

OUR PRAYER CONCERNS:

Emergency Prayer Chain: Josephine Pedrick (299-3229) & Evelyn Shiffer (299-4874)

- Service Personnel– Isaac Hernandez, Jeff & Sue Springsteen, Kyle Hennessey, Michael Kacer, Melissa Smith, Brad Hyatt, Mark Lindle, Tammy Hunt ,Micah Warren, Joe Wallin, Sam Baker, Kyle Frankenfield, Frank Servais V, Matthew Suiters
 - Lois Nipe-Merion Gardens 1029, Frieda Bennett, Lindsay Place, Rm. 133
- Missionary of the Week—Steve & Nancy James (Haiti)

K.C. Biermann
Jessie Kite
Bill Goss—MS
Brenda Borneo– MS
Bob Young
Mary Ann Culletto
Maribeth Glynn
Caitlin DeVault
Lenny Dyson
Helen & Bill Keating
Jonathan Rizzo
Gretchen Biermann
Charles Jackson
Grace Alderman
Ken Stanley
Meghan Cox-migraines
David Warren
Kim Baker
Associate Pastor Search
Lillian Vasta-surgery
Bob & Sherill McHarness
Jo Pedrick
Carolyn Peachey
Jane Anderson Mauer
Family of Steve Cameron
Mr. & Mrs. DiPietro
Family of Mary Kershner
Family of David Glancey
Family of Betty O’Boyle
Connie Clark
Tristan Garcia—ICU
Sugar Huber

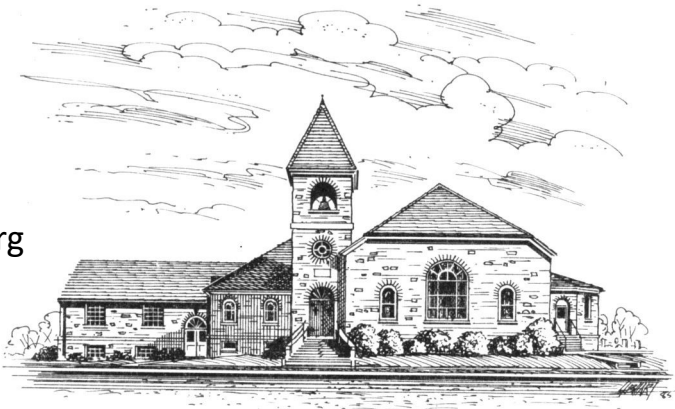
Angela Gattuso
Kathryn Asher
Brian McFarland & Family
Elizabeth Darlington
Nikki-Addiction
Mid Doughten
Bill Doughten
Mike Seders-MS
Kathie Garofolo
Zack Hand
Hannah Chase
Eric Jacobson
Joyce Vanaman
Haley Hanson
Justin Kane
Jay Ehrlich
Michele Unger
Michele Landew
Bethany Hewitt
Family of Laura Chard
Kayla Howard
Family of Brayden Bishoff
Family of Ron Udy
Family of Libby Green
Family of Jackie Richardson
Family of Sherman McMonigal
David Lemke
Belinda Oliver & Family
Bob Cassidy
Family of Pete Hanson
Tom McDonough
Warren Shiffer

Cancer:
Jack Mulligan
Kevin Jordan
Nancy Cox
Carol McFarland
Christina Aciavatti
Dawn Asher
Karl Biermann
Christopher Santone
Leslie Salas
JoAnne Piel Damiani
Maggie
Donald Shiffer
Ed Ryan
Ronnie
Jack Ryan
Joe Curiale
Bernie Webber
Linda Stearley
Tom Freeman
Jennifer Haines
Eleanor Hite
Matthew Schaeffer
Jesse Barreras
Deanna Sakaguchi
Gina Grasso
Jen McCalister
David Smith
Beth Kulik
Patty Clouser
Nancy Hicks
Bernie Lodge



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Church Office Hours:
Tuesday through Friday
9 a.m.—12 noon

Our Mission..."to birth and develop mature disciples of Jesus Christ who are characterized by faith, hope and love."

Our Sunday Schedule:
8:30 a.m.—Prayer
9:45 a.m.—Worship Service
11:15 a.m.—Sunday School

Pastor:
Merrit Marsango
(856) 467-1405

Second Sunday in Lent
March 17, 2019

Prelude
Worship Leader John Jordan
Welcome and Announcements
Prayer of Dedication
Call to Worship
*Hymn: “Great is Thy Faithfulness” #17
Invocation, Lord’s Prayer (sins), Gloria Patri #620
*Praise Songs: “Here I Am to Worship” Video
“New Doxology”
Prayers of the People
Scripture Reading Philippians 1:27-2:18 Beth Biermann
Children’s Sermon Pastor Marsango

Children ages 4-9 may leave for Junior Church at this time

Sermon “Joyful Humility” Pastor Marsango
*Closing Hymn: “I Would Be True” #432
Benediction
Postlude

*CONGREGATION STANDS TO PRAISE GOD!
Please turn off all cell phones during worship. Thank you!

If you need prayer or encouragement, please come down front
after the service and speak with a member of the Pastoral Care Team.

