

Seaview's mission is for all of us to extravagantly
bless people with the love of God so together we grow to
follow Jesus Christ wholeheartedly.

This Week at Seaview

Today, January 10

10:30 AM - Worship in person in the Sanctuary. Also live-streamed

2:00 PM - AA meets in Fellowship Hall

6:00 PM - Seaview Youth meet via Zoom

Monday, January 11

1:00 PM - Bible Study in Fellowship Hall

7:00 PM - NA Group meets via Zoom

Tuesday, January 12

7:00 PM - AA Men's Meeting in Fellowship Hall (postponed)

Wednesday, January 13

7:00 PM - Discipleship and Prayer via Zoom

Sunday, January 17

10:30 AM - Worship in person in the Sanctuary. Also live-streamed

11:30 AM - Board of Mission Meeting in Fellowship Hall

2:00 PM - AA meets in Fellowship Hall

6:00 PM - Seaview Youth meet via Zoom

Giving. General fund weekly need is \$2,628. We received \$2,337 last week. Mission fund weekly need is \$297. We received \$200 last week. Thank you for your generosity.

Prayer. We are blessed to have Marguerite Heaton-Colella coordinating prayer efforts. She welcomes gathering through zoom or taking phone calls if you would like to have her pray with you.

Seaview Baptist Church Staff

Frank G. Reeder, Lead Pastor

Paula Dollarhide, Organist/Music Director

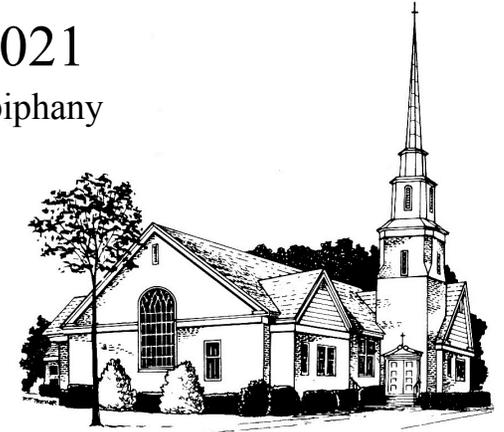
Matthew Foss, Administrative Assistant to the Pastor

January 10, 2021

First Sunday after Epiphany

Baptism of the Lord

SEAVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH



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Live-streamed and In Person Worship at 10:30 AM

In person worshippers: Please switch off wifi on your phone.

Greetings

Prelude *Here in This Place New Light is Shinning* - John Behnke

Gathering Hymn #514

In My Heart There Rings a Melody

Gathering Prayer

Gracious God, we thank you for your promise to be with us and among us today as we worship you in a spirit of humility and holiness. We invite you to be our "true mirror," to hold up before us your Word in such a way that we see our true selves. Help us also to see in a new way the fullness of your ineffable glory and transcendent grace and mercy. We await in the next hour your word to us, that by it we may be empowered to live in the world, announcing your rule of justice, reconciliation and peace. In the name of Jesus Christ, our Savior and Friend. Amen.

Praise Songs

*Shine Jesus Shine
Waymaker*

Atlantic City Rescue Mission collection box is available 24/7 in the back of the parking lot, next to the shed.

Offering Envelopes are still available for pickup on the back pew of the sanctuary. Your 2020 giving record for tax purposes is also available. Please see Andy Schaeffer for your copy.

Annual Meeting is scheduled for January 24. That means we are now gathering reports from various ministries. If you are a ministry leader, please get you electronic report to Matt in the office by emailing it to seaviewoffice@aol.com. Budget projections and nominating reports are available on the back table.

Want to be a pen pal with a resident at Meadowview? Wrote a brief note introducing yourself and place in in the basket at the back of the sanctuary. Do not sign your full name, just first name and last initial. You will be matched with someone at our county residence who you can encourage. For the first note tell them a little about yourself (interests, preferences, experiences) and keep it short.

Grace Place, the ecumenical Food Pantry at Grace Lutheran Church is being stretched as are many other pantries worldwide. Your donations may be dropped off at the education building entrance. Any nonperishables, especially ready to eat canned meals, kids' cereals, mayo, ketchup, coffee and tea are welcomed. There is also a need for toiletry items like soap, toothpaste and paper goods.

We are open for in person worship on Sundays. See the letter outlining our practices for gathering as posted on our website. The letter will provide all the details needed for you to safely come to worship. Keep in mind that we are limited to about 50 persons in the building at this time.

In our Prayers – We do not post the names of those on our prayer list online in order to preserve privacy. Pick up a hard copy of the bulletin for a complete listing when you come to worship.

Sermon and Prayer Notes

Creator Of the Water

LANCASHIRE 7.6.7.6 D ("The Day of Resurrection")

Creator of the water that makes the world so green,
That satisfies the thirsty, and keeps us cool and clean,
We take from your creation this gift we use each day;
You call us now to use it in this most holy way.

As in the time of Noah, the sea engulfed the land,
And through the Red Sea, Moses led Israel 'cross the sand,
And to the Jordan waters, Christ went and was baptized —
Your water has a power: it changes all our lives.

May this your gift of water, long springing from the earth,
Become for all new Christians their fountain of rebirth.
Lord, wash away their sinning, and give them life anew —
Pour out your Spirit on them, that they may follow you.

God, through your gift of water, your family we become;
You take away divisions; in Christ you make us one.
Now send your Spirit on us and give us work to do
That we may share with others the love we have from you.

Tune: Henry Thomas Smart, 1835

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