



## Pompton Reformed Church

### Announcements

March 1, 2026

Pompton Reformed would like to officially welcome Dave Donza as a member of the church. If you are interested in more information on becoming a member, talk to Pastor John or email him at [jburden@pomptonreformed.org](mailto:jburden@pomptonreformed.org)

**Tuesday Morning Bible Study** will not meet on March 3rd and will resume on March 10<sup>th</sup>. Enjoy your Spring Break!

**SAVE THE DATE: 2026 Deacon's Fundraiser** Tastefully British Fish & Chips| **Sale Dates: March 1 & 8**  
**Fundraiser Date:** Sunday, March 15, 2026

#### **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PACKETS AVAILABLE**

The Scholarship Application Packets are now available and can be found in the workroom on top of the safe. High School seniors and College Students must be a worshipping member of PRC or a dependent of a PRC member. The deadline for returning all application materials is May 3, 2026.

**Easter Flowers-** Order forms can be found on the table in Fellowship Hall. Orders with payment are due by Friday, March 20<sup>th</sup>.

**Committee Spotlights:** During Sunday announcements over the next few months, we will be featuring one of the many committees, teams or groups that participate in the life of PRC. A member of the committee will be sharing some information about that committee. The purpose behind this is to:

1. Introduce old and new members to the many groups that are active at PRC.
2. See and acknowledge the folks who are volunteering their time and efforts.
3. Highlight what the committee is responsible for or what they are working on.
4. If appropriate, allow folks in the congregation to know who to get in touch with if you would like to know more or are interested in sharing your gifts and time.

**Bread of Life:** Our next Bread of Life trip to Newark will be on March 1. As always, we will need help making sandwiches and packing bags beginning about 20 minutes after the church service ends. Donations we need are granola bars with NO nuts, juice boxes, and small bottles of water. These items can be left in room 104 in or on the labeled blue container in front of the cabinet closer to the windows. Thank you for your help.

**Autumnfest 2026:** The PRC Boutique is looking for items to be donated for Autumnfest 2026. If you have jewelry, purses, pocketbooks, scarfs, kitchen gadgets, or any new items you would like to donate, please see Doreen Apgar.

**Library Notes:** As the weather gets chillier and the nights get longer - why not cozy up with a good book? It's a good time to limit the digital media and slow down, be inspired by a good story, mystery or devotion. Feel free to check out a book! There's a sign-up sheet on a clipboard. Sabine is always available to give a recommendation.

**Love to Sing? Join the Choir!!** If you've ever thought about singing in the choir, now is the perfect time to join. No experience needed-just a joyful heart. Come add your voice and be part of something beautiful. See Matt at the piano after the service for more information.

**Next Steps for Membership** - If you are interested in becoming a member at Pompton Reformed, you can fill out a "Connect Card" and give it to Pastor John or Lorna Carroll to be added to our contact list so that you can receive prayer updates and other info. Pastor John and Lorna would love to help you with the process.

- 1) Fill out connect card found at the information table in the lobby and give it to Pastor John or drop it off in the office.
- 2) Contact former church to transfer membership, if applicable.
- 3) Schedule profession of faith or baptism, if applicable.
- 4) Schedule a meet and Greet with the Elders after a Sunday service to officially welcome you.

**Middle School and High School Youth Groups** are on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00pm. We join First Reformed in Pompton Plains for their youth ministry program and they graciously welcome our students! If you would like more info, check the website! at <https://firstreformedchurch.com/grow/youthchildren/ignite-middle-school-ministry/>

**New Pompton Reformed Church YouTube Channel!** If you have ever wanted to rewatch Pastor John's sermons, Ray Denti, a talented friend at PRC, has created our very own YouTube Channel. This is the link that will take you there. [www.youtube.com/@pomptonreformedchurch](http://www.youtube.com/@pomptonreformedchurch)

**Prayer Quilt Ministry** – We meet the second Saturday of every month from 9:30am to 11:30am. It is a wonderful time of fellowship, and the ministry has been a blessing to many. We welcome newcomers. No specific skills are needed. There is something for everyone to participate in the creation of the prayer quilt. If you can iron, tie a knot or use a sewing machine there is a place for you. Coffee and refreshments are available. Please contact Nancy Begin at nbjoyful1@gmail.com with any questions.

**The Card Ministry Committee:** We would like to expand our mission this year by sending cards for special birthday, holiday, or thinking of you wishes as well as those who may be sick, in a nursing home or are unable to leave their home. At this time, we have 14 people who have been members of our church but cannot attend any longer but still think of PRC as their church home. New cards have been added! Names and addresses will be provided soon. The committee will write out the cards for you, just place them in the card mailbox with all the information. Thank you, God Bless you all! Any questions contact Jo-Ann Sisco 973-896-8687

**Lunch Bunch** meets on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month from 12:00 until 3:00 pm. This is a stress-free time together. We have lunch and then enjoy games and puzzles or anything that you would like to bring. We are also planning on having speakers in future months.