

PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE ✨		Pastor Brett
SCRIPTURE	Acts 2: 1-13	Joan Fraser Pew Bible pg. 119
ANTHEM	<i>"Let all the people say Amen!"</i>	Allen Pote The Chorale
SCRIPTURE	Acts 2: 37-47; 8: 1-5	Pew Bible pgs. 120;126
SERMON	"Devoted"	Dr. Louis Mitchell

THE RESPONSE

THE GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory	<i>"Come, Let Us Eat"</i>	Billema Kwillia Bell Choir
Hymn #592 (Hymnal)*	<i>"Doxology"</i>	
Prayer of Dedication*		Mr. Butler
HYMN #394 (Hymnal)*	<i>"There Is a Balm in Gilead"</i>	

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

THE GREAT PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Minister: The Lord be with you.

People: And also with you.

Minister: Lift up your hearts.

People: We lift them up to the Lord.

Minister: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People: It is right to give our thanks and praise. [The Minister continues.]

God is praised for the history of faithfulness shown to God's people. The congregation then joins the celestial choirs and all the faithful of every time and place to sing:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might,
Heaven and earth are full of your glory.**

**Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna in the highest.**

The prayer continues with thanksgiving for the life and work of Jesus Christ. The Words of Institution are recalled. The elements are set apart for their sacred use, and we offer ourselves to God's service. Then, this response:

Great is the mystery of faith:

**Christ has died,
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again.**

The presence of the Holy Spirit is sought, as well as God's blessing on our lives. The prayer concludes with a Trinitarian doxology.

THE LORD'S PRAYER (Unison)

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be 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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

THE COMMUNION OF GOD'S PEOPLE

Please come forward by a side aisle. At the front, take a piece of bread and dip the bread in the cup before eating. Those unable to come forward will be served in their seats.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

HYMN #391 (Hymnal)*

"Take My Life"

RESPONSE*

Choral Amen

The Chorale and Bell Choir

BENEDICTION*

POSTLUDE*

Quatriesme Kyrie

**Andre Raison
Organ**

***ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND**

"I am the resurrection and the life.

**Those who believe in me, even though they die, will live,
and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die."**

BETTY JANE PETTERSON

June 10, 1923 – May 31, 2015

* Betty Jane Petterson's funeral service will be on Monday, June 15 at 11:00 a.m. at the Cranbury Methodist Church.

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and everyone who lives and believes in me will never die."**

ANNE M. TAYLOR

April 28, 1922 – May 31, 2015

*Anne Taylor's Memorial Service will be in our Sanctuary on Friday, June 19 at 2:00 p.m. followed by a reception in Fellowship Hall.



You are welcome to join us for a **FREE PASTA BUFFET DINNER** on Friday, June 12 from

5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Outreach is happy to host all for a casual family friendly meal. Tickets can be picked up at coffee hour or just join us on Friday, June 12.



Any questions, please contact Brenda Kirkenir.



Visitors! We hope you will find a warm welcome here. We invite you to consider membership in our church family. Please speak to one of the greeters or pastors after worship for more information; or if you would like to be contacted by the Outreach Committee, please provide us with your address and/or email address in the red "friendship pad".

Childcare is provided during worship. Children from birth to age 2 may be taken to the infant room, and children age 3 through Kindergarten are welcome in the toddler room. Linda Protinick is the Nursery Coordinator.

Our congregation is very happy to have children participate in worship with their family as part of our church family! "Worship bags" containing quiet activities are available in the narthex for children to enjoy during worship.

Hearing devices are available for your convenience in the narthex. The ushers can assist you.

Friends, as we prepare to worship please be mindful of our neighbors in the pews who are allergic to strong scents and perfumes. Either refrain from wearing perfume or lessening the amount of perfume worn to church on Sundays. We want everyone to be comfortable and healthy as we worship the Lord together! Thanks very much for your thoughtfulness.

Communion Servers are Carol Fisher, Fritz Hager, Matt Rhodes, Kirstie Venanzi and Janet Wheeler.

Coffee Hour today is hosted by Mary Lou and Scott Kerr.

