

Trinity Sunday

June 3, 2012

GATHERING

Prelude: "Sheep May Safely Graze"

J. S Bach

Invocation

Announcements and Passing the Peace of Christ

*Call to Worship

Leader: We praise God the Creator, giver of life and grace.

People: May we be instruments of grace for all God's creation.

Leader: We praise God the Redeemer, healer of broken souls.

People: May we, like the Son, bring healing and never hurt.

Leader: We praise God the Sustainer, who comforts and guides.

People: May we, like the Spirit, lift up the lost.

*Hymn: #138 "Holy, Holy, Holy! Lord God Almighty!"

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Gracious God, before all else, you are love. You created in love, for love. You sent the Son, you gave the Son, to a broken world because you loved that world. And you send the Spirit to lead your sons and daughters into the ways of love. But your children do not always learn. We turn away from love, fracturing relationships in pride and judgment, anger and fear. And then we turn from your love. Forgive us, dear Lord. Help us to be born again, born from above, born in your Spirit, born for love. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri (p. 579)

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Anthem: "Love Grows Here"

Don Besig

Chancel Choir

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

First Scripture Readings: Isaiah 6: 1-8 (p. 597), Romans 8: 12-17 (p. 147)

*Hymn: #485 "To God Be the Glory"

Children's Sermon

Second Scripture Reading: John 3: 1-17 (p. 88)

Sermon: **THE COURAGE TO BE**

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*Apostles Creed (p. 14)(Ecumenical Version)

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: "For the Beauty of the Earth"

Gordon Young

*Doxology (p. 592)

*Hymn: #525 "Here I Am, Lord"

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: "Larghetto"

G. F. Handel

The End of Worship
The Beginning of Service

*Those who wish may stand

Rev. Robert W. Birch, Minister

Mrs. Dianne Yuninger, Organist/Choir Director

VISITORS AND MEMBERS: WELCOME! During the offertory the Friendship Book will be passed from the end of the pew. Please sign it and indicate other information as appropriate. Pass the book back down the pew and notice the names of the other worshippers. Greet one another warmly after the service.

WORSHIP HOUR INFORMATION:

It is an ancient Scottish custom for the pulpit Bible to be brought into the sanctuary and placed by a layperson before the service begins.

8:00 a.m. Janet Huffman

10:30 a.m. Edwin Margerum

IN THE NURSERY (babies through 4 yrs.): 10:30 – Carol Shearer & Fran Sattazahn

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Loving Memory of
Douglas, Connie and Tyler Harsh
Herbert and Mary Sheaffer
Leroy and Agnes Harsh
Given by Eugene, Lois and Jeff Harsh

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER PERSON THIS WEEK: Ehren Graybill
24 Kennedy Street
Lancaster, PA 17602-4099

In the hospital: Peter Conway, Lancaster General, Room 5807
Gloria Burnelis, Lancaster General, Room 7014
Nikki Wenger, Women and Babies

TODAY:

8:00 a.m. Service of Worship at Old Leacock
9:30 a.m. Sunday School for infants through adults
10:30 a.m. Service of Worship at Paradise
11:30 a.m. Reception to welcome new members
7:00 p.m. Hymn sing at Old Leacock

MONDAY:

7:00 a.m. PW Walk
7:30 a.m. PW Sunrise Bible Study & Breakfast
9:30 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry
6:00 p.m. Leacock Movers and Shakers
9:00 p.m. Softball – Weaverland #1 vs. Leacock – field #2

TUESDAY:

7:00 p.m. Congregational Life Committee Meeting
7:00 p.m. Stewardship Committee Meeting
7:30 p.m. Christian Ed. Committee Meeting

WEDNESDAY:

6:00 p.m. Leacock Movers and Shakers

THURSDAY:

7:00 p.m. Mission Committee Meeting

7:30 p.m. Community Outreach Committee Meeting

SATURDAY:

1:00 p.m. Crossroads Picnic @ home of the Koshuta's

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OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Last week's offering total was \$3,058

Total in Organ Fund is \$53,670.82

Please note changes – There are a few changes to the monthly calendar that was in your newsletter. If you go on the website (www.leacockpres.org) and check out the online calendar, it is the most accurate one.

There is not a meal at The Factory June 14

Worship Committee Meeting is June 12 at 7:00 p.m.

Session Meeting is on Tuesday, June 26 at 6:30 p.m.

Board Game Night is Thursday, June 28 at 7:30 p.m.

Find Out Who Your Neighbors Are!

Don't forget to map yourself on the caring family map on the bulletin board outside east wing sanctuary entrance. Take a look at who lives near you.

Today is the last day to collect for Pentecost. Please remember that our church receives 40% of this offering. The special envelopes are in the pews. Please give as you feel able.

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of Elizabeth Mowrer who died Wednesday, May 30, 2012.

A reception to welcome new members will be held today following the 10:30 a.m. service. Please plan to attend and greet the newest member in our journey of faith.

Maureen Rita Carney

Sean Michael Carney

Joseph Wesley Cummings

Donald James Fieldsa

Betty Jane Hamilton

Clair Caldwell Hamilton

Ian Matthew Lichy

Christy Dawn Taub