



Basking Ridge
Presbyterian Church

Announcements and Events – October 5, 2025

Welcome To Worship

We extend a loving welcome to all who gather today in worship of Almighty God, including those who come as visitors or newcomers and those possibly seeking a church home! Our prayer is that you will experience the depth of love for God and love for one another that is present in this community of faith.

Thank you for your generous giving, which is what allows the life and ministry of our church to exist. For those who would like to make a financial contribution to support the mission and ministry of the Basking Ridge Presbyterian Church, we invite you to use this QR code to give with a credit card or through Venmo. Thank you for your faithfulness and generosity!



Peace of Pie Social - TODAY

Join us in Westminster Hall, after the 10 AM service, to share in the joy of community and fellowship at our Peace of Pie Social! We're serving an assortment of delicious homemade pies and sweet treats from local farms! It's the perfect way to celebrate the season, enjoy each other's company, and savor some good old-fashioned hospitality! This event is for everyone - bring your appetite, your sweet tooth, and your community spirit!

Exploring Membership Class - TODAY

Are you interested in becoming a member? This class is an excellent opportunity to share about your own faith journey and learn more about the beliefs and ministry of our church. Join us from 3-4:30 p.m. in the Church House Parlor.

Sunday Morning Discussion Group – October 12

Led by Charles King, we will be studying "Wandering Patriarchs: The Challenges of Immigration." at 11:15 AM in the Church House Parlor & online.

Guest Speaker - October 12

The Spiritual Development Council will be hosting Dr. Gamble, the director of *This Child Here*, on October 12 at 3:00 p.m. in the Church House Parlor where he will be speaking about his work in Ukraine and their ministry with those displaced by the war.



Deacon All Cluster Brunch – Sunday, October 19

Come take a break from fall chores, and join us for the all cluster, potluck brunch on Sunday, October 19th in Westminster Hall after the 10 a.m. service. This is a wonderful opportunity to get to know the people in your church cluster, to experience the joy of fellowship as well as terrific food. Please sign up in the narthex, at coffee hour, by contacting your Deacon, or by scanning the QR code. Let us know if you can bring an appetizer, a main course or a dessert to share with your fellow church members. We can't wait to see you there!



Coat Drive through October 19

Please bring new and gently used coats for Market Street Mission Coat Drive - all sizes are needed. Collection boxes are available in the Church House and Westminster Hall.

Music Ministries

We invite you to be part of the music program this year! You don't have to be a pro or even available every single week. Band and orchestra players, handbell ringers, and choir singers of all ages - we need you! Consider participating in this fun and beautiful ministry. Donations toward our special music goals may be made through the church website, through Venmo, or by sending a check made out to Basking Ridge Presbyterian Church with "Friends of Music" in the memo. Thanks so much for your generous support and participation! For more info, contact Chris Fortin today at cfortin@brpc.org.

Children & Youth Music Ministry

We are thrilled that the Children & Youth Choir will be returning as part of the Music Ministry at BRPC! It is open to all students in 3rd-8th grade and will meet in the Choir Room on Thursdays from 5:15-6:00 p.m. to prepare fun anthems to sing monthly at church while also engaging in exciting musical activities! To participate, reach out to Nathan Schwed at nschwed@brpc.org or (908) 202-9624. We are looking forward to a year full of fun and music!

Children & Family Ministry

- Sunday School (grades Pre-K-4) at 10:15 a.m. in Calvin Hall.
- Nursery care is available for those 2 years and younger.
- The Agape Hour for grades Pre-K-Kindergarten, Tuesdays from 3:45-4:30 p.m. in the Agape Room of the Church House: Bible story, snack, craft, movement, and music.
- 3rd Grade Bibles: Sunday, **October 19**.
- Tuesday, **October 21**: Art & Bible for grades 1-5, art class based on a Bible verse, at 5:00 p.m. in Westminster Hall.
- Tuesday, **October 21** Family Potluck Dinner for all families with children through grade 8, in Westminster Hall at 5:45 p.m.
- Are you called to help Children and Family Ministries? We are looking for volunteers for Sunday School and our Midweek Programs. Email Stacy Currie @ scurrie@brpc.org for more information.

If you have any questions please contact Stacy Currie, Director of Children & Family Ministries, 201-519-1680 or scurrie@brpc.org. To register for all Children & Family Ministry activities, scan the QR code.



Youth and Young Adult Ministry

- Bibles & Bagels meets today at 10:15 a.m. in the Library.
- Confirmation Class meets today at 11:30 a.m. in the Library & Parlor.
- Middle School Fellowship meets tonight at 5:00 p.m. in the Youth Center.
- Senior High Fellowship meets today at 7:00 p.m. in the Youth Chapel.
- Youth Ministry Hayride at Lord Stirling Stables: Sunday, **October 12** at 7:00 p.m.
- Trivia and Treats with Ridge Oak: Saturday, **October 25** at 3:30 p.m.

To sign up, learn more, or ask questions, email Kate at kbalboni@brpc.org and follow us on Instagram @brpc.youth.group.