouraged by the knowledge that there is something bigger at work. I

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can reflect on the disciples and how I fit into each week's readings. The lessons are stories from the Bible. They do not have to be fitted into our lives, they should be recognized as part of our story - stories that we should share, stories that connect us to each other and God's love.

With Grace,

Betsy Murphy

Christian Formation Information

For more information about Christian Formation at Grace Church contact:

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Christian Formation Committee

There will be a Christian Formation Committee meeting on Sunday, July 1, after the Parish House Holy Communion. We will gather on the second floor of the Parish Hall.

We will be discussing topics for teacher training and finalizing plans for the 2018-2019 school year. If you have ideas for the upcoming year or are interested in helping with Christian Formation, please contact Betsy Murphy.



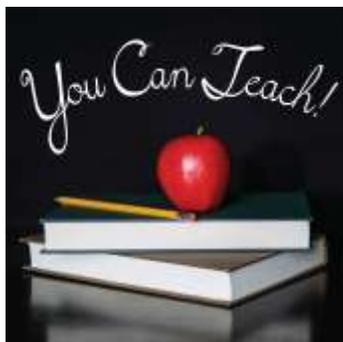
Summer Sunday School



Summer Sunday School will begin on Sunday, July 8 at 9:30 am on the second floor of the Parish Hall. It will take place during the Liturgy of the Word at the 9:30 am service. The children will be escorted to the church during the peace and can receive Holy Communion with their parents.

This summer, I will be working with members of the teen choir for Summer Sunday School. Each week we will read and talk about the Gospel reading for that Sunday. We will also work on learning the hymns, "In the Garden," and "I Love to Tell the Story." There will also be crafts and creative play.

Summer Sunday School is a come-as-you-are event, and there is no registration. There will be a sign-in sheet for each class. All the children who attend the 9:30 am service are invited to participate and bring a friend.



Teacher Training

Join the Fun! Spread God's Word! Share your talent!

Teacher training for the 2018-2019 Church School year will take place on Sunday, September 2 at 10:30 am on the second floor of the Parish Hall.

We will be going over the curriculum and festivals for the year. We will also be discussing running an inclusive classroom. We are in need of regular teachers and substitute teachers for all grade. If you have questions about church school or are interested in volunteering, please contact Betsy Murphy by phone, 856.433.2151 or email, gracehaddonchurchschool@gmail.com

Confirmation Class



There will be a retreat on Friday, September 14 through Saturday, September 15 for all of those being confirmed in 2018. We will need a few adult chaperones to volunteer to attend this event. We are waiting for the Diocese to confirm the date of this year's Confirmation. More information will be sent out in August.

Confirmation class will resume on Tuesday, September 18 at 4 pm in the Parish Hall. There will be a meeting for parents at 6:30 pm. All tweens who are entering the 6th grade are invited to attend. Those students who attend the September retreat have completed the classroom instruction.

Walter Rauschenbush, Washington Gladden & Jacob Riis

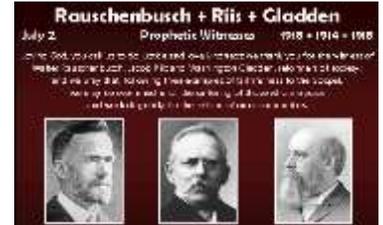
Born the son of a German preacher in upstate New York, Walter Rauschenbusch's childhood was steeped in traditional Protestant doctrine and biblical literalism. While attending Rochester Theological Seminary, he came to believe that Jesus died "to substitute love for selfishness as the basis of human society." For Rauschenbusch, the Kingdom of God was "not a matter of getting individuals to heaven, but of transforming life on earth into the harmony of heaven."

In works such as *Theology for the Social Gospel* (1917), Rauschenbusch enumerated the "social sins" which Jesus bore on the cross, including the combination of greed and political power, militarism, and class contempt. In 1892, he and some friends formed the Brotherhood of the Kingdom, a group whose mission was to open the eyes of the church to the reality of the Kingdom of God on earth.

Like Rauschenbusch, Washington Gladden's ministry was dedicated to the realization of the Kingdom of God in this world. Gladden was the acting religious editor of the *New York Independent*, in which he exposed corruption in the New York political system. Gladden was the first American clergyman to approve of and support labor unions. In his capacity as Vice President of the American Missionary Association, he traveled to Atlanta where he met W.E.B. Dubois, and he became an early opponent of segregation.

