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Our Mission

The Presbyterian Church of Milford

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 together in our faith, sharing our joy with the world.

April 22, 2018

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)

My heart exults in the Lord; my strength is exalted in my God.

There is no Holy One like the Lord, no one besides you; there is no Rock like our God.

For the pillars of the earth are the Lord's, and on them God has set the world. The Lord will guard the feet of the faithful ones and judge the ends of the earth.

Let us worship God!

*Song of Praise

#259 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

Passing of the Peace

Moment with the Children

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Merciful God of compassion and justice, take pity on us as we confess our sin. We are not the stewards Christ calls us to be. Riches possess us while others go hungry. We mismanage creation with our pollution and strife. Your goodness is betrayed by our lust for power. We abuse your provision for us by our selfish desires. Help us hear once again Christ's call to be faithful, and through him forgive us as we repent of our sin and turn from it.

Prayers of Intercession

Prayers for the People

The Lord's Prayer

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

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

Prayer of Illumination				
First Scripture:	Psalm 127	pg 573 OT		
Anthem				
Second Scripture:	Luke 21: 1-4 pg 85 NT			
Sermon "Does it hurt yet?" John Leidy, Deacon				
*Song of Hope	#434 "Today We All Are Called to Be Disciples"			
RESPONSE TO THE WORD				
*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed		pew card		
Invitation to the Offering				
Offertory				
*Doxology #592 "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flo				
*Prayer of Dedication				
SENDING				
*Song To Send Out	#514 "Let Us Talents and Tongues Employ"			
*Benediction				
Choral Response				
Postlude				
*those who are able may stand				

PASTOR

Rev. Dr. Linda J. Erkert-Bullock

ELDERS

<u>ELDERS</u>		Greeters
Ann Marie Austin Judy Moyer Charlie White	(201 (201 (201	 May 6th—Marianne Beahm May 13th - Jess Beahm
JR Beahm Marv Moyer (2019 Jef Betz	(201 9) (201	June 3 - Linda Bellini
John Austin (2020 Linda Bellini Jody Leffler (2020)	(20	20 <u>Counters</u> April - J. Leidy & M. Moyer May - S. Donaldon & J. Betz
<u>DEACONS</u> Jeremy Donaldson Sylvia Donaldson	(201	Fellowship April - Christian Ed Committee (2018) (A. Austin, J. Beahm and J. Leffler) 8) May - Music & Worship Committee
Stacey McGlothlin	(201	
John Leidy Jess Beahm John Patrick Tynan (201	(201 (201 9)	
Marianne Beahm Laura Williams Heather Stanley	(202 (202 (202	20) April 24th - Bible Study - Apostles' Creed
<u>STAFF</u>		April 29th - Joint Elder and Deacon Meeting April 29th - Pot Luck Luncheon
Parish Associate - Rev. Donn Office Admin - Jody Leffler Music Director - Lisa Sforza Sunday School - Ann Marie A Jess Beahm		April 30th - Life Line Screening McDaid May 1st - Bible Study - Apostles' Creed May 6th - Milford Mayhem Game Justin May 15th - Estate Planning Seminar
Clerk of Session - Jody Leffler		June 1st - Night on the Town - Milford House

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MILFORD PRESENTS

"NIGHT ON THE TOWN" at the MILFORD HOUSE 42 Water Street, Milford, NJ 08848

> Friday, June 1, 2018 6 PM to 10 PM

\$55 per person Seating is Limited so make your reservations now by calling/texting 908-507-3943 or email jodyleffler@yahoo.com

> 6 - 7 PM cocktail hour - cash bar Meal starts at 7 PM with:

(romaine, olive oil, lemon and parmesan) or Tomato Bisque Soup

Choose one of the following Entrees: NY Strip Steak with Mushroom and Onion Gravy Lavender Honey Chicken with Pan Gravy Cod with Curry Butter and Roasted Peppers Spinach Linguine with Marinara (vegetarian)

> Plus Roasted Bliss Red Potatoes and String Beans

All non-alcoholic beverages are included with dinner

Dessert includes Coffee and Chocolate Mousse or Cheesecake.

All Proceeds benefit the Presbyterian Church of Milford

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS OUT TO THE MILFORD HOUSE

Babysitting services are available at the Church