

**Morning Worship
Fifth Sunday After Pentecost**

10:00 A.M. June 27, 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 The Rev. MacKenzie Scott
Leader: The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it, the world, and those who live in it.

People: Let us come and worship the Lord God Almighty.

Introit "Tell Me the Stories of Jesus" Chellinon

Invocation (Unison)
Dear God, we come to worship you, to give you praise, and to thank you for all that we have and are in this world. Be with us as we gather for this time of worship. Open our hearts, our minds, and our ears to hear your word this morning. We pray this in Jesus' name. Amen.

*Hymn "God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens" 268

Service of Confession

Silent Prayers
Prayer of Confession (Unison)
Merciful God, we come to You as wayward children, daring to trust in Your profound love for us, and in the healing power of forgiveness. We know that we have not been the persons Christ has called us to be. We have been alert to the care of our self-regard, and negligent of our relationship with You. Cover our sins with Your love, for Our Savior's sake, 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

God is our creator; the maker of the universe and all that is in it.

Our God is wonderful! Praise God!

God is always near us; ready to help us, guide us, and comfort us.

Our God is incredible! Praise God!

God knows us all by name, just as God knows each star in the heavens.

Our God is amazing! Praise God!

The voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.

Our God is magnificent! Praise God!

The Lord lives! Praise be to God, our Savior.

Our God is awesome! Praise God!

Service of Giving

*Hymn "Take My Life" 391
*Sentences
Tithes and Offerings
Offertory Solo "Be Thou My Vision" arr. Courtney
Nathan Fisher, Baritone
*Doxology 592
*Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

Service of Reflection

Scripture Galatians 5: 1, 13-25
*Hymn "Here I Am, Lord" 525
Gospel Matthew 11: 25-30
Anthem Duet "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"
Nathan Fisher & Ruth Blankenship arr. Courtney

Sermon "In His Hands"
Sharon Grimm

Pastoral Prayer
*Hymn "Precious Lord, Take My Hand" 404

Vacation Bible School Closing

*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 Christine Craddock
Ushers Terry Van Buskirk - Captain, Pat Matrey,
Terry Van Buskirk, Jr., Betsy Henkelman
Greeter Joyce Hummel
Reader The Rev. MacKenzie Scott
Nursery Lori Wilson
Flower Delivery Judy & Dick Ellis

This Week

Today 9:00 a.m. Vacation Bible School
9:30 a.m. Senior Choir
10:00 a.m. Service of Worship
Nursery provided
11:00 a.m. Summer Lemonade

WELCOME!

We welcome Sharon Grimm to our pulpit this morning. Sharon has been a certified lay speaker with the United Methodist Church for over 10 years. A former educator and administrator, she and her husband David live in Sunbury.

This morning we also welcome our friends from Beaver Memorial United Methodist Church who are worshipping with us this morning. Today concludes a week of joint Vacation Bible School. VBS meets today from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m., and will be joining the congregation at the conclusion of the worship service.



Thank You

Thank you to everyone who participated and helped in any way with Vacation Bible School. Also a big Thank You for all your prayers.

Notices

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 week.

One Great Hour of Sharing

One Great Hour of Sharing Offering totals \$810.



July 4th

Join your church family next Sunday for an Independence Day "picnic" in the Founders Room immediately following the service **Sunday July 4th**. Enjoy good food. Everything will be provided.

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For Your Prayer

Ben Austin is recovering from a fall. Peg Budd, Mike Lucas and Anne Murcek are at home recovering from surgery. Ken Bollinger, Herman Howard Jr., Irene Howard, Russ Mayberry, and Betty Siler 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.



Thank You

Thank you to everyone at the Church for keeping my mother in their prayers. My Mom had her surgery Wed. The doctor said the surgery went smoothly. She is home now, and as to be expected, is in a lot of pain. She gets the staples out on June 28, and won't be able to drive for a month. Maybe you could say another prayer for her for a speedy and complete recovery.

Thank you again, Barbara Budd

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