Head Ushers are Caren Anuszewski and Mike Kasper.

Greeters are Jack Britton and Linda Campbell.

Prayer Chain If you have a prayer request, or if you would like to become part of the "chain" of church members, who pray daily with and for people with a particular need, please call the church office at 609/395-0897.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Church members with special needs: Will Ellsworth; Gaylord French & family due to the death of his wife, Marlene French; Cyndi Girardet; Bill Keller; Walter "Pete" Keve; Karen Moser; Karen Moutenot; Matt Rhodes; Russ Richardson; Mark Sasso; the Taylor family & friends due to the death of Anne Taylor; and Margo & Larry Wegner due to the loss of Larry's brother, Wayne.

Meadow Lakes members with special needs: Betty Anne Clayton; Peg Dubell; Frank Elliott; Warren Moore; and Bob Smith.

Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked: Vicki Bain's mother, Joan Stiles; Jean Dunham's sister, Pat; Joan Fraser's friend, Rev. Greg Keosaian; Paul & Janet Furchak's nephew, Bobby Hennessy; Gail Geijer's son, Dan; Mark Hughes' grandmother, Olga Zelder; Joanne Hughes' mother, Bella Tannis; Kelly Klein's cousins, Anthony & Brian Mancino and family; Leah Moy's friend, JoAnn Post; the people of Nepal; family & friends of Betty Jane Petterson due to her death; Fran Stewart's father, Eugene Feeney; and Gretchen Stults' granddaughter, Jodi Mallette & family.

We pray for all the people who are in need in our wider community and please remember family and friends in our nation's service.

Prayer Requests in the Bulletin: In order to keep the prayer request list up to date we will print the names of friends and family of church members who have prayer requests for one month. After that time you may call the church office to have a name reappear on the prayer list.

Please be sure to **sign** the "**Pipeline to Session**" cards found in the pews if you have any questions/concerns for the Session. This is a great way to give "kudos" as well!

Birthdays of Distinction: Warren Barnes on June 9; Gordon Fraser on June 13; and Hennie Sushereba on June 14. **Happy Birthday!**

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Martha's Circle will have its last meeting on **June 29** at the home of Ginny Swanagan at 1:30 p.m.

Youth Car Wash: On **Sunday, June 14**, the final fundraiser for the Youth Mission Trip to South Carolina will be a **CAR WASH** from **12:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.**

Cranbury Men's Bible Study (Sundays 8:00 p.m.): All men are invited to join us in the church office. Please contact Brett Butler for more information.

CONGREGATIONAL LIFE

Attention - Everyone who enjoys a cup of coffee, a few sweets and fellowship. We are having difficulty recruiting hosts for Coffee Hour. If you enjoy these times, please take the time to sign up in Fellowship Hall. The committee is always available to guide and offer assistance to those who are new to hosting and need some mentoring. Please don't hesitate. Any questions, please contact Ed Luffey at eluffey@gmail.com. **SIGN UP TODAY!!!**

CPNS

What a great time we had at our "Wonderful Year Celebration" with all of our 4/5-year-old families. We've watched the children learn and grow over the past few years. Thank you, teachers for sharing your days with the children, for loving them and laying the foundation for their future academic success. We've made so many cherished memories together, and made many new friends. It's always hard to say goodbye!

We are currently registering for the 2015-2016 school year, as well as our Pre-Summer and Summer Programs, there is still space available. Please let your friends and neighbors know about the opportunity to send their child to our Christian preschool. Ask them to email or call me for a private tour of our school. We look forward to sharing our wonderful school with the families of our church and our local community. Registration forms can be found on our church website or at CPNS.

MISSION, SERVICE & GRANTS

Guatemala Mission 2015: Now through June 14, we will be collecting slightly used or **new children's shoes (no open toes) and socks.** Financial donations to purchase much needed medicine would be greatly appreciated. All monetary donations can be made payable to the First Presbyterian church of Cranbury marked "Guatemala 2015".

The bucket can found under the CPNS Panda bulletin board up the stairs from the back door, marked Guatemala. Once again, a big thank you to everyone for your support in this mission and for helping us help those less fortunate.