Though not a pastor like Rauschenbusch and Gladden, Jacob Riis's "muckraker" journalism did much to awaken the nation to the plight of the urban poor. Born in Denmark in 1849, Riis arrived in New York City in 1870 as multitudes of immigrants flooded the city seeking work following the devastation of the Civil War. Riis found a job as a police reporter for the *New York Tribune*, and his work took him to the poorest, most crime-ridden parts of the city. Teaching himself photography, he combined word and image to display the devastating effects of poverty and crime on so many in New York. His work led future President Theodore Roosevelt, then City Police Commissioner, to close down the police-run poor houses in which Riis had struggled during his first months in New York.

Excerpt from: *Holy Women, Holy Men: Celebrating the Saints*. New York: Church Publishing, Inc. 2010. p. 450



Stewardship of the Environment



Energy: The United Nations estimates that by 2050 there will be more refugees from climate change than from war. To fight climate change and reduce your carbon footprint (and your energy bills), complete a home energy audit: <http://hes.lbl.gov/>

Eco-tip provided by GreenFaith: www.greenfaith.org

Online Giving



When you are on your summer vacation, remember that you can continue your pledge while you are away using Online Giving at Grace Church. Just go to our Grace Church Website (www.gracehaddonfield.org) under the heading "Giving @ Grace". From there you can:

- make a pledge payment
- sign up for recurring pledge payments
- make a donation to any of our outreach programs
- make a donation for activities at Grace
- make a special donation for something not already named.
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Please consider this to help Grace with cash flow during the summer months.

Summer Pledges

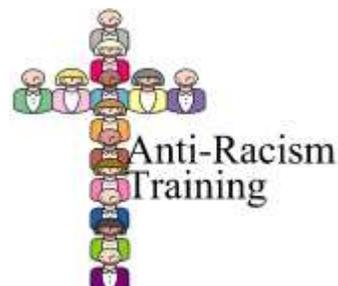
PLEASE KEEP UP YOUR PLEDGE THIS SUMMER!



Most Churches experience a cash flow drop during the summer. The income dips dangerously low, but the Church bills still keep coming in! Please remember to keep up your pledge and giving to Grace Church this summer. Consider mailing in your pledge or going to online giving to keep up your support of Grace Church. Check out the website: www.gracehaddonfield.org if you would like to take advantage of our online giving. Your contributions help us to maintain the rich and varied ministries of Grace Church! Please keep up your giving! Thanks!

Anti-Racism Training

Monday, July 16 at 7 pm Grace Church in Haddonfield will be hosting Anti-Racism training by the Diocese of New Jersey. The training session will take about 2 hours. All members of the Vestry, Transition Ministry, and Director of Christin Formation are required to attend. The training will be lead by the very capable team of Ms Noreen Duncan and the Rev Martha McKee. If you are required to have anti-racism training, those that cannot attend please contact Tom Westerfield and we will find training at another location. If you are interested in receiving Anti-Racism Training but it is not required for you, please contact Jeanne in the church office by phone 856.429.0007 or by email, office@gracehaddon.org.



Safe Church Training

Safe Church Training is a requirement for all those who work in the churches of our Diocese, especially those persons who work with children and youth.

In this workshop, both sexual abuse of children and sexual exploitation and harassment of all persons are covered. This training is required every five years for clergy, wardens, employees, church personnel, lay Eucharistic visitors, and anyone regularly working with or around children or youth. For specifics, please refer to ***Respecting the Dignity of Every Human Being***, which you can download as a PDF in English or in Spanish from our website [www.dioceseofnj.org\[r20.rs6.net\]](http://www.dioceseofnj.org[r20.rs6.net])



The morning session, from 9am to noon, deals with the sexual exploitation and harassment of all persons. The afternoon session, from 12:30pm to 3:30pm, deals specifically with the sexual abuse of children. Morning and afternoon sessions may be taken on the same day or on separate days, but both sessions must be taken.

