22<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 30, 2015

## GATHERING

Announcements and Greeting

Prelude "For the Beauty of the Earth" ...... arr. Harold DeCou

Invocation

\*Call to Worship

Leader: Lord, teach us your word.

**People:** Let us not hear only our own voices.

Leader: Lord, teach us your will.

**People:** Let us not do only our own will. Leader: Lord, help our faith to be true.

**People:** Let us live our faith in serving others.

\*Hymn #401 "Here in This Place"

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

Ever-faithful God, in your word, you teach us your will. Through your Word, our Lord Jesus Christ, you show us the way of life. But too often our hearts are not with you. We hear your word, but we do not do it. We speak our faith, but we do not live it. We follow what is human and not of you. Turn us, Lord. Turn our hearts to you. Make us new. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

\*Gloria Patri (page 581)

### PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

1st Scripture Reading: James 1:17-27 (page 218)

\*Hymn #708 "We Give Thee but Thine Own"

Children's Sermon

2nd Scripture Reading: Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23 (page 39)

Sermon:

#### THE MAN IN THE MIRROR

## 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

\*Doxology (page 606)

\*Hymn #340 "This Is My Song"

\*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: "Praising the Almighty" ...... Edward Broughton

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

The Sanctuary Flowers are in Loving Memory of Robert P. Lutz
Happy Birthday! Love, your Family

#### **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 extend our deepest sympathy to the family of Terry Petit de Mange Who passed away on Wednesday, August 26, 2015

#### **WORSHIP HOUR INFORMATION**

#### PRAYER PERSON THIS WEEK - Miriam Latshaw

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 – David & Carol Berkhimer IN THE NURSERY (babies through 4 years) 10:30 next Sunday, Sept 6 – Mary Alice High & Johanna Gingher

#### **TODAY**

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

**MONDAY** 

7:00 p.m. Worship Committee

**TUESDAY** 

7:15 p.m. **Christian Education Committee** 

WEDNESDAY

10:00 a.m. Tour of Old Leacock

**Chancel Choir** 7:30 p.m.

**THURSDAY** 

7:00 p.m. Mission Committee

#### OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

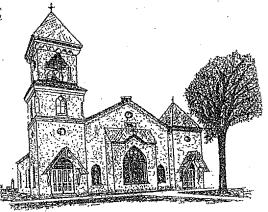
CHANCEL CHOIR will begin this season Wednesday evening at 7:00 p.m. in the Choir Room. We have two rehearsals until our gala 275<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration. Come join us as we sing our praises to God who has graced this church with love, ministry and service.

# Leacock Presbyterían Church

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



**CELEBRATING 275 YEARS** 



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