Yours in Christ, George Conley

June Wish-List for Skeet's Pantry: For June, we are hoping for the following foods:

- CEREAL – Especially varieties without lots of extra sugar
- PASTA – any and all kinds
- TUNA FISH – high protein foods like this are terrific!
- FRUIT– Canned or plastic packages of any variety

We've taken PB & J off the list for now because you have all been VERY kind with your donations. But we always welcome any and all good food, as long as the expiration date hasn't been reached yet. If you have "odd items" of food which you're not sure people might like, we do have a miscellaneous table each month from which our families can select items which we don't have in enough quantity to put in every bag. But again, please double check that the expiration date is still current. THANK YOU!

Snippets from the Year Book of Prayer: The Louisiana coast has the fastest-disappearing delta in the world, having lost land equivalent to the size of Delaware. Damaged ecosystems include vast fisheries that extend to the Atlantic Ocean, habitat for migratory birds, and small farming and fishing communities. The Wetlands Theological Education Project was created two years ago to address this social, ecological, and spiritual crisis through theological discussion, public advocacy and hands-on projects and other tangible response.

SENIOR FELLOWSHIP

Senior Exercise Schedule: June 8 and June 11

STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE

Counting Teams: 6/7 (Team #1) – 6/14 (Team #2)

	Week Ended 5/31/15
Weekly Offering	\$8,165
YTD Offerings	\$218,352
YTD Expenses	\$175,938
YTD Net Income/(Loss)	\$42,414
YTD Per Capita	\$5,254
% of 2015 Assessment (\$21,286) = 25%	

WORSHIP

We are looking for **Lay Readers** to sign up on the July through December schedule, which can be found on the notice board in Fellowship Hall. We would love to have new readers sign up, please do join us. If you have any questions, please call Joan Fraser.

OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR

June 7, 2015

9:15a Christian Ed for all ages (CRs/Lib./FH/McK Rm/Rm 1)
10:30a Worship w/Communion followed by coffee hour
11:00a Meadow Lakes Communion Worship Service
4p–5p Cranbury Scout Band Practice–CR upstairs
4:30p – 6p Girl Scouts - FH
5p – 6p Jr. High Youth Group – McKnight Room
6p–7:30p Sr. High Youth Group-FH
6:15p-8p Boy Scouts–McK Rm (GC)
8p-9p Cranbury Men's Bible Study-Church Office

June 8, 2015

CPNS Pre-Summer Program

10:00a Senior Exercise
7:30p Brass Choir
7:30p Congregational Life Meeting-Lib.
8:00p Al-Anon-McK Rm

June 9, 2015

CPNS Pre-Summer Program

9:00a Bulletin Material Due

9:30a Staff Mtg.-Church Office
7:30p Youth Ministry Committee Meeting-Church Office
7:30p Stewardship & Finance-Church Office
7:30p AA – McKnight Room
7:45p B&G Meeting – Lib.

June 10, 2015

CPNS Pre-Summer Program

9:00a Session Material Due

12:00p Staff Luncheon
3:30p Meadow Lakes Ministry Committee Mtg-ML Mtg Rm
7:15p APNC – Library

June 11, 2015

CPNS Pre-Summer Program

10:00a Senior Exercise
3:00p-9:00p Pasta Dinner Prep – FH/kitchen
4:30p- Children's Choir – Sanctuary
7:30p P&A Meeting-church office (upstairs)

June 12, 2015

CPNS Pre-Summer Program

9:00a Bulletin Assembly-Church Office
3:00p-9:00p Prep/Clean-up for the Pasta Dinner – FH/kitchen
5:30p-7:30p Pasta Dinner - FH

June 13, 2015

June 14, 2015 (Children & Youth Sunday/Teacher Appreciation Sunday/Pentecost Offering)

9:15a Christian Ed for all ages (CRs/Lib./FH/McK Rm/Rm 1)
10:30a Worship followed by coffee hour
11:00a Meadow Lakes Worship Service
12:00p Youth Fundraiser: Car Wash
4p–5p Cranbury Scout Band Practice–CR upstairs
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