# **PASTOR**

Rev. Dr. Linda J. Erkert-Bullock

# **ELDERS**

Jody Leffler

Cliff Lessig	(2016)
Deb Fisher-Horvath	( 2016)
John Austin	(2017)
Jeannie Coss	(2017)
Lizette Tynan	(2017)
Ann Marie Austin	(2018)
Judy Moyer	(2018)
Charlie White	(2018)

(2016)

(7NIR)

# DEACONS

Laura Williams

Luui u miiiluiiilo	(2010)
Ed Cass	(2016)
John Patrick Tynan	(2016)
Nick White Heather Stanley Trish Patrey	(2017) (2017) (2017)
Jeremy Donaldson Sylvia Donaldson Stacey McGlothlin	(2018) (2018) (2018)

# <u>STAFF</u>

Office Admin - Jody Leffler Bookkeeper - Gary Refsnider Director of Music - Greg Stout Sunday School - Deb Horvath & Heather Stanley

Clerk of Session - Jody Leffler

#### **Greeters**

May 8 - Ken & Berta Konegen May 15 - Kroth Family May 22 - Jody Leffler & June Kutzman

#### Counters

May - Stacey McGlothlin & Judy Moyer June - Laura Williams & Charlie White

# **Fellowship**

May - Communication Committee
(A. Austin & C. White)

June - Buildings & Grounds
(C. Lessig & L. Tynan)

# Calling all Women!!!

Interested in a women's bible study? See Ann Marie Austin or Pastor Linda for details. First class is May 18th at 62 Gallmeier Rd. Frenchtown, NJ

> It Takes a Village May 15, 2016

3rd Annual Softball Game

Milford Mayhem vs Frenchtown Frenzy

It's two river communities coming together for a friendly rivalry with an opportunity to feed our neighbors!

Admission is at least one non-perishable food item.

PLEASE come out and support the team!



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### **Our Mission**

Our response to God's call for us to show and share the presence of Christ in the world is our mission to:

**Nurture** - helping people to see God working in their lives, enabling them to respond to God's call for wholeness.

**Encourage** - supporting one another in our faith walk, together experiencing Christ on a deeper personal level.

Celebrate - Inspired by the Holy Spirit to learn, work, and play

May 8, 2016 10:00 AM

### **GATHERING FOR WORSHIP**

**Words of Welcome** 

Announcements & Events in the Life of the Church

**Prelude** 

### THE PREPARATION

Call to Worship (Leader; ALL)

The heavens proclaim your righteousness, O God.

And all the peoples behold your glory.

Rejoice in the Lord, O you righteous!

And we shall give thanks to God's holy name! LET US WORSHIP GOD!

#309 "Of the Father's Love Begotten"

Moment with the Children

Song of Praise

### **Prayer of Confession**

Merciful God, you pardon all who truly repent and turn to you. We humbly confess our sins and ask your mercy. We have not loved you with a pure heart, nor have we loved our neighbor as ourselves. We have not done justice, loved kindness, or walked humbly with you, our God. Have mercy on us, O God, in your loving-kindness. In your great compassion, cleanse us from our sin. Create in us a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within us. Do not cast us from your presence, or take your Holy Spirit from us. Restore to us the joy of your salvation and sustain us with your bountiful Spirit through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

**Moment for Silent Confession** 

**Prayers for the People** 

The Lord's Prayer

pg 16 in Hymnal

\*Song of Thanksgiving #579 "Glory Be to the Father"

### THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

**Prayer of Illumination** 

Scripture Reading Revelation 22:

Vs. 12-14, 16-17, 20-21

pg 206 NT

**Anthem** 

Scripture Reading John 17: 20-26 pg 111 NT

**Leader**: This is the word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

**Sermon** "To Know God" Rev. Dr. Linda J Erkert-Bullock

**\*Song of Hope** #298 "There's a Wideness in God's Mercy"

Affirmation of Faith Apostles Creed pg 14

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD

**Invitation to the Offering** 

Offertory

\*Doxology #592 "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

**Prayer of Dedication** 

#### **SENDING**

\*Song to Send Out #281 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah"

Benediction

**Postlude** 

\*those who are able may stand