Grace Church in Haddonfield will be hosting a Safe Church Training on Saturday, September 22 from 9 am - 3:30 pm. All Vestry members, office staff, Church school teachers, transition ministry members, nursery volunteers, Lay Eucharistic Visitors, and Vacation Bible School volunteers must attend and receive his or her Safe Church certification. If you are a member of one or more of these groups and cannot attend, please contact the church office, and they will help you find another training date and location. If you are not a member of one of these groups but are interested in attending Safe Church Training, please contact the church office to let us know.

EYC, Episcopal Youth Community



The EYC at Grace Church is open to anyone of high school age. It is currently being coordinated by Dana Cotter and Shannon Morris. The past couple of years the group has volunteered at St. Wilfrid's Free Medical Clinic.

We are looking to expand the youth group activities to include special worship services and other events. We are also looking into having a special peer mentoring training for our youth. If you are interested in participating in the youth group or are an adult who would like to help lead the group, please email youthgroup@gracehaddon.org.

Interfaith Caregivers

Join Your Neighbors • Help Your Neighbors

The next training for Interfaith Caregivers is Wednesday, July 11, 2018 from 7:00-9:30 pm at Stanfill Manor, 109 E. Atlantic Avenue, Haddon Heights.

For 28 years Interfaith Caregivers has been helping people 65+ and those with disabilities live independently and stay active in their community. Our volunteers provide rides to medical appointments, grocery stores, and social events. We grocery shop and run errands with/for seniors. Do you or someone you know need Interfaith Caregivers? If so call our office at 856-354-0298.

Many of your neighbors are already helping our nearly 300 clients. Won't you join them? Give as much time as you have –we work around your schedule. For more details, call the Interfaith Caregivers office at 856-354-0298 or visit www.ifchaddons.org. Thank you.

Church Nursery

Grace church has a nursery located on the 2nd floor of the Parish Hall, directly off of the elevator. It is open from 9:20 am until after the 9:30 am service on Sunday mornings. It is designed for children from birth through kindergarten age.

Currently we are in desperate need of volunteers to staff the nursery. There are many Sunday mornings that the nursery is open but not staffed. For safety reasons, we must have at least two nursery volunteers each Sunday to staff the nursery. If you would like to help with the nursery, please contact Betsy Murphy by email, gracehaddonchurchschool@gmail.com. Volunteers must be 14 years old or older and can choose how many Sundays they volunteer each month.



St. Paul's Food Pantry

Grace Church oversees and operates the Food Pantry located at St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 422 Market Street, Camden, NJ. They are currently in need of volunteers to help with the bagging and distribution of food. Food bagging takes place on the last Tuesday morning of each month. Food distribution currently takes place on the last Friday of the month. Friday volunteers need to arrive around 7:50 am, the Food Bank usually closes around 9 am.



If you would like more information or are interested in volunteering, please contact Denise Sikorski by phone, 609.670.6074, or by email, t42wthme@gmail.com.

St. Anne's Guild, Episcopal Church Women

On Saturday, July 21 at 8:30 am the ECW (Episcopal Church Women) and any helpers will be making 100 lunches for St. Wilfrid's. Anyone who can help or needs service hours is welcome. If you can provide a donation or help that day please let Gretchen Poliero know. gretchensbaskets@hotmail.com or 856-429-5766 Thank you!



Thank you to all who donated to the UTO fund. We raised \$507. Grace Church did a fine job showing our thanks!

1st Saturday Breakfast, September 8

The Saturday Breakfast for September will be held on September 8th from 7:30 – 8:30. Phil Rychert will present on his recent trip to Iran. Pancakes and sausage will be prepared by your favorite cooks.



St. Wilfrid's Free Clinic

One June 16, St. Wilfrid's Clinic provided 23 health screenings, gave out 41 bags of food and distributed almost their entire inventory of summer clothes.

If you have any summer clothes that you are not wearing, please consider washing them and donating them to the people of St. Wilfrid's. There is always a need for new volunteers, too.

The clinic will be open on July 21 and August 18 to distribute food bags, deliver summer clothes and share fellowship.



Thrift Shop



The Grace Church Thrift shop will be open Friday, July 6 from 10 am - 4pm, Saturday, July 7 from 10 am - 4 pm and Sunday, July 8 from 11 am - 4 pm for the Haddonfield Arts and Crafts Fair.

