

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 24 -

- SENIOR YOUTH - 5:15PM

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 -

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

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26 -

- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM
- FINANCIAL PEACE (APR) - 7:00PM



WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27 -

- GF GRANDPARENTS' DAY (APR) - 9:00 TO 11:30AM
- EQUIPPING GOD'S PEOPLE (APR) - 6:00PM
- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM
- SENIOR CHOIR - 7:15PM



THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 28 -

- GF GRANDPARENTS' DAY (APR) - 9:00 TO 11:30AM
- GRIEF SHARE - LION'S PRIDE - 6:00PM
- GIRL SCOUTS (APR) - 6:30PM
- SPIRIT OF PRAISE - 7:00PM



NEXT WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 1 -

- SENIOR YOUTH - 5:45PM
- YOUNG LIFE - 7:05PM

MONDAY, OCTOBER 2 -

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

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 3 -

- LADIES BIBLE STUDY - 9:00AM
- SHINING LIGHT - 6:00PM
- FINANCIAL PEACE (APR) - 7:00PM



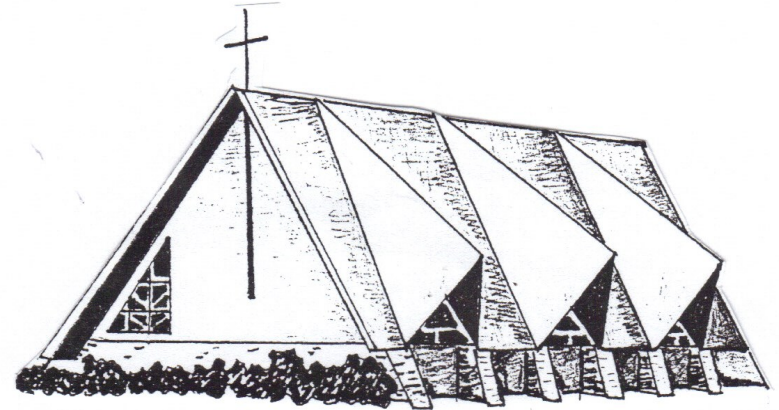
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4 -

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

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5 -

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

WINTERSTOWN UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



SEPTEMBER 24, 2017

PASTOR
Mitch Galloway
DAY CARE DIRECTOR
Abby Streett
SECRETARY
Lorrie Cubbage

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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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

OFFICE INFORMATION

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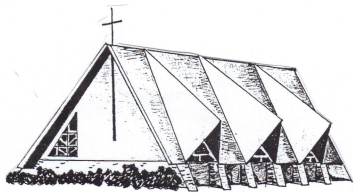


CHURCH OFFICE
244-1984
CHURCH FAX
246-7414
PASTOR HOME
378-2042
DAY CARE OFFICE
246-8017

OFFICE HOURS
Tue to Fri
10:00AM to 2:00PM

BULLETIN DEADLINE
Wednesday 10:00AM

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
The 15th of each month



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

16th Sunday after Pentecost

September 24, 2017

(The * denotes when the Congregation stands.)



*Everlasting God, help us to renew our
spiritual strength as we worship.*

PRELUDE

“Holy Ground”

by Davis

ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Troy Hildebrand

TIME OF FELLOWSHIP

GATHERING TO WORSHIP GOD

* **CALL TO WORSHIP**

L: We stand before you, God, with ready arms reaching for you.

C: We bow before you, God, with humbled hearts seeking you.

L: We sing before you, God, with glad voices raised to meet you.

C: We kneel before you, God, with open souls lifted to greet you.

All: God, in your glory, you have graciously reached for us. We gather this day, reaching for you. Amen.

* **HYMN**

“Marching to Zion”

#733

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**

“Hymn of Promise”

#707

ANTHEM

“I Quiet Myself In Your Love”

Senior Choir

SHARING OF GOD’S BLESSINGS

THE OFFERTORY

“It Is No Secret”

by Hamblen

* **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 20:1-16
Mitch Galloway**

“First Shall Be Last”

GOING TO SERVE GOD

* **HYMN**

“I Love Thy Kingdom, Lord”

#540

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

* **DISMISSAL WITH BLESSING**

* **CHORAL BENEDICTION**

And God will raise you up on eagle’s wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of God’s hand.

THE POSTLUDE

“Open Up Your Heart”

by Hamblen

Welcome To Worship

Creative God, as you paint leaves yellow, orange and red, we praise you for nature's beauty - different now from in the spring, but showing your glory. The psalmist invites us to "seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually" (Psalm 105:4). May you sense the Lord's presence here and throughout your days. Welcome.

