PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN LEONIA

Connecting with PCL

Worship this Sunday



TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

October 18

"Resisting Spiritual Amnesia in a Time of Catastrophe"

Rev. Mike Eller

SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE

Choir at **9:15am**

Sunday School at **9:30am**

Worship Service at **10:30am**

There will be Activity Period during the service for 4th grade and younger

SUNDAY'S LEADERS

Elder: David Voreacos

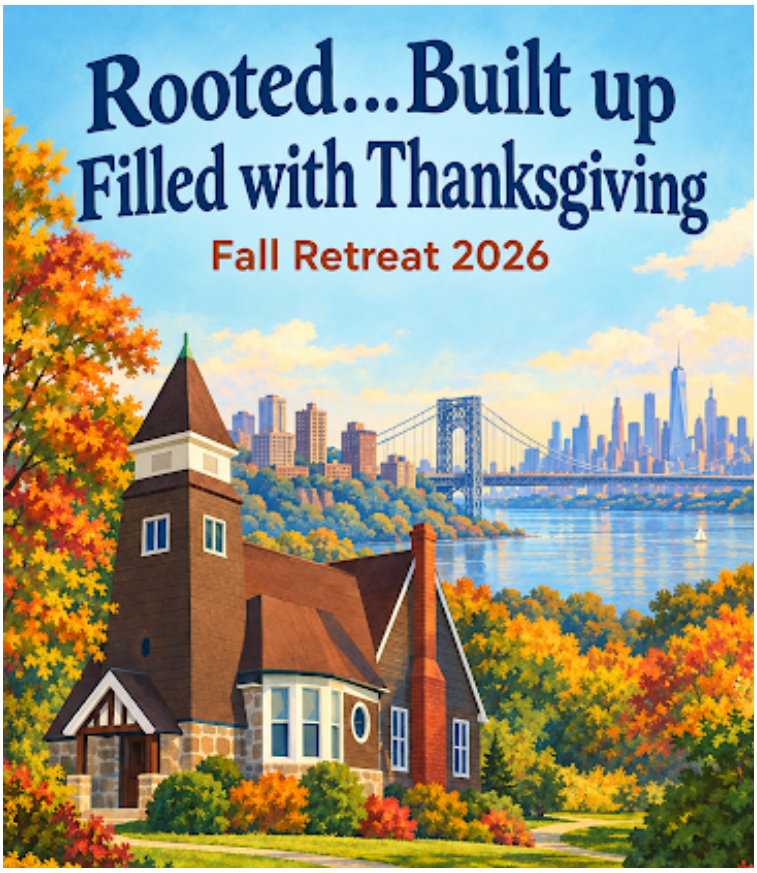
Second Reader: Katie Harlan Eller

Greeter: Fara Razafy (month of October)

Ushers: Vicky Li, Judy Nyirongo

Coming Up

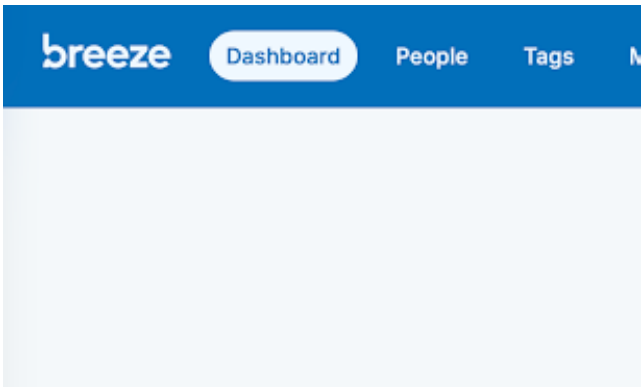
PCL "Retreat" Sunday, Oct. 25 (9:30 - 2pm)



We will have a **special "retreat" Sunday** next Sunday, Oct. 25th. The event will start at the Sunday School hour (9:30am) and conclude at 2pm. This retreat will be for children, youth, and adults and will include opportunities for fellowship, learning, small groups, team building activities, worship, and lunch.

The theme will be **"Rooted… Built Up… Filled with Thanksgiving"**.
In such a tumultuous time in our world:
What roots us?
What needs to be uprooted before new roots can take place?
What is God rooting us for?
What place does gratitude have in the rooted life?