After Sunday July 8, it will close for the summer reopening on Friday, September 7. Donations to the Thrift Shop can be left in the bin in the back of the Parish Hall year round.

If you are interested in helping with the Thrift Shop or have any questions about it, please contact Ellen Berntson by email, ellenberntson@gmail.com, or by phone, 609.405.3988.



haddonfield choir camp

a day camp for singers age 6-18



august 6-10, 2018
1:00pm - 4:00pm



Location: Grace Church
19 Kings Highway East
Haddonfield, NJ
Cost: \$30 per participant
Register: www.haddonarts.org
click on "choir camp"

An afternoon day program that provides a fun and active musical experience through vocal training, group singing, and community-building activities in three age-appropriate divisions.





Everyone deserves a good pair of shoes.

Help Soles4Souls in our mission: Wearing Out Poverty®

Soles4Souls is an international not-for-profit organization dedicated to fighting poverty through the distribution of shoes and clothing. We advance our anti-poverty mission in two distinct ways:

Free distribution:

Through the collaboration of thousands of individuals, churches, non-profit organizations and corporate partners, Soles4Souls collects and distributes millions of shoes and hundreds of thousands of pieces of clothing. Our outreach spreads to 127 countries. More than half of the distributions are in the United States.

Micro-enterprise:

"Give a person a fish and they eat for a day; teach a person to fish and they eat for a lifetime."

We help those devastated by poverty attain sustainable employment. We provide a steady supply of used shoes and clothing to micro-entrepreneurs in developing countries where there are few ways to generate personal income.

Here are some ways to get involved with Soles4Souls:

Collect shoes- Collect enough and you could win a free distribution trip!

Donate funds- Help us further our cause with a monetary donation.

Travel with us- Distribute shoes with Soles4Souls to those in need.

July 1 - 31

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WEARING OUT POVERTY®

Visit us online at soles4souls.org |   

Homecoming Sunday September 9



Come out to share stories about your summer!
Meet members of the various groups at Grace Church!
Ask questions about Grace Church and what we do!
Volunteer to help!
Enjoy some good food, friends, and fellowship!

***After the 8 am & 9:30 am
services***



Fall Frolic

A night of food, fun and entertainment

Saturday, October 13, 2018

6:30 pm

Grace Performance Hall



The Trinity Cathedral Community Day Golf Outing Committee, with the blessings of Bishop Stokes, Dean John and Ruth Councill, has opted to rename our annual golf outing...

The Bishop George E. Councill Memorial Golf Tournament



Bishop Councill, the 11th Bishop of the Diocese of New Jersey, was a stalwart supporter of this event through its first 13 years, and with his unfortunate passing we are pleased to honor him by renaming our highly successful event for him!

Please join us on Monday, October 8th (Columbus Day) for the 14th Annual outing at Mercer Oaks-West GC, Village Rd., West Windsor, NJ. Your participation over these past years has produced over \$300,000 for the work undertaken by Trinity Cathedral. The fee per player remains \$175: Dinner, only, \$35.

GOLF REGISTRATION

Church Name _____ City/Town _____

Foursome #1

Name _____ Email _____

Name _____ Email _____

Name _____ Email _____

Name _____ Email _____

Foursome #2

Name _____ Email _____

Name _____ Email _____

Name _____ Email _____

Name _____ Email _____

Join us for a Great Day! Compete for the Bishop's Cup

Worship @ 10 AM, Shotgun @ 11 AM

Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner provided

Prizes, Raffles and Auction, Too

Please send your registration and checks made payable to Councill Golf, to Trinity Cathedral, 801 W. State St., Trenton, NJ 08618

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We Welcome Your Support

- | | |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Breakfast Host.....\$500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Gold Level Sponsor.....\$500 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lunch Host.....\$1,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> Silver Level Sponsor.....\$300 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hors d'oeuvres Host.....\$500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Bronze Level Sponsor.....\$150 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dinner Host.....\$5,000 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Overall Event Host.....\$10,000 | |

All sponsorships will be adequately recognized in print media and at the dinner!

