

PRAYER REQUESTS

- Pray:** For the ministry of our congregation that the love of Christ will be shared in the world!
- Pray:** For our country and the President.
- Pray:** For Walter Schaefer for healing.
- Pray:** Jean Vander Vort's grandson, Sean, as he is struggling with the return of cancer.
- Pray:** Jeanne Clark for God's comforting presence and strength.
- Pray:** For Louis Menapace for recovery, healing and peace; his parents for strength and peace.
- Pray:** For Margie Johnson, friend of Jeanne Clark, lung cancer.
- Pray:** For Maryanne Gawlak for healing and strength.
- Pray:** For Karen Whitaker's father for healing.
- Pray:** For Mary Tepfenhart for her peace of mind and for the health of her family.
- Pray:** For Eleanor Powell, for strength and comfort.
- Pray:** For Lynn Scott's sister, Jan, who has Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia.
- Pray:** For peace and stability in the World.

Please pray for the families and individuals on **page 1** of our Church Directory this week. Those people are:

Courtney (Griffiths) & John Achilli
 Betty Apostolacus
 William & Patricia Armstrong, James
 William & Lorraine Asman III
 William & Zigrida Asman IV, Amelia, Allen
 Doris & Bud Ayers
 Tom & Mary Balkan
 Keith & JoAnn Barclay, Kerri, Pheobe
 Ruth Barclay, Brent Day
 Pat Barnes
 Thomas & Susan Barnes, Caroline, Catherine
 Betty Barrett
 Lois & Mitch Bass

ATTENDANCE

01/22 22

GIVING

| | Week Ending January 22, 2017 | Year to Date |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------|
| Needed for Ministry | \$2,558.26 | \$10,233.04 |
| Actually Given 01/22 | \$2,485.00 | \$7,938.75 |

PEOPLE WHO ARE SERVING TODAY

Sunday School Teachers: Joan & Anna
 Ushers: Barbara & Stella
 Counters: Stella & Tom

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Dr. Grace Pak, Pastor
 Pastor Juyeon Lee, Music Director
 Carol Mawby, Church Secretary
 Erik Heinlein, Custodian
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EMBURY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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At Embury, we are here to know Jesus Christ and to make Him known in the world.

To this end, we will **P.A.C.E.**

- **Practice** intentional spiritual disciplines to know Jesus Christ and to make Him known
- **Align** our lives and all ministries to know Jesus Christ and to make Him known
- **Create** and innovate new ways to know Jesus Christ and to make Him known
- **Equip** and train others to lead and share how to know Jesus Christ and to make Him known

ORDER OF WORSHIP

January 29, 2017

10:00 A.M. Service

The Worship Service begins with Prelude. When the music begins, let us focus our attention on God and prepare our hearts for the worship.

**Please stand if comfortable and able or please be united in heart and posture.*

GATHERING AS GOD'S PEOPLE

Prelude “Beneath the Cross of Jesus” Dale Wood

*Opening Prayer

Gracious God, we gather here to worship your Holy Name and to receive deep insight of how we are to live. May we feed on your words of unusual wisdom, seeing before us an unfolding vision of a renewed world as close and real as our breathing. Come! Jesus, our teacher, healer, leader, and friend, as you speak to us your words of life and wisdom, may we have the ears to hear. Praise be to you our Savior that our time together will be blessed. In whose name we pray. Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

Please extend a hand to your neighbor and share this greeting:

Greeting: *The peace of the Lord be with you*

Response: *and also with you.*

*Praise

“Open the Eyes of My Heart” - #3008

“Come as You Are” - Crowder

Sharing Our Joys and Concerns

Prayers of the People

The Lord's Prayer (in 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 trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not
into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the
kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

Anthem "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" arr. by
Tom Fettke & Thomas Grassi

LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD

*Gospel Lesson 1 Corinthians 1:18-31 p. 1128
Matthew 5:1-12 p. 958
This is the Word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Time for Young Disciples

Message "Radical Living" The Rev. Grace Pak

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

Giving of Our Tithes & Offerings

(Prayer requests may be placed in the offering plate at this time)

Offertory

*Doxology

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above ye heavenly hosts;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication (in unison)

In gratitude for your love that never lets us go, we bring you our
gifts, O God. Help us to give with generous grace and to love
lavishly as you have so loved us. We pray in the name of Jesus
the Christ who came that we might know what a life of love
looks like. Amen.

*Closing Hymn "Be Thou My Vision" UMH #451

*Benediction

*Postlude "Prelude & Fugue in G Minor" Johann Sebastian Bach



ANNOUNCEMENTS

THIS WEEK

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|---------------|---|--------------------|
| Sun. Jan. 29 | Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany Small Group @ church | 10:00am 11:30am |
| Tues. Jan. 31 | Small Group @ Parsonage | 7-9pm |
| Thur. Feb. 2 | Praise Team Choir | 7:30pm 8:30pm |

UPCOMING EVENTS

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|--------------|---|--------------------|
| Sun. Feb. 5 | Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany Small Group @ church | 10:00am 11:30am |
| Tues. Feb. 7 | Small Group @ Parsonage | 7-9pm |
| Thur. Feb. 9 | Praise Team Choir | 7:30pm 8:30pm |

WELCOME TO EMBURY: We welcome our new friends in Christ's name. We hope that you will be blessed in our worship services as well as in the fellowship with our members. Please sign the registration card in the pew.

THE 2ND ANNUAL EMBURY CHILI COOK-OFF has been cancelled due to not enough chili entries. Donations will be accepted throughout the month of February for the Little Silver EMS Squad. Please mark your donations LSEMS. Let us give generously to show our support and appreciation for the EMS.

PLEDGE ENVELOPES for 2017 are available in the Church Narthex.

FLOWER CHART: The Flower Chart for 2017 is in the Narthex all ready for your "In Honor" and "In Memory" Floral arrangements. Be sure to sign up soon for your personal date.

SMALL GROUPS meet Tuesday evenings 7-9pm at the parsonage and on Sundays after the worship service at 11:15am - 12:30pm at the church. For these 10-weeks, we are studying the Book of Psalms and we will see how they are used for prayer, praise and express a variety of emotions toward God and others. Join us for the opportunity to experience the blessings of growing in faith together! Any questions? Contact Pastor Grace at pastor.gracepak@gmail.com

COUNTER NEEDED for only one Sunday per month! Please contact Wade Turnock if you could help in this ministry @ 732.747.3113.

LIKE US ON FACEBOOK: We have an Embury Facebook Page. It is "Embury UMC – Little Silver, NJ" Come visit and join in the conversation.

EMBURY'S WEBSITE: Visit our website at www.emburyumc.org for ministry information, our photo library and upcoming events, etc.

FOOD GIFT CARDS: If you are interested in food gift cards, please contact the following: Stella Bishop for Acme or Foodtown (732-600-6460). Thank you.

UPPER ROOM: The Upper Room is now available for January and February.

FELLOWSHIP IN THE PARLOR: Join us for a time of fellowship after the service for good conversations and wonderful refreshments. If you would like to bring any refreshments to celebrate any joyous occasions, please talk to Andrea Dadap.