

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 19, 2015

Sermon: **BROKEN WALLS**

GATHERING

Announcements and Greeting

Prelude: “Awake My Heart With Gladness”

Robert Hobby

Invocation

*Call to Worship

Leader: Jesus, O Jesus—come to your people!

People: For we are like sheep without a shepherd.

Leader: Proclaim your peace to this broken world;

People: Help us to hear your call.

Leader: Break down all dividing walls.

People: Make us one.

*Hymn: **#824** “There Is a Place of Quiet Rest”

Prayer of Confession (**Unison**)

Merciful God, you created a world at peace. And when we broke that peace, you sent your Son to heal all wounds, to reconcile all creatures. But we do not receive your peace. We build walls instead of bridges. We divide instead of come together. We quarrel and hurt and judge, and this grieves your heart. Forgive us, dear Lord. Heal us. Help us to be the body of Christ. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri (p. 581)

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Anthem: **#752** “Dona Nobis Pacem”—Sung twice, the congregation.

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

First Scripture Reading: Ephesians 2:11-22 (p. 181)

*Hymn: **#302** “When Hands Reach Out and Fingers Trace”

Children’s Sermon

Second Scripture Reading: Mark 6:30-34, 53-56 (p. 38)

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

*from A Brief Affirmation of Faith, 3,5,6, page 37.

The Peace of Christ

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory: “The Lord’s My Shepherd “

arr. Harold DeCou

*Doxology (p. 606)

*Hymn: **#761** “Called as Partners in Christ’s Service”

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: “Carry His Love With You”

Adam Mason

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. Tom Burkins

10:30 a.m. Edwin Margerum

IN THE NURSERY (babies through 4 yrs.): 10:30 – Michele & Lea Lichty

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Memory of
My parents, John and Reba Moore and my husband, Glenn E. Hamme
From Joyce Moore Hamme & Family

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER PERSON THIS WEEK: Miriam Keneagy
Brethren Village, Rm. 3 –Village Manor
3001 Lititz Pike
Lancaster, PA 17606-5093

In the hospital: Ralph Shank, Lancaster General Hospital, Room 3907

TODAY:

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

MONDAY:

6:30 p.m. Ridgeview vs. Leacock Softball - #1
7:00 p.m. Worship Committee Mtg.

NEXT SUNDAY:

8:00 a.m. Service of Worship @ Old Leacock
10:30 a.m. Service of Worship @ Paradise
IN THE NURSERY: 10:30 – Marie & Skip Brackbill

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Last week's offering total was \$3,601
In order to meet the approved budget for 2015, we need to receive an
average of \$4,333.00 each week in offering.

The Church and Community Life Committee is planning a family fun
night at Waters Edge Miniature Golf in Bird-in-Hand on Wednesday, July
29 at 6:30. Cost is \$5.50 if we get 20 participants. Come enjoy a round of
golf and ice cream. Bring a friend! A sign up sheet is in the Narthex!

Don't forget to request a favorite hymn or two that we can sing in
August. Request slips can be found in a basket at the back of each
sanctuary or you can tell Dianne Yuninger the hymn title.

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The next community meal will be held Thursday, July 30th in the fellowship hall. As usual we will be serving from 5:30-6.30 pm. Sign up sheets for donations and for helpers are in the narthex. Please sign up as you feel you can.

Again this year, have been blessed with the opportunity to provide school supplies for children in need at PVIS. There are many children in need of school supplies at the middle school level. We are going to have a "giving tree" in the Narthex with requests for school supplies, backpacks and/or monetary donations beginning July 12th with an anticipated return date of August 2nd.

Per PVIS, required supplies for their students include: 1" 3 ring binder(non zip), set of 8 tab/dividers for the binder, pocket folders, #2 pencils, highlighters, 3x3 sticky notes, wire bound notebooks. Recommended supplies include: a large binder that can hold all folders, pencil pack, pencil sharpener, 1 gig flash drive(PC and MAC compatible). The backpacks could also include snacks, toothbrushes and/or toothpaste. If you prefer to not take a giving tag and would like to donate individual supplies, please feel free.

Ware Presbyterian Village is having a "Bakeless Bake Sale." The funds raised will go towards the WPV Auxiliary Santa Sack Program held in early December. The Program provides Health Center and Personal Care residents a **FREE** shopping experience. The residents may choose Holiday gifts for their family members or close friends. Just donate what the cost would be for a baked good item; cake, pie, etc. Please mail donations to WPV Auxiliary, Ware Presbyterian Village, 7 E. Locust St., Oxford, PA 19363.