

Baptism of the Lord

January 11, 2015

## *GATHERING*

Prelude: Meditation on 'Picard'  
Invocation

Daniel Gawthrop

\*Call to Worship

Leader: Lord, when first you created, your Spirit moved over the waters.

**People: Lord, may your Spirit now move over me.**

Leader: help us to see ways we need to change.

**People: Lord, transform me; make me a new creation.**

Leader: In the waters, the Lord claims us.

**People: Lord, send me to do your work.**

\*Hymn: #519 "You Are My Strength When I Am Weak" (two times)

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

**God of new beginnings, you created once; you create always. And what you create is good. Yet, we turn away from you, Lord. You call and we do not answer. We are made good, but we do bad. Forgive us. Send your Spirit once more. Bend us; shape us; create us again, so that we may be more fully what you will. Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri (p. 581)

## *PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD*

Anthem: 10:30 – "Come, Share the Lord" (GTG #510)

Chancel Choir

Bryan Leech

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: "It Is Well With My Soul"

Robert Lau

\*Doxology (p. 606)

First Scripture Readings: Genesis 1:1-5 (p. 1); Acts 19:1-7 (p. 130)

\*Hymn: #286 "Breathe on Me. Breathe of God"

Children's Sermon

Children may leave for God's Place for Kids

Second Scripture Reading: Mark 1:4-11(p. 32)

Sermon: **THIS CHANGES EVERYTHING**

## *RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD*

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

\*Apostles Creed (p. 17)

Ordination and Installation of Officers

\*Hymn: #476 "Crashing Waters at Creation"

\*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: "Trumpet Tune"

Edward Broughton

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.

10:30 a.m. Edwin Margerum

IN THE NURSERY (babies through 4 yrs.): 8:00 – Ellen Barnes

10:30 – Lauren & Ruth Anne Appel

**ELDERS:** To be installed: Steve Boas, Marie Brackbill, Linda Erikson,  
Lois Eshleman, Jenny Keenan, Milt Hostetter

**DEACONS:** To be installed: Tracy Dippner, Johanna Gingher,  
Barbara Hostetter

To be ordained: Maureen Carney

**TRUSTEE RECOGNITION:** Dave Berkhimer, Craig Keenan,  
Danielle Short

The Sanctuary Flowers are in memory of  
Fred Musselman  
by Shirley and Family

**PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:**

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK: Robert, Jr. & Elaine Dyer  
Camilia  
744 Stonewood Drive  
Gap, PA 17527

In the hospital: Peter Conway, Lancaster General, Room 5802  
Lee Brown, Lancaster General, Room 7914  
Mary Jane Mowrer, Lancaster General, Room 5018

**TODAY: Communion**

8:00 a.m. Service of Worship  
9:15 a.m. Sunday School  
10:30 a.m. Service of Worship

**MONDAY:**

7:00 a.m. PW Walk  
7:30 PW Sunrise Bible Study & Breakfast

**TUESDAY:**

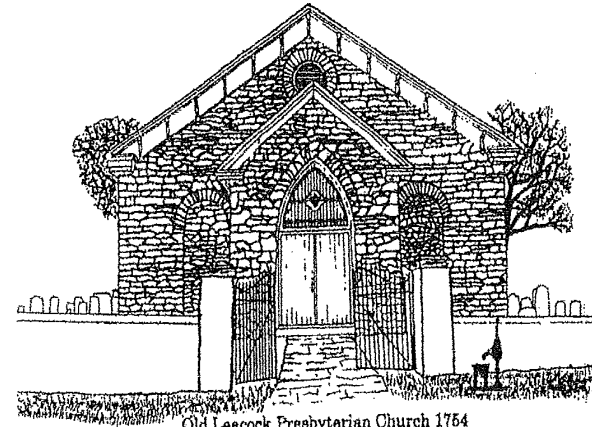
7:00 p.m. Stewardship Committee Meeting

**WEDNESDAY:**

6:30 p.m. Bell Choir  
7:30 p.m. Chancel Choir

# Leacock Presbyterian Church

*First met in Leacock Township in 1724, recognized by the Synod in  
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**SATURDAY:**

9:30 a.m. Session Retreat @ Presbytery Office

**NEXT SUNDAY:**

8:00 a.m. Service of Worship

9:15 a.m. Sunday School

10:30 a.m. Service of Worship

IN THE NURSERY: 8:00 – Donald & Christy Fieldsa

10:30 – Chuck & Kathy Ankney

**OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Last week's offering total was \$4,094.00

**The per capita** is \$32.00 **per member**. Please use the envelope found in the beginning of your envelope box. This pays the overhead of our General Assembly, Synod, and Presbytery offices.

**Please take your offering envelopes.** Please pick up your offering envelopes for 2015 in the Narthex on the table beside the Welcome Center. This would save the church a lot of money so we do not have to mail them. Please take your neighbors, or that of someone you might see in passing.