

The Week Ahead at Grace Presbyterian Church: Jan. 19- Jan. 26

For additional information, call the church office or ask an usher!

Sun. Jan. 19	9:30 am Sunday Service/Congregational Meeting 10:30 am Fellowship 11:00 am Mental Health Team Meeting
Mon. Jan. 20	Church Office Closed for MLK Day 7:30 am Kudalini Yoga 9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 9:00 am Jazzercise 7:00 pm Yoga
Tues. Jan. 21	9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 7:00 pm Session Meeting
Wed. Jan. 22	9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 12:00 pm Women's Bible Study 7:00 pm Essentrics Class
Thurs. Jan 23	9:30 am Iyengar Yoga 6:00 pm Jazzercise
Fri. Jan. 24	9:30 am Restorative Yoga
Sat. Jan. 25	8:30 am Jazzercise 8:45 am Iyengar Yoga
Sun. Jan. 26	9:30 am Sunday Service - Baptism 10:30 am Fellowship

Vision Statement

We are an open and affirming congregation. We genuinely welcome people of all ages, race, ethnicities, genders, sexual orientations, beliefs, and those who are cognitively and or physically challenged. Our vision is to be a community of love and purpose, each one engaged in ministry, seeking to know Christ, growing in discipleship, and embodying God's love for the world.

***** GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Congregational Meeting - Today

A congregational meeting will be held Sunday, January 19 immediately following the service to:

1. Approve Pastor Debbie Paton's terms of call.
2. Review the 2025 budget.
3. Vote in the 2025 nominating committee.

Women's Bible Study

Women's bible study meets every other Wednesday in room 2 from 12 noon to 2 PM

The next Meeting dates are January 22.

We are studying Acts, Awakening to God in Everyday Life, by Melissa Spoelstra.

It is not necessary to do any preparation.

We will cover the material together as the Spirit leads us.

Come with an open mind and heart to explore scripture.

Bring your questions and experiences to share.

Questions - Contact Laura Taff - lt9115@gmail.com

Grace For Dinner

If you are a neighbor in need of food, come to our table

Grace Presbyterian Church is offering a FREE dinner

for people facing a food crisis

Saturday, Feb. 8 th-4:00 - 5:30 PM - Doors Open at 4:00

Meals prepared by - **Panera Bread Meal choices:**

1. Turkey & Cheddar Sandwich & Chicken & Rice Soup

2. Grilled Cheese Sandwich & Tomato Soup

Please order meals by Monday, February 3rd , 732-297-9182 or by email office@gracepcsb.org Please provide your name, phone

number, number of meals and if any are vegetarian. One meal per person please. Let us know if you have transportation limits; we may be able to arrange delivery. **If you miss that date remaining meals will be given out starting at 5:45 on a first-come-first serve basis.**

South Brunswick Food Bank Items Needed:

Ground coffee - Jelly - Chef Boyardee, or any canned pasta
Crushed tomatoes - Pancake mix - Syrup Spaghetti, and any boxed pasta Paper goods: toilet paper, paper towels, tissues, napkins

Boxed milk such as Parmalat - Canned tuna

Please bring the item(s) to the church and put it in the cart by the front door. If you have any questions contact Lee - mrsp52@comcast.net



Craig Cohen

pbgrebe2001@yahoo.com

**and Friends of the Environment
Invite you to a nature walk at
Mapleton Preserve**

*Mapleton Preserve
145 Mapleton, Rd
Princeton 08540*

Sunday, 2/2/25 @ 2pm (we'll Meet at 1:30)

Craig Cohen will lead

an easy Hike of the Preserve

**Craig is an Award Winning Science Instructor,
Environmental Advocate & Avid Bird Watcher**

Hosted by

**South Brunswick Area Interfaith Clergy Association
And our participating Houses of Worship**

Look Who's Serving

	Jan. 19	Jan. 26	Feb. 2	Feb. 9
Liturgist	Jill Rentner	Amy Miller	Carol Thomson	Lee Piotrowski
Usher	Evelyn Savage	Laura Taff	Maryann Rappa	Judianne Brown
Zoom	Maryann Rappa	Janice Royer	Gabi Quaely	Peter Godinez
Worship Leader	Rev. Debbie Paton	Rev. Debbie Paton	Rev. Debbie Paton	Rev. Debbie Paton
Coffee Hour	Tami Aug	Gabi Quaely	Barbara Elieff	Vivian Paulus
Counters	Laura Taff Carol Thomson	Fran Trischetta Lee Piotrowski	Mike Royer Dottie Pickell	Fran Trischetta Carol Thomson
Musician	Ted Elias	Vince DiMura	Vince DiMura	Vince DiMura
Open/Close	Carol Thomson Mike Royer	Carol Thomson Mike Royer	Carol Thomson Mike Royer	Carol Thomson Mike Royer

CHURCH LEADERSHIP

Pastor Debbie - Debbie is in the office Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday. Works off site on Friday. She can best be reached by email pastordebpaton@gmail.com or cell phone 630-886-6785. Please honor Monday as her sabbath by only calling if it is an emergency.

Vince Di Mura - Music Director

Church Office - Maryann Rappa is in the office Monday, Tuesday and Thursday. She can be reached at 732-297-9182 or office@gracepcsb.org.

NOT SURE WHO TO CONTACT?

- ❖ Questions about donations - Contact **Al Goddard**
- ❖ Questions about the children's ministry - contact **Nancy Varga**
nmvarga2011@comcast.net
- ❖ Questions about the Deacons - contact **Kathie Scott**
kathiemscott@icloud.com
- ❖ Have a prayer request? - contact **Tami Aug** tamaraaug@gmail.com
- ❖ Put an announcement in the bulletin? tell the **church office by Wednesday.**
office@gracepcsb.org
- ❖ Put an article in the newsletter? Maryann Rappa office@gracepcsb.org
- ❖ Want to get involved? **Contact an elder.**

Questions about **Finance or Personnel** - Rob Aug; **Hospitality or Outreach** - Donna Keller; **Preschool** - Nancy Varga, Carol Thomson; **Property** - Jim Elieff, Mike Royer; **Worship** -Dottie Pickell; **Stewardship** - Laura Taff; **Christian Ed.** - Nancy Varga; **Wellness** Irene Carman; **Clerk of Session** - Peter Godinez

Elders - Rob Aug, Irene Carman, Jim Elieff, Peter Godinez, Donna Keller, Dottie Pickell, Mike Royer, Laura Taff, Nancy Varga

Deacons - Tami Aug, Gloria Bernard, Judianne Brown, Sandy Chmielewski, Amy Miller, Evelyn Savage, Kathie Scott

USERS' GUIDE

- **Welcome!** If you are visiting, please sign our guest book on the table in the hall before entering the worship space.
- If you have a **prayer request**, fill out a blue *prayer request card* (the other side of the welcome card) and put it in the offering plate.
- **Restrooms** are on the fellowship side of the sanctuary.

More information?

Grace Presbyterian Church- 57 Sandhills Road, Kendall Pk, NJ 08824 Phone number- 732-297-9182 email us at - office@gracepcsb.org - Visit our website: www.gracepcsb.org - Or check us out on Facebook!

