Third Sunday after the Epiphany		January 22, 2017	Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer		
GATHERING			First Scripture Reading:	Micah 6:1-8 (p. 816)	
Announceme Prelude: Invocation	ents and Greeting "O God Beyond All Praising"	Charles Callahan	*Hymn: #70 "What D Second Scripture Reading:	Does the Lord Require of You? Matthew 4:12-23 (p.3)	,,
Call To Worship			Sermon: What is Good		
Leader: People: Leader: People: Leader: People:	People:Lord, help me to go when you call.Leader:The Lord comes to you so that you may go to others.People:Lord, help me to recognize my neighbor.Leader:You know what the Lord requires of you.		RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD * Affirmation of Faith - Apostles Creed (p.17) The Peace of Christ Offering of Tithes and Gifts Please sign and pass the Friendship Book		
People: *Hymn:	Lord, help me to remember what is g #729 "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"		Offertory "Psalm"	le l'hendship book	Gordon Young
Prayer of Confession (Unison) Merciful God, you loved us into life. You have never stopped loving us. Because you love us, you have saved us countless times, including from ourselves. Yet we forget your acts of grace. We forget you, in the busy- ness of our lives, in our quarrels, in our chasing after false treasures. Forgive us, Lord. Love us into life again. Remind us what you desire. Amen.			 *Doxology (page 606) *<i>Hymn:</i> #721 "Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore" *Benediction: Choral Response: "Go with us, Lord, and guide the way through this and every coming day, that in your Spirit strong and true our lives may be our gift to you." 		
Assurance of Pardon *Response: In the Lord I'll be ever thankful; In the Lord I will rejoice! Look to God: do not be afraid. Lift up your voices; the Lord is near. Lift up your voices; the Lord is near.			The End of Worship	ll Reign" The Beginning of Service	Robert Hughes
PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD			As you leave worship, greet all with the Peace of Christ		
Anthem:	"Day by Day" Chancel Choir	arr. Larry Shakley	Rev. Robert W. Birch Mrs. Dianne Yuninger	, Minister r, Organist/Choir Director	
<i>Children's S</i> (Following t		ol)	The Sanctuary Flowers are in Loving Memory of Doris and Lee Brown Given by their Children & Grandchildren		

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.

IN THE NURSERY (babies through 4 yrs.) - Debbie & Dick Sindall Next Sunday, January 29 – Katherine Boas & Valerie Ruhl

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER FAMILY THIS WEEK: David & Janet Birch

TODAY	9:30 a.m.	Service of Worship
	10:45 a.m.	Adult Sunday School
MONDAY	5:30 p.m.	Audit
	Newsletter Article Due	
TUESDAY	7:00 p.m.	Deacon Meeting
WEDNESDAY	6:30 p.m.	Bell Choir
	7:30 p.m.	Chancel Choir
<u>THURSDAY</u>	5:30 a.m.	Community Meal

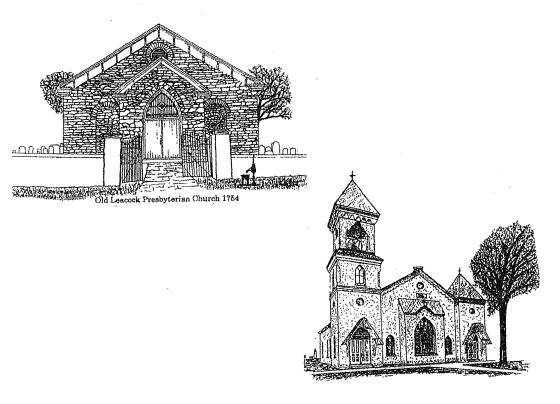
OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

Shared Proportional Giving (per capita) for 2017 is \$35.53. Please use the first envelope in your envelope box for this offering. Thank you.

GIVING STATEMENTS for 2016 are completed and ready for pick up in the Narthex. As always the Trustees are keeping up with the maintenance of the Church as best we can and want to thank you all for your support. Also, **OFFERING ENVELOPES for 2017** are in the Sunday school wing in the first Sunday school room on your left. My apologies for the delay. I hope everyone had a Merry Christmas, and I wish all a joyful New Year. If you see something that needs our attention, please tell the Trustees. David Berkhimer



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Our next **community meal** is **this Thursday, January 26**, 2017 to be held in our Smith Fellowship Hall from 5:30-6:30. Sign-up sheets are in the narthex for food donations and times that help is needed. If you know of anyone who is in need of a good hot meal or some wonderful fellowship, please don't hesitate to invite them to come and join us, not only that Thursday but the last Thursday of every month.