

TABERNACLE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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[Jesus says,] "Young man, I say to you, rise!" The dead man sits up and begins to speak, and Jesus gives him to his mother. ~Luke 7: 14b – 15, NRSV

While God knows me better than I know myself, Pastor Glenn has a pretty good handle on Pastor Glenn. I wholeheartedly admit/confess that I am a "people-pleaser." This is my style. This is my personality and always has been. I would like to say that when I make a pledge, I do my best to fulfill it. However, I also am a "God-pleaser." After all, I think you will agree with me that it is more important to worship and obey God than do the same for one of His human creations.

A while back, I made a pledge that if I receive the next "round" of stimulus money that I would give, not a tithe (10%), but the whole amount to the Lord. That pledge went unfulfilled . . . until this week.

On Wednesday morning, as I was getting ready to head out to our weekly Men's Prayer meeting, I checked my e-mail and saw that I received my \$1,400 from the U.S. Treasury. Nice! So, to fulfill my pledge, on Monday I will be donating this amount via Tabernacle's Online Giving portal. Why? Because I said I would.

What does this have to do with Luke chapter 7? I picked this Sunday's passage because it is Mother's Day. I invite you to Sunday worship, in-person is best, where you will hear more about this widow who loses her son and gets him back.

There is a spot on the church's website for memorials and honorariums. I will donate this stimulus money in memory of my mother, who passed away in 2013. It will be "designated" to the General Fund of Tabernacle for the leadership to use it in any way it sees wise. No strings attached. This is my pledge.

Why am I doing this? Why am I telling you all this? First, God through Tabernacle has provided for the Secu. st. Third, n... Transforming the Commun. I's vision, ission Scheyhing family that we lack nothing so this donation is offered cheerfully. Second, it's an ironic way of taking the government's money and using it for spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Third, it is a model/example so others may give out of abundance, sacrifice, and thankfulness. ng lives.

Renewing the Church

See You In Church, Pastor Glenn

Church News...

- SPRC MEETING Monday, May 24, 7:00pm in the Blue Rm.
- Mens Bible Study Begins on Tuesday, May 11 at
- Church Offices will open after May 16th, Pastor Glenn and Secretary/Treasurer Margie will once again be in their office to assist you! Main office Tuesday-Thursday 10-1pm. A clear vinyl shield will be in the doorway to create the distancing needed due to the size of the office. A sign will be posted asking "visitors" to stay on the hallway side of the shield. Yes, this is new to us too... but we are going to make it work!
- Mailed Donations: Donations may once again be mailed to the church after May 16th. Tabernacle UMC at 702 Seashore Road, Cape May, NJ 08204. Reminder, church phone # is (609) 884-3574.



Yes, It's Time... (if you're able)

It's time to re-join the flock in the Tabernacle Sanctuary on Sunday mornings at 9:15 am.

We assure you that we are maintaining a Covid-safe worship environment.

Zoom call-in and Facebook live service at 11am is still an option, if you are unable to attend in person, but we miss seeing you!

> The phone number to call is: (929) 205-6099. The Meeting ID: 981 176 2526. The Password: 7798139



Pastor Glenn is going to act a bit "selfish" this Spring 2021 by offering a sermon series based on (most of) his favorite passages in the Bible. Experience the wide

range and <u>Deep Impact</u> of God's Word not just on PG's life but also—the Lord willing—on *your* life as well.

May 9	"Make Mother's Day"	Luke 11: 11 – 17
May 16	"Isn't It Obvious?"	Romans 1: 16 – 20
May 23	"Open-Heart Surgery"	Hebrews 4: 12 – 16
May 30	"Dogs Go To Heaven"	Mark 7: 24 – 30
June 6	"All Means ALL"	Philippians 2: 1 – 11

Please MAIL all Tabernacle Tithes, Offerings &

Correspondence to the Church Treasurer

At her home office until May 14th

Margie Katity: 115 Aspen Dr, Swainton, NJ 08210

THEN to the church office @ Tabernacle UMC 702 Seashore Rd., Cape May NJ 08204



Prayer Requested: Pastor Glenn, Susan & Grace, Jody Cathrall John Dickinson, Dawn Garretson Betty Wund, Ralph Genovese Flo Magee, Andrew Wund, Ella Elliott Lyndsey Bolton, Betty Carlton Tandi Ankrum, Jay Sporl, Cathy Oney Cass Pascali, Mr. Phil Breden, Sr. Buddy Halbruner, Steve Brown Carol Cahill (friend of Paul Breden) Braden Brojakowski & family Wil Kaufman: cancer treatments CW2 Ryan Pritchard, now in Syria Marlly Genovese: hip replacement Deb Lawless: shoulder replacement The Ankrum family Margie Katity - neck/shoulder. pinched nerve.

