

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— Jim & Roberta Hill (TransWorld Radio)

K.C. Biermann
Jessie Kite
Bill Goss—MS
Mary Ann Culletto
Helen & Bill Keating
Jonathan Rizzo
Gretchen Biermann
Charles Jackson
Meghan Cox-migraines
David Warren
Kim Baker
Jo Pedrick
Jane Anderson Mauer
Sugar Huber
Pat Hepple
Jeff Tarzwell
Jeanette Nichols
Matt Westcott –addiction
Helen Tunstill
Duncan
Christopher Sandone
Pastor Doug Smith & Family
Cheryl Stieg-recovery
Melissa Barry
Family of Ken Stanley
Patty Jitima
Ira Weinstein
Ruth Jordan
Family of Romeo Costello
Kathy Kane
Family of Bob Young

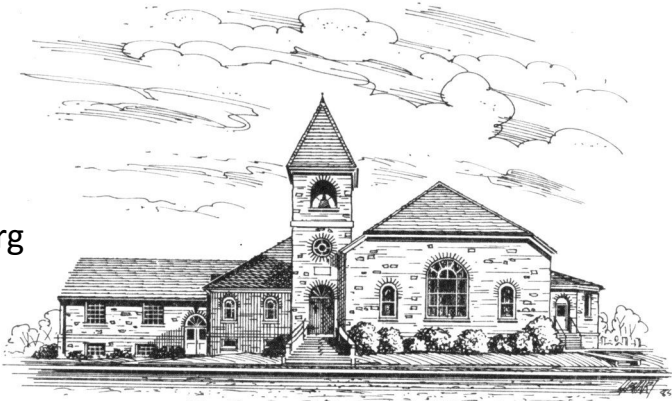
Angela Gattuso
Kathryn Asher
Brian McFarland & Family
Elizabeth Darlington
Nikki-Addiction
Mid Doughten
Bill Doughten
Mike Seders-MS
Kathie Garofolo
Eric Jacobson
Haley Hanson
Justin Kane
Jay Ehrlich
Michele Unger
David Lemke
Tom McDonough
Helen Whitehead
Bill Dennis
Greyson-seizures
Carol Blithe
Bud-Travers –stroke
Wayne Niebauer
Betty Egan
Family of Pastor George
Kevin Crouch– foot surgery
Family of Jack Ryan
Harry Moore
Hugh McStay-heart
Hernandez & Cruz Families
Family of Gilda Corina
Family of Raymond Jones

Cancer:
Jack Mulligan
Kevin Jordan
Nancy Cox
Carol McFarland
Christina Aciavatti
Dawn Asher
Karl Biermann
Leslie Salas
JoAnne Piel Damiani
Bill McIntyre
Donald Shiffer
Ed Ryan
Joe Curiale
Linda Stearley
Tom Freeman
Jennifer Haines
Matthew Schaeffer
Jesse Barreras
Deanna Sakaguchi
Gina Grasso
Jen McCalister
David Smith
Beth Kulik
Nancy Hicks
Bernie Lodge
Anita Delvechio
Warren Shiffer
Norm Engel
Barbara McBride
Patty Kosky
Connie Newton
Maggie



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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

The Lord's Day
August 11, 2019

Prelude
Worship Leader John Jordan
Welcome and Announcements
Prayer of Dedication
Call to Worship
***Hymn: "The God of Abraham Praise" #21**
Invocation, Lord's Prayer (sins), Gloria Patri #620
***Hymn: "Living for Jesus" #413**
Prayers of the People
Music for Worship Ave Maria Arielle Egan, vocal solo
Scripture Reading Hebrews 11:1-3; 8-19 Kelley Piel
Children's Sermon Esther Jackson

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

Sermon "The Relationship of Faith and Obedience" Pastor Marsango
***Closing Hymn: "Faith of Our Fathers" #118**
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

THIS WEEK:

Tuesday 8/13	- Worship Team Meeting	7:30 PM
Wednesday 8/14	- Prayer Group	8:30 AM
Friday 8/16	- Dr. Yaha LayLayLa	2:00 PM

LOOKING AHEAD:

Sunday 8/18	- Food Pantry Sunday	
Monday 8/19	- Child/Youth Team Meeting	7:00 PM
Tuesday 8/20	- Pastoral Care Team	7:00 PM
Wednesday 8/21	- Prayer Group	8:30 AM

Volunteers Needed!
If you would like to help out with some of the duties of the custodian please see the list on the bulletin board outside of the kitchen. If you complete something on the list please check it off so we don't duplicate duties.

