

## THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4 -

- LABOR DAY - OFFICE AND GF CLOSED
- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM
- BOY SCOUTS (APR) - 7:00PM



### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5 -

- OFFICE CLOSED
- LADIES BIBLE STUDY - 9:00AM
- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM



### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 6 -

- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7 -

- GIRL SCOUTS (APR) - 6:30PM
- SPIRIT OF PRAISE - 7:00PM
- SPRC - 7:00PM



### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9 -

- APR USE - 9:00AM TO 5:00PM

## NEXT WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11 -

- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM
- CUB SCOUTS (APR) - 6:30PM
- BOY SCOUTS (APR) - 7:00PM

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12 -

- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM
- CHILD CARE BOARD - 6:30PM
- FINANCIAL PEACE (APR) - 7:00PM



### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13 -

- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM
- SENIOR CHOIR - 7:15PM

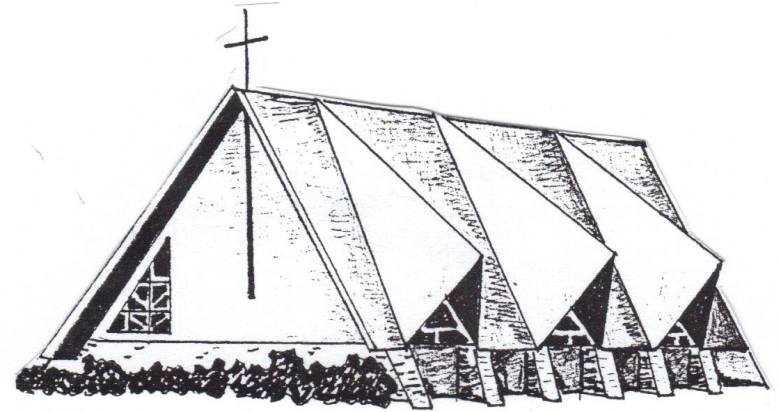
### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14 -

- GIRL SCOUTS (APR) - 6:30PM
- SPIRIT OF PRAISE - 7:00PM

### SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16 -

- APR USE - 10:00AM TO 6:00PM

# WINTERSTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



**SEPTEMBER 3, 2017**

12184 Winterstown Road  
Felton, PA 17322  
717-244-1984

[www.winterstownumc.org](http://www.winterstownumc.org)

### OUR WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Contemporary Worship	9:00 a.m.
Sunday School for All Ages	9:00 a.m.
Traditional Worship	10:30 a.m.

## OUR STAFF

**PASTOR**  
Mitch Galloway  
**DAY CARE DIRECTOR**  
Abby Streett  
**SECRETARY**  
Lorrie Cabbage

**TREASURER**  
Amy Smith  
**SENIOR CHOIR DIRECTOR**  
Sandra Gingrich  
**ORGANIST**  
Nancy Forry

**PRAISE TEAM LEADER**  
Rick Marks  
**SONBEAMS CHOIR**  
Sandra Gingrich  
**YOUNG LIFE CHOIR**  
Sandra Gingrich

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**PASTOR HOME**  
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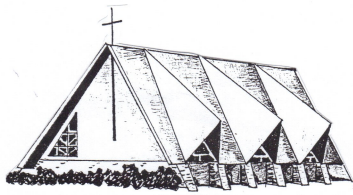
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**OFFICE HOURS**  
Tue to Fri  
10:00AM to 2:00PM

**BULLETIN DEADLINE**  
Wednesday 10:00AM

**NEWSLETTER DEADLINE**  
The 15<sup>th</sup> of each month



*“Reaching, Loving, and  
Serving to Create Disciples  
for Jesus Christ”.*

13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

September 3, 2017

(The \* denotes when the Congregation stands.)



*Holy God, fill us with holiness that we  
may be cleansed and made whole today.*

PRELUDE

“People Need The Lord”

by Nelson

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ella Jane Hess

TIME OF FELLOWSHIP

**GATHERING TO WORSHIP GOD**

\* **CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: Give thanks to the Lord, for God is good!

**C: We proclaim here and now the marvelous works of our God!**

L: Let our hearts leap for joy, O people of God.

**C: We proclaim here and now the marvelous faithfulness of our God!**

L: God's ways are not our ways. God's works are too wonderful to behold.

