



## **Pastor's e-Note**

**Morristown United Methodist Church (5/23/2018)**

**Dear Good Friends,**

**We have returned safely after a very active and fruitful Greater New Jersey Annual Conference session at the Wildwood Convention Center. Thank you for your prayers for the Bishop, all the clergy and lay members who were at this vital annual meeting of our church.**

**During this Annual Conference, the story of our church's Nueva Esperanza was highlighted and celebrated. Pastor Charles Perez gave a rousing testimony during the Ordination Service on Sunday evening, using a basketball and a soccer ball to explain the Triune God (God the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit). He shared how God uses ordinary things and ordinary folks like us to bring God's message of love and hope to all God's people.**

**A video presentation on our church's community ministry in the name of Hope Center was also shown to the conference. My hope is that we will secure this video and show it to you this Sunday during worship.**

**I also gave a presentation on Next Gen Ministries, focusing on Youth Ministry/IGNITE, Campus Ministry and Camping Ministry of our Annual Conference.**

**Jane Rehmke sang with the Annual Conference choir, which was a real blessing to everyone. It was good to have Rolf Frantz, Harriet Jane Olsen and Jack Scharf at the Conference as well.**

**This coming Sunday is a big Sunday as we will celebrate Confirmation of many youth and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary of Nueva Esperanza Ministry. Please do all you can to join us for this historic celebration. Also, we will serve a good lunch for everyone after worship (sandwiches, Spanish dishes and lots of cookies). Now, if you can, would several of you bring your favorite salads and/or desserts to share? That will be a great help.**

**I am looking forward to celebrating God's amazing and extraordinary work through us this Sunday. Have a terrific and blessed weekend and see you Sunday.**

**Blessings,  
Pastor Brandon**