



July 7 at PCL

This Sunday, July 7, we worship at 10:30 a.m. at Presbyterian Church in Leonia, or join us online on our Presbyterian Church in Leonia Facebook Page. Our scriptures are 2 Samuel 5:1-5, 9-10 and Mark 6:1-13. The sermon will be called "Travel Light." We will open with hymn requests, so think of what songs you love to sing most (or ones we rarely sing but are worth trying) from our hymnal!

We also celebrate the Sacrament of Communion this Sunday.

Enjoy the July 4 holiday, and exploring the meaning of freedom in this country. We know that our own freedom is bound up in the freedom of our neighbor.

With blessing and care,

Leah

-Rev. Dr. Leah Fowler, Pastor

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Coming Up at PCL

BOLLYX BEGINS July 11 with Susheela Varky!

BollyX, www.bollyx.com, is a Bollywood-inspired, dance fitness program. Burn calories to exhilarating choreography set to music from around the world. All levels welcome! Weekly class begins: Th, 7/11/2024, 7-8pm Presbyterian Church in Leonia, [181 Fort Lee Road, Leonia, NJ, 07605](https://www.google.com/maps/place/181+Fort+Lee+Road,+Leonia,+NJ+07605). \$15/class (to Susheela via cash or Venmo/Zelle; Susheela will make a regular contribution to church)

ALL-CHURCH RETREAT We have an overnight retreat Saturday-Sunday September 7-8 at Camp Johnsonburg in northwest NJ, about an hour from here. Enjoy canoes and kayaks, a zip line, hiking, and other traditional camp activities, as well as special programming for children and youth, and adult small group learning and conversation. See Elder Rachel Stott for more details!

CENTER FOR FOOD ACTION EMERGENCY FOOD PANTRY POP-UP Saturday, July 27 with food delivery Friday, July 26. We need people to help unload the truck when it arrives Friday (about 10 a.m.), as well as volunteers to organize food and carry it to people's trunks Saturday 9:30-11:30. Contact Pastor Leah if you can help!



In Our Prayers...

We give thanks for this country, for our freedom, and for those who continue to struggle for freedom and justice for all.

We pray for Laura as she continues her treatment.

We pray for Diane.

We pray for those facing tropical storms and hurricanes.

We pray for a ceasefire and a future of hope for those living under attack in Gaza, and a lasting and sustainable plan for peace for Israel and Gaza. We pray for those in the West Bank, where 5.5

square miles of land was taken by settlers.