

**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 Duncan McCallum (husband of Rev. Carol) who passed away on Friday, April 6.**
- Pray:** For Ryan, Flo Schaefer’s grandson, recovering from surgery.
- Pray:** For Doris and Bud Ayers whose house pipes froze & burst.
- Pray:** For Mary Tepfenhart’s health.
- Pray:** Jeanne Clark for God’s healing.
- Pray:** For Eleanor Powell, for healing of pain.
- Pray:** For Paul Dupree who is living at Majestic Rehab, 100 Chapin Ave., Red Bank 07701
- Pray:** For peace and stability in the World.

Please pray for the families and individuals on **page 7** of our Church Directory this week. Those members and friends are:

- Burke and Carol Mawby
- Carl and Michelle Mayo
- Rev. Carole McCallum
- Katharine McCleary
- Patty McCrink and Bruce Whitaker, Anna
- Scott and Paulette Moeller, Gary, Josh
- Stephen Montero
- Gary and Beth Munson, Kent, Sean
- Patricia McNulty
- Beth Newmann
- Mary Sue O’Brien, John, Molly, Terry, Matthew

**ATTENDANCE**

04/29/18	20
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**GIVING**

	Week Ending April 29	Year to Date
<b>Needed for Ministry</b>	<b>\$2,343.69</b>	<b>\$39,842.77</b>
<b>Actually Given 04/29</b>	<b>\$780.00 Plate \$300.00 Building</b>	<b>\$39,376.75</b>

**More Announcements**

**FLOWER CHART:** The Flower Chart for **2018** 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.**

**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.

**CONGREGATIONAL SHARING:** View all the church to church happenings on the Northern Shore District Website! (gnjumc.org). Church events and fliers are updated on a regular basis so you will never miss out. If you would like your church event to be posted on the **District Events Page**, please email dsidorakis@gnjumc.org.

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

**PASTOR’S EMAIL & EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBER:**  
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**EMBURY’S WEBSITE:** Visit our website at **www.emburyumc.org** for ministry information, our photo library and upcoming events, etc.

**THE UPPER ROOM** daily devotional for **May and June** is available for you in the Sanctuary and also on the table just outside the Parlor.

**THANK YOU TO THE PEOPLE WHO ARE SERVING TODAY!**

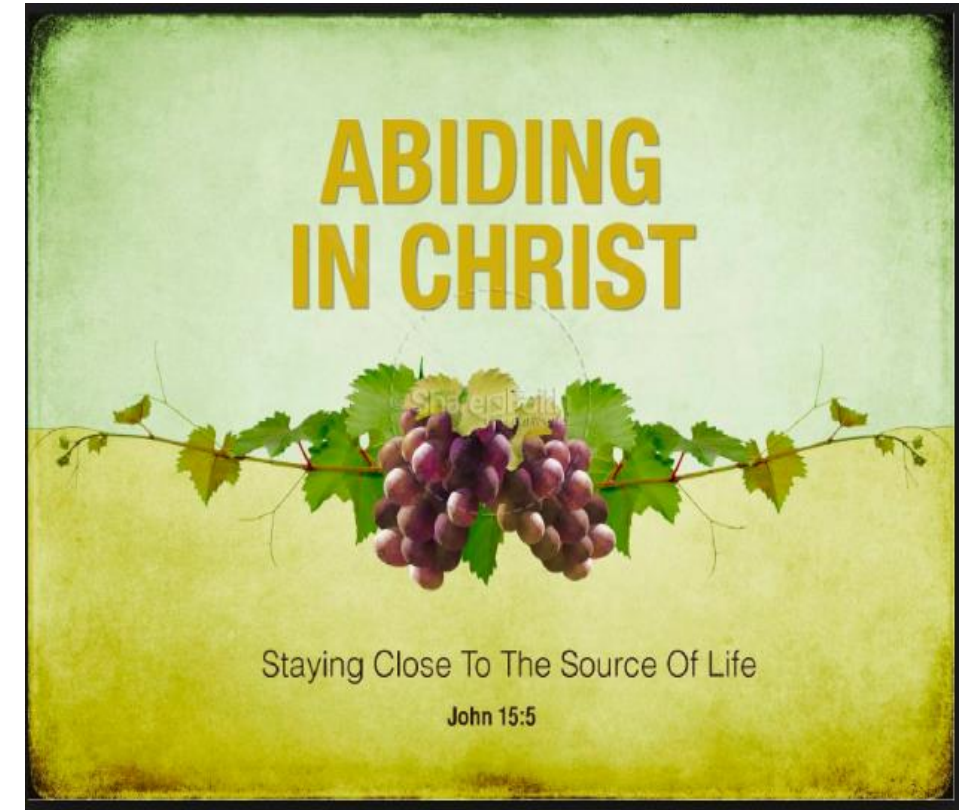
- Ushers: Erik and Stephan
- Counters: Jerry and Katharine
- Sunday School: Andrea – Choosing the Seven
- Scripture Reading: John 15:4-8 (p. 1068) Barbara Mason

