



WELCOME

*to Brick
Presbyterian
Church*

111 Drum Point Road
Brick NJ, 08723
732 477-0676

ORDER FOR WORSHIP OF THE LIVING GOD

5th Sunday After Pentecost

June 28, 2026

* Please stand as you are able

Congregational responses are in **bold**

GATHERING OF GOD'S PEOPLE

WORDS OF WELCOME

Jim Auriemma

PRELUDE

"Breathe on Me, Breath of God"

BPC Bell Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP:

Inspired by Psalm 130

Jim Auriemma

Our Help is in the Name of the Lord who made Heaven and Earth.

All things God sends are full of grace.

God crowns our lives with faithful favor.

Our souls await God's presence with unshakable hope.

God's word removes our fears and fills our hearts with joy.

God lifts us up on eagles' wings and restores our souls!

ALL: Amen and Amen!

* HYMN

"For the Beauty of the Earth"

14 vs. 1,2,4

CHILDREN'S MOMENT

Pastor Jack

CALL TO CONFESSION:

Jim Auriemma

When we pretend to be perfect and sinless we fool no one except ourselves, however when we confess our sins to God, we discover the speed and healing of God's forgiving love.

Knowing this to be true, let us transparently present ourselves to God in prayer.

(we begin with a moment of silence for personal confession)

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

(unison)

Forgive us, O God, for that which we have done to hurt others, for the ways in which we have destroyed trust and shattered the dreams you have provided.

Forgive us, O God, for the ways in which we have allowed fear or selfishness to keep us from welcoming those in need.

Forgive us, O God, for the ways in which our pride and ego have kept us from reaching out to those who could bring your healing love into our lives.

Touch us, this day, that we might touch others with your peace. Amen.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON AND LAW OF GOD:

Pastor Jack

When Jesus was confronted with a woman who had committed adultery, an offense punishable by a public stoning death, he asked those who were sinless to throw their stones first. They went away, starting with the eldest and he told her that he would not condemn her either. That is what the forgiveness of God looks like in real life, we are not serving a God of condemnation but a God of forgiveness.

As a forgiven people, please take Jesus seriously here. Go and do your best to sin no more! Choose to live as Jesus commanded: Love God as fully as you possibly can and love your neighbor as much as you love yourself. For in following these two commandments you will discover that you are fulfilling all of the Laws and you are experiencing the peace which the prophets have promised.

With peace-filled hearts, please stand and share God's gift of peace as you greet one another. May the Peace of Christ be with you.

And also with you.

* RESPONSE TO GRACE *"Lord Jesus Think of Me"*

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Lord Jesus, think on me, and purge away my sin.

**From earth-born passions set me free,
and make me pure within.**

THE WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Jim Auriemma

Let us put aside all that stands between us and your word for this day, we ask it in the name of Christ, your word which became flesh and dwelt among us.
Amen.

1st SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 10:40-42

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ANTHEM

"My Country, Tis of Thee"
BPC Bell Choir and Cindy Dwyer, Keyboard

Arr. Joel Raney

2nd SCRIPTURE READING: Revelation 22:13-17

Rev. Jack Cherry

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The Words of Holy Scripture for the people of God;
Thanks be to God. Amen.

SERMON:

"Holy Hospitality"

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

* HYMN

"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"

81 vs. 1 & 3

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE and THE LORD'S PRAYER

(*unison*)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

MOMENT FOR GRATITUDE

Let us take a moment to silently thank God for the blessings in our lives, acknowledging all we have received through His grace.

OFFERING OF OUR LIVES AND OUR GIFTS TO GOD

OFFERTORY

"The Water Is Wide"
Keyboardist, Cindy Dwyer

arr. by John Purifoy

* DOXOLOGY

"Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart!"
**Praise God who reigns on high,
the Lord whom we adore,
the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
one God forevermore.
Rejoice! Rejoice!
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing!**

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* PRAYER OF DEDICATION

(unison)

To you, O God, we present these gifts so that your word might be proclaimed and your will might be done, here and throughout your world. We ask this in Christ's name. Amen.

RETURNING TO THE WORLD IN GOD'S NAME

CONNECTING OUR FAITH TO THE ACTIONS OF OUR CHURCH

* HYMN

"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

366 vs. 1,2,4

BENEDICTION:

Rev. Jack Cherry

Go now to your homes and jobs and activities, and in all of them, find people who thirst for the faith and the hope that God provides.

We will share what we have, the hope and the faith that we have been given by God.

POSTLUDE

"O God Our Help in Ages Past"

Cindy Dwyer

Worship Notes

Brick Presbyterian Church CCLI#1853779/Streaming#20110146

The Nursery, in classroom #1, is available for young children.



**Acolyte:
Zayden Voegborlo**



**Today's Chancel Flowers are Given to the Glory of God
By the Kathenes Family,
In Memory of Hank & Gloria Kathenes**

SUMMER BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday July 28, 2026

1 pm - 6 pm Brick Presbyterian Church

To Schedule an Appointment: Visit rcblood.org/appt

Sponsor Code: Brick Presbyterian Church **OR**

Call/Text Tracey Podolsky @ (732) 300-0886

Or call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767)

VBS! July 19 – 23, 2026 – Grades K -12



The Food Pantry Team and our recipients are grateful for your generosity. If you would like to donate, the following are our most requested items:

Applesauce Carrots Corn Green Beans Chicken Broth Chili Ramen Noodles
Luncheon Meat (*Spam*) Coffee (*instant/regular*) Tea Jell-O Mashed Potatoes
Pancake Mix/Syrup Water bottles Juice boxes

FYI: We do not accept donations from this food bank or any other food bank.