Ministers: Every Member (Ephesians 4:12-16)

Staff:
Pastor.....Merrit Marsango
Minister of Music.....Brian Heintzelman
Custodian.....Warren Shiffer
Church Secretary.....Michele Wallin

TODAY AT CHURCH: 8:30 AM — Morning Prayer
9:45 AM — Worship
11:15 AM—Sunday School
7:00 PM—Home Discipleship Group
7:00 PM—Senior Youth Group
Food Pantry Sunday

THIS WEEK:

Tuesday 3/19 - Pastor’s Discipleship Group 10:00 AM
- Marion’s Discipleship Group 10:00 AM
- Pastoral Care Team 7:00 PM

Wednesday 3/20 - Prayer Group 8:30 AM
- Discipleship Group 10:00 AM
- Adult Discipleship Team 11:00 AM
- Lenten Supper 6:00 PM
- Youth Group/Joyful Noise Choir 6:15/7:00 PM
- Senior Choir 7:30 PM

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday 3/24 - Home Discipleship Group 7:00 PM
- Senior Youth Group 7:00 PM

Tuesday 3/26 - Pastor’s Discipleship Group 10:00 AM
- Marion’s Discipleship Group 10:00 AM
- Leadership Community 7:00 PM

Wednesday 3/27 - Prayer Group 8:30 AM
- Discipleship Group 10:00 AM
- Lenten Supper 6:00 PM
- Youth Group/Joyful Noise Choir 6:15/7:00 PM
- Senior Choir 7:30 PM

Stewardship Report:

<u>Last Week (3/10/19)</u>	<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Mission Fund as of 3/10/19:</u>
Tithes Received: \$2,968.00	\$30,058.84	Revenue: \$12,515.00
Budget Needed: \$3,013.00	\$33,143.00	Expenditures: \$8,896.00
Difference +/-: -\$45.00	-\$3,084.16	

Worship Attendance for 3/10/19: (70)

America For Christ Offering as of 3/10/19: \$1255.00 Goal: \$3300



What: A Youth Summit event is being coordinated by Tim Joyce (Youth Pastor at Woodstown FBC) and other Youth Pastors in the Woodstown area and they are inviting other communities to participate in this event. The theme for the night is Identity in Christ, Freedom from Fear.

When: Saturday, March 30th from 4:00pm-8:00pm

Where: Camp Edge (26 Camp Edge Road, Alloway, NJ 08001)

Who: Youth Grades 6-12

Event Details: There will be games, activities, worship, food and a message. Students will also have an opportunity to share a devotional/reflection if they desire. The cost is \$5 per student.


Please RSVP to Jaclyn Minguez by Sunday, March 24th if you are interested in attending. We would also have adult representation from our church at the event.




The Prodigal God Video: If you missed the video or want to view it again, it will be shown this morning in the Parlor beginning at 11:30am. The video runs for 38 minutes.

Your Greeter This Morning: Evelyn Shiffer

WE WELCOME ALL IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST, OUR LORD AND SAVIOR.
IF THIS IS YOUR FIRST TIME WITH US, PLEASE FILL OUT A WELCOME CARD

 If, during the worship service, you have been touched by the Holy Spirit and would like to accept Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, please come forward after the service and speak to the Pastor or one of the Pastoral Care Team members.



Please consider using our childcare facility for those children who are nursery age. Your little ones will enjoy being there each week and will be well taken care of by our very capable volunteers. LOCATION: All Children (infant thru age 4) may go to the Toddler room at the bottom of the stairs and to the left, next to the bathrooms.

Call to Worship

Leader: Today is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it.

People: Let us be glad this day, for life, for breath and for freedom of worship.

Leader: Blessed are you, who come in the name of the Lord.

People: We come to offer our gifts of praise and gratitude to the King of Creation.



SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:
NURSERY AND TODDLER ROOM VOLUNTEERS:

Today: Barbara Jo Perry & Melby Hite
March 24: JoAnn Taylor & Nancy Kohler

JUNIOR CHURCH VOLUNTEERS:

Today: Marion Crawford & McKenna Minguez
March 24: Lisa & Joel Rudderow

Please report to the nursery/toddler rooms by 9:30am. If you are unable to volunteer on your scheduled week, please arrange for another volunteer to take your place and inform the church office (299-2123) of the change by 9am Thursday morning of that week. Thank you so much for your time! If you are interested in spending some time with our little ones once every few months, please contact Jaclyn Minguez at (609) 202-8491.

Sermon Series: During Lent Pastor Merrit will be preaching a series of messages based on the book: Because of This I Rejoice: Reading Philippians During Lent. The author, Max O. Vincent, hopes we will find joy practicing spiritual disciplines as we journey through Lent.



The C&Y team are requesting input and feedback from our youth regarding Youth Sunday by completing a short survey by March 15th. A link to the survey was sent out March 4th. Paper copies are also available on the Youth Bulletin Board and can be returned to the C&Y team mailbox or given to a C&Y team member once completed.



Second Baptist Church of Pedricktown invites you to a Gospel Comedy Show Luncheon on Saturday, March 23. Lunch is from 1-2pm with the show beginning at 2pm. Tickets are \$25 (includes lunch). To order tickets call 856-299-3952 or 856-299-5144.

From Bob Marino of the Divorce Care Program: I am looking for two people to help facilitate the Divorce Care Program. One man and one woman are required who have personally gone through divorce and who are not a couple. If you are interested in being part of this ministry please contact me - e-mail – robertfmarino@yahoo.com. DC meets every Tuesday evening (flexible) 7 – 9 PM at Woodstown Presbyterian Church and training will begin as candidates become available.

Lenten Supper Series: The Penns Grove-Carneys Point-Pedricktown Ministerium sponsors this series of gatherings. We meet at Union Presbyterian Church in Carneys Point on Wednesdays, beginning Ash Wednesday (March 6) and ending on April 10th. A soup supper begins at 6pm and a lesson follows from 7-7:30pm. All are invited to attend. **Please sign up on the bulletin board if you can bring a soup or dessert.**



The Stewardship Team is exploring online giving options and has found a way to allow congregants to give their tithes by using a bill pay method through their own banks. If this is something you or your family would be interested in participating in please send an email to lisarudderow@verizon.net by the middle of March. If you have any questions please ask Lisa Rudderow either by email or in person.