

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 2, 2015

GATHERING

Announcements and Greeting

Prelude “Immortal, Invisible” Gerald Peterson

Invocation

*Call to Worship

Leader: Come, let us sing for joy to the Lord.

People: Let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.

Leader: Let us come before Him with thanksgiving and praise Him with music and song.

People: For He is our God and we are the people of His pasture, the flock under His care. Let us worship our Shepherd and Lord!

*Hymn “When Morning Gilds the Skies” #667

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Heavenly Father, we are grateful for the privilege of worshipping our Great God and our Savior, Jesus Christ. But we know that we have sinned. We confess that we have often lost our way and failed to live by the commands of Jesus, Who gave His Life for us on the Cross. We have tried to justify some of our sins and simply overlooked others. Forgive us through our Savior. Create in us a strong desire to live as the people of God. We pray in Jesus’ Name. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and plenteous in Mercy. He has not dealt with us according to our sins, nor rewarded us according to our iniquities. As the Heaven is high above the earth, so great is His Mercy toward those who love Him. As far as the east is from the west, so far has He removed our transgressions from us. Friends, God has forgiven us. May He be forever praised. Amen.

*Gloria Patri (page 581)

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

First Scripture Reading: John 15:9-17; Philippians 4:10-13

*Hymn “What a Friend We Have in Jesus” #465

Children’s Sermon: **AN UNLIKELY ESCORT**

Second Scripture Reading: Genesis 37:12-36

Sermon: **DINNER IN THE WAFFLE HOUSE**

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

*Apostles Creed (p. 17)

The Peace of Christ

Offering of Tithes and Gifts

Please sign and pass the Friendship Book

Offertory “Andante” Jonas Blewitt

*Doxology (page 606)

*Hymn “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee” #611

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: “Our Lord, Our King” Heinrick Rinck

The End of Worship

The Beginning of Service

*Those who wish may stand

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

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.

We welcome Rev. Steve Getty to the pulpit this morning. Rev. Getty retired from the Pequea Presbyterian Church. Steve resides in Gordonville with his wife, Wendy. You might have seen Steve and Wendy here on occasions worshipping with us. Steve and Wendy have also volunteered for a couple of years at our VBS program.

WORSHIP HOUR INFORMATION

The Sanctuary Flowers are In Memory of
Willis Bernard Given by
Shirley Bernard and Family

The Additional Sanctuary Flowers are In Memory of
Malcolm Stannard, Husband and Father with Love from
June Stannard and Children

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of
Charles Danner who died on Tuesday, July 28

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK Louis Leo & Claudette Korzniecki

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 years): 10:30 Craig Keenan & Charlene Boas

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 vs. New Team #2

7:00p.m.

Church and Community Life

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

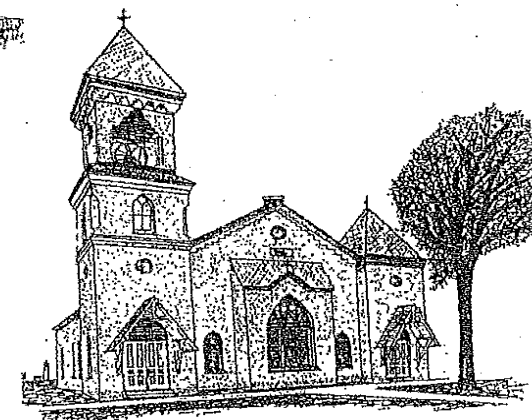
Wednesday August 5, Open House, tours, conversations at Old Leacock Church from 10:00am to 12:00 noon. This is an open invitation for anyone interested.

Leacock Presbyterian Church

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1740, moved to Paradise in 1840.*



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