

Pastoral Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

*Hymn of Praise #57 "The Snow Lay on the Ground"

*Benediction

Postlude "Good Christian Men Rejoice" Bob Post

11:00 a.m. Family Worship

Ministry of Music: **SoulForce**
Ushers: Lori & Bruce Bechtloff,
Nicole Hooten, Katrina Hooten

WELCOME TO WORSHIP

FIRST TIME? - If you've never been to First Presbyterian before . . . **WELCOME.** During the first part of worship, please take a moment to complete a **Response Card** found in the pew racks and place it in the offering plate. Also we invite you to pick up a **Visitor's Packet at the exit.** If you have a question about inclement weather, please call the church office.



The flowers this morning are in honor of Danielle Bowker and Alan Tufts who were joined in marriage on Friday, January 1, 2010

The Office of the Monmouth Presbytery has established the per capita apportionment for 2010 to be **\$34.92** for every church member. The annual apportionment for each church is based on its total membership. That amount is then used to share the expenses of the Presbytery, the Synod and the General Assembly for their services and programs. You are encouraged to use the per capita envelope included in your pledge envelope box to cover the per capita for the members of your family who are members of our church.

Last Week's Giving



Pledges	\$14,160.00
Church School	4.00
Deacons	10.00
Mission	21.00
Joy Offering	855.00
Special Music	61.00
Food Pantry	130.00
Other	70.00
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ANNOUNCEMENTS



THIS WEEK'S PRAYER CONCERNS
(Please submit prayer requests weekly)

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| Mary Belding | Joan Marchesi |
| Skip & Cissy Bisset | Rusty Martensen |
| Janet Bisset | John McCrone |
| Mac Chandler | Marie Moen |
| Nick Condon | Herb & Helen Schiller |
| Harry Gauch | Lt. Amy Zaycek, USN |
| Helen Greene | Ward Family |
| Charlie Kennedy | |



Christian Café provides coffee, tea and home-made baked goods in Fellowship Hall on Sunday mornings from 9 a.m. until 11 a.m. All proceeds from the free-will offering go toward the Senior High mission projects. Please remember, no food or beverage (except bottled water) is permitted in the sanctuary.

The Columbarium - Niches for the Columbarium in our chapel are now available. You can obtain an informative brochure and view the rendering of the niches that will be installed in the near future. Applications for a niche are also located in the chapel area. If you have any questions you wish to be addressed, you can speak with a member of the Columbarium Committee: John Belding, Bob Burkitt, Ruth Harms, Elaine Johnson, or Judy and John Weaver.



Holiday Gift Idea - Make a donation to the Food Pantry in honor or in memory of friends and family. We will send a card to the persons you designate to tell them of the gifts you are making to the Food Pantry. You can also personalize the cards and send them to those you wish to honor. Forms are available at the Food Pantry, on the table in the lobby, or on-line for you to designate your gifts (minimum \$20 per gift). Fill out the form, attach your check and leave it at the Church Office.

Save the Date!
Men's Ministry 2010 Golf Outing
Friday, May 7, 2010



The 2010 Pledge Envelopes are available in the back of Fellowship Hall. Anyone who gives to the church is eligible for envelopes. If you have any questions, please contact Diane Moss at 732-789-7844 or at munnymatters@msn.com.

Parents for Weekly Youth Updates: Visit
www.evencloserstill.blogspot.com

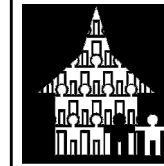


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Women's Fellowship

Winter Fellowship Gathering for Presbyterian Women- On Tuesday evening, January 26, at 7 pm in Fellowship Hall the women of the church will meet for their annual PW Fellowship/Bible Study Gathering. This year the Bible Study has been the book of Joshua. We are pleased to have coming this year Joyce MacKichan Walker, minister of education at the Nassau Presbyterian Church in Princeton. She will speak about and answer questions on some of the harder concepts of Holy War and the Promised Land. We invite all the women of the church to come for an evening of fellowship and Bible study.



Become Part of Our Church Family

Seekers & Joiners - The Evangelism Commission has scheduled a "Seekers and Joiners" class for the weekend of Saturday, Jan. 9th (9:30 a.m.-2 p.m.) and Sunday, Jan. 10th (12:30 p.m. - 2 p.m.) 2010. The class will be conducted by Pastor Steve and held in Fellowship Hall. You're welcome to be a part of the class if you have questions about membership, you want to become a member of this church, you want to know more about the church and what it offers, or you want to learn the basics of Christianity. If you plan to attend, please contact Elder Ellie Buannic (732-280-3536) ebuannic@optonline.net. or call the church office (732-223-4627).



Pancake Breakfast - The Christian Education Commission will be sponsoring a Pancake Breakfast on Saturday, January 23, 2010. Tickets will go on sale on Sunday, January 10th and January 17th between services in the vestibule/lobby. Ticket prices are: Children \$5.00 and Adults \$7.00. All proceeds will go towards the Sr. High Mission Trip and children's programs.

