

- ➤ SAUMC Annual Church Conference. Members and friends, you are all welcome to join our annual church conference Saturday, November 1 at 1:00pm. If interested, more information to follow shortly. Ministry leaders responsible for charge conference reports, the deadline for the ARENA portal is September 30. All leaders responsible should have received an email from GNJ regarding conference reporting.
- Administrative Board. The next Administrative Board meeting is August 12 at 7:00pm in the Sanctuary, all are welcome to attend.
- Family Feast Sunday September 7. Outdoor worship followed by a picnic. During worship we will have a blessing for our students and Sunday school teachers. Bring a dessert or side dish. There will be fun activities for kids during the picnic. Invite children, grandchildren, neighbors and friends!
- ➤ **Library News.** We now have a book rack in the Sanctuary. For your convenience when returning books we have provided a return bag. When borrowing a book, sign the card and place it in the box. For other selections the library is open on the first floor. Any questions call Joan 732-240-7516.
- ➤ New Members Class. Are you a long-time visitor interested in officially joining the church? Are you a new visitor and would like to know what St. Andrew is all about? Are you a member and want to know more? Pastor Anna will be holding a new member class on Wed. October 15 and 22 from 6:30-8:00pm. Following the class, all who wish to join will do so on the first Sunday in November. Please reach out to Pastor Anna with any questions. anna@standrewtr.org
- ➤ **Meals That Heal.** Join us for our annual summer subs meal **August 20**, **5-6:00pm**. There is food for all and all are welcome!
- ➤ **Missions.** Bottled Water Drive! Our SAUMC Mission Team will be collecting donations of bottled water to distribute to our neighbors experiencing homelessness this summer. Donations can be dropped off on Sunday mornings at the 10:00am service during the summer months.
- > Trustee News. Blood Drive Friday, August 8 from 1-7:00pm in Fellowship Hall. Appointments are encouraged. Walk-ins are welcome! For an appointment call 800-933-2566.
- United Methodist Men (UMM). The next breakfast meeting will be held Saturday August 9, from 8:00-10:00am rooms 4-6. We hope to see you there!
- United Women of Faith (UWF/UMW). SAVE THE DATE for our General Meeting, October 18 in classrooms 4-6. Join us for a delicious continental breakfast. Our guest speakers will be from Save Barnegat Bay.

- Veterans Ministry. Please help support our veterans, their families and troops around the world by joining our veterans ministry, it's free and you don't need to be a veteran to join. We are now partnered with Food Warriors to help feed our veterans and their families, flyers can be found on tables and bulletin boards around the church. These are veterans and families that need our help and especially our prayers. Call me if you wish to join this outstanding group of veterans in our veterans ministry. Sgt. David Nordt, Veterans Ministry Leader 732-703-0064. Remember our freedom isn't free.
- ➤ WOW! Women's Book Club. Calling all Women who love to read! Our selection for August is <u>The Wedding People</u> by Alison Espach. We will meet via ZOOM at 10:00am August 16. Contact Pat Lewis for details at patricialewis722@aol.com. Happy Reading!