

7th Sunday After Pentecost

July 27, 2014

GATHERING

Prelude: “Day by Day”

Edward Broughton

Invocation

*Call to Worship, Psalm 100

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! Know that the Lord is God!

People: It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Leader: Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise!

People: Give thanks to him; bless his name!

All: For the Lord is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations.

*Hymn: #464 “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Gracious God, creator and shepherd of our lives, you have loved us faithfully, and placed us in the midst of your most amazing creation, but too often, Lord, we ignore your love and your gifts. We wander after the desires of our own hearts; we get lost seeking those places we think are greener. We have doubts about your presence and your care, we refuse your leadership. Lord, help us overcome our doubts and truly live the good news that you are our shepherd, you are with us always. Make us ever thankful, in Christ’s name we pray, Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Awesome God (see insert)

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

First Scripture Readings: Exodus 3:1-12 (p. 48); Luke 15:1-7 (p. 73)

Children’s Sermon: “The Lord is My Shepherd; I’ll Walk with Him Always”

VBS Video

Second Scripture Reading: John 21:15-17 (p. 109)

Sermon: **FEED MY LAMBS**

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

*Affirmation of Faith – Psalm 23 (p. 474)

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: “Feed My Lambs”

Collins/Wolka

*Doxology (see insert)

*Hymn: #391 “Take My Life”

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: “Benediction”

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The End of Worship
The Beginning of Service

*Those who wish may stand

As you leave worship, greet all with the Peace of Christ

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 - 4 yrs.): 10:30 – Dave & Carol Berkhimer

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Loving Memory of
James "Pete" Beckett
Given by his family

Leacock Presbyterian Church

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

We extend our sincere sympathy to the family and friends of
Hewson Michie, Emily's father, who passed away, July 24, 2014.

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER PERSON THIS WEEK: Karen Boyer
980 Oakview Dr.
New Holland, PA 17557

TODAY:

8:00 a.m. Service of Worship at Old Leacock
10:30 a.m. Service of Worship at Paradise

MONDAY:

6:30 p.m. Leacock Softball v. Bird-in-Hand – Field #2

WEDNESDAY:

7:30 a.m. Centering Prayer

THURSDAY:

5:30 p.m. Community Meal

NEXT SUNDAY:

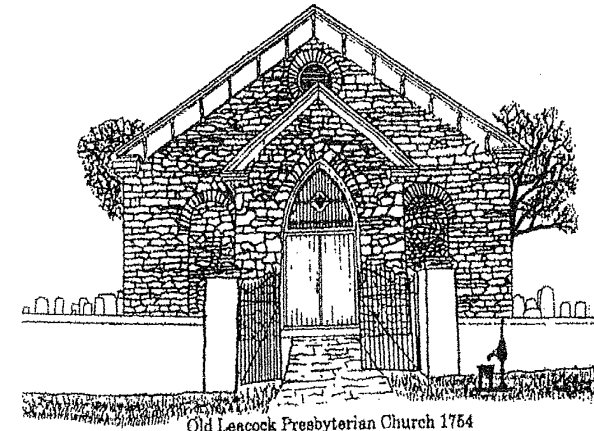
8:00 a.m. Service of Worship at Old Leacock
10:30 a.m. Service of Worship at Paradise
IN THE NURSERY: 10:30 – Carol Shearer & Fran Sattazahn
7:00 p.m. Hymn Sing

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Last week's offering total was \$4,042.00

The Community Meal will be Thursday, July 31. Doors will open at 5:15
p.m. Sign-up sheets for helping with the meal are in the Narthex.
Thank you. Mission Committee

Garden Task Force is in need of a chairperson. Thank you to Dick Miller
for his many years of service, but Dick has stepped down and now we need
to fill this opening. If there is anyone interested, please contact George
Shue at 687-7240 or the church office at 687-6619.



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Looking for a way to use all those samples from the dentist? The Backpack Project can put those samples to work. Simply put toothpaste, toothbrushes and /or floss in the box under the Backpack Project tree and they will be distributed in the backpacks to the children at PVIS. We are also looking for donations of deodorant or shampoo/conditioner samples. Backpacks will be prepared for the students at the August 10th Youth Meeting, so all donations need to be received by that date. The Church and Community Life Committee thank you for your support!

CCL committee organized a night out at the Lancaster Barnstormers, Saturday, August 16, game time 7pm. Sign up to join us and bring your friends and family for a fun evening ending with fireworks after the game! Cost will be \$9 per person due to Jenny Keenan by Sunday, August 3. Please call Jenny at 471-1448 with any questions or to reserve your spot.

Awesome God

Our God is an awesome God who reigns from heaven above
With wisdom, power, and love; our God is an awesome God! (Repeat 3 times)

The Lord is My Shepherd

1. The Lord is my shepherd, I'll walk with him always
He leads me by still waters I'll walk with him always

*Refrain

Always, always, I'll walk with Him always.
Always, always. I'll walk with Him always.

2. The Lord is my shepherd, I'll walk with him always
He gives me green pastures, I'll walk with him always.

*Refrain

3. The Lord is my shepherd, I'll walk with Him always
He leads me to right living, I'll walk with him always

*Refrain

4. The Lord is my shepherd, I'll walk with him always
He'll love me forever, I'll walk with him always.

*Refrain