

## Super Sunday to Be Held Dec. 2 at Wilf Campus

SCOTCH PLAINS — Super Sunday, the annual fund-raising phonathon and celebration of community in support of the United Jewish Appeal Campaign of Greater MetroWest NJ (UJA), will take place on Sunday, December 2, from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

For the first time, the fundraiser will take place at two locations: the Alex Aidekman Family Jewish Community Campus, 901 Route 10, Whippany, and the Wilf Jewish Community Campus, 1391 Martine Avenue, Scotch Plains.

Funds raised support the work of the Jewish Federation of Greater MetroWest NJ (Federation) and its 27 local partner agencies, which ensure services for seniors, people with special needs and the unemployed; support families in crisis; make Jewish education and Jewish camping affordable and provide a safe haven for victims of domestic abuse. Responding to local and overseas emergency situations like Hurricane Sandy, Katrina and the disasters in Haiti and Japan also is an important part of the Federation mission.

The Federation's comprehensive network of social services serves Essex, Morris, Sussex, Union and parts of Somerset Counties as well as communities in Israel and the former Soviet Union.

"Super Sunday is and will always be the day when the Greater MetroWest comes together to help those in need and celebrate our wonderful community. This year the needs are even greater due to the still struggling economy and Hurricane Sandy. We are confident that people will respond to the call generously," said Super Sunday Chairpersons Gaiine Handwerker and Mindi Metz, both of Westfield, Alia Ramer of Maplewood and Gregg Russo of Randolph in a joint statement.

While the full-day phonathon takes center stage, the programs and activities for all ages make Super Sunday a community celebration and day of social action. Highlights of this year's Super Sunday include:

Rock and Wrap@Super Sunday, 2 to 4 p.m. in Scotch Plains and Whippany. Volunteers will rock out with a DJ while wrapping gifts for those less fortunate. Participants are asked to bring a new and unwrapped gift appropriate for any age. These gifts will be donated to local Greater MetroWest agencies, other local charitable organizations and Hurricane Sandy victims. All ages are welcome.

Early Childhood Family Activities: 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., Storytime with PJ Library and other family activities in Scotch Plains. A Teen/College Student Call Session will be held from 5 to 8 p.m. Last year close to 150 teens and college students raised approximately \$400,000 in support of UJA.

Other activities will include a blood drive, bone marrow registry, non-perishable food and coat drive, and a non-prescription medication drive. Vendors will be on site with Judaica and other holiday gift items.

There will be four call sessions. Training will be provided on site. Kosher meals and snacks will be provided to all volunteers and their families. Those unable to volunteer are asked to make as generous a donation as possible when called.

To register for the phonathon and see the complete Super Sunday schedule, visit [jfedgmw.org/supersunday](http://jfedgmw.org/supersunday) or call (973) 929-3010.



GIANT SALE...In the wake of Hurricane Sandy, the 25th annual giant book sale at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Westfield has been rescheduled for Sunday, December 9, from noon to 5 p.m.; Monday, December 10, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., and Tuesday, December 11, from 9 a.m. to noon.

## St. Paul's Church Reschedules Book Sale For December 9-11

WESTFIELD — In the wake of Hurricane Sandy, the 25th annual Giant Book Sale at St. Paul's Episcopal Church will open on Sunday, December 9, from noon to 5 p.m., and Monday, December 10, from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., and close on Tuesday, December 11, when Bag Day will be held from 9 a.m. to noon. Originally scheduled to run November 4 to 6, the sale was postponed due to a power outage at the church.

"A wide variety of books in many categories had already been donated for this year's sale when Sandy shut us down," said St. Paul's Minister of Music Charles M. Banks, "but we have now resumed accepting donations. In addition to your gently used books, we accept CDs, videos, software, records, DVDs, oversized books, sheet music, games and puzzles."

Donors can drop their items off at the church's Parish Hall on Sunday, December 2, through Friday, December 7. Items should be dropped off after 3 p.m. on weekdays. If possible, books should be bagged by category such as history, science, children's, nonfiction, etc. St. Paul's is unable to accept donated textbooks, magazines, encyclopedias, or Reader's Digest condensed books.

"The storm is over and the holidays are here," Mr. Banks noted. "We hope our sale will give both returning customers and newcomers alike a fun break after Sandy's devastation and a chance to just browse in search of that special delivery Christmas, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa or birthday gift book. Come join us. That special read or rare find awaits you at a bargain price."

Sponsored by the Friends of Music at St. Paul's, this annual fundraiser supports the various musical programs, concerts and activities offered to the

general public at St. Paul's throughout the year. St. Paul's is located at 414 East Broad Street in Westfield near Euclid Avenue and across from the Westfield Municipal Building. To access the Parish Hall, use the Euclid Avenue driveway entrance.

