

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 the family of Mary G. McCleary, Katharine McCleary's mother, who went to be with the Lord.
- Pray:** For the family of Frances T. McCrink, Patty McCrink's mother, who went to be with the Lord.
- Pray:** For the people of Las Vegas!
- Pray:** For residents of Puerto Rico!
- Pray:** For Jackie Henderson whose family is in the Dominica.
- Pray:** For Marilyn Lekus' daughter, Ann in Florida (storm area!)
- Pray:** For Fran Hansen recovering from surgery.
- Pray:** For Paul Dupree who is living at Majestic Rehab, 100 Chapin Ave., Red Bank 07701
- Pray:** For Stella Bishop's friend, Patricia Levy diagnosed with 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 9** of our Church Directory this week. Those members and friends are:

Rick & Christie Silver, Hugo
 Gloria Skeele & Bob Steers
 Vanessa Smith
 Larry & Terry Sorsby, Carson, Cameron
 Kathy Stevenson, Evelyn, James
 Myrtle Stillwell
 Dale Strover
 Emily Swift
 Ashley Tardiff
 Mary Tepfenhart, Ossiana
 Don & Mary Ann Thompson, Michelle, Ryan, Andrew
 Amanda (Griffiths) & Joe Toscano, Daisy

ATTENDANCE

10/15	28
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GIVING

	Week Ending Oct. 15	Year to Date
Needed for Ministry	\$2,558.26	\$107,446.90
Actually Given 10/15	\$2,067	\$88,991.12

More Announcements

GNJ CLERGY & LAY LEADERSHIP – Meeting with Bishop John Schol on **December 7, 2017**, Aldersgate UMC. Clergy Session at 9:00am; Laity Session at 7:00pm.

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.

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

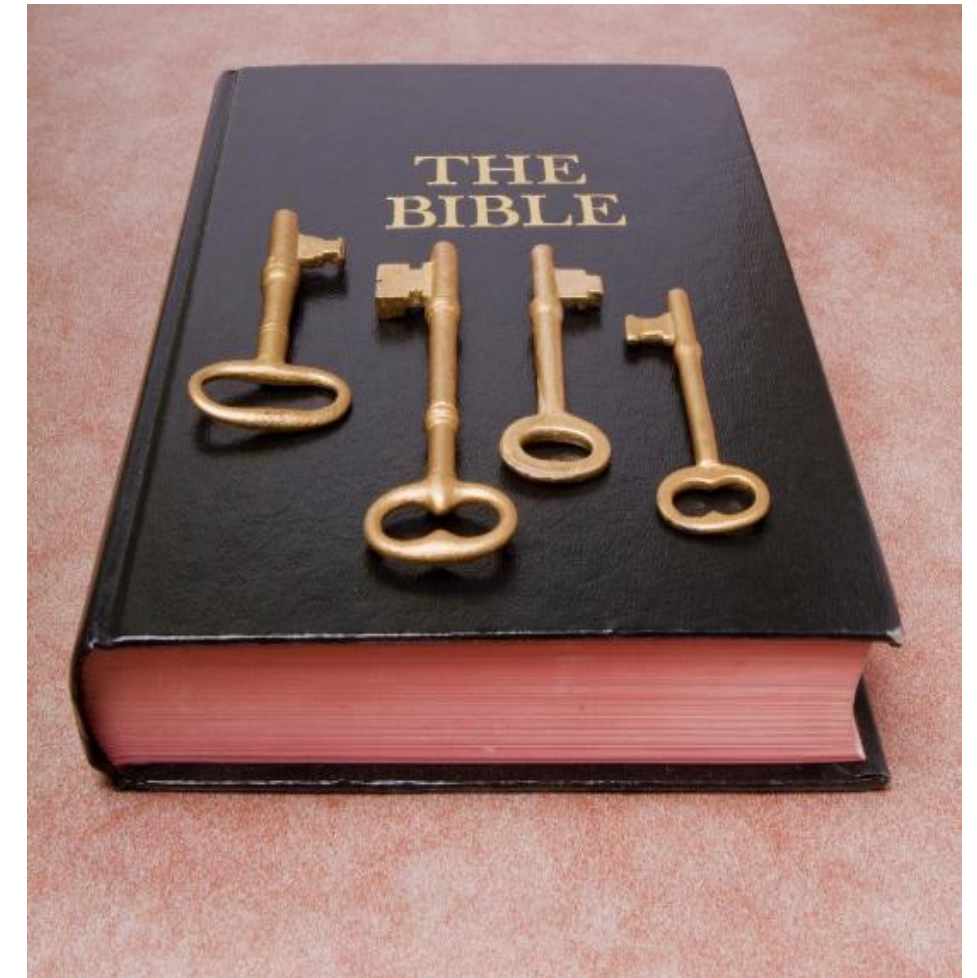
EMBURY'S WEBSITE: Visit our website at www.emburyumc.org for ministry information, our photo library and upcoming events, etc.