The ABCNJ Annual Session will be held Saturday, September 28th in Princeton beginning at 8:30am and ending at 2pm. The cost is \$85 per person (through August 15th) which is paid by the church. If you wish to attend please notify Pastor Merrit TODAY. The cost increases after August 15.

Stewardship Report:

Last Week (8/4/19)		Fiscal Year	Mission Fund as of 8/4/19:	
Tithes Received:	\$2,316.00	\$86,852.20	Revenue:	\$32,735.00
Budget Needed:	\$3,013.00	\$96,416.00	Expenditures:	\$33,016.00
Difference +/-:	-\$697.00	-\$9,563.80		



Worship Attendance for 8/4/19: (71)

2019 Overland White Cross Request

This year our Overland White Cross Request is for Puerto Rico. Due to the high cost for postage in mailing the specific items there, the Mission Team has decided to send gift cards to purchase the needed items.

The Mission Team has posted the specific Christmas gifts, household items, and clothing items requested with a suggested dollar amount next to each item. If you would like to participate with this vital mission, please write your name next to the item on the list located on the bulletin board in the nartex. Instead of actually purchasing the item, place your donation in an envelope marked White Cross along with your name and the dollar amount written on your envelope. Claire and Nancy will be available in the narthex each Sunday in July and early August to receive your donation.

DONATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED THROUGH AUGUST 18TH.

As always the Mission Team THANKS YOU for your generous support of FBC's mission endeavors.





Your Greeter This Morning: Claire Kohler

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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

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 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:

On this new morning and in every moment of our lives, gracious God,
- People:

From generation to generation, we praise your holy name.
- Leader:

Like our ancestors before us, we proclaim your greatness to our children,
- People:

For we have seen your deeds of power and witnessed your goodness in our lives.
- Leader:

As you have opened your hand to all, satisfying the desire of every living thing
- People:

Open our hearts so that we might share the gifts we have received from you. Let us worship you in gratitude and joy! Amen!

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:
NURSERY AND TODDLER ROOM VOLUNTEERS:

Today: Barbara Jo Perry & Missy Perry
 August 18: Joanne Taylor & Nancy Kohler

JUNIOR CHURCH VOLUNTEERS:

Today: Laura Brickner
 August 18: Beth & Amelia Biermann

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.

Save the Date: Our annual church picnic will take place Sunday, September 8th at the Carneys Point Recreation Complex. Worship begins at 11am with the picnic to follow. Please mark your calendar and invite some friends and don't forget to sign up on the bulletin board.



Please circle your calendars for Friday, August 16 th at 2 PM. Dr. Yaha Laylayla will be here at our church to update us concerning his Amen Ministry in Myanmar/Burma. Yaha was our Associate Pastor in the late 1990's and worked closely with our children & youth ministries while attending Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary (now Palmer).

PULPIT COMMITTEE PRIMER

The Leadership Community will sponsor an informal meeting for those who may be interested in serving on the Pulpit Committee on **Sunday, August 25th, 2019** following morning worship. Members of the Church who have served on previous pulpit committees will share their experiences. If you are interested in knowing more about service to the Church as a member of the Pulpit Committee, please attend.

John D. Jordan, Moderator



Summer Fruit Basket

Taste some fruit of the Spirit (Galatians 5:22-23) — perfect for summer, and all year round!

- Love: "There is always an 'again' with love." —Unknown
- Joy: "I don't think of all the misery, but of the beauty that still remains." — Anne Frank
- Peace: "Peace begins with a smile." —Mother Teresa
- Patience: "The purposes of God may sometimes seem delayed, but they are never abandoned." —H.C. Mears
- Kindness: "Kindness is the language which the deaf can hear and the blind can see." —Mark Twain
- Goodness: "Goodness means to do things for the glory of God." —Martyn Lloyd-Jones
- Faithfulness: "Do small things as if they were great because of the majesty of Christ, who does them in us." —Blaise Pascal
- Gentleness: "There is nothing stronger in the world than gentleness." —Han Suyin
- Self-control: "God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control." —2 Tim. 1:7 (ESV)