



FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF DUNELLEN

# WHAT'S HAPPENING?

**Sunday, May 17, 2026**

## **Missions Emphasis Sunday: MUKTI MISSION**

Mukti Mission was founded at Bombay in 1889 by Pandita Ramabai and provides Christ centered homes where destitute women and children irrespective of their background are accepted, cared for, transformed, and empowered to be salt and light in the society. This is Mukti's purpose statement: "We provide care, food, and housing for the forgotten with no strings attached, regardless of people's past, race, religion or caste." Mukti Mission is more than an orphanage, with care centers for children, women, and special needs residents. Mukti also has a hospital, three school systems, a full agricultural department, and a wealth of other ministries.

- 1-Pray for the Protection of the students from the heat during this summer season.
  - 2-Pray for God's guidance for the youth who are looking forward to their future.
  - 3-Pray for God to strengthen and protect every staff member.
  - 4-Pray for God's blessing in increasing new admissions and strengthening the school.
  - 5-Pray for a smooth and well-organized admission process for the new academic year.
- Each Tuesday evening at 08:20 pm EST prayer requests are posted on Facebook [HERE](#)  
Find out more at: <https://muktimission.us/>

## **Wear Red for Pentecost**

Every Pentecost we wear red to celebrate how the Holy Spirit came down in tongues of fire to the first believers. Wear Red with us NEXT SUNDAY, May 24 for Pentecost.

## **Go Rogue Youth Group Ice Cream Outing is Wednesday, May 27<sup>th</sup>**

The Go Rogue (6<sup>TH</sup>-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE) YOUTH GROUP ICE CREAM OUTING is WEDNESDAY, May 27<sup>th</sup> at 7pm during WN@C. We will be going to a local ice cream shop. Please bring a signed permission slip and money for ice cream. Contact PT or Mrs. Kara for more information.

## **The Baby Bottle Blessings Campaign**

The "Baby Bottle Blessings" Campaign for Life Choices Resource Center in Metuchen has begun! For over 40 years, Life Choices has been serving women & families in our local communities by offering FREE services & support. LCRC offers hope and friendship for those facing crisis pregnancies and post abortion healing. By supporting the "Baby Blessings" campaign, you assist our families & help to spread the Gospel of Life while building a legacy of Love with these precious clients. LCRC would be most grateful if you would take home a bottle or an envelope and return it with your donation (cash, check or credit card information) by Father's Day, June 21st. Donations also can be mailed directly to: Life Choices Resource Center, 503 Main Street, Metuchen, NJ 08840 or online at [www.Life ChoicesRC.com](http://www.LifeChoicesRC.com) Thank you!

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# MORE OF WHAT'S HAPPENING?

### **Please Be Aware of Limited Parking on First & Third Sundays**

The Dunellen Open Air Market will meet in Washington Memorial Park on the first and third Sundays every month. Please plan to arrive 10-15 minutes earlier as Park Place and on-street parking will be very limited.

### **Please Do Not Park on the Grass!**

Please DO NOT PARK ON THE GRASS on the sides of the driveway or on the church lawn. The church has received a warning that if we park on the grass or even partially on the grass we will be fined by the town of Dunellen. We do not want you to have to pay a fine. Please contact us if you have any questions.

### **Join us at our Deacon's Fund Garage Sale, Saturday June 6th @ 9am**

The Deacon's Fund Garage Sale will now be Saturday, June 6, 2026 outside FPCD beginning at 9am. All funds raised will benefit the Deacons fund in order to care for families in need in our congregation and community. If you have items to sell, have questions or would like to help please contact Harry Ortiz or Pastor Silvio.

### **Join & Send Prayer Requests to the FPCD English Prayer Chain**

- If you would like to be part of the team who prays over requests, please send an email to [FPCDPrayerChain@gmail.com](mailto:FPCDPrayerChain@gmail.com). Include your first and last name and ask to be part of the prayer team.
- If you would like prayer, please send your request to [FPCDPrayerChain@gmail.com](mailto:FPCDPrayerChain@gmail.com). Please indicate if the person gave permission to use their full name to be sent out on the prayer chain, otherwise requests will include their first name only.

### **If you are not on Breeze (FPCD's Database): SIGN UP TODAY!**

We have noticed that several people in our congregation are not on Breeze (FPCD church database) and others have contact information that is missing. If that's you, please get connected today! If you have not done this before, please input your correct contact info & other pertinent details into the FPCD Information form. Please use the link below:

<https://firstpresbyterianchurchofdunellenj.breezechms.com/form/c4c12e>

WE NEED A SEPARATE FORM COMPLETED FOR EACH PERSON IN YOUR FAMILY. If you have any questions contact Pastor Tim. Thanks!

### **Free Food Distribution will be on Wednesday, May 27th at 11AM**

Free Food Distribution with Beginning World Changers will be Wednesday, May 27th at 11am or until the food lasts. Please contact Pastor Silvio for more information or if you feel called to serve. Thanks.

### **Session & Session Team Meetings**

- WORSHIPING TEAM: Monday, May 18, 2026 at 7pm.
- DISCIPLING TEAM: Monday, June 1, 2026 at 7pm.
- RESOURCING TEAM: Monday, June 8, 2026 at 7pm.
- SENDING TEAM: Monday, June 15, 2026 at 7pm.
- SESSION: Monday, June 22, 2026 at 7pm in the Fellowship Hall.