UPPER ROOM Daily Devotional for **November and December** 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

October 22, 2017

10:00 A.M. Service



PEOPLE WHO ARE SERVING TODAY

Ushers: Joan & Dianne
 Counters: Joan & Marilyn
 Scripture Reading: Barbara Mason – Matthew 22:15-22 (p. 979)

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

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 I Need Thee Every Hour by Dale Wood

Welcome and Announcements

* Passing of the Peace

* Call to Worship

Leader: As we gather to worship you, Holy One,

People: show us your presence, O God.

Leader: As we join to pray at your footstool, Exalted One,

People: show us your ways, O God.

Leader: As we unite our voices to praise you, Lover of Justice,

People: show us your glory, O God.

Leader: As we tremble in the cleft of the rock, silently awaiting you, Merciful One,

People: show us your goodness, O God.

Leader: Let the earth shake in your praise, Most High!

People: We extol your great and awesome name, ever-present God!

* Opening Prayer (in union)

Living God, move among us and awaken us to your loving presence. When we lose our way and put our confidence in our possessions and our wisdom, call us back to you. Remind us that our very identity is dependent on your abiding mercy. Show us how to walk with steadfast faithfulness, following the path of justice and goodness in our daily lives. May our days be filled with joy and hope as we share the good news of abundant life that comes from following Jesus Christ. In the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray. Amen.

* Praise "Guide My Feet" - 2208
"More Precious Than Silver" - 2065

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 "My Savior and My God" by Jay Althouse

+ LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD +

Scripture Reading: Matthew 22:15-22 (p. 979) – Barbara Mason

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Time for Young Disciples

Message What is Lawful? Rev. Hyun Hui Kim

+ RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD +

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

Offertory Devotion Chester Nordman

* 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)

May not only our gifts, but our lives, be the grace and hope which bring healing to the broken, as well as food and nourishment to all who hunger and thirst for justice and peace. Amen.

* Hymn "How Shall I Come Before the Lord?" (W & S) 3124

* Benediction

* Postlude The Heavens Declare by Benedetto Marcello

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
by Jim Beardsley – Thanks!"

ANNOUNCEMENTS

THIS WEEK

Sun. Oct. 22	22nd Sunday after Pentecost	10:00am
Thur. Oct. 26	Praise Team Choir	7:30pm 8:30pm
Sat. Oct. 28	Annual Church Conference	4-5pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. Oct. 29	23rd Sunday after Pentecost	10:00am
Thur. Nov. 2	Praise Team Choir	7:30pm 8:30pm
Fri. Nov. 10 & Sat. Nov. 11	Pie Makes	Noon/3pm 7am onward

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:
hyunhuikim75@gmail.com / 973.879.8663 (cell)

HELP WANTED: Embury needs someone to assume the duties of Treasurer. Position open as soon as possible, but preferably by early December at the latest. Tasks include record-keeping of deposits, bill-paying, and other associated tasks. Familiarity with Quick Books (or willingness to learn) an asset. For more information, see Pastor Kim or Dianne Lowing. PLEASE consider offering your skills for this vital position

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.

ANNUAL CHURCH CONFERENCE to be held on **Sat., Oct. 28 @ 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 now due** to Church Office! More information to follow.

REQUEST FOR SCRIPTURE READER – Please speak to Pastor about becoming a Scripture Reader.