

PCN CALENDAR 2025

SUN	SEPTEMBER 21
8:00	Adult Bible study
10:00	Worship service
10:15	High schoolers
MON	SEPTEMBER 22
9:00	Sermon talk-back
TUE	SEPTEMBER 23
10:00	The Truth Project
WED	SEPTEMBER 24
7:15	Men's Bible Study
11:00	GSLS/PCN meeting
1:40	Middle school get-together
5:30	Community Life Team
5:00	Mission Team
THU	SEPTEMBER 25
6:30	Choir rehearsal
FRI	SEPTEMBER 26
SAT	SEPTEMBER 27
SUN	SEPTEMBER 28
8:00	Adult Bible study
10:00	Worship service
10:15	High schoolers
3:00	Sally Carbonaro commissioning

Deacons on Duty this week are **Audrey Boland 897-6872** and **Carolyn Gerrans 328-1578**. Please call with care and compassion concerns. Transportation deacon: **Alan Dunham 897-8886**.



CONTINUE TO GIVE ONLINE. If you are not able to join us for in-person services, there are ways to contribute your tithes and offerings. To connect with our online giving page, here is the link: <http://www.pcnovato.org/give/make-a-donation-online.html>. You may also mail your check to the church or drop it off in the mail slot. Thank you!

UPDATE

Looking Ahead

Sept 28	Sally Carbonaro commissioning
Sept 30	Grace Generation resumes
Oct 4	Elder retreat

THE TRUTH PROJECT is an in-depth Christian Worldwide Experience from Focus on the Family. The Tuesday morning Life Group is hosting the showing of this series from now until November 18. Join us in the Christensen room Tuesday mornings from 10:00-11:30 a.m. to watch the video and share conversation. Be Transformed by the Renewing of Your Mind!

NURSERY CARE PROVIDERS NEEDED! We are looking to hire nursery care providers for Sunday mornings. This is a paid position. If interested, please contact Sydney Fletcher at communications@pcnovato.org.

GRACE GENERATION RETURNS on Tuesdays from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m., starting September 30 and going through December 2, then returning in 2026. Register now at www.pcnovato.org. Volunteers, we need you! There are so many ways to get involved! If you are interested in learning more, contact Sydney Fletcher at children@pcnovato.org.

OUT OF OFFICE Our finance secretary, Suzanne, will be out of the office September 19 through October 19. If you have finance-related questions, please contact Brad Praun.

RECYCLE In an effort to use as little paper as possible, we do try to reuse the worship covers. So please be as careful as you can with them and put them in the recycling basket by the narthex doors after worship. If you need to write on something, please use the worship order or prayer concerns list. We, and the earth, thank you!



PRES PRESS submissions are due this Monday, Sept. 22, for inclusion in the October issue.

COFFEE SERVICE We are asking all congregants (who are able!) to help with making coffee on Sundays. The Deacons are no longer doing the coffee service, so we need Life Groups, families, friends, etc. to perform this important fellowship service. Contact the office at 415.897.6152 to sign up. We have new, simple coffee makers so it's easy and fun!

FELLOWSHIP



CORDIALLY INVITES YOU TO

A SPECIAL SERVICE OF WORSHIP
AND THE COMMISSIONING

OF

RULING ELDER

SALLY CARBONARO

ON

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 2025

3:00 P.M.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NOVATO

SUPPER CLUB groups are forming for 2025-26. This is a fun way to get to know others in the church. Supper Club groups are not limited to couples; singles are also welcome to join! The host couple provides the main dish and the others provide an appetizer, salad and dessert. You can sign up to be a substitute as well; this list is used when a fourth couple is needed. If you're interested in joining a Supper Club group, contact Janalee Holmes (415.860.0275) or E.B. Hanlein (415.225.6496) either in person at church, or by phone or text. Please sign up by October 1.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY is back and will have two options for fellowship: (1) Thursday mornings via Zoom (new link below) from 10 to 11:30 a.m. A variety of conversations will take place as well as time for fellowship and prayers. (2) Tuesday mornings at PCN to participate in The Truth Project program. Please contact Becky Praun at 415.472.1733 or email beckypraun@yahoo.com with questions.
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86913616907?pwd=gsbDqww6cuwPq9qtsmCVMQ2ZE28u6P.1>

Meeting ID: 869 1361 6907 Passcode: pcnovato

PRAYER REQUESTS Our prayer request list is getting very full. We don't want to remove anyone who needs prayers, but if you have anyone on it who is doing better and can be removed, it will give us room for new folks who need our prayers! Thank you!

SUNDAY ADULT BIBLE STUDY When life goes terribly wrong – see and listen for how God steps in. Join the new fall Greatest Truths series on Zoom Sundays from 8 to 9 a.m. Contact Larry Dacquist at larrydacquist@gmail.com with questions.

The link to join is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82970812537?pwd=eGZESUo3dzQ4NXh3WFFNT3AvQmpDdz09>

Meeting ID: 829 7081 2537 Password: pcnovato

MISSION

September Mission Opportunity



SADDLE UP FOR GILEAD HOUSE Join Sally Carbonaro and Carolyn Gerrans at "Saddle Up for Gilead House," a fundraiser taking place TODAY from 2 to 5 p.m. at Novato Horseman's Club. There will be live music, food, wine and auction items. Guest speaker is Michael Pritchard! Contact Carolyn Gerrans at grace624@comcast.net or call 415.328.1578 for information or tickets.



PEACE & GLOBAL WITNESS
SPECIAL OFFERINGS
PEACEMAKING AND RECONCILIATION

PEACE & GLOBAL WITNESS This special offering enables the church to promote the Peace of Christ by addressing systems of conflict and injustice across the world. See the insert in the worship order for more information. We'll be taking the offering October 5.

Children's Ministries



Follow us on YouTube, Facebook and Instagram at "PCNKidsNovato" to stay up to date with what we are doing!

For more information, contact Sydney Fletcher at children@pcnovato.org

Youth Corner



Middle School

Middle-schoolers will meet on Tuesdays @ Grace Generation from 5:30-7:30 (beginning Sept. 30) and Wednesdays after school from 1:40-4:00! Come join us for games, snacks, and fellowship!

High School

High-schoolers meet at 10:15 Sunday mornings in the couch room. For program information and to volunteer **contact Sally Carbonaro** at youth@pcnovato.org or call 650.799.4691.