

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:** Jeanne Clark for God's healing.
- 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:** 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 10** of our Church Directory this week. Those members and friends are:

Wade & Wendy Turnock

Jim & Yuka Urso

Jeff Van Wagnen

John Van Wagner

Jean Vander Vort

James & Alison Voss

George & Alice West

Bruce Whitaker & Patty McCrink, Anna

Mark & Karen Whitaker, Evon, Keira

Cordelia White

James & Catherine Whittle, Sara, Jack

Dorothy Wild

Christine & Johnathan Wollschleager, Sophia, Gwyneth, Sebastian

ATTENDANCE

10/22	28
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GIVING

	Week Ending Oct. 22	Year to Date
Needed for Ministry	\$2,558.26	\$110,005.16
Actually Given 10/22	\$1,651.35	\$90,642.47

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

PEOPLE WHO ARE SERVING TODAY

Ushers: Beverly & Jim

Counters: Wade & Jim

Scripture Reading: Erik Heinlein – Matthew 20:1-6 (p. 976)

CHURCH STAFF

Rev. Hyun Hui Kim, Pastor

Pastor Juyeon Lee, Music Director

Carol Mawby, Church Secretary

Erik Heinlein, Custodian

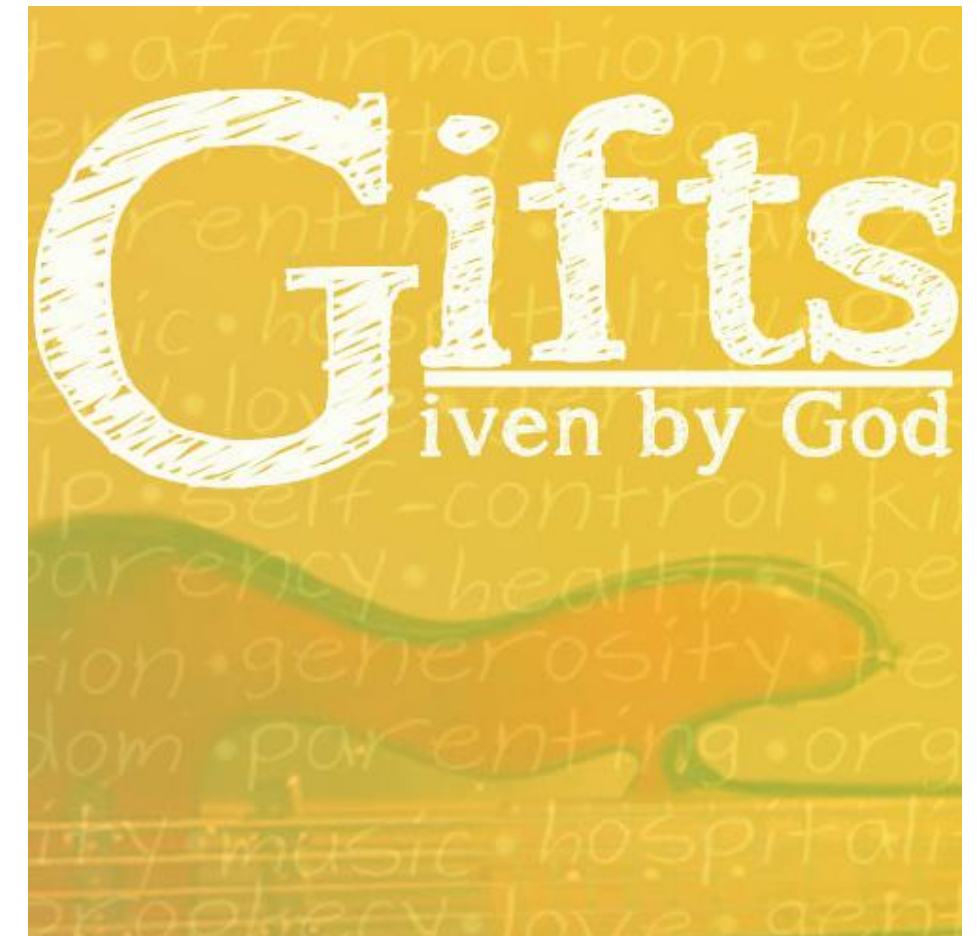
Office Hours: Monday and Thursday

9:00AM – 1:00PM

Church Phone: 732-741-9708

October 29, 2017

10:00 A.M. Service



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 Blessed are They by Kyle Hovatter

Welcome and Announcements

* Passing of the Peace

* Call to Worship

Leader: God has called us to be people of love.

People: God didn't mean the "syrupy" stuff of movies and novels.

Leader: Truly loving can sometimes be difficult.

People: Yet we are called to reach beyond the difficulty with compassion.

Leader: In all of this, God is with us, guiding and helping us.

People: Thanks be to God for God's faithful presence. AMEN!

* Opening Prayer (in union)

Everlasting God, you have been our dwelling place in all generations. Since the creation of the world, you have nurtured us with your love. And yet we shamefully acknowledge that we do not always share your love with others. We are selective about who we choose as neighbors only those who are clean, who look like us, who talk right, who seem safe. Loving God, teach us to love you more fully. For in loving you, our lives will show love to all others, even as your love encompasses all your creation, in all generations. We pray in the name of your greatest gift of love, Jesus Christ. Amen.

* Praise "More Like You" - 2167
"How Great Thou Art" - #77

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 "What Does the Lord Require?" Allen Pote

✦ LISTENING TO GOD'S WORD ✦

Scripture Reading Matthew 20:1-6 (p. 976) Erik Heinlein

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God!

Time for Young Disciples

Message That's not Fair! 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)

As you have poured your healing love into our lives, O God, we now offer these gifts to you. Let them be used in ministries of peace and justice through the work of this church in your world. AMEN.

* Hymn "Give Thanks" (TFWS) 2036

* Benediction

* Postlude Praised be Thou, O Jesus Christ J. S. Bach

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 In Memory of Jim Clark's Birthday. Jeanne" And also "Thanks!" from Jim Beardsley.

THIS WEEK

Sun. Oct. 29	23rd Sunday after Pentecost Small Group	10:00am 11:30am
Thur. Nov. 2	Praise Team Choir	7:30pm 8:30pm

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sun. Nov. 5	24th Sunday after Pentecost "All Saints' Day" Daylight Saving Time Ends! Fall Back! Small Group	10:00am 11:30am
Thur. Nov. 9	Praise Team Choir	7:30pm 8:30pm
Fri. Nov. 10 & Sat. Nov. 11	Pie Makes	Noon/3pm 7am onward
Fri. Dec. 1 & Sat. Dec. 2	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

ALL SAINTS' SUNDAY is celebrated this year on Sunday, November 5. Think about sharing with us a saint in your life. Bring their name(s) and a picture(s), who have passed away or are still with us, and share a memory about that person(s) in one paragraph. If you have any questions talk to Pastor.

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.

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

ANNOUNCEMENTS