

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 9, 2015

GATHERING

Announcements and Greeting

Prelude “Morning Has Broken” G. Winston Cassler

Invocation

*Call to Worship (responsive) – adapted from Psalm 105

Leader: O give thanks to the Lord, call on God’s name, make known the Lord’s deeds among the peoples.

People: Sing to our God, sing praises; tell of all God’s wonderful works.

Leader: Glory in God’s holy name; let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice.

People: Seek the Lord and his strength; seek God’s presence continually.

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

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

God of our salvation, hear our prayers for healing, hope, courage, and the special healing of forgiveness. We have guilt over misdeeds and shameful motives, and we have regrets over missed opportunities for kindness, botched relationships, and words we wish we had spoken when they would have helped or healed. We also have our fears about the meaning of our lives, as well as our doubts about the future. We can be selfish but also lonely, boastful but also frightened, mean but also sorry. We need you, and we need each other. We also need the faith and courage to be ourselves, so we can share life without fear of losing it. In Jesus, your kindness, your will to heal and restore, and your faithful love have come to us in person. Open our minds to him and all he represents of your love for the world and for us. Amen.

Assurance of Pardon

*Gloria Patri (page 581)

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

Anthem “O God, You Search Me” Bernadette Farrell

Solo – Lew Bryson

Prayers of the People and Lord’s Prayer

First Scripture Reading: Exodus 6:1-9

*Hymn “Open My Eyes, That I May See” #451

Children’s Sermon

Second Scripture Reading: Matthew 9:35-38; 16:1-3

Sermon: **WAITING FOR GOSPEL**

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 “I Will Lift Up My Eyes”Gary Davidson

*Doxology (page 606)

*Hymn “God of Grace and God of Glory” #307

*Benediction

Silent Prayer (be seated)

Postlude: “All Glory Be to God on High” Gerog Phillipp Telemann

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 the Rev. Richard E. Sindall to the pulpit this morning. In July of 2012, after 40 years in pastoral ministry in Tamaqua, PA and Bridgeton, NJ, Dick retired with his wife Debbie to Lititz. The Sindalls worship with us regularly.

WORSHIP HOUR INFORMATION
The Sanctuary Flowers are In Memory of
Beth Neff Given by
Shirley Musselman and Family

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of
Ralph Bair who died on Monday, August 3, 2015

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK John & Joy Koshuta

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 – Carol Shearer & Fran Sattazahn

IN THE NURSERY (babies through 4 years) 10:30 next Sunday, August 18 – Chuck & Kathy Ankney

TODAY

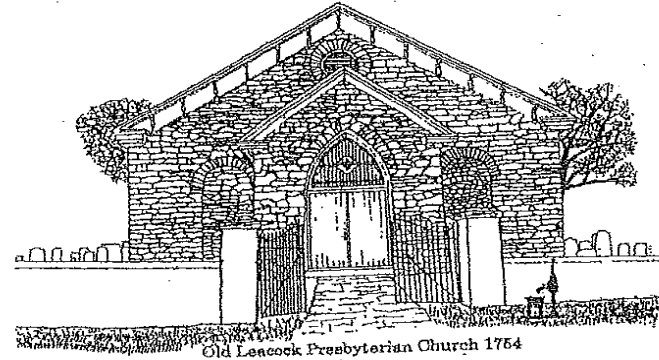
8:00 a.m. Service of Worship at Old Leacock
10:30 a.m. Service of Worship at Paradise

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

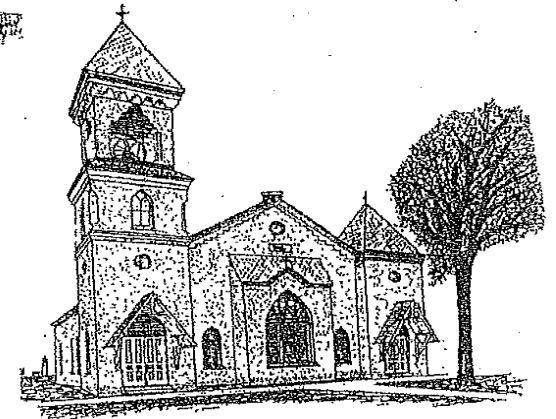
We are extending the date for the Backpack project for PVIS. We will now be collecting supplies and backpacks until August 16th. The Youth will fill the backpacks on August 23rd and we will deliver them the first week of school. Please note- we have received a large donation of flash drives and do not need any more for the backpack supplies. Thank you to everyone who has donated so far. Please feel free to pick up a tag in the Narthex or give any cash donations to Mary Alice High.

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1740, moved to Paradise in 1840.*



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