

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 18, 2013

## *GATHERING*

Prelude: "Prelude for Full Organ"

S.H. Stark

Invocation

Announcements and Passing the Peace of Christ

\*Call to Worship

Leader: Sing it out, shout it loud

**People: Cover all the earth**

Leader: Let the sound of saints

**People: Everywhere be heard**

Leader: Praise the God who has come

**People: To cure every broken heart**

\*Hymn: **Leacock Sings #1** "This is The Day"

Prayer of Confession (**Unison**)

**Dear Heavenly Father, we bow our heads and confess that we often forget that we are yours. We sometimes forget to help others in life. We continue our lives as if there is no God. For these things we ask your forgiveness and we also ask for your strength. Open our minds and our hearts so we may see you in our world. Remind us to be who you would have us be no matter what we are doing or who we are with. Hold us to you and build our relationship with you and with those around us.**

Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri (p. 579)

## *PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD*

Anthem: "God of Brilliant Lights"

Scott Cash, Ed Cash, Aaron Shust

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

1<sup>st</sup> Scripture Readings: 2 Kings 2:1-2, 6-14 (p 317), Gal 5: 1, 13-25 (p 179)

\*Hymn: **Leacock Sings 21** "Lord, I Lift Your Name On High"

Children's Sermon

Second Scripture Reading: Luke 9: 51-62 (p. 66)

Sermon: **PASSING THE TORCH**

## *RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD*

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

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: "We Are Singing (Siyahamba)"

South African Hymn

\*Doxology (p. 592)

\*Hymn: **Leacock Sings 36** "He Is Exalted"

\*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: "Lord, I Left Your Name on High"

setting Douglas Wagner

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  
Mary Beth Neff  
Given by Shirley Musselman and Family

The special flowers are in celebration of  
Eugene Sowers' 90<sup>th</sup> Birthday!  
Given by his wife and children

This service has been a long time in coming. We started back at the Youth Retreat, and have spent the weeks since brainstorming, writing, and practicing. Thanks to all the adults who have helped, and a special thanks to Renee – we couldn't have done it without her. We hope it is a meaningful service for you.

Valerie Ruhl, Forrest Boas, Katherine Boas, David Erikson,  
Kelsi Shenk, Taryn Shenk, Alison Shirk

**PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:**

PRAYER PERSON THIS WEEK: Helen Sharpe  
1023 Scenic View Circle  
Minneola, FL 34715

**TODAY: Youth Sunday**

8:00 a.m. Service of Worship at Old Leacock  
10:30 a.m. Service of Worship at Paradise  
11:30 a.m. 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Singles Group  
2:00 - 4:00 p.m. 90<sup>th</sup> birthday party Gene Sowers @ Paradise Park

**MONDAY:**

7:00 p.m. Trustee Mtg.

**TUESDAY:**

7:30 p.m. Women's Bible Study

**WEDNESDAY:**

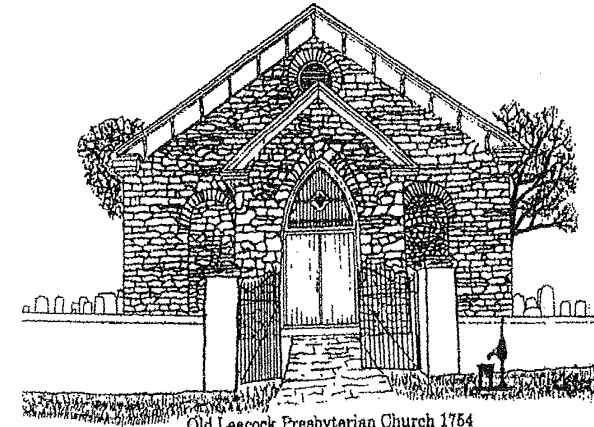
7:30 a.m. Centering Prayer

**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 – Rich and Marie Glass  
7:00 p.m. Youth Group

# 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 \$4267.00

Total in Organ Fund is \$79,032.85

**CONGRATULATIONS LEACOCK SOFTBALL TEAM!!** Leacock Church Softball Team has won the PV Church League Championship!! Great season guys!

**Special note:** I will be out of the office on Friday, August 23, so have anything for the bulletin to me by Wednesday. Thank you, Michele

**A memorial service for Charlotte Farr** is to be held on August 24<sup>th</sup> at Bellevue Presbyterian Church. There will be a time for visiting with the family from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. and the memorial service will begin at 2:30 p.m.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 31** – Organ Committee is having a Corn on the Cob /Pork BBQ. Tickets are \$8.00 for Adults and Children under 12 are \$5.00. It will be from 3:00 p.m. until 5:30 p.m. rain or shine. You may purchase advance tickets, but they are not necessary. Menu is Corn on the Cob, Pork BBQ, Cucumber and Onion Salad, Cup Cake and a Cold Drink.

**Kitchen Clearance "Sale":** There are now three tables of items which the Kitchen Committee has culled from the recesses of our church cupboards. They are located in the northeast corner of Fellowship Hall. If you discover any items still needed for the work of your committee, please place them on the serving counter (NOT the island), and we will reshel them. After August 1<sup>st</sup>, if there are items you would like to have, please help yourself and leave a donation in the container provided. At the end of August, we will find places to donate what is left (suggestions appreciated).

**Special Birthday** – You are invited to a drop-in party to celebrate Eugene Sowers' 90<sup>th</sup> birthday, to be held at Paradise Park in the Community Building today from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. No gifts please. If you desire, contribution can be made to The Factory food ministries.

**Florence Albright has moved.** Florence is now at the Lancashire Hall, Room 428A, 2829 Lititz Pike, Lancaster, PA 17601.

**The Community Meal** will be Thursday, August 29<sup>th</sup>. Doors will open at 5:15 p.m. Sign-up sheets for helping with the meal are in the Narthex. Thank you. Mission Committee

The September/October 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 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Dale Albright Memorial Dinner & Concert** to benefit The Factory Ministries is Saturday, September 21, 2013 at 5:30 p.m. The event is at Calvary Church in Lancaster. For tickets call 717-392-1292 or visit The Factory Ministries website at [www.thefactoryministries.com](http://www.thefactoryministries.com)

**ORGAN FUND UPDATE** – A number of activities are being planned as we enter the final phase of raising the balance of the \$83,000 for the Organ Rebuilding Project.

We continue to have a stand at the **Paradise Flea Market** Saturday mornings offering used books and other miscellaneous item. Donations are still accepted.

**Saladworks** Fundraiser Cards are being sold. For a \$10 donation, you receive \$40 in savings (including a free Signature Salad) at any Saladworks restaurant.

**New York bus trip is scheduled for Saturday, November 30<sup>th</sup>.** The bus will leave AC Moore's at 6:30 a.m. and be at the church at 6:45 a.m. It is a "do as you please trip" or if you are interested in Radio City Music Hall (Christmas Show) we can still try and get tickets. The bus will depart from New York at 5:30 p.m. The cost is \$50.00 per person for the bus trip (Radio City Music Hall is extra). Please call the office to reserve your seat 687-6619.

We have approximately \$4,000 plus \$1,600 in expenses to raise to complete the project. Your remarkable support and donations are appreciated.