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK 9:00AM SERVICE

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

Children's Sunday School Teacher: Darlene Myers
Greeters: Dave & Julie Brown
Nursery: Carrie Anderson & Jana Beth Lowe
Sound Tech: Nick Coby & Dan Champagne
Media Shout: Ann McGinnis
Welcome Committee: Chuck & Sue Peterman

Children's Sunday School Teacher: Shawnee Thomas
Greeters: Glen & Barb Huson
Nursery: Julie Hildebrand & Alverta Forbush
Sound Tech: Nick Coby & Dan Champagne
Media Shout: Ann McGinnis
Welcome Committee:

SERVING YOU THIS WEEK 10:30AM SERVICE

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Organist: Nancy Fory
Choir Director: Sandra Gingrich
Liturgist: Troy Hildebrand
Greeters: Abby Gingrich & Allie Saylor
Acolyte: Dawson Gilbert
Nursery: Ellen Hostler & Terri Laird
Counters: Jay Beaver & Dick Daugherty
Sound Tech: Troy Hildebrand
Media Shout: Zach Gannon
Ushers: Dana Anderson, Jerry Eberly & Mike Herrick

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Choir Director: Sandra Gingrich
Liturgist: Bill Waldrup
Greeters: Brian Hildebrand & Zachery Gannon
Acolyte: Dana Kipp
Nursery: Betty Saylor & Angie Markel
Counters: Brian Hildebrand & Richard Jackson
Sound Tech: Bill Waldrup
Media Shout: Tammy Waldrup
Ushers: Bob Arsenault, Blaine Markel, Bill Waldrup & Kenton McGinnis

9:00 ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Hymn "Take Time to Be Holy" #441

This week's Scripture Lesson

Video

Next week's Scripture Lesson

"God's Covenant with Abraham"

Genesis 15:1-6, 17-21

Ella Jane Hess

TITHES & OFFERINGS FOR SEPTEMBER 17, 2017

To the Church From:

Offering Envelopes	\$3,387.00
Sunday School	52.00
Loose Offering	277.00
Growing Friends	600.00
Sub-Total	\$4,316.00

Offerings Designated to go toward:

Building Fund	35.00
Fair Shares	105.00
Maintenance Fund	110.00
Septic	590.00
Thank you from Bob & Diane Leon - Missions	150.00
APR Use	50.00
Donation from Equine Meadows for use of costumes	40.00

Total:

\$ 5,396.00



PRAYER CONCERNS

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, Bev Keesey

Church Family Extended (Names will be removed after four weeks) - Janet Wilhelm - Manor Care Dallastown, Dale Lloyd, Brandy, Gene Green, Makayla, Pat Leiphart, Perry Smith, Jake Brown, Roger Grove, Phillis Peters, Terry Cozad & Family, Milton Burns & Family

News & Notes

The Churches for the "Circle of Prayer" for the week of September 24 - 30, 2017

Christ UMC, Waynesboro - Wolfsburg UMC, Bedford - Mill Creek UMC, Montoursville - Mount Pleasant UMC, Port Matilda - Faith UMC, Halifax - Wyoming UMC, Wyoming - Ryde UMC, Ryde - Shamokin Dam UMC, Shamokin Dam - First UMC, Renovo - Millerstown UMC, Millerstown



Penny Collection

Next Sunday we will be accepting pennies, the first Sunday of every month. There is a container on the table right outside the Sanctuary door. This money goes to local families and to the United Methodist Home for Children in Mechanicsburg. Thank you for your contributions.



Fall Festival

Fall Fest - The Annual Fall Fest is coming up. It will be held October 14 from 12:00 to 3:00 p.m. this year. We are going with a fall theme instead of a Halloween theme. Therefore there will not be a costume contest this year. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex for volunteers and also for donations of baked goods; snacks and cakes for the cake walk. Any questions call Troy at 717-246-9220.



SonBeams Choir will begin tomorrow, September 25 at 7:00 p.m. with a "Welcome Back" party. Any children 2nd thru 6th grade are welcome to join us.



Young Life Choir will begin rehearsals October 1 at 7:05 p.m. immediately after senior youth. 7th thru 12th grades are welcome to join us.



Senior Youth will meet tonight, September 24 at 6:00 p.m. with a fun night. All 7th thru 12th graders are invited to join us for a time of fun and fellowship.

News & Notes



Children's Sunday School is meeting in the preschool room at 9:00 a.m. Children 4 years to 6th grade are welcome.. Come and join "Kids Own Worship" with songs and Bible stories. We still are in need of teachers.



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.supportourgrouops.com/GN/218861. This fundraiser will last the whole month of September.



Sunday
10:30AM

"An Epic Failure: Ichabod"
"Unashamed Adoration"
"Unapologetic Preaching"
"Unafraid Witness:
"Unceasing Prayer"

The Vertical Church

What every Heart Longs For, What Every Church Can Be

By James McDonald



Reminder that the grief share group has a dinner date at Lion's Pride on Thursday, September 28 at 6:00 p.m.



Tractor Drive
Save the Date

October 7, 2017
at 12:30PM

Rain Date
October 14, 2017
Meet at Anderson Road
in Winterstown at
12:15PM

We will be stopping
around 2:30
for light lunch and drinks.

Hope to see you!

If you have any questions
please contact Ralph
Saylor
318-7352 or 244-8281

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1st Sunday - October 8

Canned vegetables (esp. yams) canned fruits, canned meats and fish, canned stews, sloppy joe sauces

2nd Sunday - October 15

Boxed Jell-O and pudding mixes, canned soups, spaghetti sauces, tomato products, cake and dessert mixes

3rd Sunday - October 22

Stuffing mix, pancake mix and syrup, oatmeal, spaghetti and macaroni products, noodles and other pastas, hot chocolate mixes, coffee and tea.

4th Sunday - October 29

Household cleaning products, paper goods, hygiene products and toiletries.



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