32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

November 10, 2013

GATHERING

Prelude: "O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing"

Jason Payne

Invocation

Announcements and Passing the Peace of Christ

*Call to Worship (Psalm 66: 1-4)

Leader: Shout for joy to God, all the Earth!

People: Sing to the glory of His name; offer Him glory and praise!

Leader: Say to God, "How awesome are your deeds! So great is your

power that your enemies cringe before you.

People: All the Earth bows down to you; they sing praise to you,

they sing praise to your name."

*Hymn: #551 "Come, Ye Thankful People, Come" (with Bell Choir)

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Forgive us, Father, when we have argued with pious words only to camouflage our weak devotion. Strip us of our religious masks so that our sin is exposed. Then cleanse us and make firm our determination to be faithful followers of Jesus Christ, even when it is difficult to do so. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon *Gloria Patri (p. 579)

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Anthem: "With Praise and High Thanksgiving" Michael Ryan
Bell Choir

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

10:30 – Sacrament of Baptism – Rev. Allen Yuninger Emma Juliette Keenan, daughter of Craig and Jenny Keenan Solo – "Masterpiece"

Janet Yuninger

Patty/Henderson

First Scripture Readings: Haggai 1:13-2:9 (p.827),

2 Thessalonians 2:1-5, 13-17 (p. 194)

*Hymn: #276 "Great is Thy Faithfulness"

Children's Sermon – "The Lost Kitten"

Children may leave for God's Place for Boys and Girls (10:30 a.m. service)

Second Scripture Reading: Luke 20: 27-38 (p. 79)

Sermon: **THEN...**

RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

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

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: "Jesus Loves Me!"

Robert Hobby

*Doxology (p. 592)

*Hymn: #379 "More Hope Is Built on Nothing Less"

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: "Praise the Lord of Lords" Mark Williams

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 – Fieldsa Family 10:30 – Johanna Gingher and Sharon Williams

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Memory of a special veteran, Jack Wettig, Sr. Thank you for your years of service. Given by Tracy & Darell Dippner and family

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK: Douglas & Lois Snader
3157 Lincoln Hwy. East
Paradise, PA 17562

TODAY:

8:00 and 10:30 a.m. Services of Worship 9:15 a.m. Sunday School for infants through adults 7:00 Youth Group

MONDAY: Veterans' Day

TUESDAY:

7:00 p.m. Stewardship Committee Meeting

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 @ home of Betty Sowers'

5:30 p.m. Community Meal

6:30 p.m. The Factory Meal

NEXT SUNDAY:

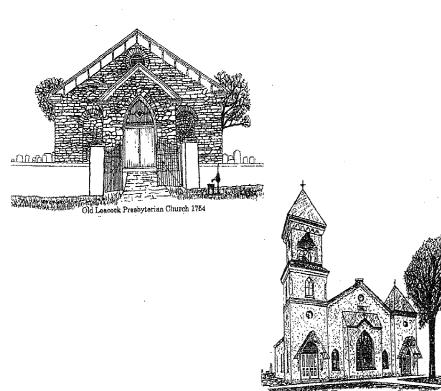
9:30 a.m. Service of Worship Congregational Meeeting

Covered Dish Luncheon

IN THE NURSERY: 9:30 – David and Carol Berkhimer

Leacock Presbyterían Church

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OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Last week's offering total was \$3,866.00

While Rev. Birch is gone, Rev. Steve Getty will be available for Pastoral care and emergencies. He can be reached at 717-768-8343 or, as always, call the church office at 717-687-6619.

The Community Meal is Thursday, Nov 14th. Doors will open at 5:15 p.m. Sign-up sheets for helping with the meal are in the Narthex. Thank you.

Mission Committee

Dine Out - The Church is having another Dine Out to pay for the organ fund expenses. Simply dine at Four Brothers Restaurant on Rt. 30 in Gap during the month of November and show them the card (at the rear of the sanctuary). Ten percent of the bill will be donated to the organ fund. The card can be used for breakfast, lunch or dinner during the month.

On Monday, November 11, please join Marie Glass and Lauren Appel to craft our "famous" beaded church spiders. This event will take place in the church basement starting at 6 pm. We hope to make an ample assortment to sell at the Christmas Bazaar. These beautiful ornaments are made with beads and wire and come with an adorable poem attached (great present idea). These ladies are experts....so put this date on your calendar and come help make a few arachnids!

Fall Harvest Offering: From November 10th to the 24th we will hold our annual collection of gift cards for Bridge of Hope. We will also be collecting personal care items that are much needed at the food bank now administered by The Factory. If you wish to contribute to either of these ministries, please take a card from the display in the Narthex and return your item by Nov. 24. Gift cards should be given to Karen Homsher, Jenny Keenan, Robbin Englehart, Emily Birch, or the Welcome Center host.

Paradise Boy Scout and Cub Scouts #28 invite you to join them for their annual benefit auction on November 15th with doors opening at 6:00 p.m. and auction beginning at 6:30 p.m., at the Paradise Elementary School.

The Session of Leacock Presbyterian Church calls for a Meeting of the Congregation Sunday Nov 17, to approve the proposed 2014 budget, elect officers, and decide on the composition of the 2014 Nominating Committee. The meeting will begin at approximately 10:45 a.m., following the scheduled **one service** of worship at 9:30 a.m.

Potluck luncheon to follow the Congregational Meeting.

BASKET BONANZA

Karen Shue and Lois Snader are in charge of the themed baskets. If you can, fill a basket with any theme (Italian Sampler, Nail Salon Goodies, Body & Bath, Newborn Baby Items, School Books or Supplies, the list is endless). Please place your basket donations in Fellowship Hall, by Sun. December 1st. If you need an empty basket to fill, they will be available in the Narthex, so just help yourself.

BIRD SEED COOKIES - Would any friends be willing to bake our "famous" Bird Seed Cookies for the bazaar? I have individual bags that they can be placed in. Just call me for the recipe. Thanks! Loretta (808-7689)

CALLING ALL BAKERS - We need cookies for our bazaar. We put them in tins or plate them for you. All you need to do is the baking. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 dozen - we will take whatever you bake. Cookies needed by Thursday, Dec. 5th. If you make them early and don't have freezer space, call Loretta 808-7689 or Michele in the church office 687-6619.

Reminder - Two services Sunday November 24th with Communion

The Thank Offering is being collected this week and next week. Forty percent of the offering is used to support hospitals and community health programs. The other sixty percent is used for new creative ideas for mission.