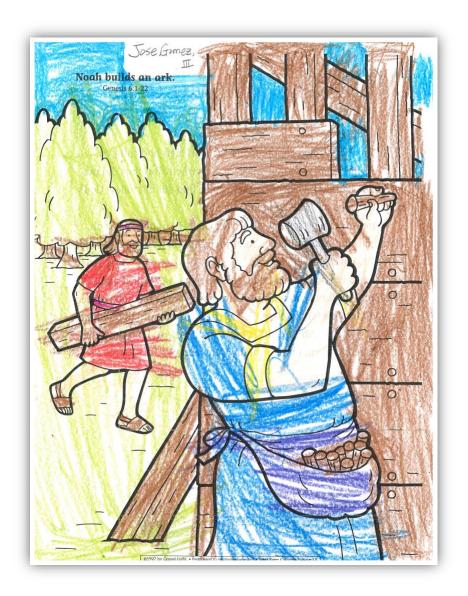
#### MANAHAWKIN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

2025 - THE YEAR OF PEACE



Celebrating 222+ Years of Ministry

Pastor: Rev. Kyewoon Choi Music Director: Dennis Linde

#### **Fourth Sunday after Pentecost**

July 6, 2025 8:30 & 11:00 A.M.

Please set all cell phones to vibrate or silent setting.

During the first hymn, the ushers will collect Prayer Concern Cards.

Please sign the Attendance Pad & pass it down the pew (Guests please include your address).

\* = The congregation is invited to stand.

**Preludes** Mine Eyes Have Seen The Glory

W. Steffe arr. L. Hartman

America the Beautiful

**Announcements** 

Passing of the Peace

\*Call to Worship

L: The grace of the Lord Jesus Christ be with you.

C: And, also with you.

L: The risen Christ is with us.

C: Praise the Lord!

\* **Hymn** #145 Morning Has Broken

**Children's Time** Philip Pecoraro

#### Opening Prayer (unison)

Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known, and from you no secrets are hidden.

Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy name, through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

#### Prayer for Illumination (unison)

Lord, open our hearts and minds by the power of your Holy Spirit, that, as the Scriptures are read and your Word proclaimed, we may hear with joy what you say to us today. Amen.

Joys, Concerns and Praises, Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lessons: (8:30) Lee Slater (11:00) Rachel Gomez

#### 1 Corinthians 15:58

<sup>58</sup> Therefore, my beloved brothers *and sisters*, be firm, immovable, always excelling in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not *in* vain in the Lord.

#### Hebrews 12:3

<sup>3</sup> For consider Him who has endured such hostility by sinners against Himself, so that you will not grow weary and lose heart.

L: The word of God for the people of God. **C: Thanks be to God. Amen.** 

**Anthem** Patriotic Piano Medley arr. J. Ogletree

**Sermon** Be Christ's Disciple (3): Be Steadfast Pastor Choi

**Communion** Servers: Pauline McShea (8:30) Bev Jonas (11:00)

**Presentation of Tithes and Offerings** (will the ushers please come forward)

Offertory: Lift Every Voice and Sing J. Johnson

#### **Prayer of Dedication**

L: O Lord, as we present this offering upon your altar,

C: We offer ourselves as a living sacrifice.

L: Use our words and actions of love and kindness to spread the love of Christ.

C: May all of our gifts and services be acceptable in your sight.

L: In the name of Jesus Christ our Savior, we pray. C: Amen.

\*Hymn #616 (v. 1-3) Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast

\*Benediction

**Benediction Response** Go Now in Peace by Don Besig and Nancy Price

Go now in peace. Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of ev'ry day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith and in love.

<sup>\*</sup>Doxology (#95)

Worship Leader: (8:30) Lee Slater
Greeters: (8:30) Tim & Lorriane Hart

**Ushers:** (8:30) Rich & Eva Mueller

Acolyte: (8:30) Volunteer

(11:00) John Parker (11:00) Phil Pecoraro

(11:00) Glenn & Bonnie Lobb

(11:00) Damon Welsh



#### **CHURCH STAFF**

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# PRAYER REQUESTS will be kept for 4 weeks. If you want longer, please call the office 609-597-7666.

For our President, Congress, World Leaders, and all those called to Active Duty. For the Christians and churches who are under attack. For the peace between Israel and Gaza. For the end of Ukraine War. For the peace in Sudan and Haiti.