For more information, call (908) 451-5082 or e-mail [cbnj123@verizon.net](mailto:cbnj123@verizon.net).

### St. Paul's Day School To Hold Book Sale

WESTFIELD — The St. Paul's Day School Annual Book Fair will be held on Tuesday, December 4, and Wednesday, December 5, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Parish Hall of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, located at 414 East Broad Street in Westfield.

In addition to picture books, activity books, easy readers and chapter books for children, there will be a vast selection of holiday and activity books, as well as some *New York Times* bestsellers, fiction and non-fiction for adults. A portion of all sales goes directly to St. Paul's Day School.

## Fanwood Presbyterian Tells Advent, Christmas Services

FANWOOD — The Fanwood Presbyterian Church welcomes everyone to its Advent and Christmas services and programs.

Advent will begin on Sunday, December 2, with the lighting of the first Advent candle at the 9:30 and 11:15 a.m. services. The choir will sing at the early service and the praise band will play at the second. Children will make Advent wreaths in Sunday school.

Also on December 2, the church will present the joyful Christmas portion of Handel's *Messiah* at 4 p.m. in the sanctuary. A full orchestra and four professional vocal soloists under the direction of Thomas Berdos, music director, will join more than 60 singers.

Tickets are \$20 and are available by calling (908) 889-8891, extension no. 17, or by sending a check to Fanwood Presbyterian Church, P.O. Box 69, Fanwood, N.J. 07023. Individuals are asked to note it "Messiah" and include a self-addressed stamped envelope.

A Heifer Market will be held on Sunday, December 9, from 10:30 to 11:15 a.m. in Westminster Hall. The children of the Sunday school will sell shares of different animals for Heifer International. Heifer is a nonprofit, humanitarian organization dedicated to ending hunger and poverty and caring for the Earth by providing livestock and training to those in need. Recipients agree to "Pass on the Gift" of one or more of their animal's offspring to others. Shares will be sold at \$10. A card and note is given to those who purchase shares of animals as gifts. The public is invited to this market.

The regular worship times of 9:30 and 11:15 a.m. will continue on December 9, 16 and 23. Carols will be sung at all these services.

On Christmas Eve the church will have two services. The family service will be at 5 p.m. when children, 4-year-olds to those in fifth grade, will perform a Christmas pageant. At 11 p.m. there will be a candlelight communion service preceded by special Christmas music beginning at 10:45 p.m.

The Fanwood Presbyterian Church welcomes all who would like to join the congregation at all or any of these services. The church is located at the corner of Martine and LaGrande Avenues. For more information, call the church office at (908) 889-8891 or e-mail [admin@fanwoodpc.org](mailto:admin@fanwoodpc.org).

### Santa-Tree Lighting Due In Fanwood

FANWOOD — Fanwood's holiday season will officially begin when Santa Claus arrives in the borough on Sunday, December 2, at 3 p.m. Everyone is invited to meet Santa under the big tent on the lawn in front of Fanwood's North Avenue Train Station and enjoy an afternoon of seasonal music, holiday crafts and refreshments — all for free.

Children who stop by to say hello to Santa will receive a free photograph of their visit with him. Youngsters also will be able to enter contests and win prizes. The celebration will conclude at 5 p.m. when Mayor Colleen Mahr lights the Fanwood Christmas tree on the train station lawn. The Fanwood Recreation Commission will present this event.

## Cranford Historical Society To Hold Holiday Boutique

CRANFORD — Once again, the Cranford Historical Society will hold a Holiday Boutique at the Crane-Phillips House Museum. Visitors will have an opportunity to buy decorations and ornaments for their home as well as some unusual items. The sale will benefit the museum garden and grounds.

Dates are: Monday through Friday, November 26 to 30, and Saturday, December 1. Hours are Monday through Friday, 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and 6:30 to 8:30 p.m., and Saturday, 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. On Saturday, the last day of the sale, children will be able to meet Mrs.

Claus. Candy canes will be given out. The Crane-Phillips House Museum is located at 124 North Union Avenue in Cranford.

This year, the Cranford Historical Society is celebrating its 85th anniversary. The Society has been dedicated to the perpetuation of Cranford's history by continuing to collect and document the town's past up through the 21st century.

For further information, call the historical society's office at (908) 276-0082 or e-mail [cranfordhistoricalsociety@verizon.net](mailto:cranfordhistoricalsociety@verizon.net). The website is [cranfordhistoricalsociety.com](http://cranfordhistoricalsociety.com).

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