Place an ad in the Souvenir Booklet (Camera Ready) **....And/Or**

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inside front or back cover.....\$500 | <input type="checkbox"/> Sponsor a Hole, w/Tee Sign....\$100 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Full Page.....\$300 | <input type="checkbox"/> Sponsor a cart (Name on Cart)\$50 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Half Page..... \$200 | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Quarter Page..... \$150 | |

We also welcome donation of Auction Items and Raffle Prizes

Donor Information

Name _____ Church _____

Address _____ Tel No. _____ Email _____

Please indicate your level of support and make check payable to Councill Golf. Send all remittances to

Trinity Cathedral, 801 West State Street, Trenton, NJ 08618

Israel Pilgrimage



Dear Fellow Pilgrims,

We have finalized the arrangements for Grace Church's pilgrimage to Israel as we will follow in the actual footsteps of Jesus! The dates will be January 2 – 10, 2019, and all ages are welcome (So far we have from ages 8 to 80 registered). Our guide on this trip will be Kent Dobson (Progressive Christian Author, Pastor and Teacher). Kent has lived in Israel for many years and has degrees from there in both History and Geography. He annotated for Zondervan the NIV First Century Study Bible. He recently published "Bitten by a Camel," and he teaches at many progressive churches throughout the country. Kent has led annual tours to Israel for the past 15 years, and I have been with him on two previous occasions. We have also hired an Israeli Archeologist and Naturalist Yair Amichay who will also be joining us. He has been a tour guide for many years and he is a wealth of knowledge and cultural understanding steeped in Biblical and First Century texts. I will also be taking part in teachings there as well. We will be using EDI travel in Israel throughout for our exclusive Grace Church Bus Transportation and to make all our travel arrangements. They are rated 5 stars on TripAdvisor and the owner Boaz Shalgi has been arranging and giving tours of Israel and the surrounding areas for a long time.



This is a pilgrimage, and it is a life changing event! The all-inclusive cost of the trip is \$3850/person (double occupancy). The price includes airfare, hotels, all meals, all entrance fees, all tips including our guides. Even bottled water is included! The only thing not included is your transportation to Newark. Last time some of us rented a van which left from Grace Church pretty economically. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at any time (267)236-5163. The fully refundable deposit and payment schedule is attached along with the registration form. Please also note that when traveling to Israel **YOU MUST HAVE MORE THAN 6 MONTHS REMAINING ON YOUR PASSPORT AS OF JANUARY 10, 2019.** If not, you have plenty of time to renew your passport before then.

Kent will also fly here around Sept/Oct to prep us and go over any details we may want to discuss and to meet with our fellow pilgrims. We will also receive a packing list and other relevant info prior to our trip. I have been there myself a number of times and can also answer any questions that you might have.

Space is really filling up fast due to word of mouth from our last visit there. We already have 20 folks registered. Getting Excited!

Your Faithful Servant,

Carmen

New Pilgrimage: Grace Church January 2-10, 2019



Pricing and Payment

*Price (shared double room): \$3850***

Single Room Supplement: \$500

Price Includes

- *Airfare from Newark to Tel Aviv
- *Transportation in Israel
- *Hotel Accommodations
- *Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- *Entrance fees to all historical sites
- *Bottled Water
- *Tips for Israeli guide and driver
- *All inclusive

****Price minimum 30 people**



Payment Schedule

\$400 Refundable deposit to hold spot due ASAP

Aug 1, 2018: 25% of total due

Sept 15, 2018: 50% of total due

Oct 15, 2018: 75% of total due.

Last call for new participants, subject to available airline seats.

*Airline tickets issued

Nov 15, 2018: Payment due in full

Questions? Please contact Kent Dobson

dobsonpilgrimage@gmail.com
kentdobson.com

Registration Form—New Pilgrimage: New Jersey Jan 2-10, 2018

Enclosed is my/our deposit of \$_____ to reserve _____ [number] of seats from Newark.

*Checks only, payable to "New Pilgrimage LLC"

*Upgrades or additional airfare can be arranged, please let us know your needs via email

Name/s (on your passport) _____ Date of Birth _____

Passport Number/Expiration Date _____

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email Address _____

*Mail registration to 5951 Grand River DR NE, Ada MI 49301 or
send electronically dobsonpilgrimage@gmail.com





Annual School Supply Drive

Throughout July & August we will be collecting backpacks, school bags and school supplies for the children of Kids Alley Café. The children range from elementary school through high school grades.

