

GATHERING

Prelude: “Russian Easter”
Invocation
Announcements and Passing the Peace of Christ

Rimsky Korsakov

*Call to Worship

Leader: Jesus Christ is risen! Alleluia!

People: Lord, help us to come to believe in Easter.

Leader: Jesus Christ is the King of kings.

People: Lord, help us to learn to obey only God.

Leader: Jesus Christ is the faithful witness to grace.

People: Lord, help us to witness to the good news.

*Hymn: *Leacock Sings*, pg. 3 “King of Kings”

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Merciful God, you came to us in Jesus; you come to us still in Christ and in your life-giving Spirit. But sometimes, when our hearts ache and we are afraid, it is hard to believe. It is easier, then, to follow human ways, for those we see and know. Lord, forgive us our doubts. Forgive us our times of weakness. Touch our hearts. Raise us to a living faith. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri (p. 579)

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Leacock Sings, pg. 23 “He Is Lord.”

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

First Scripture Readings: Acts 5:27-32 (p. 115); Revelation 1: 4-8 (p. 230)

*Hymn: #117 “O Sons and Daughters, Let Us Sing!”

Children’s Sermon

Children may leave for God’s Place for Boys and Girls

Sermon: RISING INTO EASTER

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

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

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: “Awake, My Heart, with Gladness” Robert Hobby

*Doxology (p. 592)

*Hymn: #113 “Christ the Lord Is Risen Today!”

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: “Christ, the Lord, Is Risen Today” Robert Thygerson

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.): 8:00 – Tom & Vicki Burkins
10:30 – Johanna Ginger & Sharon Williams

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Loving Memory of
Nicole Lopez and Esther McLaughlin
Given by Nick and Evie Lopez

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK: Michael & Michele McLaughlin
Anthony & Ryan
1542 Mentzer Rd.
Lancaster, PA 17602

In the hospital: Robert Mowrer Jr., Lancaster General, Room 5816

TODAY:

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

MONDAY:

7:00 a.m. PW Walk
7:30 a.m. PW Sunrise Bible Study & Breakfast
6:30 p.m. St. Johns vs. Leacock Softball
7:00 p.m. Community Outreach/Congregational Life Meeting

TUESDAY:

7:00 p.m. Stewardship Committee Mtg.

WEDNESDAY:

7:30 a.m. Centering Prayer
6:30 p.m. Bell Choir Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir Rehearsal

THURSDAY:

9:30 a.m. PW Bible Study @ the home of Arlene Brackbill
6:00 p.m. The Factory Meal

SATURDAY:

2:00 p.m. Crossroads Class Mtg. @ the home of Carl Plomchok

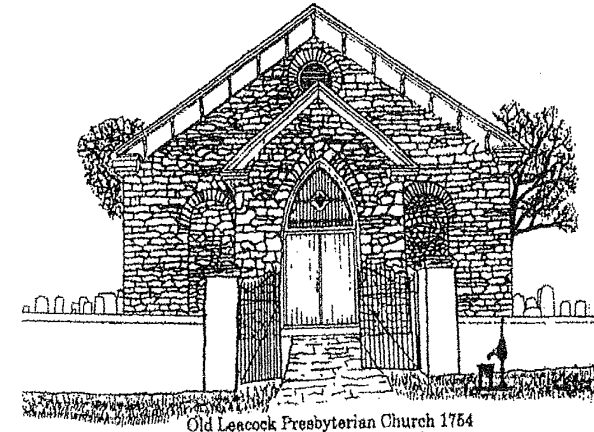
NEXT SUNDAY:

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

IN THE NURSERY: 8:00 – Tracy Dippner
10:30 – Mike & Valerie Ruhl

Leacock Presbyterian Church

*First met in Leacock Township in 1724, recognized by the Synod in
1740, moved to Paradise in 1840.*



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OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Last week’s offering total was \$3,334.90
Total in Organ Fund is \$71,502.95

Our New “Thought and ideas” Box –

Have you ever...

- wanted to express your appreciation for someone or something in our church life?
- wanted to suggest an activity or program?
- wanted to request a song, hymn, or sermon topic?
- had a concern-or possible solution to a concern -- and weren’t sure whom to contact?
- wanted to share an idea for worship?

Jot it down and place it in our new “Thoughts and Ideas” box located in the Narthex next to the Welcome Center. It will be delivered directly to the Session and then to the appropriate person(s) or group. We strongly encourage you to sign your name so we can respond personally when appropriate, but that is not a requirement. Although we cannot promise to resolve all issues to everyone’s satisfaction, we will give everything our careful consideration.

2013 Spring Fling at Camp Donegal: April 23rd, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Camp Donegal. The cost is \$15.00 per person which includes all activities, refreshments and lunch. Besides enjoying the calm beauty of the camp local presenters will be there including organic gardening tips and techniques, planting basic flower gardens, nature walks, Bible Study, worship, fellowship, food and more! Please check bulletin board near elevator.

Support The Factory and have a great meal! The whole week of April 22 to 28 Miller’s will donate 50% of your dining bill to this community ministry. Pick up a flyer in the Narthex and take it when you go to lunch, dinner, or weekend breakfast.

SOFTBALL TEAM SUB SALE

APRIL 22, 2013

MONDAY

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<u>No. of Subs</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Cost</u>
_____	American	\$ 4.50
_____	Amer. No Onions	\$ 4.50

Pick-up time:
Monday, April 22nd (5:00-6:00 p.m.)

ORDERS DUE APRIL 14th

Name _____

Address _____

Telephone _____

If you would like to give a donation, but not purchase subs, please see or call Ehren Graybill, 717-468-4405 or church office, 687-6619.

_____ **Flat Donation**