

HEAVEN'S HERALD

NJLC Weekly Newsletter

Lectionary Readings

Genesis 50:15-21

Romans 14:1-12

Matthew 18:21-35

Psalms 103:[1-7] 8-13

Guest Pastor: Rev. Terry Hannon

Join us in welcoming Pastor Terry as she preaches and leads us in our worship service this Sunday! Pastor Terry has been with us many times over the years and we are delighted to have her with us again in Pastor Phil's absence.

Prayers for our NJLC Community

***new names added this week (NJLC connection)*

Jane Wichmann (Toni Chancellor-Adams); Wayne Dunkley (NJLC member); Cheyenne Ketterer (Sherry Whipple); Mack Keister (NJLC member); Dean Fox and Peggy Glascock (Judy Fox)

The Playground Returns this Sunday!

Children are invited to The Playground on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sunday of each month. They will begin in worship with us and, following the children's message, will then go as a group to The Playground and learn about God through Bible stories, crafts, and other activities. If you are interested in joining Jennifer Barlow's team of faithful adult volunteers, please contact Jennifer or the church office.



Sept. 24th is Oktoberfest Sunday at NJLC

Come, celebrate the history of our community and our congregation as we give thanks for God's bountiful harvest. The readings will be from St. Michael and All Angels which tell about St. Michael's victorious fight with Satan in Heaven. The sermon title will be, "God Wins!"

Membership Directory Update

Church members will soon receive an email containing the information we currently have for the New Jerusalem Membership Directory. Please review your information and contact the church office if anything has changed. Changes that should be made for this year's directory can be emailed to officenjlc@gmail.com, or call 540-822-5576.

"There is meaning is every journey that is unknown to the traveler."

- Dietrich Bonhoeffer



"God's Work Our Hands"

After service on October 1st we'll enjoy a light lunch and roll up your sleeves to do God's work in:

The wider world: We will tie quilts for Lutheran World Relief.

Our community: We will clean the food pantry.

Our own church: We will clean the nursery.

Something new!!!

On the first Sunday of each month we are requesting that you bring a plastic bag of food items for the pantry. Bring them into the church with you and we will collect them at children's sermon time for a blessing. **The first Sunday will be October 1st, God's Work Our Hands**



Stay Tuned for Upcoming Events

- October 1: "God's Work. Our Hands" Sunday
Installation of Mark Fletcher as NJLC's Minister of Music
- October 8: Adult Bible study class on the Apostles' Creed begins
- October 22: Family Hay Ride

Bulletin for September 17 is attached.

