

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Luke 15:8-10

“Or what woman having ten silver coins, if she loses one of them, does not light a lamp, sweep the house, and search carefully until she finds it? When she has found it, she calls together her friends and neighbors, saying, ‘Rejoice with me, for I have found the coin that I had lost.’ Just so, I tell you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner who repents.”

FLOWERS THIS MORNING are given in memory of Betty Westermaier by her niece, Betsy Westermaier, and in memory of Harold M. Sellon and Charles Dowd by John and Virginia Dowd.

CHANCEL CHOIR ANTHEM “Praise the Lord” from *Judas Maccabeus*, by G. F. Handel, arr. by Hal Hopson.

Praise the Lord.
Let songs of joy break forth.
Sing Alleluia.
Praise His name forevermore.
Shout, sing, and dance and celebrate.
Rejoice; let all within us praise His name.

WE WELCOME THE URBANPROMISE INTERNATIONAL FELLOWS to worship this morning. Thank you for adding your voices and for all of the work you do to share God’s love in the world. And thank you, as always, to Nadia VanderKuip, Director, UrbanPromise International School of Leadership, for your preaching.

THE EQUAL EXCHANGE COFFEE/TEA/CHOCOLATE TABLE is open again in the parlor after each service. There are 3 new items. Come check it out!

WE WILL BE BLESSING BACKPACKS ON SUNDAY, SEPT. 29 – Please contribute backpacks and school supplies. Thousands of children in our area need help to start school and our supplies are lower than usual. You can make a big difference in the life of a child with basic tools needed to succeed in school – a backpack, pencils, pens, erasers, crayons, rulers, glue sticks, notebooks, 3-ring binders and paper, etc. Please choose backpacks big enough to hold portfolios and notebooks. We replenish supplies throughout the year, so we never get too much. We will continue to collect items through September. Bring supplies to the church office during the week or bring your gift with you to church next week.

CHRISTIAN HERITAGE CLASSES RESUME NEXT WEEK –

- Sept. 29: The Reformed Faith, Part 1: Ulrich Zwingli, “Switzerland’s Luther” – The Reformer Ulrich Zwingli once exclaimed, “The Word of God is as unstoppable as the Rhine!” In the early 16th century the masterful speaker and humanist Zwingli preached straight through the New Testament from his pulpit in Zurich in defiance of his bishop and at the command of the excited city fathers. A contemporary of Martin Luther, Zwingli is revered as one of the founders of the Scripturally-based Reformed faith. Lecture and film excerpts.
- Oct. 6 & 20: The Reformed Faith, Part 2: John Calvin, “Election and Amazing Grace”
- Nov. 3 & 10: Our community: The Quaker Commonwealth and Elizabeth Haddon Estaugh
- Nov 24 & Dec. 5: Our tradition: A History and Celebration of The First Presbyterian Church of Haddonfield
- Dec. 18: The Heavenly Host: Angels and the windows of First Presbyterian Church, Haddonfield

CHOIRS HAVE BEGUN BUT NEW SINGERS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME! Talk to Peter Leibensperger or Nancy Ruth Wainwright for information.

Rehearsals for Children and Youth Choirs:

Cherub Choir (ages 4–5): Wednesdays, 3:45–4:25pm, Rm 304
Carol Choir (1st and 2nd grade): Wednesdays, 4:30–5:15pm, Rm 304
Chapel Choir (3rd–6th grade): Wednesdays, 3:45pm–4:30pm, Choir Rm
Alleluia Bells (4th–6th grade): Wednesdays, 4:30–5:15pm, Bell Rm
Whitechapel Bells (7th–9th grade): Wednesdays, 5:20–6:00pm, Bell Rm
Thomas Sherrerd Choir (7th–12th grade): Wednesdays, 6:30–7:30pm, Choir Rm
Kirk Ringers (9th–12th grade): Wednesdays, 7:30pm–8:30pm, Bell Rm

Rehearsals for Adults:

Chancel Choir: Thursdays, 6:30pm–7:30pm, Bell Rm
Moore Bells: Thursdays, 7:30pm–9:15pm, Choir Rm

WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY! — We are studying the Letters of the Apostle John. We meet in the Parlor starting at 10:30 a.m. and end between 11:30 a.m. and noon. All adults are welcome.

YOUTH GROUPS ARE MEETING! Middle School Youth Group meets Sundays from 5-6 p.m. at the Light House. High School Youth Group meets Sundays from 6-7 p.m. at the Light House. Come for fun and fellowship. Contact Jeff VanderKuip for information: jvanderkuip@haddonfieldpres.org.

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YANKEE CANDLE SALE – Yankee Candle has something for everyone, including a variety of candle, décor, home, and kitchen products starting under \$10. Shop online at www.yankeecandlefundraising.com using group #99290609. Catalogs and order forms are available in the church office. Preschool can take payment by check.

DINING OUT FOR CARING HEARTS – Caring Hearts is having a fundraiser on Wednesday, October 16 at PJ Whelihans, 520 Haddon Ave., Haddon Twp. We will receive a portion of all sales between 5 and 10 p.m. that day. Come enjoy a good dinner and put your paid bill in the bucket provided. We'll look for you.

FEED MY STARVING CHILDREN RESERVATIONS OPEN! This years packing event is **October 25-27, 2019**. Go to <https://www.ittakesavillage-fmssc.com> to register as an individual or a group. Donations are welcome, too. Each meal costs just 22 cents to make and more than 90% of total donations goes directly toward feeding kids, making your gift go a long way in the fight against world hunger.



Gratitude Corner
We are grateful for the leadership of the church – our Elders and Deacons – who have resumed their monthly meetings. Thank you for your continuing service on committees and as helpers that never stops even through the summer.



Signs of fall