

## St. Paul's Ocean Grove Church

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# **Loving God and People - Empowering Christian Leaders** *John 15:12 - Ephesians 4:12-13*

News and Events for February 11, 2024

Bible In A Year- Gather to discuss Wednesdays @7pm in the Chapel. Starting January 1st, or at any time that suits you, you can embark on this journey. We have a reading plan available. This is a straightforward course that covers the entire Bible, providing a solid foundation for deepening your faith. It's essential for every follower of Jesus to read the Bible in its entirety at least once. However, incorporating Bible reading into your daily routine is beneficial. This habit of daily Bible reading will support your spiritual growth. Join in as we journey together.

<u>Prayer Cards-</u>Let us know how we can pray for you. If you need prayer please fill out the blue prayer cards located in the pew pockets and at the Welcome Table. Drop the cards in the offertory plate.

<u>Intercessory Prayer- Wednesdays at 6pm in the Chapel.</u> Join in as we pray for the needs of the church and all the people in it.

<u>Prayer Warriors Needed</u>- Do you have the gift of Intercessory Prayer? Would you like to pray for the needs of our church and all the people in it. Please join our email. We will send you weekly emails updating you on the specific prayer requests that we receive. Contact emilie@oceangrove.church.

Anchored KIDS-(Nursery- 8th Grade) Join in on Sunday mornings at the 9am service. Check-in at the back of the Sanctuary with our called and equipped Anchored Kids Team. After worship together, we'll head downstairs for an engaging lesson, fun activity, and creation station! Register using the QR code on the screen.

Anchored STUDENTS-(6th-12th Grade) Sundays 7:00pm-8:15pm-Everyone's always invited! Anchored Sunday Nights are exciting and filled with lots of fun and relevant, engaging discussion and games. College & 20 Somethings-Join in every Wednesday night E-mail Dan Palmadessa at danielpalmadessa@gmail.com.

Adult Choir Practice- Sundays @ 9:30am- 10:30am in the Choir Room & Junior Choir practice- Sunday 8:30am-9am in the Choir Room. Join in to sing to the Glory of God.

<u>Connect Over Coffee- Mondays @ 7-8pm in the Chapel-</u> Join in with your sisters in Christ for a facilitated discussion on a topic relevant to your life and faith journey.

<u>Christian Slow Flow Yoga- Tuesdays @ 5:15pm in Fellowship Hall</u>-Join in the fun, all levels welcome. Donations accepted to support church ministries.

<u>Food Pantry February donations</u>. Cereal. Please bring your donations in on any Sunday in February and place in the bins marked Food Pantry. Bins are located at either entrance.

Assisted Living Ocean Grove(formerly Francis Asbury Manor) is in need of ushers/hostesses on Sunday Mornings 10:15 to 11:30am. This will be on a rotating schedule that works for you. Please email Josephine at josephine.braneky@gmail.com for more information.

Save the Date- Rise Against Hunger- Sunday April 21 @ 1pm in Fellowship Hall- Join in for a great day of service for all ages.

Sunday Supper- Sunday February 18th, Pick up @St. Paul's OGC Kitchen Window 10am-12pm-Old Fashioned Pot Roast & Gravy with roasted potatoes, carrots, celery & onions; Winter pear salad with cranberries, cheese & walnuts and Banana bread pudding with Caramel sauce. Call or text Fran by February 15 to reserve your meal. 201-315-4805.

### 9am Contemporary Worship Celebration

Format for worship: Praise - Pray - Preach

Songs, Scripture, and everything you need is projected on the screen. Additional information on events, ministries, and mission can be found at oceangrove.church.

## 11am Traditional Worship Celebration ENTRANCE

Prelude – Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow - Wyrtzen; Youth Choir Welcome & Announcements

Introit - Abide with Me, the Daylight Dawns - VanZweden/Millard

\*Opening Prayer

\*Hymn #173 - Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies

\*The Apostle's Creed #881

\*Gloria Patri #70

#### PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

Pastoral Prayer The Lord's Prayer #895 Anthem – O Love – Hagenberg

Offering

Offertory - Precious Lord, Take My Hand - Dorsey; Cheryl Parker Sobolewski, Soloist

\*Doxology #95

\*Scripture Lesson: Matthew 6:1-4 (NIV)

"Be careful not to practice your righteousness in front of others to be seen by them. If you do, you will have no reward from your Father in heaven.2 "So when you give to the needy, do not announce it with trumpets, as the hypocrites do in the synagogues and on the streets, to be honored by others. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full. 3 But when you give to the needy, do not let your left hand know what your right hand is doing, 4 so that your giving may be in secret. Then your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

Hymn #454 – Open My Eyes, That I May See Message

#### SENDING FORTH

\*Hymn #157 - Jesus Shall Reign

\*Benediction Response – Dresden Amen

Postlude - Traumerei - Schumann



# **Donations, Offering and Tithes**

Support the ministries of St. Paul's Ocean Grove Church through a one-time or regular online giving.

By mail: please make checks payable to:

St. Paul's Ocean Grove Church or SPOGC

St. Paul's United Methodist Church

80 Embury Avenue, Ocean Grove, NJ 07756



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Join our newsletter by following this QR code. The newsletter will be emailed regularly and is an excellent way to be up on all the happenings St. Paul's Ocean Grove Church has to offer.



## **Need Prayer?**

**Prayers Online** 

Get connected through prayer! Leave a request... pray for others...

Prayers are moderated, so it could take up to a day for it to be posted. Although, when they are submitted they immediately go to several prayer partners by email.