**C: We proclaim here and now the marvelous works of our God!**

\* **HYMN**

“Majesty, Worship His Majesty”

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**GROWING TO KNOW GOD**

**PRAYERS & CONCERNS**

**THE LORD’S PRAYER (In unison, using sins)**

Our Father, Who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever. **AMEN.**

\* **HYMN**

“Leaning on the Everlasting Arms”

#133

SPECIAL MUSIC

sung by Eunice Criswell

“Old Time Hymn Medley”

SHARING OF GOD’S BLESSINGS

THE OFFERTORY

“Let Me Touch Him”

by Ellis

\* **THE HYMN OF THANKSGIVING**

#95

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.**

**SCRIPTURE  
MESSAGE**

**Matthew 18:1-7  
Mitch Galloway**

**“Like A Child”**

**HOLY COMMUNION**

**See Insert**

**GOING TO SERVE GOD**

\* **HYMN**

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds”

#557

\* **EXIT OF THE LIGHT INTO THE WORLD**

\* **DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

\* **CHORAL BENEDICTION**

**May the grace of Christ, our Savior, and the love of God, our Father, and the fellowship of the Spirit be with us, Forever, and ever, forevermore, Amen.**

THE POSTLUDE

“All The Way”

by Lister

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### Welcome To Worship

God, you don't often speak today in the form of a burning bush (Exodus 3). Nonetheless, help me listen for your voice as I stand on this holy ground. Teachers, construction workers, parents, clerks, medical staff, community volunteers - on this Labor Day weekend, welcome to worship, where God offers renewal for the work to which you each are called.

#### SERVING YOU THIS WEEK 9:00AM SERVICE

**Worship Team:** Rick Marks, Haley Berkebile, Tina Mann, Buddy McGinnis, Jay Beaver, Pat Beck, Beth Coby, Steve Coby, Jessica Kipp, Elizabeth Anderson, Kira Fosbenner, Sam Kipp, Noelle Peregoy, Kristi Love, Iva Berkebile

**Greeters:** Chuck & Sue Peterman

**Nursery:** Gwen Hildebrand & Lois Arsenault

**Sound Tech:** Nick Coby & Dan Champagne

**Media Shout:** Kristi Love

**Welcome Committee:**

#### SERVING YOU NEXT WEEK 9:00AM SERVICE

**Worship Team:** Rick Marks, Haley Berkebile, Tina Mann, Buddy McGinnis, Jay Beaver, Pat Beck, Beth Coby, Steve Coby, Jessica Kipp, Elizabeth Anderson, Kira Fosbenner, Sam Kipp, Noelle Peregoy, Kristi Love, Iva Berkebile

**Greeters:**

**Nursery:** Kate Anderson & Dee Nunn

**Sound Tech:** Nick Coby & Dan Champagne

**Media Shout:** Kristi Love

**Welcome Committee:**

#### SERVING YOU THIS WEEK 10:30AM SERVICE

**Organist:** Nancy Forry

**Choir Director:** Sandra Gingrich

**Liturgist:** Ella Jane Hess

**Greeters:** Gabe & Gwen Hildebrand

**Acolyte:** Hunter Gilbert

**Special Music:** Eunice Criswell

**Nursery:** Jana Beth Lowe & Dawn Overmiller

**Counters:** Jay Beaver & Dick Daugherty

**Sound Tech:** Bill Waldrup

**Media Shout:** Tammy Waldrup

**Ushers:** Dana Anderson, Jerry Eberly & Mike Herrick

#### SERVING YOU NEXT WEEK 10:30AM SERVICE

**Organist:** Nancy Forry

**Choir Director:** Sandra Gingrich

**Liturgist:** Carrie Anderson

**Greeters:** Bill & Tammy Waldrup

**Acolyte:** Thomas Shelley

**Special Music:** Jay Beaver

**Nursery:** Betty Saylor & Kelly Jacob

**Counters:** Brian Hildebrand & Richard Jackson

**Sound Tech:**

**Media Shout:** Brian Hildebrand

**Ushers:** Dana Anderson, Jerry Eberly & Mike Herrick

## 9:00 ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Hymn

"God Will Take Care of You"

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### This week's Scripture Lesson

"The Rainbow"  
Genesis 8:20-22 & 9:8-17  
Ella Jane Hess

### Next week's Scripture Lesson

"Circumcision"  
Genesis 17:1-14  
Vince Anderson

## TITHES & OFFERINGS FOR AUGUST 27, 2017

### To the Church From:

Offering Envelopes	\$2,300.00
Sunday School	360.00
Loose Offering	261.00
Growing Friends	600.00
Sub-Total	<b>\$3,521.00</b>

### Offerings Designated to go toward:

Building Fund	35.00
Fair Shares	90.00
Flowers	5.00
Maintenance Fund	95.00
Septic	290.00
Recycling - Septic	58.65

### Total:

**\$ 4,094.65**



## PRAYER CONCERNS

We extend our sympathy to the family of Rev. Lyle Bundy who passed from life to Life Eternal on August 26.

**Church Family** - Terry Mee, Pastor Mitch, Bruce Grove, Dan Kipp, Ruth Ann Groff, Jake Geesey, Maude Walker, Becky Jones, Ray Anderson, Eva Miller, Donna Grove, Brenda Shaw, Mary Fuhrman, Eleanor Yeakel

**Church Family Extended** (Names will be removed after four weeks) - Janet Wilhelm - Manor Care Dallastown, Fred Boylan Family, Sue Neff, Adalyn Leber, Bob McCormick, Erika & Amanda, Roger Grove, Phyllis Peters, Bob Bertling, Chuck Miller, Peyton Getner

# News & Notes

## The Churches for the "Circle of Prayer" for the week of September 3 - 9, 2017

Wesley UMC, Mechanicsburg Faith UMC, Sandy Ridge Emanuel UMC, Loganville State Road UMC, Linden Mount Union-Allenport UMC, Mount Union Ebenezer UMC, Middletown St. Peter's UMC, Riverside Brick UMC, Duryea Wagner UMC, Mc Clure Burlington UMC, Burlington



Its that time of year again to start the planning for the Live Nativity. All who are interested in helping please come to our planning meeting on September 20 at 7:00 p.m.



