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February 5, 2023

Worship Service

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Romans 11:33-36

Prayer of Invocation

*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Minute for Mission: Communicycle/Brownie Statler

*Doxology #623

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Special Music: Kid's Choir - "Jesus Loves Me"

Minute for Mission: Women's Retreat/Denise Lander

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn #13 "Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"

**The children will proceed to Children & Worship during the hymn.

Scripture: Isaiah 12 Sermon "Praise him!!" By Pastor Rich Herbster

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper We will partake of the elements together after everyone has been served.

*Hymn #73 "Praise Him! Praise Him!"

*Benediction and Recessional

*Congregation will stand

**Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to attend Children & Worship

A nursery is available for children under the age of 3.



WORSHIP/SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

8:45am—Coffee/Fellowship 9:00am—Sunday School for All Ages 10:00am—Worship Service

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING—CALL FOR REPORTS:

Our congregational meeting will be held on Sunday, Feb. 26th. All ministry leaders are invited to submit a report for the meeting. Reports are due by Friday, Feb. 17th. Please submit your report in an <u>editable format</u> via the church email (info@mpchurchpa.org).

2022 GIVING STATEMENTS:

2022 Giving Statements are in the Narthex ready to be picked up. Please contact Luann Frasier at info@mpchurchpa.org if you have any questions. Thank you.

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION/SUNDAY SCHOOL

In order to encourage our kids as they learn the Westminster Shorter Catechism, students will have the opportunity to recite the first 12 catechism answers to a Sunday school leader for a prize on Feb. 12th during the Sunday School hour. This is optional, one-on-one, and low-pressure!

CHILD CARE EASTER CANDY:

Child Care is selling Rosalind Easter candy as a fundraiser for the playgrounds. This year, the ship needs to be weatherized and the circle cycle needs replaced along with keeping all of the equipment in good repair. An order form is located in the narthex. All orders are due by Wednesday, March 15th. Candy will be ready for pick up on Wednesday, March 29th.

*Prayer List

Kate Adams	Judy Kearns	LaVern Pence
Micki Addison	Samuel Lane	Barb Petrovic
Alice Allison	Mike Lopata	Charlie Phillips
Tom Allison	Janie Malloy	Sarah Stabile
Bill Bosley	Iris McConn	Jen Stiteler
Joann Brooks	Diane McCracken	Patty Varkonda
Bill Coon	Joey McElhaney	Pastor Wang Yi
EPC in Sierra Leone	Diane McHaffie	Renee Wells
Pat Gray	Mickey McHaffie	Diana Winters
Karla Jestat	Jack O'Neill	Lisa Zahn

Bereavement: Charles David Rose Family, Dobie Brummitt Family,

Tom Rupik Family

Weekly Mission Focus: Mt. Pleasant Childcare

Special Prayer Focus: Kid's Club

"...pray for each other..."

James 5:16

Weekly Westminster Shorter Catechism

Q18. What is sinful about man's sinful condition?

Answer: The sinfulness of that fallen condition is twofold. First, in what is commonly called original sin, there is the guilt of Adam's first sin with its lack of original righteousness and the corruption of his whole nature. Second are all the specific acts of disobedience that come from original sin.

Weekly Memorization Verse: Psalm 51:1 Semester Scripture memorization: Psalm 8

Mary Davy

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Keep them in your thoughts by sending a card...

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TITHING REPORT

Phyllis Miller

324 Mowry Road

Monaca, PA 15061

	GIVING	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE
LAST WEEK	\$6,712	\$7,957	-\$1,245
YEAR TO DATE	\$48,153	\$39,783	\$8,370

"Seasons of Life"

Join Us for the 2023 Ladies Retreat Das Dutch Haus, 150 E. St. Rt. 14, Columbiana OH 44408 Friday & Saturday, March 31st & April 1st



The Retreat program will begin at 6 pm Friday evening. Guests spending the night can check in any time after 3 pm. Overnight guests can enjoy a complimentary breakfast before Saturday's events start at 9 am and closing at 3 pm.

If you would like to attend, please return this registration form to the church office by March 5th. The total payment will be due by March 26th. Checks payable to Mt. Pleasant Church. Limited space is available, so registrations will be taken on a first come, first serve basis. Feel free to invite family and friends.

Cost per Person with lodging

\$72 — 4 per room \$83 — 3 per room \$104 — 2 per room

Cost per Person-meals only

\$50 — Dinner and Lunch \$28 — Dinner only \$22 — Lunch only

**Don't let the burden of cost keep you from attending. Scholarships are available to those needing help covering all or part of the cost of the retreat.

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If you do not have roommates when registering, please circle all the preferences above that you are willing to accept. Based on the ladies who register singly, you will be placed in the lowest priced room available.

> "There is a time for everything, and a season for every activity under the heavens" Ecclesiastes 3:1

This will be our 8th Annual Mt. Pleasant Church Women's Retreat. Those that have attended in the past have enjoyed fellowship and time spent with other women who share in the love of Christ. Our speaker this year is Rev. Abby Opal who has been called by Mill Creek EPC and ordained by the EPC as a Teaching Elder and Chaplain. She graduated from Trinity School for Ministry and has a B.S. from the University of Pittsburgh. She has a passion to care for people struggling with mental health issues and believes that the church is to be a safe, supportive and resourceful place for people in need.

Come hear some inspiring testimonies from a few of our church ladies. There will be music, devotions, and the traditional "drama" production. If you aren't able to spend the night, you can come for just the Friday evening session, the Saturday session, or both (see the meals only costs). It is a 45 minute drive from the church to Das Dutch Haus. If you need a ride or want to carpool, let us know.

At closing, Friday evening, fellowship time includes snacks we bring to share, games, swimming or soaking in the hot tub. Don't want to visit the pool, bring your favorite game.

You may want to bring a sweater or jacket in case the meeting room is chilly.

Buffet Dinner Menu

Double Roasted Roast Beef Chicken Parmesan Pasta with Red Sauce Garlic Mashed Potatoes Tossed Salad Bread and Butter Coffee, Hot Tea, Ice Water

Buffet Lunch Menu

Chicken Bacon Ranch Wrap
Buffalo Chicken Wrap
Turkey Cheese Lettuce, Tomato & Mayo Wrap
Veggie Wrap
Tossed Salad, Pasta Salad
Coffee, Hot Tea, Ice Water

Please let us know if you have any dietary restrictions.

You can contact Tammy Symanowicz at 724-407-8890 or email to t.symanowicz@comcast.net if you have any questions or ask one of the other planning team ladies (Shirley Bruce, Pat Lampe, Sara Beth Miller, Diane Luther, Joyce Butler, Denise Lander, Diana Winters and Nadine Duncan).