



## PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

### CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SCRIPTURE

I Corinthians 12:1-11

Luke Pease  
Pew Bible pg. 174

ANTHEM

*"We Are Singing for the Lord is Our Light"*

Zulu song,  
arr. Hal Hopson  
The Chorale

SCRIPTURE

John 2:1-11

Pew Bible pg. 93

SERMON

"The Common Good"

Rev. Hannah Lovaglio

## THE RESPONSE

HYMN #733 (Hymnal)\*

*"We All Are One in Mission"*

### PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

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 GIVING OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Offertory

*"Christ, our Lord, to Jordan came"*

Donovan Klotzbeacher  
Organ

Hymn #606 (Hymnal)\*

*"Doxology"*

Prayer of Dedication\*

HYMN #754 (Hymnal)\*

*"Help Us Accept Each Other"*

RESPONSE\*

*Choral Amen*

The Chorale

BENEDICTION\*

POSTLUDE\*

*"Arise and shine in splendor"*

Johannes Brahms  
Organ

**\*ALL WHO ARE ABLE MAY STAND**

## **The Annual Meeting of the Congregation**

will take place immediately following our Worship service on Sunday, January 27 in the Fellowship Hall followed by our "Winter Picnic".

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

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

**Worship Bags, Children's Bulletins & Coloring Pages!** All three are available in the Narthex, and are offered with the hope that children who want to will be able to worship alongside the whole church family.

**Hearing devices** are available for your convenience in the Narthex.

**Flowers** in the chancel today are given in loving memory of Angelo Martino by Janet Martino.

**Coffee hour** is hosted by Ron, Leigh, Mitchell and June Perry.

**Head Usher** is Alan Danser.

**Greeter** is Jack Britton/Heidi Knowlton.

### **PRAYER REQUESTS**

**Church members with special prayer concerns:** Bill Chermak; Bob Demers; Rose Eller; Paul Furchak; David Geijer; Sally Giovanos; Judson Hagerty; Justin Keve; Cassandra Khazem; Lucille Kirkenir; Beatrice Mabutho; Charles Patterson, Jr.; Charles Patterson, Sr.; Marie Perrine; Russ & Cheryl Richardson; Art Ryba and family due to the passing of his brother, Hilton; Wilma Shimer; Diane Smith; Hennie Sushereba; and Doris Wiegartner.

**Family and Friends of Church Members for whom prayers are asked:** Linda Campbell's friend, Christine; Barbara Connors' mother, Ann; Helen Dickerson's mother, Martha & brother, Clifford; Arlene Duran's son-in-law, Mark & cousin, Ed; Gail Geijer's son, Dan & sister, Jane; Dorothy Klotzbeacher's ex-husband, Rev. John Maltby & son-in-law, Bob; Karen Lovaglio's friend, Antwon; Anita McManus' sister, Nancy; Karen Moser's friend, Andrew; and Agnes Winchell's sister, Aniko.

**We pray for all people** who are in need in our wider community and please remember family and friends in our nation's service. Members of our church family are encouraged to make prayer requests for relatives serving in our armed services, most especially those serving in harm's way.

**Prayer Chain:** If you have a prayer concern, please call the church office at (609)395-0897 or email Daune Arsnow at [deersnow@verizon.net](mailto:deersnow@verizon.net). 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.

**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!

## **OTHER NEWS**

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“On furlough? Know of someone who is? We are here to help during the government shutdown. Please contact the church office at (609)395-0897 with any need and we will do our best to provide help.”

## **CHOIR NEWS**

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Please congratulate George Andrews as our new Bell Choir Director! If you want to join the Bell Choir or know more, please contact George at (212)222-8264 or email him at [geoand@andrewsmusic.com](mailto:geoand@andrewsmusic.com).

George Andrews – Brief resume

I started piano when I was 5. My mother handed me my uncle’s trumpet when I was 10. It took when I was 14 and as a sophomore wanted to be the 1<sup>st</sup> trumpet play in the high school band. I made it! Out of high school, I auditioned for Julliard, made it, then joined the Navy and played trumpet in the Navy bands for 4 years. (Smooth move, George). After the Navy, I got a BM (Bachelor of Music) from Syracuse University.

I came to NYC, November 1963. Spent the next 57 years making a living arranging and composing until Jo D. decided she wanted to go home and we moved back to Cranbury in 2010. There’s not anywhere near enough room here to write a list of my accomplishments. Anyone that is interested can check out my website at [www.andrewsmusic.com](http://www.andrewsmusic.com).

Recently, people have begun asking me if I’m retired. My response: “You never retire from music.” There’s always something more to learn. The Bell Choir fits that bill. I’m looking forward to share with you all what I discover.

## **CHRISTIAN EDUCATION & YOUTH MINISTRY**

**Sunday School:** Children are invited to Gathering Time from 9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. every Sunday morning in the Fellowship Hall, followed by Sunday School from 9:30 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.

**Youth Group (Sundays):** TONIGHT, our youth group will attend the Interfaith Worship Service honoring the Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. We'll gather at 6:30 p.m. in the church parking lot to drive to the service together. Pick up between 8:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

**Book Club!** Join us on Monday, January 28 at 7:30 p.m. in Room 1. We will be reading *Homegoing* by Yaa Gyasi. Pastor Hannah Lovaglio will be our discussion leader.

