

**SPECIAL PRAYER CONCERNS THIS WEEK**

- 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 Marilyn Lekus' daughter, Ann in Florida (storm area!)
- Pray:** For Jean Vander Vort – She is OK in Houston, Texas (flood area!)
- Pray:** For Jean Vander Vort's son – Lives in Rockport, Texas (flood area!)
- Pray:** For Fran Hansen recovering from surgery.
- Pray:** For Laura Bennett, Fran's daughter, recovering from surgery
- Pray:** For Eleanor Raemsch, Hank's wife, recovering from surgery.
- Pray:** For Erik Heinlein recovering from oral surgery.
- Pray:** For Walter Schaefer who is now home from the hospital.
- Pray:** For Andrea Dadap continued healing from surgery.
- Pray:** For Paul Dupree who is recovering at Meridian Rehab, Rm 212, Shrewsbury
- Pray:** For Stella Bishop's friend, Patricia Levy diagnosed with cancer.
- 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 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 and Harry 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 4** of our Church Directory this week. Those members and friends are:

- Paul Dupree
- Rosemary Dzwonkowski
- Dot Earley
- Beverly English
- David Fitzmaurice
- Lee Fortini
- Ronald & Katherine Gillaspie, Ryan
- Robert & Elizabeth Glover
- Jose & Wanda Gomez, Gabriella, Isabella
- David & Jackalyn Griffiths
- Lindsey Griffiths
- Frances Hansen
- Susan Hallander, Eric

**ATTENDANCE**

<b>09/10</b>	<b>24</b>
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**GIVING**

	Week Ending Sept 10	Year to Date
<b>Needed for Ministry</b>	<b>\$2,558.26</b>	<b>\$94,655.61</b>
<b>Actually Given 09/10</b>	<b>\$3,137.00</b>	<b>\$78,654.71</b>

**More Announcements**

- 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](http://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). We need more shoppers!!! Thank you.
- UPPER ROOM** Daily Devotional for September and October is now available in the Narthex and Table outside the Office.
- REV. GRACE AND DAN PAK'S NEW ADDRESS** – 18 Mountain View Road, Lopatcong, New Jersey 08865

**PEOPLE WHO ARE SERVING TODAY**

- Ushers: Erik & Stephan
- Counters: Jerry & Katharine
- Scripture Reading: Erik Heinlein – Matthew 18:21-35

**CHURCH STAFF**

- Rev. Hyun Hui Kim, Pastor
- Pastor Juyeon Lee, Music Director
- Carol Mawby, Church Secretary
- Erik Heinlein, Custodian
- Office Hours: Monday and Thursday  
9:00AM – 1:00PM
- Church Phone: 732-741-9708
- E-mail: [EmburyUMC@aol.com](mailto:EmburyUMC@aol.com)



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

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✦ GATHERING AS GOD'S PEOPLE ✦

Prelude "Abide with Me" Dale Wood

Welcome and Announcements

\* Passing of the Peace

\* Call to Worship

Leader: Sing songs of hope and peace.

**People: God's love and power have lifted us.**

Leader: Sing songs of mercy and grace.

**People: God's mercy and forgiveness frame our lives.**

Leader: Thanks be to God for all God's love and mercy.

**People: Praise be to God for the healing power God extends to each one of us. Amen.**

\* Opening Prayer (in union)

**We could have mercy, Compassion's heart, but we judge others by those standards we cannot even meet. We could welcome all around us as sisters and brothers, but hold them at contempt's length away from us. We could have patience with family and friends, but tap our feet and drum our fingers until they do what we want. In your forgiveness, Tender God, you wipe the board clean of all our poor accounting. You don't deal off the bottom of the deck to us, but turn up the ace of grace for us. You gather up all our foolishness and hurl it beyond the edge of the universe, so the healing you intend for us through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior, will take place. Amen.**

\* Praise "Open the Eyes of My Heart" – 3008  
"Amazing Grace" - #378

Sharing our Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (in Unison)

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed by 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 "A Clean Heart" Benjamin Haran

✦ LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD ✦

Scripture Reading Matthew 18:21-35 (pg. 975) Erik Heinlein  
This is the word of the Lord.

**Thanks be to God!**

Time for Young Disciples

Message Why Should We Forgive? Pastor Juyeon Lee

✦ RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD ✦

Giving of Our Tithes & Offerings  
(Prayer requests may be placed in the offering plate at this time)

Offertory What God Does is Well Done F. W. Marpurg

\* 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 union)

**We have a variety of intentions for offering these gifts to you, Loving God, but whatever the reason, whatever might be our purpose, we trust you will use them to bring healing to brokenness, hope to despair, and welcome to the forgotten. In the name of Jesus we pray. Amen.**

\* Hymn "Freely, Freely" #389

\* Benediction

\* Postlude He Leadeth Me! O Blessed Thought! Robert J. Powell

A single \* indicates to stand, if you are able, # refers to the hymnal.  
**Bold print indicates unison response.**

"The altar flowers this morning are given  
To the Glory of God by Beverly English"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THIS WEEK

Sun. Sept. 17	15th Sunday after Pentecost	10:00am
Thur. Sept. 21	Praise Team Choir	7:30pm 8:30pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. Sept. 24	16th Sunday after Pentecost	10:00am
Fri. Oct. 13	Pie Make	Noon to 3pm
Sat. Oct. 14	Pie Make	7am onward!
Sun. Oct 15	Crop Walk – Red Bank High School, Ridge Rd., Little Silver	1pm-reg. 2pm-start
Sat. Oct. 28	Annual Church Conference	

**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.

**PASTOR'S EMAIL & EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER:**  
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**REQUEST FOR SCRIPTURE READER** – Please speak to Pastor about becoming a Scripture Reader.

**PIE MAKE DATES** – October 13-14; November 10-11.

**37<sup>th</sup> Red Bank ANNUAL CROP WALK** to be held on Sunday, Oct. 15!  
**Register at 1:00pm; walk starts @ 2:00pm** – Red Bank Reg. HS.

**ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE** to be held on **Saturday, October 28 @ The Calvary Korean Church, 572 Ryders Lane, East Brunswick, NJ.** Embury UMC is scheduled in the afternoon group that gathers at **1:45pm. All church conference paperwork is due on Thurs. Sept. 14** to Church Office! And on **Friday, September 29, 2017** to Conference. More information to follow.

**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.

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