You can donate either a filled bag or some of the items to fill a bag including:

- ⇒ Backpacks
- ⇒ Pocket folders
- ⇒ Spiral Notebooks
- ⇒ Composition books
- ⇒ 3 Ring Binders
- ⇒ Tabbed Dividers
- ⇒ Filler paper (College & Wide Ruled)
- ⇒ Index Cards
- ⇒ 12" Rulers
- ⇒ Glue Sticks
- ⇒ Student scissors
- ⇒ Erasers
- ⇒ Pencils, Pens, & Highlighters
- ⇒ Handheld pencil sharpeners
- ⇒ Crayon boxes & pencil pouches
- ⇒ Crayons & Colored pencils
- ⇒ Washable markers
- ⇒ Watercolor paints
- ⇒ Art smocks
- ⇒ Book Covers (book Soxs)
- ⇒ Combination locks
- ⇒ Calculators
- ⇒ Dictionaries
- ⇒ Tissue packets
- ⇒ Hand Sanitizer



The last day to drop off donations will be Sunday, August 12.

July Anniversaries & Birthdays

Your prayers are asked for God's richest blessings on all those celebrating anniversaries & birthdays in July.

July 1

Anthony & Gretchen Cianciarulo
John & Irene Hempstead

July 2

Hilda Miller
Julian Muse
Vincenzo & Nicole Cucuzza

July 3

July 4

Alex & Kelly Ferrante

July 5

Lee Albright
Max Esmus
Jeffrey Riley
John & Denette Beluch

July 6

Lexi Cerrone
Ava Gorky
Kenneth Kumor
Lawrence Panzone
John & Cynthia Vena

July 7

Joan Johnson

July 8

Jane Scarpellino
Timothy Westerfield
Jesse & Karen Orlando

July 9

Jeffrey Coward
Devin Dromgoole
Reeves Honey

July 10

Kerstin Spatola

July 11

Jason & Brooke Krisch

July 12

Ann Ronca
Cynthia Vena
Karen Minerva & Laura Snee

July 13

Susan Caruso
Peter Combs
Sarah Renshaw

July 14

Aydan Barr

Oliver Baxter

Brody Farley-Rambo
Conni Sota

Bill & Allison Bisirri

July 15

Bruce Monaghan
Michael & Lauren Mannion
David & Polly Youngstein



July 16

Katie Cunning
Peter Hanway
Genevieve Martine
Joyce McAuley
John Poliero
Christopher Reicherter
Luke Soumilas
Maureen Stanton

July 17

Jean Christie
Michael Geisinger

July 18

Grace Willers
Madison Willers

July 19

Kim Reis
Brian Walpole
Ed & Portia Fudala
Richard & Jean Reicherter

July 20

Michael Poisel
Alfred Schmidt
Don & Lynne Ryan

July 21

Mark DiMaurizio
Michael Luther

Sonya Roccia

Teagan Traynor

July 22

Sue Comfort
Nick Gatti
Carol Moyer
Donald Norcross
Jim Tucker
Daniel Watts

July 23

T.J. Strom

July 24

Todd Fuller
Katherine Hempstead
Gene Riley
Doug & Georgette Clark

July 25

Evelyn Bisirri
Caroline Bisirri
Jackson Young
Gregory & Diane Martin

July 26

William Honey
LeeAnn Norris

July 27

Rob Martine
Jennifer Stevens
Lee & Carolyn Ensminger

July 28

Andrew Reicherter

July 29

Rick Bonnette
Ann Harrington
Sara Mathews
Natalie Zucca
David & Amy Watts

July 30

Jane Leichner
Robert Weil

July 31

Maureen Carrozzino
Christian Johnson

August Anniversaries & Birthdays

Your prayers are asked for God's richest blessings on all those celebrating anniversaries & birthdays in August.