Those that live alone:

Doris Raker, Ella Elliott, Bob Jenkins, John Leo, Ernie Long, Alice Futty, Steve Brown & other friends & family who remain anonymous.

In Shut In & Convalescent Care

Wesley Manor: Shirley Rutherford Shirley Halbruner Pitman Manor: Edna Dickinson

Families losing loved ones during Covid:

Janis Halbruner & Family Bill Stahl & family Elizabeth Bailey & Family Frank Cahill The Chinn Family Flo Magee and Family The family of Mary Mason Jackie Matkowski & Family The Gorsline Family The Still Family Brenda & Robert Church & Family

Opposites

Unscramble each word and write it in the blank. When you're done, you should be able to match each word to another word on the list that is its opposite. Write these opposite pairs on the back of this page.

1.trasthig 2. racecs 3. ratedp 4. muafso 5. nacvat 6. docreko 7. gopeua 8. virrea 9. oxpmcle 10. nadutnba 11. milpes 12. glarsuin 13. copiduce 14. wonunkn 15. ullrap 16. prenarstatn



Ways To Support Your Church

ShopRite Grocery Program: Are you a Shoprite customer? If you are, why not purchase Shop Rite grocery cards after today's service and 5% of your purchase will benefit Tabernacle!

<u>Amazon Smile benefits Tabernacle UMC!</u> Do you shop from Amazon? If you do, you can earn \$\$ for Tabernacle! <u>Sign up by entering: Smile.Amazon.com</u> on your internet browser address line & enter your regular Amazon ID & Password to register! Choose Tabernacle United Methodist Church-Cape May as your charity, the church will receive a quarterly check for a percentage of whatever you purchase! From now on, always log in thru AmazonSmile for the church to receive donations.

Tabernacle Basic Blessings:

A ministry of Tabernacle UMC which collects & distributes basic necessities that go unprovided by state funded programs. Items and donations made go toward the purchase of Basic Blessings stock. Distributions are held on the 3rd Saturday each month at 10am at Tabernacle UMC. All Basic Blessing distributions are done with Covid safety measures in place.

Mother's Day Greetings

IN MEMORY OF

Jo Higbee Betty Cathrall From the Cathrall family

Bette Mundhenk, Mom Ellie Johnson, Mom From Joan and Stewart Johnson

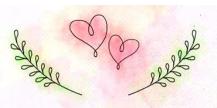
Mary Pond Nell DeLorenzo From Dennis and Mary Lou DeLorenzo

Helen Edsell, Mom Marie Halbruner, Moher-in-Law Myrtle Munger, Aunt Betty Church, good friend Doris Branigan, sister From Janis Halbruner

Edna May Laemmle Alfano May Beck Alfano Nancy Alfano Thompson From Betty Wund

Betty Church Love and miss you Mom, Brenda Love from Mimi and Robbie

Catherine Crossland Carolyn Taylor Mary Pascali From Cass Pascali



"A mother is a person who seeing there are only four pieces of pie for five people, promptly announces she never did care for pie."

IN HONOR OF

Janis Halbruner-Happy Mother's Day Joan Taylor-Happy Mother's Day Wiley Williams-Happy Mother's Day From Brenda Church

Jen DeRobertis Wund Christine Alfano Smith Suzanne Alfano Kempfe Cristine Wund Rhew Phyllis Prout Alfano Shirley Zemaitis Fran Wilcox Rosemary DeRobertis From Betty Wund

Cass Taylor Pascali From her loving family

Cathy Oney Brenda Taylor Laurie Taylor Tracy Taylor From Mom

Cheryl Taylor Anna Oney From Grandmom

Rose Dickinson From Shep Taylor, Jr. and family

Niece Kara on her first Mother's Day Daughter Megan Philippi, Wonderful Mom to our grandchildren From Joan and Stewart Johnson

Sue Halbruner Sandra Halbruner Sarah Montgomery Jen Shober From Janis Halbruner