## GATHHERING

Greeting and Welcome to Worship
The Lord be with you.
And also with you.
Lift up your hearts.
We lift them up to the Lord.
Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give our thanks and praise.
Prelude: "Morning Has Broken" setting John Wilson
Call to Worship: (Responsive)
One: We lift up our eyes to the hills.
From where will our help come?
All: Our help comes from the LORD who made heaven and earth.
One: Jesus says, "And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, shall draw all to myself."
All: Christ of our hope and salvation,
draw us to yourself and turn us to each other in mutual service.
One: May all praise be given to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, now and forever.

## All: Amen and amen!

*Invocation and the Lord's Prayer
*Hymn: \#327 "From All That Dwell Below the Skies"
Lasst Uns Erfreuen (see download)
*Prayer of Confession: God, we are pulled in different directions and sometimes torn in our loyalties, our hopes, and our motives. We profess our faith in Jesus Christ, whom you sent to represent, embody, and fulfill
your love for us, all of us, and for your whole creation. But we continue to defend our prejudices, to seek our own comfort and benefit, to hide from the truth of our need for transformed lives, and to deny our world's need for justice and healing. Please forgive us, and melt our stubbornness; make us open to your Spirit and responsive to your love for us and for all people, including those we don't like. In the name of Jesus Christ, amen.

Affirmation of our hope in God's redemptive love

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\text { "In the Lord I'll Be Ever Thankful" (seated), Hymn No. } 654
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## PROCLAIMMING GOD'S WORD

## Old Testament Lesson: Isaiah 5:1-7

*Hymn \#223 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross" Hamburg (see download)
New Testament Lesson: Luke 12:49-56
Sermon "In Such a Time as This"

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

*The Apostles Creed (Page 17 in the hymnal)
*Offering of Tithes and Gifts
*Hymn No. 708 "We Give Thee but Thine Own" (see download)
*Prayer of Dedication
Morning Prayers
Sharing of Joys and Concerns
Time of Silent Prayer
*Benediction

## Postlude:

> "Postlude for Full Organ"

Stark
The End of Worship
The Beginning of Service
*Those who are able, please stand

> Rev. James Shuler, Interim Pastor Mrs. Dianne Yuninger, Organist/Choir Director

## The Sanctuary Flowers are in Loving Memory of my daughter Beth Given with Love from her mom Shirley Musselman:

## Prayers of the Congregation

## Prayer Person this week: Muriel Meier

This morning we welcome Rev. Richard Sindall to the pulpit. Dick retired in July of 2012 after 40 years in pastoral ministry, 13 in Tamaqua, PA and 27 in Bridgeton, NJ. Dick's wife Debbie is a member of Leacock Presbyterian, and together they worship here with us and participate in the church's life and ministry. The Sindalls live in Lititz, and they have two adult sons also living in Lancaster County.

There will be a Session Meeting this Thursday at 7 p.m. Rev. Dr. Erin Cox-Holmes will be joining us

Our next Community Meal will be August 25. Please plan to come and share the fellowship.

## Leacock Presbyterian Church

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