August 1

August 2

Denette Beluch

August 3

Irene Powers

Ayumi Tsuda

Christopher & Kelly Kuchera

August 4

William Davidson

Kevin Dronson

Henry McFadden

William & Susan Caruso

August 5

Les Baxter

Mark Gatti

August 6

Alexandria Barbato

August 7

Donald Norcross

Brandon & Sue Hamilton

August 8

Michelle Baker

August 9

Carl Alexoff

Dana Cotter

Joseph Evangelisti

Dave Shaffer

Tory & Ashley Harris

August 10

Bill Bisirri

Jean Lisiecki

Hilary Southern

Claire Wilberg

Sylvia & Richard Duda

Greyson & Lori Heberley

August 11

Joe Haro

Michelle Jackson

Rachel Manning

Brett & Christine Baxter

August 12

Jane Baxter

Lucy Cate Kirk

Eric Moyer

Jon Reichelderfer

Evelyn Skyrn

Nevan Soumilas

Patrick & Dana Cotter

August 13

Thomas Flagg

Melissa Tucker

Patricia Zarnitz

August 14

Greyson Heberley

Jesse Lang

Sabrina Miller

Megan Randazzo

Bob & Jean Horn

Fredrick & Carol Shindle III

August 15



August 16

Marlena Goldman

August 17

Denise Barr

Morgan Heberley

Bridget Poisel

Gerald Caracciolo & Janet

Wedgwood

August 18

Alexia Hopely

Denise Lieber

August 19

Darlene Haines

Marianne Poisel

DeSha Viola

Thomas & Linda Behr

August 20

Chris Kapsales

Amy Watts

August 21

Ronald Cummings

Marianne Gambardello

Jamie Orlando

Jonathan & Christina Gorky

Thomas & Jennifer Hanner

August 22

Brody Connors

Colin Muse

Frank Salerno.

Christina Severia

John & Suzanne Maxymuk

August 23

Louis Jackson

Alex Soumilas

Bobby Weil

Ted & Lucia Eldredge

August 24

Gregory Coolahan

Katherine Renshaw

August 25

Rachel McAuley

Natalie Stewart

August 26

Sandra Dromgoole

Christopherr & Elizabeth Sarson

August 27

Stacy Bergin

Jacqueline Cotter

Stacy Fischer

Mark & Kathleen Platzer

August 28

Jean Reicherter

Jensen Strom

Robert & Frances Miller

August 29

Reilley Connelly

Libby Monaghan

Charles & Dorothy Gruber

David & Sharon Muse

August 30

Brett Baxter

Caitlyn Manning

Daniel Menna

Emily Millspaugh

August 31

David Brown

Linda Cummings

Erica Sciolla

Anwar & Dorlisa Young

July 2018

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<p>1 Father Bob Legnani</p> <p>8 am Holy Communion 9:30 am Parish House Holy Communion for all 10:45 am Education Committee 11:30 am Kitchen Committee 6:30 pm AA</p>	2	<p>3</p> <p>10 am Staff Meeting 7 pm Zumba</p>	<p>4</p> <p>Office Closed</p>	<p>5</p> <p>8:30 pm Grace Speakers</p>	<p>6</p> <p>10 am - 4 pm Thrift Shop open</p>	<p>7</p> <p>10 am - 4 pm Thrift Shop open 10 am Baptism Prep 5:30 pm Holy Communion</p>
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August 2018

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September 2018

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An Episcopal Church in the
Diocese of New Jersey

CHURCH SERVICES

Sundays	8 a.m. Holy Communion 9:30 a.m. Holy Communion (Family & Choral)
1st Sundays	9:30 a.m. Parish House Holy Communion
Saturdays	5:30 p.m. Holy Communion



Groups & Meetings in at Grace Church in July & August

A.A.	Sundays, 6:30 p.m.
Adult Choir Rehearsal	Thursdays, 7:30 p.m., resumes August 30, 2018
Church School	Sundays, 9:30 a.m.
Finance Committee	2nd Monday, 7:00 p.m., (no July)
Grace Speakers (A.A.)	Thursdays, 8:30 p.m.
Kitchen Committee	1st Sunday, 11:30 a.m.
Knit Wits	3rd Saturday, 10:00 a.m.
Property Committee	1st Monday, 5:30 p.m. (no July)
St. Paul's Food Bank	Last Friday of each month, 8:00 a.m.
St. Wilfrid's Free Clinic	3rd Saturday, 11:00 a.m.
Stewardship	1st Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.
Vestry	3rd Monday, 7:00 p.m. (no July)
Zumba	Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m.

If you are interested in information about the Grace Church, it's outreach or fellowship activities, please check our website: www.gracehaddonfield.org.