#### For Healing, Surgeries, Illnesses, Needs, etc.:

Shirley Elliott, Ken Shorr, Sr., Ann Scaturo, Arleen Logan, Eileen Mahan, Lee and Marlene Kalsch, Ruth Farley, Betty Shinn, The Cook family, the Soper family, Brian Brennan, Shawn Strain, Scott Mahan, Bob Schenk, Rose Gambetta, the Blake and Pecoraro families, Ken Schorr Jr., Glenn Schorr, Steve Swensen, Aileen Logan, Phyllis Bromiley, Beth Schenck, Pedro Lopes, Marcie Blake, Susan Hauge, Carlos Lopez, Lee Slater, Bill Logan, Anthony Vitelli, Ron and Bobbie Warmbier.

My heart is steadfast, O God, my heart is steadfast;
I will sing and make melody. Awake my soul!

Psalm 108:1

#### ATTENDANCE FOR IN-PERSON AND VIRTUAL SERVICES

Sunday, June 29, 2025

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#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **TODAY**

Sun.	Jul.	6	8:30/11 a.m.	Sunday Services
				THIS WEEK
Mon. Wed. Sat.	Jul. Jul. Jul.	7 9 12	7 p.m. 7 p.m. 8:15 a.m.	Bell Choir rehearsal Ocean Grove choir practice Men's breakfast in Fellowship Hall
UPCOMING EVENTS				
Sun.	Jul.	13	8:30/11 a.m. 6 p.m.	Sunday Services Ice Cream Social by Grateful Helping Hands
Mon. Tue.	Jul. Jul.	14 22	6-8p.m. 7 p.m.	Vacation Bible School – July 14 <sup>th</sup> - 18 <sup>th</sup> Trustees Meeting

**PASTOR ON VACATION:** Pastor Choi will be taking a vacation from July 7<sup>th</sup> through July 21<sup>st</sup>. Our guest preachers will be Pat Scarangella on July 13<sup>th</sup> and John Parker on July 20<sup>th</sup>. Any questions or concerns, please contact the church office.

**THE CROSSWORD:** for July/August 2025 is available in the narthex.

**MENS'S BIBLE STUDY:** is taking a short break. It will resume July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025, at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesdays.

**ICE CREAM SOCIAL:** sponsored by The Grateful Helping Hands will take place Sunday, July 13<sup>th</sup>, at 6 p.m. Come join us for delicious ice cream and music and fellowship as we kick off "Christmas in July" Vacation Bible School! All are welcome!

**VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL:** Join this year's VBS with our theme "Christmas in July". The dates are July 14<sup>th</sup> – July 18<sup>th</sup>, meeting 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. in the church. Children's ages are Pre-K through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. Please register at SS.manahawkinmethodist.org. Any questions, send email to <u>sundayschoolmumc@gmail.com</u>.

**THE MEN'S CLUB:** is hosting an outing to see the Blue Claws minor league baseball team on August 9<sup>th</sup>, 7 p.m., in Lakewood. The cost is \$18.00 per ticket which includes a hot dog, a soda, and ice cream! Sign-up sheet is on the narthex or contact Rich Mueller.

**FOOD BANK ITEMS:** for July canned spaghetti and meatballs, chili, and stew. Please put your donations in the labeled bin located in the narthex. Thank you.





# TAKE ME OOT TO THE BALL GAMEI



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# CHRISTMAS IN \*JULY \*

# ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Sunday, July 13

6 PM

Fun

Entertainment!!!

Fellowship Hall

Everyone welcome!





# Christmas

Dates: July 14th - 18th

Times: 6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Ages: Pre-K / 6th Grade

Register at: SS.Manahawkinmethodist.org

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Hello! We are in need of extra volunteers for our VBS Program this year!

### Tour Guides:

You are in charge of a group of children for the week. You will be bringing them around to all the activities.

#### Recreation Assistant:

Help the main leader with the outdoor rec games and activities.

### Qualifications:

Must be at least in the 7<sup>th</sup> grade or older to help.

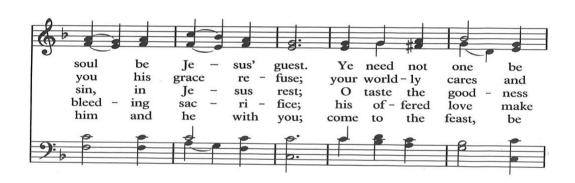
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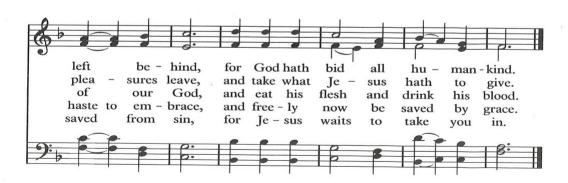


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## 616 Come, Sinners, to the Gospel Feast







WORDS: Charles Wesley, 1747 (Lk. 14:16-24)

MUSIC: Katholisches Gesangbuch, ca. 1774; adapt. from Metrical Psalter, 1855