

"E" Epistle

United Presbyterian Church of Cedar Grove, New Jersey

Week Leading to Sunday, August 1, 2010



Worship

10:00 am

Thought for the Week

The culture in which we live trains us to be acquisitive, to accumulate and to hoard and to attempt to secure our lives through our possessions. Jesus indoctrinates us into a very different way in the world, a culture in which we realize that we cannot secure our lives through our accumulation. Jesus promises us that, in his service, we will prosper - though we may not prosper as the world judges prosperity.

Scripture

Luke 12:13-21

Introduction to the Reading

Luke 12:13-21: A man comes up to Jesus, asking Jesus to settle an inheritance dispute between him and his brother. In response, Jesus tells the parable of the rich fool.

Sermon

Are We Rich Fool or Wise Fools

Hymns

Breathe on Me, Breath of God
Wherever I May Wonder
God Be With you Till We Meet Again

Prayer

Lord Jesus, you have called us to be in the world but not to live exclusively for the world. Give us the grace to discern your way rather than simply acquiesce to the world's way. Give us the courage to resist the enticements and allurements that are offered us by our culture.

You bestow upon us many good gifts, and many challenging gifts as well! May we receive all of your gifts with gratitude and live lives that are pleasing to you. Amen.



FALL FUN AND FELLOWSHIP

What are your plans for the Fall?

We are thinking about taking a trip this fall with our members and friends of UPCCG! We would like to go to the Paper Mill Playhouse this October to see the show "Hairspray" and are wondering if you would be interested in joining us? Please fill out this form and return to church or email Jamie Lynn at mustangsally416@aol.com so we can see if we can generate enough interest to go.

Name: _____

Number of attendees: _____

Preferred date (circle one):

October 2

October 9

October 16

Ticket price (circle one):

\$27.50 (rear mezzanine)

\$47.30 (front mezzanine/rear orchestra)

\$61.70 (front orchestra)

**Please note that we do not all have to sit in the same section. Also note that the higher up you go, the more steps there will be.

If we have enough people interested in going, we will have more information for you soon! Please return your form as soon as possible. Hope you will join us!

Thanks,

Jamie Lynn Coryell