

**Morning Worship  
Day of Pentecost**

10:30 A.M.

May 23, 2010

Prelude (Titles of our organ selections are posted this morning on the bulletin board in the front lobby.)

Greetings and Announcements

Call to Worship

Dick Ellis

Introit

"O Spirit of the Living God"

Invocation (Unison)

**O Holy One, Whose covenant with Israel was extended to all Creation through Jesus Christ, claim us as Your own. May that Spirit which animated our forebears in the faith be fruitful in us. Free us from self-consciousness, and bless us with a conviction of Your companionship, power, and love. In Jesus' Name we pray, Amen.**

\*Hymn "Like the Murmur of the Dove's Song" 314

**Service of Confession**

Silent Prayers

Prayer of Confession (Unison)

**Merciful God, Who through Christ has made all new, forgive us for failing to live peacefully and bountifully. Forgive our doubt of Your providence for us, revealed in our fears and our selfishness. By the grace with which you sent Christ to redeem us, forgive our sin, and grant us Your Spirit, that we may live relying on Your love, following Jesus Christ, in Whose Name we pray, Amen.**

Assurance of Pardon

The Lord's Prayer (Debts)

**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 debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever, Amen.**

Choral Response

**Responsive Reading**

Romans 8: 14-17

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God.

**For you did not receive the spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received the spirit of sonship. When we cry, "Abba! Father!"**

it is the Spirit himself bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God,

**and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and fellow heirs with Christ, provided we suffer with him in order that we may also be glorified with him.**

**Service of Giving**

\*Hymn "Bless Be the Tie that Binds" 438

\*Sentences

Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

\*Doxology 592

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

**Service of Reflection**

Children's Message

Scripture

Acts 2: 1-21

\*Hymn "Breathe on Me, Breath of God" 316

Gospel

John 14: 8-17

Anthem "Gracious Spirit, Dwell with Me" arr. Scott

Sermon

"Not on My Own Authority"

Pastoral Prayer

\*Hymn "Now Thank We All Our God" 555

\*Benediction

\*Congregational Response

**Christian, rise and act thy creed,  
Let thy prayer be in thy deed;  
Seek the right, perform the true,  
Raise thy work and life anew. Amen.**

\*Postlude

Dismissed to our service in the world

\*Standing

**Serving Today**

Acolyte

Christopher Loreman

Ushers

Mike Wilson - Captain, Barb Loyd,  
Frank Siler, Carol Vargas

Greeter

Barbara Budd

Reader

Dick Ellis

Nursery

Liza and Christine Craddock

Junior Church

Lisa Scott

Today

**This Week**

9:30 a.m.

Church School

9:15 a.m.

Senior Choir

10:30 a.m.

Service of Worship

Nursery provided

11:30 a.m.

Coffee Hour

7:00 p.m.

Discussion Group

Tuesday

7:00 p.m.

Prayer Group in Library

**Notices**

The flowers in the chancel this morning are given in Memory of Kay Nesbit by The Loyds.

Please remember to check the sign-up sheets on the bulletin board in the back hallway, to see if we need help on Sunday mornings in coming weeks.

**Discussion Group** will resume in the fall.

**Summer Worship hours begin Sunday,  
June 6, at 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School ends May 30,  
resuming on Rally Day,  
September 12, 2010**

### Summer Special Music

June 13 thru September 15 the Choir will sing every Sunday for the service music. Special music will be presented in the anthem place. If you wish to sing or play an instrument during the summer, please see Ruth Blankenship or Lloyd Wolf.\*



### Galactic Blast Vacation Bible School

Galileo the Gorilla will guide the children on a voyage into outer space praising God. Through daily missions, the children will see space like never before, gain a new perspective on our planet Earth, and learn easy "green" earth tips they can practice at home. This cosmic combination of faith and fun will have the children developing a personal relationship with God through Jesus Christ.

Coming June 21, 22, 23, 24, from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and June 27, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. For children ages 4 to finishing 6th grade. All children are encouraged to attend. Pray for the children who will attend and also for the teachers and helpers.



### Know what your offering provides, part 3

*Refugee ministries* focused on holistic ministry to immigrants, refugees, and migrants in detention facilities and refugee camps in the United States and in local communities. The offering will be taken during June.

### Festival of American Music

Buffalo Valley Singers will present benefit concerts May 22 at 7:30 p.m. and May 23 at 3 p.m. at St. John's UCC. The concert will benefit Mifflinburg Area Military Moms Association.

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### For Your Prayer

Ken Bollinger will have surgery Thursday at Geisinger. Herman Howard Jr. has returned home from Geisinger.

Violet Dietrich, Irene Howard, Mike Lucas, Russ Mayberry, Laurie Morris, Betty Siler and Ben Willeford are at home.

Bill Bobb and Janet VanBuskirk are at Riverview Manor. Chet and Margaret Jump are at RidgeCrest. Beverly Fisher and Evelyn Reed are at RiverWoods. Harriet Littell is at ElmCroft. Gloria Miller is at Rolling Hills Manor.

### Prayer Chain

If you have a prayer request or are interested in being notified when prayer requests are submitted, please contact Jan Rolecki at 523-6074 or Kathryn Morris at kmorris1@dejazzd.com

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