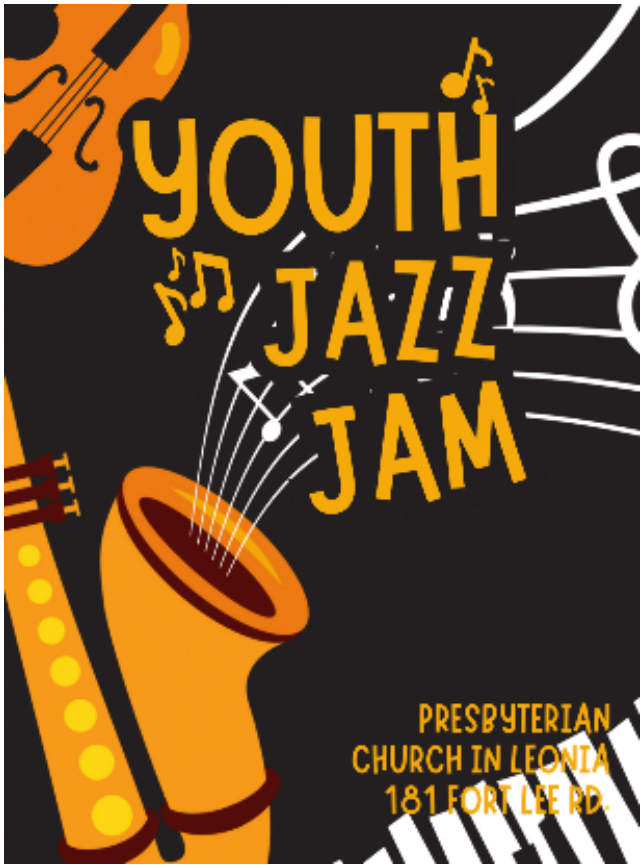
Having Breeze issues?



Breeze is our online database to locate contact information for church members. If you aren't yet connected on Breeze, or if you have an account but have had issues logging-in, please contact Rev. Mike to get setup or have your password reset (revmike@leoniapres.org; (917) 687-5709).

Youth Jazz Jam, Oct. 24

The next **Youth Jazz Jam** will be on Saturday, Oct. 24 at 7 pm. It'll be a wonderful evening of music and refreshments. Any donation, great or small, is requested to help offset the cost of food and drinks.



Other Announcements

Save the Date: Family Promise Meal
On Sunday, Jan. 24, PCL will be serving meals to our community. Mark the date on your calendar and be looking for details on how you might help prepare for this day of service.

Stewardship Season this November: Stewardship season begins Nov. 1 with Stewardship Sunday taking place on Nov. 22. In worship through the month of November, you will hear more about how you can participate and support our church by making a financial pledge. Your faithful giving sustains every aspect of our shared ministry: worship and music, mission outreach, ministries, education, fellowship, and the stewardship of our building. Each gift helps us plan wisely for the present while planting strong roots for the future.

Age-Friendly Leonia: For Student Service Hours
Age-Friendly Leonia is a youth volunteer program to provide fall and spring yard clean-ups and snow removal over the winter months. This will be for residents 70 and older or with physical or financial challenges. Several teens from LHS are currently organizing volunteers for this effort which is called Leonia Together, Connecting Generations, Strengthening Community.
If your student needs service hours and would be interested in volunteering, you can sign-up by texting the Ask Anything line at (201) 540-9364. Teen leader, Olivia Choi, will respond to provide details and have them sign a waiver. The text service will track hours.
At this time, there are two fall leaf clean-up days scheduled for Sat., Nov. 14 and Sat., Dec. 5. Snow removal will be pre-scheduled based on weather forecasts. For further questions, contact Mary Gendron (agefriendlyleonia@leonianj.gov; cell: (917) 340-1006).

This Week at PCL

October 18 (Sun)
9:15 am—Choir
9:30 am—Sunday School
10:30 am—Worship

October 19 (Mon)
10:00 am—Beginner ESL Class
1:00 pm—Advanced ESL Class

October 20 (Tues)
10:00 am—Beginner ESL Class
12:00 pm—American Red Cross Blood Drive

October 21 (Wed)
10:00 am—Intermediate ESL Class

October 22 (Thurs)
10:00 am—Beginner ESL Class
7:00 pm—BollyX

October 23 (Fri)
10:00 am—Beginner ESL Class

October 24 (Sat)
10:00 am—Support Group Meeting
7:00 pm—Youth Jazz Jam

October 25 (Sun)
PCL "Retreat" Sunday
9:15 am—Coffee & Light Breakfast
9:30 am—Retreat begins (Adults & Children)
10:30 am—Retreat Worship Service
11:30 am—Session (Adults & Children)
12:30 pm—Lunch
1:00 pm—Session
2:00 pm—Dismiss
2:00 pm—Renée's Piano Recital (Teaneck Public Library)

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General Office Hours
Day off: Friday
Mon-Thurs: 10-3 pm
Sun: *Schedule with Mike*