



Because of a bequest from Alta Tidball, our Trustees will be making significant improvements to the Thompson Hall Area. As a result, TH will be unavailable through the end of the year.
Please check the calendar for your new meeting location.

Many thanks to the Tiball Family!!




Total given for the ministry of our church on December 19th was:
\$9,511.00

The current Family Life Center balance for this month is
\$478,057.23



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Announcements

December 26, 2021

First United Methodist Church of Toms River

129 Chestnut Street
 At Old Freehold Road
 Toms River, NJ 08753



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Our Mission

Belonging to the Family

Believing the Good News

Becoming like Jesus

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First Time Guest?
 Stop by the visitors table to get some information and complete a "welcome form." So nice to have you join our First Church Family today!



**Epiphany
 Worship**

Next Sunday, January 2nd

**One Communion Service in the
 Sanctuary At 10:00am**

DECEMBER

SUNDAY, 12.26

10:00 One Service, Sanctuary Worship

MONDAY, 12.27

OFFICE CLOSED

TUESDAY, 12.28

8:20 NA Meeting, R7
OFFICE CLOSED

WEDNESDAY, 12.29

OFFICE CLOSED

THURSDAY, 12.30

OFFICE CLOSED

FRIDAY, 12.31

OFFICE CLOSED

SUNDAY, 1.2

10:00 One Service, Sanctuary Worship (Communion)

FLC: Family Life Center, **TH:** Thompson Hall,
R7: Room 7, **R4:** Room 4,
R5-6: Room 5 & 6, **S:** Sanctuary, **CR:** Choir Room
WR: Whilden Room, **RR:** Reeves Room

PRAYER REQUESTS

We are here to pray for you!



Continued prayers for:

Tom Vankirk, Barbara Dawson, Joshua Smith,
Sibyl Walczak, Terri Ferrara & Diane Wayne

Thank you to the Worship Committee for the beautiful decorations and to everyone who assisted.

There is a Christmas flower list on the welcome tables if you would like one.



FYI ...

If you would like your tithes and offerings to be credited to 2021, they must be received by or post-marked on December 31st.



Update from Linda Hendrickson:

Bonnie has come a long way; she is doing much better and improving every day. We would like to thank everyone for their cards, calls, texts and prayers. It was all greatly appreciated.

Linda, Billy, & Bonnie~

Would you like to help our brothers and sisters recovering from the recent TORNADOS? You can make a gift at:

<https://umcmmission.org/advance-project/901670/>



Are you interested in being a member at First Church?

Great!

Contact Pastor Ed at ed@fumctr.com or through the church office at office@fumctr.com or 732-349-8155
He'd love to speak with you!



PAULA BROWN SOUP KITCHEN

Serving from 3pm to 4:30pm

Beginning: January 18th
3rd Tuesday of the month, Take Out Only
4th Tuesday of the month, Dine-in



Joy Hartjen, 27
Albert Tarbous, 28



The office will be closed from Friday, December 24th through Friday, December 31st.

Thank you! Wreaths Across America

Once again, The Old Methodist Cemetary at 205 Washington Street, was adorned with Christmas wreaths.



Joy TO THE WORLD