Adult Education - The New Year brings a new opportunity to grow closer to God and to other church members. Nothing compares to an Adult Education class if these are your goals. With that in mind, why don't you consider one of the following classes? New students are welcome!

- 8:00 Library: George Hooker leads discussion of Max Lucado's "Fearless".
- 9:30 Office: Resumes on January 17, Rev. Cotton leads a discussion of "The Shack."
- 9:30 Library: Cherie Matthews/Cindy Davis leads a discussion of "Take it to the Limit"
- 11:00 Library: Rich O'Rourke leads a discussion of the book of Nehemiah

Wednesdays 7 - 8 pm in the Sanctuary: Resuming on January 20, Rev Cotton will begin instruction from the New Testament, starting with Matthew. This is a seminar that will give you a scholar's insights of the New Testament.

Alternate Thursdays: Women's Study led by Cindy Davis in the Library. "Peter: Learning to Be Like Jesus." Contact Cindy for more information about meeting dates and locations.

New Alpha Express classes will also be starting soon!

LITANY FOR THE NEW YEAR

Leader: Take time to think-
People: It is the source of power.
 Leader: Take time to play-
People: It is the secret of perpetual youth.
 Leader: Take time to read-
People: It is the fountain of wisdom.
 Leader: Take time to be friendly-
People: It is the road to happiness.
 Leader: Take time to work-
People: It is the price of success.
 Leader: Take time to give-
People: It is the way to be truly rich.
 Leader: Take time to love and be loved-
People: It is a God-given privilege.
 Leader: Take time to pray-
People: It is the greatest power in the universe.
 Leader: Take time to worship-
People: It is the source of blessing.
 Leader: Take time to laugh-
People: It is the music of the soul.

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Eternal God, in whom we live and move and have our being, whose face is hidden from us by our sins, and whose mercy we forget in the blindness of our hearts: Cleanse us from all our offenses, and deliver us from proud thoughts and vain desires, that with reverent and humble hearts we may draw near to you, confessing our faults, confiding in your grace, and finding in you our refuge and strength; through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.



Week at a Glance January 3, 2010 - January 10, 2010

<p>Sunday January 3 8, 9:30 & 11:15 a.m. 6:30 p.m. Worship & Communion Godzone Radhouse Jr. Deacons</p> <p>Monday January 4 7:00 p.m. Nursery School Reopens Access Sr. High/Passage Jr. High/Soul Force Band</p> <p>Tuesday January 5 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Nursery School Reopens Deacons Mosaic Bible Study</p> <p>Wednesday January 6 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 4:30 p.m. 6:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. Intercessory Prayer Group Hannah Circle Cherub Choir Friendship Supper Youth Band Rehearsal Wellness Center Group Recorder Ensemble ANA Men's Choir Chancel Choir</p>	<p>Thursday January 7 6:30 a.m. 10:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. Men's Prayer Group Celebration Ringers Girl Scouts Jubilee Bells</p> <p>Saturday January 9 9:00 a.m. Seekers & Joiners</p> <p>Sunday January 10 8, 9:30 & 11:00 a.m. 8:00 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 9:30 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 12:00 noon Worship Adult Class Godzone Family Matters Adult Class Radhouse Seekers & Joiners</p>
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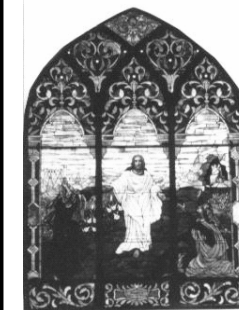
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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF MANASQUAN



January 3, 2010

Scripture: John 14:15-21

Message: The Day After

"Where Christ's Love Meets Your Life"

8:00 a.m. Day Break Communion

Ministry of Music: For Heaven's Sake
 "Good Christian Men Rejoice"
 "Rise Up Shepherd"

Liturgist: Jerry Anderson
 Ushers: Gordon Fischer, Sue Brady, Ruth Harms, Janice Visceglia

9:30 Faith Celebration

Prelude "Come Christians Join to Sing" Celebration Ringers

Words of Welcome

*Hymn of Praise #28 "Good Christian Friends, Rejoice"

Litany for the New Year (see inside page)

Old Testament Lesson 1 Kings 19:8b-13 (page 559)

Giving of Tithes & Offerings Betty Anderson, Debbie & Ace Bottone, Tom Jappe, Jill Linneweber

Offertory "Joseph Dearest Joseph Mine" Celebration Ringers

Life of the Church John Van Decker

New Testament Lesson Philippians 4:4-9 (page 1830)

Ministry of Music "Rise Up Shepherd" Bob Post

Gospel Lesson John 14:15-21 (page 1676)

Sermon THE DAY AFTER Pastor David Cotton

*Hymn of Response #390 "O Savior in This Quiet Place"

*Unison Prayer of Confession (see inside page)

Words of Assurance

The Sacrament of Communion