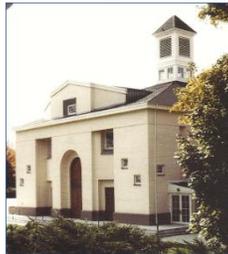


WELCOME

“This is the day the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it.” – Psalm 118:24



Welcome in the name of Jesus Christ to New Hackensack Reformed Church.

For more details about our church, please stop at our table in the gathering area.

Please join us for coffee and fellowship immediately following service.

Prayer cards may be found in the pew rack. If you have a prayer concern you would like to share, please fill out the card and place it in the offering plate.

Your concerns will be a part of our Morning Prayers.

Please email the church office if you would like to be on the prayer chain email.

Please turn off all cell phones during worship service.

Mission Statement: To proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ according to the Word of God. As we grow in our commitment to Jesus Christ we reach out in love, compassion and kindness to the people of our community and our world. We share the blessings of Christ's love through worship, music, Bible study, prayers, education, mission and service.



ANNOUNCEMENTS: 3-8-2026

NEW HACKENSACK REFORMED CHURCH

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WELCOME

- Today we welcome Rev. Jack Branford and Assistant Pam Kara.
- Next Sunday (Daffodil Sunday) we welcome back Rev. Jack Branford and Assistant Liz Miedowski.
- **March's Mission of the Month is St. James Episcopal Church Food Bank.** On average, the food pantry assists about 600 individuals every month.

FLOWERS

- Flowers are given by Franca Petrillo and family in loving memory of Angelo Petrillo for his heavenly birthday on March 11th.
- Please contact Franca Petrillo at franca18@hotmail.com if you would like to donate flowers for the following upcoming Sundays in the Sanctuary –April 12th, 19th, 26th.

NURSERY CARE

- Nursery care is available for **children younger than 3** in the Nursery.

CHILDREN AND WORSHIP

- **Children and Worship is available for ages 3 to 6th grade.**
- Children should be dropped off at room 9 prior to the worship service.
- Nursery care for children younger than 3 will be provided in the Nursery.
- Youth 7th grade and older will attend worship with their families. Please contact the church office with any questions.

FRIENDSHIP SHEETS

- In the center aisle ends of the pews, are Friendship pads. **Please fill this out, pass it to the person sitting next to you, and then pass it back.** This helps us keep track of members and contact visitors.

COFFEE HOUR

- **Volunteers are needed to set up, serve, and cleanup after service.** Signup sheet is in the Gathering Area. If anyone is interested, you can speak to Liz Miedowski or call 845-304-1915.

LENT BOOK STUDY

- **There will be NO group study until March 22nd after Sherry returns from her trip.** Please continue to read a chapter per week. Sherry will continue to correspond by email with thought questions for each chapter. God bless your reading!

DAFFODILS SUNDAY ORDERS EXTENDED

- **On Sunday, March 15th New Hackensack Reformed Church will have it's 23rd Annual "A Sunday with Daffodils".** A portion of the funds raised from the daffodil sales will be donated to support The

Sparrows Nest. The cost is \$15 for a bundle of 10 or for a small potted plant. Forms are available in the gathering area. **The deadline to order is now Sunday, March 8th.**

EASTER FLOWERS

- **On Easter Sunday, The beauty of God's flowers fill our sanctuary every Easter!** Dedicate an Easter plant in memory of someone, in honor of someone or in honor of a special occasion. Plants are \$15.00 each. Forms are available in the gathering area and are in the March Newsletter. **The deadline to order is Sunday, March 22nd.**

PIGGY BANK - UPCOMING WORKSHOP DATES

- The Wednesday Morning Workshop is a warm, sunny, friendly, happy part of our day that gives us purpose as we create gifts for the children's craft fair. We have been busy putting together many different types and skill levels of Kits for you to choose from, whether it be cut & paste, sand & paint, sew & stuff, arrange & assemble, we have it all!! **We will meet at 9:30am to 11:30am in the Education Center, rooms 13 and 15 on March 11th, 18th and 25th (weather permitting).**

LADIES LUNCHEON

- **The next Ladies lunch will be Wednesday, March 18th, at 12 noon at the Red Line Diner.** All are welcome to join. Please contact Arra Mowry.

OUTREACH – SENIOR MEAL PROGRAM

- **A Volunteer Sign-Up list is out for 2026 in the gathering area.** We volunteer to prepare a meal for the 40 seniors living in low-income housing on the 4th Sunday of each month. Thank you to everyone who signs up. They are so appreciative.

OUTREACH – FOOD CLOSET

- We continue seeing a food shortage within the local food pantries. **Food donation bins are located upstairs near the Pastors office as well as in the Gathering Area.** Any donation will be greatly appreciated.

STRENGTH AND BALANCE

- Exercise Classes for seniors are held weekly on **Tuesdays and Fridays at 10:45am in RM 13.** For more information contact Peggy Long at peggylongrn@hotmail.com.