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SPRING IS COMING!

Hello Friends.

Spring is in the air and we are jumping back into church life full force! Here's what's happening:

- *Nursery services started back on 2/27/22
- *Sunday School is back! PreK/K and 1st/2nd/3rd started on 2/27/22
- 4th/5th/6th and7th/8th classes will start 3/6/22
- *3rd/4th Grade Communion Classes will start 3/6/22
- *Youth Choirs are back singing in the services
- *Our new Confirmation Class was accepted into the church on 2/27/22
- *Youth Group is back in person starting 2/27/22
- *Mission Trip 2022 to Kentucky planning is off and running
- *2nd Annual Easter Egg Hunt on 4/9/22

We are blooming with good things this Spring Friends, and we are so glad you are apart of it.







TO SUNDAY SCHOOL!











MUSIC NEWS

The Youth Vocal Choirs are fully back and we are looking forward to performing in the services soon. We are grateful for our bell choirs that were still able to perform, The Kirk Ringers gave a wonderful performance on 2/13/22.

Spaghetti dinners continue provide us with so much entertainment on Wednesdays. These kids are full of funny stories and great conversation!

The older choirs had a great time on our NYC trip! On Saturday, February 13th kids from the TMSC and Kirk Ringers along with some chaperones went to the Big Apple to see Phantom of the Opera and dine at the Hard Rock. A great time was had by all! We are so glad this fun field trip is back.

Choir Calendar

3/2/22: Children/Youth Ensemble Rehearsals; Spaghetti Dinner

3/6/22: Cherub Choir performs, 10am

3/9/22: Children/Youth Ensemble Rehearsals; Spaghetti Dinner

3/13/22: Carol, Chapel, TMSC and Chancel perform, 10am

3/16/22: No Whitechapel Bells, Carol, or Cherub rehearsals; Alleluia, Chapel. TSMC, and Kirk RIngers rehearse; Spaghetti Dinner

3/23/22: Children/Youth Ensemble Rehearsals; Spaghetti Dinner

3/30/22: Children/Youth Ensemble Rehearsals; Spaghetti Dinner

4/6/22: Children/Youth Ensemble Rehearsals; Spaghetti Dinner

4/10/22: All Youth Choirs perform, 10am























YOUTH GROUP NEWS

















Youth Group finally met in person after being Virtual for two months. We had our first field trip - Ice Skating at Winterfest at Cooper River Park (with snowy conditions to boot) on 2/13/22 and we met back at the church on 2/27/22 for some pizza, a few rounds of Akinator, and dodgeball. It was so great to see some old friends and meet new ones and share opinions on Wordle. We are looking forward to more games, GROG. field trips, and some mission based gatherings.

The Youth Group is also participating in the Souper Bowl of Caring campaign which ended on 2/13/22. Along with donations from the congregation the kids collected 3 boxes of food and also collected well over goal of \$300; \$500+ at last count all serving the Cherry Hill Food Pantry. The Youth Group appreciates everyone's donations in making this a successful campaign!

Youth Group Calendar

3/6/22 - Youth Group Meeting - IN PERSON!

3/13/22: Youth Group Meeting - IN PERSON!

3/20/22: Supersized Youth Group from 4-6. Chef Marco is back for another cooking lesson! Watch for more details!

3/27/22: Youth Group Meeting - IN PERSON!

4/3/22: Youth Group Meeting - IN PERSON!





CONFIRMATION CLASS 2021-2022

Let's Congratulate this our Confirmation Class of 2022! Under the amazing leadership of Lee Federline and Clair Blank, this class did an inspiring job at the Confirmation Service on 2/27/22. Also special thanks to their mentors guided our class along the way.

This year's Confirmands are:
Lily Adkins
Brooke Bushnell
Chloe Kamp
Milo Mills
Katie Mulvihill
Ava Peifer
Thomas Piotrowski
Jordan Strauss
Ryan Woyciechowski

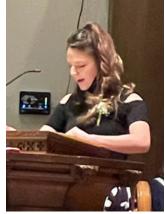
















MISSION TRIP 2022

Planning is off and running! We held our first meeting on 2/27/22 with participants, chaperones, and parents. We started getting to know each other, learned some trip basics, and talked fundraising. It's going to be a busy few months but we are so excited to start planning for Kentucky with ASP.

Thinking of joining us? There is still space! to participate in our 2022 Mission Trip to Kentucky partnering with ASP! Appalachia Service Project is a Christian ministry, open to all people, that inspires hope and service through volunteer home repair and replacement in Central Appalachia. I encourage you to check out their website and learn more about them! https://asphome.org/

Trip dates are Saturday June 25th to Saturday July 2nd and cost is \$450 (Attn: Gabrielle Heimerling). Please contact Gabrielle Heimerling with any questions about this amazing opportunity.

Over 50 Years of Repairing and Replacing Homes in Central Appalachia





Mission Trips in Appalachia

Critical Home Repair and Replacement Mission Trips in...

asphome.org

Critical Home Repair and Replacement. Transformational Relationships.

- Making homes warmer, safer, and drier for Appalachian families
- Providing critical repairs to raise homes out of substandard condition
- Building new homes in select locations when homes are beyond repair or affected by a disaster
- Establishing meaningful, long-lasting relationships with homeowners, fellow volunteers, and staff
- Empowering youth and adult volunteers to take on high-impact home repairs
- Emphasizing service through mission trips for youth and adults of all ages, backgrounds, and skill levels
- → More than 25 communities are served by ASP each year
- → More than 350 families are impacted through ASP each year
- More than 3,000 repair projects are completed by volunteers each year
- → More than 20 new homes are built and gifted each year
- → More than 15,000 volunteers serve with ASP each year
- ASP repairs roofs, walls, floors, foundations, and bathrooms, in addition to making homes accessible through porch and ramp repairs or additions

OTHER RESOURCES

HTTPS://WWW.CAMPJBURG.ORG/



Confirmation Day March 19 10am-4pm

Our Confirmation Day is designed to get your confirmands out of the building and to a place where they can recreate, relax, and reflect on their journey to full membership in the church. This is a great opportunity for your students to meet and get to know others from across the region, as well as find a little more common ground even among themselves.



Ultimate Youth Day April 3 2-6:30pm

Ultimate Youth Day is designed for youth groups of any size to spend a Sunday afternoon having fun at Johnsonburg. Our staff will lead them through zip-lining, exploring the woods, playing fun games, and a lot more. We'll finish the day with an energetic worship service. After a long winter, what better way to kick off spring? Help these kids get outside and let loose!



Spring Fun Day May 15 2-6:30pm

Youth and families are invited to join us for a beautiful spring Sunday. We'll have activity areas open and ready for you, or maybe you'll want to just spend time relaxing and exploring the property. Bring your binoculars to spot some animals or your rod to fish. Wrap up your day with a brief worship, a raffle, and a great meal. Great for long-time Jburgers, as well as new families.

https://www.campjburg.org/jburg-events/confirmation/



https://www.campjburg.org/summer-camp/

