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**Elders**

- Darrell Bradford
- John Garland
- Diane Luther
- Rebecca Matsco
- Lennie Miller
- Nina Parrish
- Doug Rogers
- Jared Rogers
- Paul Schaefer



**Deacons**

- Jamie Ashcroft
- Joyce Butler
- Ron Campbell
- Nadine Duncan
- Jan Garland
- Karen Herman
- Pamela Mason
- Lorna Tarquinio
- Drew Vinisky



May 28, 2023

# Worship Service

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: 2 Timothy 4:6-8

Prayer of Invocation

\*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

\*Apostles' Creed #627

\*Doxology #623

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn #602 "America"

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

Scripture: 1 Sam 11:1-15

Sermon "Good Beginnings Good; Good Endings Better"

By Pastor Rich Herbster

\*Hymn #599 "God of Our Fathers"

\*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.*

# Announcements

## WORSHIP/SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE

8:45am—Coffee/Fellowship

9:00am—Sunday School for All Ages

10:00am—Worship Service

## YARD SALE - SAVE THE DATE:

Save the date and collect your goodies for the annual yard sale on Saturday June 3<sup>rd</sup> from 8am—4pm. There will also be a pancake breakfast—cost is \$8. Those helping to clean-up on Saturday should arrive at 12:45pm. A pre-sale will be held on Friday June 2<sup>nd</sup> at 6 pm only for church family and child care staff. Drop-off on Friday June 2<sup>nd</sup> from 4:30pm until 7pm. NO ITEMS CAN BE DROPPED OFF or STORED BEFORE JUNE 2<sup>nd</sup>.

## CONFIRMATION CLASS:

"Confirmed: My Identity in Christ, My Place at Mt. Pleasant" is a class being offered this summer for everyone who has finished 7th – 12th grade this school year. We will meet in the Fellowship Hall during Sunday School from June 4 – August 27. At the end of this class students will be given the opportunity to join Mt. Pleasant Church should they wish to do so. The class will be taught by Denise Lander. Please contact her if you have any questions or concerns at 724.312.5771.

## VBS DECORATING HELP NEEDED:

Decorating our halls for VBS will be a STELLAR task without your help! Take home kits are available in the narthex with supplies and instructions included. Please sign out a kit (or two) on your way out today, complete at home, and return by Sunday, June 11th. All ages welcome to be creative!

Questions - contact Beth Thompson - 724-777-9255.

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## **CHILDREN & WORSHIP GRADUATES:**

We will be recognizing those children who are graduating from Children & Worship and moving into the sanctuary on Sunday, June 4th.

## **CHILD CARE GRADUATION:**

Mt. Pleasant Child Care Pre-K graduation will be held on Thursday, June 8, 2023 at 7:00pm. The parents, families and friends of all children are invited to attend. There will be refreshments and fellowship after the ceremony.

## **HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR RECOGNITION:**

Mt. Pleasant will be acknowledging our 2023 High School Seniors on June 11th during the worship service.

## **KINGDOM WEEK FORMS DUE:**

Kingdom Week forms are due back by June 11<sup>th</sup>. Forms can be turned in to the church office. See Laura Given with any questions.



## \*Prayer List



Alice Allison	Joan Kingsland	Rosanna Pinchotti Parsons
Tom Allison Sr.	Mike Lopata	Barb Petrovic
Mary Archer	Ed Luther	Charlie Phillips
Renee Benson	Kristen McCarty	Valarie Rakowski
Bill Bosley	Iris McConn	Paul Reft
Joann Brooks	Diane McCracken	Kristin Vinisky &
Ron Campbell	Mickey McHaffie	Mike Hardy
Bill Coon	Lee Miller	Pastor Wang Yi
Jeremy Dalton	Corrie Miller	Jessica Williams
Harry Given	Lisa Myers	Lisa Zahn
Pat Gray	Rob Murtha	
Nancy Kennedy	Jack O'Neill	

**Bereavement:** Lisa Myers Family (Lisa's mother passed), George McCracken Family, LaVern Pence Family, Helen Trobak Family (Patricia Mihalik)

**Weekly Mission Focus:** Overcomers in Christ (Milan Mrkonja)

**Praise:** Aubrey Wagner

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

James 5:16

## Weekly Westminster Shorter Catechism

### *Review Week*

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

**Tom & Alice Allison**  
182 Calhoon Road  
Aliquippa, PA 15001

**Ron & Evelyn Lyle**  
111 Mowry Road  
Monaca, PA 15061

**Freda Buck**  
4260 Tuscarawas Road  
Beaver, PA 15009-9137

**Phyllis Miller**  
Concordia at Villa St. Joseph  
1030 State Street  
Baden, PA 15005

**Mary Davy**  
West Hills Health & Rehab Center  
951 Broadhead Road  
Coraopolis, PA 15108

**Rich & Dot Trimer**  
3860 Green Garden Road  
Aliquippa, PA 15001

**Pat Gray**  
Beaver Valley Nursing & Rehab  
Room 20  
257 Georgetown Road  
Beaver Falls, PA 15010

**Diana Winters**  
376 Chapel Road  
Aliquippa, PA 15001

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### TITHING REPORT

	GIVING	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE
LAST WEEK	\$10,626	\$8,569	\$2,057
YEAR TO DATE	\$214,885	\$179,958	\$34,927