

9th Sunday After Pentecost

August 10, 2014

GATHERING

Prelude: “Andantino”

Haydn

Invocation

*Call to Worship

Leader: Lord, help us to believe.

People: I believe God raised Jesus from the dead.

Leader: Lord, help us to speak what we believe.

People: I confess that Christ Jesus is my Lord.

Leader: Lord, help us to come when you call.

People: I proclaim in my life the good news of the Lord.

*Hymn: #289 “O God of Every Nation”

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

God of grace, you take away the sin of the world. You offer new beginnings. You love us. But we do not always love you. We go through the motions of faith, while we hate our sisters and brothers. You send us out to bring good news to the world. But when our seas become rough, we become afraid; we no longer see you; we sink beneath the broken waves. Come to us, Lord. Take away our fear. Lead us to the shore. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri (p. 579)

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

First Scripture Readings: Genesis 37:1-4, 12-28 (p. 32)

*Hymn: #265 “Great God, We Sing That Mighty Hand”

Children’s Sermon

Second Scripture Reading: Matthew 14:22-33 (p. 15)

Sermon: **WALKING ON THE WATERS**

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

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

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: “May the Mind of Christ”

arr. Jack Schrader

*Doxology (p. 592)

*Hymn: #426 “Lord, Speak to Me, That I May Speak”

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: “Closing Voluntary”

E. L. Ashford

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 through 4 yrs.): 10:30 – Sean & Maureen Carney

The Daisies are given
With love and in memory of
Grandma Sandra Clark
From Kevin, Loretta, Matthew and Lauren McClarigan

Congratulations on the Birth of
Elijah Ryan Eckert, son of Tanya Eckert & Luis Wharton,
grandson to Michael & Michele McLaughlin.
He was born on July 30, 2014, 8lb 10oz.

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK: Christian & Marie Brackbill
315 Hershey Church Rd.
Kinzers, PA 17535

In the hospital: Evie Lopez, Lancaster General, Room 4810
Peter Conway, Lancaster General, Room 5820

TODAY:

8:00 a.m. Service of Worship at Old Leacock
10:30 a.m. Service of Worship at Paradise
7:00 p.m. Hymn Sing

MONDAY:

6:30 p.m. Leacock Softball

WEDNESDAY:

7:30 a.m. Centering Prayer

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 – Sara & Michele Lichty

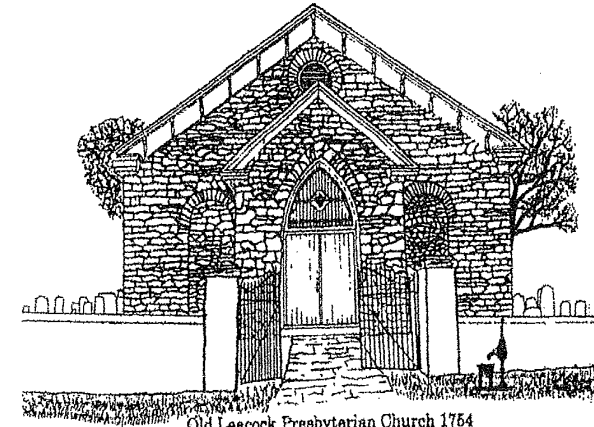
OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Last week's offering total was \$3487.00

The August issue of *Presbyterians Today* is available in back of the sanctuary.

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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