Thank you for your support!

To donate online to BPC,
Please scan the QR code:





Ready for a Night of Fastballs, Fun, and Fellowship?
The Fellowship Committee has reserved a group of seats for **Jersey Shore Blueclaws' Faith and Family Night** game on **Thursday, August 27th at 7pm**. Family and friends are all welcome! **Tickets are \$13** each and will be on sale through August 13th. Supply is limited so mark you calendars and get your tickets!

If interested, **sign up in the Narthex** or contact **Michael Auriemma** via email at michaelcauriemma@gmail.com, call or text **848-333-3625**, or find him at church on Sunday! *See you at ShoreTown Ballpark!*

Prayers of Healing

Lori Evans - Shorrock

Michael Toth - Shorrock

Carol Boucher, Donovan & family,

Glenn Dyke, Elba Figueroa, Ray Freeswick, Sr.,

JoAnne Habenicht, Bonnie Lutton, Frank Mizer,

Kris Murphy, Brooklyn Orlofsky, Rev. & Mrs. Seda, Kristen Thatcher,

Doug Tompkins, Bob & Sue Towlen, Patrick Weaver, Judy Willbergh

Care and Nurture List

Our deacons are dedicated to caring for our church family. We'd love to know of any church members who might be homebound, sick, or simply in need of a visit. If you know of someone who would benefit from being added to our care and nurture list, please let any of the deacons know. We are committed to reaching out and providing support and connection to those who need it most.

This Week in Our Church

Monday, June 29	Seated Strength & Stretch Strength Club	5:30PM 6:00PM
Tuesday, June 30	Youth Group	6:00 - 8:00PM
Wednesday, July 1	Food Pantry Seated Strength & Stretch Strength Club More Than Capable Praise Team Rehearsal	10:00AM - 2:00PM 5:30PM 6:00PM 6:00PM 7:00PM
Thursday, July 2	Pentecostal Church Bible Study	7:30PM - 9:00PM
Friday, July 3	Church Office Closed	Holiday
Sunday, July 5	Sunday Worship Pentecostal Church Worship	10:00AM 12:00 – 3:00PM

RECOVERY MEETINGS:




AA Meetings in Fellowship Hall Friday – 12PM, 8PM and Saturday – 7PM	Daily - 7:00AM
Light of Life Recovery Bible Group - Tuesday - Room 4	7:00PM
NA Meeting in Fellowship Hall	Thursday - 6:30PM








MUSICAL THEATER SUMMER CAMP

Presented by Brick Presbyterian Church

UNLEASH YOUR INNER STAR!

-  **Vocal Technique:** Develop healthy habits through breath control and vocal styling
-  **Acting Foundations:** Build confidence through character work and improv.
-  **Choreography:** Learn stage movement and high-energy dance routines.

CAMP DETAILS

-  **DATES:** July 6 – 17, 2026
 -  **TIME:** 9:00 am – 12:15 pm
 -  **AGES:** Rising 3rd – 10th Graders
 -  **LOCATION:** The Family Life Center (FLC) at Brick Presbyterian Church, 111 Drum Point Road, Brick, NJ 08723
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THE GRAND FINALE

The camp concludes with a Final Showcase Performance for family and friends!

When: July 17 in the FLC.



REGISTRATION & QUESTIONS

Scan the QR code or visit our website:
<https://sites.google.com/view/drumpointplayers/home>

Questions? Contact Cindy Dwyer at

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Rev. Jack Cherry, *Moderator of the Session*; Michael Kraynick, *Clerk Pro-tem*
Sabrina Nagy, *Moderator of Deacons*; Joan Horan, *Vice Moderator*
Tracey Podolsky, *Secretary*

Session

Class of 2027

Brian Aldrich, Michael Auriemma, Missy Brino, Mark Ellis

Class of 2028

Sandra Alho, Diane Lehnese, Lynda Pullis, Christy Tompkins

Class of 2029

Bob Auriemma, Jr., Katie Candeloro, Chuck Cumella, Maddie Latshaw

Board of Deacons

Class of 2027

Kevin Nagy, Sabrina Nagy, Tracey Podolsky, Wendy Schweis

Class of 2028

Elorm Banini, Lance Erikson, Elaine Salto, Sofia Thalheimer

Class of 2029

Sue Britton, Penny Chandler, Susan Gargano, Joan Horan

Staff

Rev. Jack Cherry, *Pastor*

Cindy Dwyer, *Pianist*

Lauren Dyke, *Christian Education Lead*

Karen Ellis, *Financial Secretary*

Mike Kraynick, *Treasurer*

Patricia Loboda, *Administrative Assistant*

Bonnie Luton, *Handbell Choir Director*

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Christy Tompkins, *Praise Team Leader*

Rev. Doug Chase, *Pastor Emeritus*