**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

May 6, 2018

10:00 A.M. Service



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

**Embury United Methodist Church**

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**✦ GATHERING AS GOD’S PEOPLE ✦**

Prelude Our Father in Heaven J. S. Bach

Welcome and Announcements

\*Passing of the Peace

\*Call to Worship

Leader: We gather to worship the One who crafted creation out of chaos,

**People: Our cries of joy join the anthems of the universe.**

Leader: We gather to lift our praise to the God who gives us voice,

**People: We bring the songs which have echoed in our hearts all week long.**

Leader: We gather as the children of God, our joy unbroken in God's love.

**People: Young and old, tone deaf and perfect-pitched, lift the new, new songs of faith.**

\*Opening Prayer (in union)

**Loving God, help us to seek your wisdom by living into your truth, and your truth is found in the love we have for one another. May our love be fearless. May our love be without judgment. May our love call us into your ways of justice, your ways of practicing kindness, and your ways of building peace. We only know you in a glimpse; but we know you most fully in the abiding love we have for one another, a love that comes only from you, who gave your life for us. Amen**

\*Praise #662 - “Stand Up, and Bless the Lord”

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.**

Special Music “Softly and Tenderly” Jerry Dadap

**✦ LISTENING TO GOD’S WORD ✦**

Scripture Reading John 15:4-8 (p. 1068) Barbara Mason  
**Thanks be to God!**

Time for Young Disciples

Message “Love Aides” Rev. HyunHui Kim

Holy Communion UMH p. 15

Prayer After Receiving

**Eternal God, we give you thanks for this holy mystery in which You have given yourself to us. Grant that we may go in the world in the strength of your Spirit, to give ourselves for others, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

**✦ RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD ✦**

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

Offertory Organ Piece Julius Gloger

\*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

**As we offer our treasure and hearts to you, O God, may they be used to pass on the promise of hope, of peace, of life, of community to all in need of your gifts and presence in their lives. Amen.**

\*Hymn “I Need Thee Every Hour” #397

\*Benediction

\*Postlude “Toccata (Symphony No. 5) exerpt” Charles-Marie Widor

The altar flowers are:

“In Memory of Marilyn Lekas’ husband, Dean”

“We give praise to God for Katharine McCleary’s ministry of music this morning.”

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

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**THIS WEEK**

Sun. May 6	Sixth Sunday of Easter	10:00am
Thur. May 10	Praise Team Choir	7:30-8pm 8-9pm

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

Sun. May 13	Seventh Sunday of Easter Mothers’ Day – Festival of the Christian Home	10:00am
Thur. May 17	Praise Team Choir	7:30-8pm 8-9pm

**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.

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

**COUNTER NEEDED:** for only one Sunday per month! Please contact Wade Turnock if you could help in this ministry @ 732-747-3113.

**OUR SPRING RUMMAGE ROOM** is scheduled for **Friday evening, June 8 from 5-8pm and Saturday, June 9 from 9am-2pm; rain or shine!** Start bringing items to the Fellowship Hall room #9 or the stage area on Saturday, June 2, Sunday, June 3, Monday, June 4, (not during Yoga 8:45-9:45pm), Tues, June 5, Wed. June 6 (not during Yoga 4:15-5:15), Thurs., June 7, Fri. June 8, (not during Yoga 8:45-9:45pm & BEFORE 4:30pm!) Please mark your calendar now so that you will reserve time for this wonderful community outreach as well as a very significant fund raiser! Talk to Carol Mawby about how you can participate and when! Be a part of “the fun!”