## **CPNS**

We began registration for the 2019-2020 school year on Monday, January 7 with our existing students. Alumni, church members and members of the Cranbury First Aid Squad and Fire Department had priority to register which began on Monday, January 14.

Our Open House for the 2019-2020 school year will take place on Wednesday, January 23, 2019 at 9:30 a.m. in Fellowship Hall, followed by the general public registration on February 1. In addition to our previous class and enrichment offerings, this year we are offering a new Preschool Extension program.

Please let your friends and neighbors know about CPNS. We want everyone to take advantage of giving their children a developmentally appropriate academic, Christian preschool experience.

## **MISSIONS, SERVICE & GRANTS**

**Make It a Happy New Year at SKEET'S PANTRY!** Please consider giving any of the following to help us get off to a good start in this New Year:

**Cereal, Peanut Butter, Grape Jelly, Canned Soup, Tuna Fish,  
Canned Beans (all varieties), Canned Fruit, Canned Vegetables,  
Pasta & Pasta Sauce**

If you prefer to give a monetary gift to Skeet's Pantry, checks can be made out to our church, with "Skeet's Pantry" on the memo line. If you would like to be a Skeet's Pantry volunteer, please leave word at our church office and we will get in touch with you. THANKS AGAIN!

## **SENIOR BREAKFAST CLUB**

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Please join us for Senior Breakfast Club on Thursday, January 24 at 8:30 a.m. at The Cranbury Inn. The program will be “The Mighty Mississippi” presented by Rev. Harry Bohrs.

The Senior Breakfast Club is open to all who wish to hear these events at our Thursday, once-a-month breakfast at 8:30 a.m. at the Cranbury Inn. If you wish to attend, and have not done so before, please notify the church office at (609)395-0897 so that we can contact you. We need to notify the Cranbury Inn with the number of guests that will attend. The cost of breakfast is \$6 payable at the Inn. For information, contact Fritz Hager at (609)655-2787.

## **SENIOR FELLOWSHIP**

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**Sr. Exercise Schedule:** January 21, January 24, January 28, and January 31

## **SMALL GROUPS**

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**Prayer Shawl Group:** Join us in Room 1 on **January 24** at 11:00 a.m. Knit or crochet along with us. We need to prepare an inventory of shawls so they are ready whenever needed by one of our Pastors or one of the Deacons. We’d love to welcome you into our group. While we knit together, we enjoy our fellowship time together – so will you!

## **STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE**

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**Pledge Envelopes:** Your 2019 pledge envelopes are available to pick up in Rm 1.

Counting Teams: 1/20 (Team #2) – 1/27 (Team #3) – 2/3 (Team #4)

### **Month Ended 12/31/18**

YTD Offerings	\$395,649
YTD Expenses	\$441,704
YTD Net Income/(Loss)	<b>(\$46,055)</b>
YTD Per Capita	\$3,797 (17% of \$21,978)

## **WORSHIP**

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**We need volunteers to Usher!** If you have questions or would like to usher, please contact Heidi Knowlton at (609)480-9176 or email her at [cabotk@comcast.net](mailto:cabotk@comcast.net). There is also a sign-up sheet on the Congregational Life bulletin board in Fellowship Hall.

**Flowers:** If anyone wishes to provide flowers for any given Sunday in memory or in honor of a loved one(s), please contact Heidi Knowlton at (609)799-1724 or email her at [cabotk@comcast.net](mailto:cabotk@comcast.net).

**Lay Readers:** The Lay Reader schedule for January through June 2019 is posted in Fellowship Hall. We are looking for, and would welcome, any new Readers to our group. Any questions please contact Joan Fraser.

## **OUR WEEKLY CALENDAR**

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### **January 20**

9:15a Celebration Sunday (FH)  
10:30a Worship followed by coffee hour  
11:45a Library Cmte (Lib)  
6:30p-8:30p Middle/High School Yth Grp attending MLK Service (VAN)

### **January 21 (Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday)**

CPNS Closed/Church Office Closed  
10:00a Senior Exercise (FH)  
7:30p Brass Choir  
8:00p Al-Anon (McK Rm)

### **January 22**

9:00a Bulletin Material Due  
9:30a Staff Mtg  
3:45p Children's Choir  
7:30p AA (McK Rm)

### **January 23**

9:00a-1:00p CPNS Open House (FH)  
11:30a-12:30p CPNS Mtg (Lib)

### **January 24**

8:30a Sr. Breakfast Club at the Cranbury Inn  
10:00a Senior Exercise (FH)  
11:00a Prayer Shawl Group (Rm 1)  
7:30p The Chorale

### **January 25**

9:00a Bulletin Assembly

### **January 26**

9:00a-12:00p Scout Training (FH/JK)

### **January 27**

9:15a Sunday School  
10:30a Worship  
11:30a Annual Mtg of the Congregation and "Winter" Picnic  
5:00p-6:30p Middle School Yth Grp (All Areas)  
5:30p Court of Honor (FH)  
6:30p-8:00p High School Yth Grp (Yth Rm)