

Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

February 10, 2019

GATHERING

Announcements and Greeting

Prelude: "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" Charles C. Converse
arr. Jack Schrader

**Call To Worship*

Leader: The Lord will find you, wherever you are.

People: Feed us, Lord, so that we may know you.

Leader: The Lord needs you, whoever you are.

People: Heal us, Lord, so that we may serve you.

Leader: The Lord will send you where you need to go.

People: Dispel our fear, Lord, so that we may follow you.

**Hymn:* #721 "Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore"

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

God of glory, you come to each of us with a work to do. For you see our good. But in your presence, we may feel wrong, not enough. Then, we may want you to go. Then, we may want to flee to the known and safe. Touch us, to heal us. Grant us your strength so that we may say, "Here I am." Amen.

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. (p.654)

PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

Anthem: "I Shall Not Want" Audrey Assad

Children's Sermon

Prayers of the People and Lord's Prayer

First Scripture Reading: Isaiah 6: 1-8 (p.597)

**Hymn:* #726 "Will You Come and Follow Me"

Second Scripture Reading: Luke 5: 1-11 (p.58)

Sermon: **To the Deep Waters**

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

Offertory: "The Battle Belongs to the Lord" Jamie Owens-Collins
arr. Mark Hayes

Doxology (page 606)

**Hymn* #69 "I, the Lord of Sea and Sky"

**Benediction*

Silent Prayer (be seated)

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." (p.748)

Postlude "Joy of the Lord" Rend Collective
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 Timothy Sowers
son of David & Karen Sowers, Grandson of Gene & Betty Sowers

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.

NURSERY (babies through 4 yrs.): **NURSERY PROVIDED UPON REQUEST.**

Please see an usher if you would like to take your children to the nursery.

Today we welcome **Renee Mendenhall** to our worship and thank her for her gift of music. A graduate of Pequea Valley High School and Penn State University, Renee is currently training for a career in alternative medicine. She also has earned her master's degree from Northwestern University.

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER & HELPER

This Sunday and next Sunday, February 10: Loretta McClarigan & Lea Lichty

PRAYERS OF THE CONGREGATION:

PRAYER PERSON THIS WEEK: **Ruth Usner**

<u>TODAY</u>	9:30 a.m.	Service of Worship
	10:45 a.m.	Adult Sunday School
	5:30 p.m.	Evening Worship
<u>MONDAY</u>	7:00 p.m.	Stewardship Meeting
<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	6:30 p.m.	Bell Choir
<u>THURSDAY</u>	6:00 p.m.	Factory Meal
<u>FRIDAY</u>	5:30 p.m.	Book & Movie Group

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

2018 Giving Statements are in the Sunday School room where you picked up your Offering Envelopes. They will be there for the next couple weeks for your convenience. Also, the Building and Facilities envelopes are for Old Leacock painting and repairs and a few other building repairs. Thank you all for helping to keep your buildings in good repair.

Dave Berkhimer, Trustee President

Leacock Presbyterian Church

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



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On **February 24**, following the **Annual Meeting** we will have a **Covered Dish Luncheon**. Be sure to mark your calendars and plan to join together for lunch. As you all know from past

experiences if you don't feel like bringing something there is always enough to eat at Leacock! Join your friends for lunch.

Again this year, we would like to support **Pequea Valley High School** and **Intermediate School** by providing necessary supplies to the nurse's office.

The nurse has requested cough drops and new or gently used sweatpants or shorts with elastic waistbands. There is also a need for new or gently used small size t-shirts "that a teen would want to wear". There will be a donation bin in the Narthex from January 27th until February 17th. Monetary donations may also be given to the church secretary, Mary Alice High or Michele Lichy.

At this point, we are the only church supporting the nurse at PVHS and PVIS. The elementary schools receive other community support but in the upper levels, the nurse purchases supplies not covered by her budget. Thank you for your support of our local students.

Michele Lichy