July 1, 2012

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# GATHERING

Prelude: "Be Still My Soul" Invocation Announcements and Passing the Peace of Christ

\*Call to Worship

Leader:	The way of mortal life is to lose.
People:	There is, then, a time for tears.
Leader:	But in our seasons of loss, let us turn to the Lord.
People:	For the Lord hears our cries.
Leader:	And the Lord comes to us, strong to heal.
People:	Oh, let us praise the God of steadfast love.

\*Hymn: **#181** "Come Sing to God"

#### Prayer of Confession (**Unison**)

Kind God, you know our hearts. You know when they ache because we have fallen, fallen short for you, fallen short for a sister or brother. And you know when our hearts break because we have lost, someone, something. You will to heal us. But sometimes, we lose heart. We no longer believe in life. We no longer trust you. Forgive us, dear Lord. Mend us in the ways we need to be mended. Raise us up to life. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon \*Gloria Patri (p. 579)

# PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Anthem: Solo – Stephan Englehart

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer First Scripture Readings: 2 Samuel 1:1, 17-27 (p. 263); Psalm 130 (p.542) \*Hymn: **#390** "O Savior, in This Quiet Place" Children's Sermon Second Scripture Reading: Mark 5:21-43 (p. 37)

Sermon: **AFTER A CRY** 

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

\*Apostles Creed (p. 14)(Ecumenical Version)
Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: "Wonderful Words of Life"

\*Doxology (p. 592)
\*Hymn: #527 "Near to the Heart of God"

\*Benediction Silent Prayer (be seated) Postlude: "Toccatina" setting J. Wayne Kerr

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-Craig Keenan & Darwin Eshleman

G. Lardelli

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Loving Memory of Husband, Father, Son and Brother Given by the Betty Denlinger Family

#### **PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:**

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK: Robert & Margy Hershey 241 Wolfrock Road Paradise, PA 17562

### **TODAY:**

8:00 a.m. Service of Worship at Old Leacock9:30 a.m. Sunday School for infants through adults10:30 a.m. Service of Worship at Paradise7:00 p.m. Hymn Sing at Old Leacock

MONDAY: 6:30 p.m. Softball – Leacock vs. Weaverland #2 – field #1

**TUESDAY:** 7:00 p.m. Congregational Life Committee Mtg. 7:00 p.m. Stewardship Committee Mtg.

<u>**THURSDAY</u>**: 7:00 p.m. Mission Committee Mtg. 7:00 p.m. Community Outreach Committee Mtg.</u>

**NEXT SUNDAY**: 8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Services of Worship 9:15 a.m. Sunday School for infants through adults

IN THE NURSERY: 10:30 – Alba & Harrison Ruhl

#### **OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS**:

Last week's offering total was \$4,222.00 Total in Organ Fund is \$55,150.82 **SUMMER FUN for teens and adults.** Meet in the library at Paradise, 9:30am, to talk about the lectionary (Scripture used in the worship service). Come to an open discussion of the morning's Bible readings and message (if you attended the 8:00 service), or get a preview of the 10:30 service. Various church members will lead these discussions for the months of June and July.

**Vacation Bible School**, featuring "God's Amazing Kids," will occur August 5 - 9 from 5:30 - 8:00 p.m. for children ages three through having completed fifth grade. Registration will begin at 5:00 p.m. August 5. We will again be serving a meal and having Bible lessons, crafts, music, and games. New this year is a Mystery Adventure time slot! Many thanks to Kelly Hartmann, Lois Eshleman and Marie Brackbill who have offered to coordinate VBS. If you can help one evening, several evenings, or all week, contact Lois (394-4953) or Marie (768-8470).

The July/August issue of the **UPPER ROOM** devotional in both regular and LARGE print is available free at the back of the sanctuary. **DEACONS:** Please pick up copies for your shut-ins on the

East windowsill at the front of the sanctuary.

**The Factory Ministries** is having an Auction & Barbecue on July 14, 9am – 2pm at the Paradise Park. The funds raised will go toward empowering our community to support individuals and families in our community who are struggling and need a support system for help and hope. Please see brochures in the narthex for details.

## 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.



# Join us for our COMMUNITY NIGHT Fundraiser

On Tuesday, July 17, 2012, Isaac's Famous Grilled Sandwiches (Strasburg) will host a fundraiser to benefit Leacock Presbyterian Organ Fund. Bring your friends and family to enjoy great food and good company while supporting a good cause. Twenty-five percent (25%) of the total cost of your meal will go directly to the Organ Fund. Please come out and support us!

- WHERE:
   Isaac's Famous Grilled Sandwiches Next to Choo Choo Barn 226 Gap Road (Rte. 741 East), Strasburg Call 687-7699 to place your takeout order

   WHEN:
   Tuesday, July 17, 2012, 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

   HOW:
   Bring this flyer with you to Isaac's, complete the information, and hand it to the cashier when paying.

   *This form can be used for Dine-In, Takeout & Online Orders at <u>www.isaacsdeli.com</u>!

   Please complete this information for your server.

   Name:*
- Number of People in Party:\_\_\_\_\_

Total Cost of Meal (excluding tax):\_\_\_\_\_

\*Coupons, discounts, or specials not valid during this fundraiser. Thank you for partnering with Isaac's & Leacock Presbyterian!

I want to receive Isaac's special offers and discounts by email. Email: