THE BULLETIN BOARD

The Junior High Youth Group would like to thank everyone who donated and purchased soup for our February fundraiser. We made \$476! This money will go towards our mission trip to Christian Children's Home of Ohio this summer. Remember: please return the jars and rings so we can use them again for our next soup sale. There is a bin located in the Narthex.

KIDS CHOIR will be traveling to the Clearview Group Home at 155 Clearview Road for practice this Wednesday, March 16th. Please meet there at 6:30 pm.

MEALS FOR MOMS MINISTRY is updating sign-up information. If you are willing to provide a meal for a mom with a new baby (approx 1-2 times/year), sign up in the narthex or email aherbster4@gmail.com.

MEMBERS OF THE PRESBYTERY RESPONSE TEAM will be here again this morning. If you have any questions for them, they will be available during our Sunday School time in Pastor Rich's office.

EASTER CANDY Our Childcare staff and families are selling Easter candy from Rosalind's for our annual fundraiser. The receipts are used for our playground. If you would like to order, please see one of our staff members or call the office. Thanks for your support!

MARK GUNGOR is coming to Greenford, OH on Friday and Saturday, March 25th and 26th, with his hilarious "Laugh Your Way to a Better Marriage" seminar! We hope you'll join Mark as he teaches couples how to deal with tough issues and make positive changes to their marriage. For more information visit our website.

The CARE ELDER & DEACON for the month are available for you if you have a need and can't reach Pastor Rich. The March Elder is Bill Kendall (412.629.4708) and the Deacon is Paul Conn (724.495.2525).

TITHING REPORT	Giving	Needed	Difference
Last Week	\$5,428	\$5,174	\$254
Year to Date	\$52,920	\$51,735	\$1,185

MT. PLEASANT STAFF

Rev. Richard Herbster Home 724.375.4739 Cell 724.544.5572 Sara Beth Miller, Child Care Director Patricia Lampe, Music Director Buddy Smeltz, Praise Team Leader Matt Zahn, Adult Choir Director Tim Ramsey, Audio Technician Bill Kendall, Custodian Sylvia Kendall, Treasurer

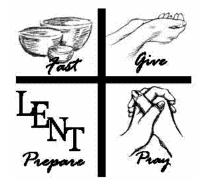
CHURCH LEADERS (AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY)

Elders

Jody Bologna (Shepherding) Beth Ann Enders (Facilities) Travis Frasier (Worship) Jan Garland (Christian Education) Lenny Hyre (Fellowship) Bill Kendall (Clerk of Session) Craig Lahtinen (Admin., Finance) Rick Pierce (Personnel) Buddy Smeltz (Missions, Outreach) Jeff Lampe (Chairman) Harry Suttelle (Vice-chairman) Paul Conn Marie Hyre Wayne Taormina Carol Thomas Herman Thomas Drew Vinisky Madonna Zelazny

DEACONS

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Office 724.495.6462 Child Care 724.495.3334 E-mail: info@mpchurchpa.org Website: www.mpchurchpa.org Therefore, since we have a great high priest who has ascended into heaven, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold firmly to the faith we profess. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to empathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who has been tempted in every way, just as we are—yet he did not sin. Let us then approach God's throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

WORSHIP SERVICE

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Hebrews 4:14-16

In the past, our church has read Tenebrae (Latin for "shadows") liturgies on the Sundays of Lent, extinguishing a candle every Sunday for the six Sundays leading up to Easter. Every candle representing two disciples who left the Lord, reminding us of our own sins, where we have abandoned and turned away from God. However, historically, the Sundays in Lent have been seen as "Mini Easters." In that light this Lenten Season, while acknowledging the solemn sacrifice of Christ, we will also celebrate Christ's Resurrection. Mirroring the season of Advent, we will light candles to prepare for the Resurrection.

Prayer of Invocation

* Praise Through Song

Special Music: Kid's ChoirRomans 12:2

- * Blessing God's Children: "Jesus Loves the Little Children" *The children will now proceed to Children & Worship.* "Jesus Loves Me"
- * Apostles' Creed......Hymnal #627
- * Gloria Patri...... Hymnal #620

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Special Music

* Doxology..... Hymnal #623

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

*	Hymn #1	32	"Open	Our Eyes,	Lord
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Scripture: Romans 10:8-15

- Sermon: "Good News: On A Mission" Pastor Rich Herbster
- * Hymn #12 "Immortal, Invisible"
- * Benediction and Recessional

*Congregation will remain standing Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to attend Children & Worship . There is nursery available for children under the age of 3.

If you desire special prayer or spiritual counsel, please meet with our Elders in the front of the sanctuary, immediately following this morning's service.

SUNDAY EVENING WORSHIP

Please join us this evening at 6:00 to praise our Lord in worship and to hear a message from Pastor Rich on Colossians 1:17, "Christ the All-Sustainer".

INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

<u>Ilness or Injury</u> Connor, Marge Mortinak, Donovyn Dinello, Emily Loverti, Irene Monter, Dolores Haney, Lois Anusich, Cindy Sagrilla, Dale Szallai, Lori Heasley, Keith Cyback, Brian Athey, Bill Loudermilk, Sydney Knicely, Sue Stirling, Barb Wollant, Candy Stefanik, Bill Boring, Penny Kramer, Ed Tinstell, Jessica Marchionda, Sandy Holcomb, Carl Helmick, Rae Weitzel, Lance Hupkovich, Toan, Jennifer Marksteiner, Lawrence Parrish, Carrie, Rose Granito, Rob Wink, Matthew Kohut, David Chilson, Chuck Wiatrak, Samuel Potts, Nioka

<u>God's Guidance and Care</u> Day Care Inspection, Jack Mahaven and family, The Viniskys, Donnie Hyre, Isaac Boushra, Asa Siceloff, Pam & Gavin Swedberg, Matt & Megan, Vaughn Williams, Sam Garland, Stan Mrkonja

Praise Becky Zelazny & Buddy Smeltz, Shirley Bruce

Bereavement Cathy Joyce family, Ray Surgot family

<u>This Week's Mission</u> Don & Melanie Roths (Campus Crusade for Christ)

Assisting in this Morning's Worship Acolyte 8:45 Abby Dobbins 11:00 Blake Fabianich Ushers 8:45 Steve DeLong, Keith Greathouse, Joe Marksteiner 11:00 Nick Allison, Tom Allison Jr., Keith Greathouse Greeters 8:45 Lois Anusich & Virginia Mihalik 11:00 Gale Pence Organist/Music Director 8:45 Pat Lampe 11:00 Pat Lampe Liturgist 8:45 Theresa Greathouse 11:00 Theresa Greathouse Toddler/Infant Nursery 8:45 Michelle Dalton 11:00 Vicki Gielata Children & Worship Leaders 8:45 Paul Conn 11:00 Brad Funkhouser & Lee Miller Children & Worship Helpers 8:45 Erica Suttelle 11:00 Jeff & Becky Lampe

WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Blended Worship Service #1Sunday, 8:45 - 10:00 amSunday School & FellowshipSunday, 10:00 - 11:00 amBlended Worship Service #2Sunday, 11:00 -12:15 pmContemporary Worship ServiceSunday, 6:00 - 7:00 pm



MEETING/PRACTICE SCHEDULE

High School Youth Group Sunday, 4:30 - 6:00 pm Jr. High Youth Group Sunday, 5:00 - 7:00 pm Christian Child Care Mon-Fri, 6:00 am - 6:00 pm Women's Fellowship Tuesday, 10:00 - 11:30 am Women's Bible Study Tuesday, 6:30 - 8:00 pm 1st Wed. each month, 10:00 am -12:00 pm Ask a Nurse Bible Study & Prayer Meeting Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:45 pm Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm Kids Choir Wednesday, 7:30 - 8:30 pm Praise Team Practice Adult Choir Practice Wednesday, 8:30 - 9:45 pm

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERINGS - SUNDAY MORNINGS, 10:00 AM

"It All Connects...The Fabric of the Faith" taught by Pastor Rich *"Parenting: the Early Years"* led by Amy Herbster *"Bible Study Class"* led by Bill Enders

ASSISTING IN NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP- March 20, 2011

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To our visitors: We are honored that you visited with us today. Please sign the red book and indicate how we may serve you. If you need assistance at any time during the morning, please ask an usher.