Remember to bring your soda tabs and place in the container for the Ronald McDonald House. This is to help parents of children in Hershey Medical.



United Methodist Women: You have heard of America's Got Talent - But have you heard of Winterstown UM Women's Got Talent? Come experience it!

Place: Church  
Time: 7:00 p.m.

When: Monday, September 11, 2017

**Truth**  
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Sunday 10:30AM

The Vertical Church

What every Heart Longs For, What Every Church Can Be

By James McDonald

"A Universal Longing: Transcendence"

"A Singular Provision: Glory"

"A Common Access: Church"

"An Epic Failure: Ihabod"

"Unashamed Adoration"

"Unapologetic Preaching"

"Unafraid Witness:"

"Unceasing Prayer"



Today we will be accepting pennies. There is a container on the table right outside the Sanctuary door. This money goes to the United Methodist Home for Children in Mechanicsburg. Thank you for your contributions.

# News & Notes



Children's Sunday School for fall will begin Sunday September 10 at 9:00 a.m. We will meet again in the 4th/5th grade room. Come and join "Kids Own Worship" with songs and Bible stories. We are in need of 2 more teachers to teach 1st and 4th Sundays of the month, and an extra teacher for the 5th Sunday if there is one. The teachers we have will be teaching the 2nd and 3rd Sundays. Please consider helping out if you can.



Financial Peace University - is coming to our church on September 12, at 7:00 p.m. This course is 9 weeks long and is open to all couples and singles who would like to learn the Biblical way to handle finances. There is a fee for this course of \$109 for the kit. You can order the kit online or Beth can order it for you. Any questions, please see Beth Coby.



## Growing Friends Fundraiser News

- \* Save Around Coupon Books: Be sure to check these out, new company we are going through! A sample book is placed on the white table in the narthex. You can place your order directly on the envelope or online using the direct link. [www.supportourgroups.com/GN/218861](http://www.supportourgroups.com/GN/218861). This fundraiser will last the whole month of September.
- \* MidLand Fall/Winter Catalog: Act fast and start selling! Orders with payment are due by September 20. The absolute last day we can take orders is Monday, September 25 by 10:00 a.m. Make all checks payable to Growing Friends. Order online at: <http://www.midlandfundraising.com> using our School ID: S0756675. Or see the sample catalog on the white table in the narthex. THANK YOU!!!!!!!!!!!!



Senior Choir Will hold their first rehearsal September 13 at 7:15 p.m. Please consider joining us to sing praises to God in worship at the 10:30 a.m. services. God gives us talents to use for worship to Him. Come and be a part of our choir.

# News & Notes

## Equipping God's People



This class will be held once a month at Winterstown UMC starting Wednesday, Sept. 27th from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m. It is offered for anyone who feels called to serve church and community. This is also an opportunity for those wondering how God might use them in more ways than just being present. EGP is sponsored

by the York District of the Susquehanna Conference and will be facilitated by Marty Wagner from Fishing Creek Salem UMC. Completion of all eight sessions qualifies the participant as a Certified Lay Servant but there is no obligation to accept the certification. The deadline for registration is Sept. 11 and there is a cap on the class size. Bill Lowe has more information and would be happy to sign you up.



Looking for 10 - 14 couples, currently have 10 couples signed up. We are looking for 4 more couples to fill the lodge. April 20 - 22, 2018

5 meals provided with lodging - hotel style.

\$320.00 per couple

Looking to have a great time!

Did you miss the pictures? If so here are a couple "teasers"

Contact Ann McGinnis with questions

717-877-5354

Sign up sheet is in the narthex at Church or call the church office to register.



## PRAYER OF CONFESSION (unison)

Merciful God, we confess that so often our discipleship has been weak ... when we have failed to serve as Jesus served; forgive us. When we have failed to love one another as Jesus loves us; forgive us. When we have been happy to proclaim our devotion to Jesus with our lips and then denied him by our actions; forgive us. Merciful God, empower us by your Spirit to be steady and true to you in every time of trial; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

## WORDS OF ASSURANCE

## INVITATION TO THE LORD'S TABLE THE GREAT THANKSGIVING GIVING OF THE BREAD AND CUP

## PRAYER OF THANKS



## Helping Hands

Whenever we celebrate Holy Communion we will accept a freewill offering. The funds collected will be forwarded to the Red Lion Community Services to be used to help people less fortunate. A basket will be on the table in the rear of the Sanctuary near the doors.