# THE CHURCH AT WORSHIP

**September 13, 2020** 

10:45 am

# **PREPARING FOR WORSHIP**

If you have a request you would like included in our prayer time by our Pastor, please note it on a prayer card and place it in the offering plate

Prelude Praise Team Welcome & Invocation Pastor Russ

# **WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE & FELLOWSHIP**

Praise Song Thank you God for Saving Me Praise Team
Praise Song Unfailing Love Praise Team
Scripture Reading Mark 3:1-6 Deborah Ugrovics

## **WORSHIPPING WITH OUR GIFTS**

Announcements Pastor Russ
Offering Our Gifts Pastor Russ

## WORSHIPPING WITH OUR CHILDREN

Children's Chat Ted Odenwald

# **WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER AND TEACHING**

Time of Prayer Pastor Russ

Message Pastor Russ

"The Gathering Storm"

# **WORSHIP THROUGH COMMITMENT**

Hymn "Take Time to be Holy" #422
Recessional Praise Team

Hearing assistance devices are available Please see an usher for help.

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### **GETTING TO KNOW US**

Russell Stammer Pastor
Christine Lovette Minister of Music
JJ Belle & John Roy Praise Band
Laura Belle, Harry Sink, Praise Team

Ted Odenwald

All Members of This Faith Community Ministers

### **TODAY'S USHERS**

Deborah Ugrovics Craig Redd

**NEXT WEEK'S USHERS** 

Deborah Ugrovics Craig Redd

# **THIS WEEK**

Today 10:45 am Worship Service

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

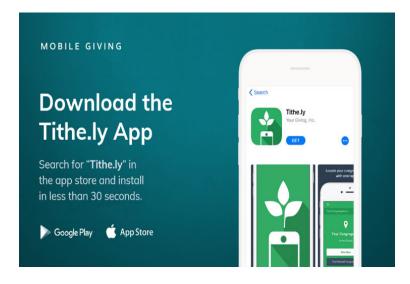
10/10/20 9:30 AM Pastor Russ' Ordination Council

### **SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

Eleanor Stammer 9/15 Olivia Trowbridge 9/18

# **SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARY**

Rich & Lori Rosenboom 9/18



# GROWING IN BIBLE KNOWLEDGE 2020 BIBLE READINGS

 Mon Sept 14
 2 Chron. 19-23

 Tues Sept 15
 2 Chron. 24-28

 Wed Sept 14
 2 Chron. 29-33

**Thur Sept 15** 2 Chron. 34-36; Ezra 1-2

**Fri Sept 16** Ezra 3-7

**Sat Sept 17** Ezra 8-10; Neh. 1-2

Sun Sept 18 Nehemiah 3-7

### SCRIPTURE MEMORY PROGRAM

This week's passage is *Hebrews 13:16a*And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased.

#### **BIBLE TRIVIA**

<u>Today's question is</u>: When Jesus forgave the sins of the sick man let down through the roof to him, to what did the Pharisees object?

<u>Last week's question and answer:</u> For how many years did the Israelites wander in the wilderness? Forty (Josh 5:6) the Jews (Mark 15:26; Matt 27:27)

## **INSPIRATIONAL QUOTE**

My deepest awareness of myself is that I am deeply loved by Jesus Christ and I have done nothing to earn it or deserve it. — Brennan Manning

## **COVID 19**

All attendees at our services must always wear face coverings except where doing so would inhibit the individual's health or where the individual is under two years of age.

We will always also be observing social distancing by asking everyone to remain six feet apart from others, including seating, unless you are immediate family, etc.

Please take your garbage with you and do not leave it.

### **MISSIONS (PUTTING FAITH INTO ACTION**

### **SEPTEMBER MISSION PROJECT**

As you are aware Pastor Russ has been pursuing ordination with the American Baptist Churches of New Jersey. He finally has a date for his ordination council. However, to prepare for the council he needs to make 100 copies of his 30-page paper and mail it to every ABCNJ church in the North Association. This has already cost about \$500. The church council decided that for the month of September we will collect money to help offset the cost of copying and mailing his paper in preparation for his ordination council.

Your generosity will be greatly appreciated!



One Great Hour of Sharing ("OGHS") is one of four annual offerings received by American Baptist churches. OGHS makes the love of Christ real for individuals

and communities around the world who suffer the effects of disaster, conflict, poverty or severe economic hardship, and for those who find themselves refugees or displaced within their home country.

### **CHURCH COUNCIL**

Your church council needs some help. We need people to fill some especially important positions. Please see Pastor Russ or Ted Odenwald if you are interested in helping in any of these positions.





## <u>PRAYER PAGE</u>

#### **HEALTH ISSUES**

 $\underline{Christine}$  - Peace and healing through the recent flair up of Lyme disease.

<u>Sandy Christopher</u> - has not been feeling well for some time.

Cheryl & Joe Alfano health issues & Joe diagnosed with Lung Cancer

David Donnelly – (Joy Sister-in-law's Dad) just had major back surgery

<u>Ginny Palmer</u> – continued pain and health concerns

Ashley Velasquez – dealing with Bell's Palsy

<u>Tiffany</u> – (Craig's Cousin) Kidney Failure

Derek Cardenas - (Teresa's friend's so n) has Spinal Muscular Atrophy

George Sowpel - Ginny's cousin who was diagnosed with Guillian-Barr.

<u>Dan D'Elia</u> – recovering from knee replacement surgery

<u>Jordan Lovette</u> – Autoimmune disorder

Joy Palatucci – Back Surgery scheduled for 10/5

Lou Russo - (Church Landscaper) recovering from an accident

Eileen Hodgkiss - Recovering from heart surgery

**John Hodgkiss** – Recovering from surgery to remove tumor from leg.

Adrian Jon – (Cheryl's grandson) diagnosed with hypotonia & has to wear braces on his feet and legs.

Nancy Monell – (Ted's Sister) various medical issues

#### **HEALTH ISSUES (CANCER)**

Greg & his wife Barbara - (neighbor of Deborah) battling cancer

Mary Ann Gallina – (JJ boss' mother) stage 4 cancer not doing well.

Susan Graves - (Cheryl Alfano's sister) Breast Cancer

<u>Linda & Bob</u> – (Friends of Jack & Ollie)

 $\underline{\textbf{Ralph Lemongello}} - (Friend \ of \ Jackie \ Trowbridge) \ Bone \ Cancer$ 

Patrick Dilworth – (Friend of the Pipito/Redd Family) Brain Tumor

#### IN ASSISTED LIVING/NURSING FACILITIES

**Marian Stapert** 

# OTHER CONCERNS

#### **Good Shepherd Mission**

 $\underline{\textbf{Unspoken Requests}} \ - \textbf{People requested prayer for an unspoken request}.$ 

**Those dealing with Depression** 

<u>Those dealing with addiction:</u> Brandon, Stacy, Friend of Joy Palatucci's Husband

All those suffering from mental health issues

#### **SERVING IN THE MILITARY**

Capt. David Hutsebaut - son of Dave and Shirley - Army

Sgt. Eduardo Velasquez - son in law of Cheryl Alfano -

Marines

Petty Officer Second Class Faustina Owusu Bekoe - US Navy

### **COLLEGE STUDENTS**

Jonathan Stammer – Liberty University



"Stand up and praise the LORD your God, who is from everlasting to everlasting. Blessed be your glorious name, and may it be exalted above all blessing and praise."

— Nehemiah 9:5



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