# JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP will be holding their Kick-off on Sunday, September 16 from 5 to 7 pm at Tom and Julie Allison's home. If you are in 5th through 8th grade, come and enjoy a bonfire and hayride to start off the new year. Contact Denise Lander (724.573.1553) if

**SENIOR PICNIC** will be held on August 26 after the second service. This event is for anyone 60 and over and is ho sted by the Deacons. There will be a speaker and lots of fun and games. Please sign up in the Narthex, if you plan to attend.

you have any questions or concerns.

**CALLING ALL GREETERS** there will be a meeting on August 26 during the Sunday School hour for anyone who is currently a greeter and anyone new who would like to serve in this ministry. The meeting will be held in the back of the Sanctuary.

ISRAEL TRIP INFORMATION MEETING You are invited to an informational meeting to further discuss the trip to Israel next June. If you have any interest whatsoever in the Israel trip, please plan to attend the meeting. All issues related to the trip, such as itinerary, preparation, cost, and benefits will be discussed. The meeting will be held at the home of Bill and Beth Ann Enders at 330 McCleary Road, Hookstown on Saturday, August 25 at 7 pm. Coffee and dessert will be provided. Any other questions can be directed to Pastor Rich.

ATTENTION ALL SINGERSI Whether you love to sing in front of people, sing in the shower, or just "make a joyful noise unto the Lord", we have the ministry opportunity for you. Adult Choir is gearing up for the 2012-2013 season. Our first practice is on Wednesday, August 29 at 8:40 pm in the sanctuary. Please contact Matt Zahn at (724.375.7945) if you are going to join so that we have adequate materials. Hope to see you there!

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY GROUP** Lysa TerKeurst, author of Made to Crave, has lived the battle that many women have with food. Join us for a women's bible study to begin "satisfying your deepest desire with God, not food." This group will begin on August 25th, and will meet every other Saturday from 9:30-11:00 am. We also hope to offer childcare so moms can participate. If interested, or if you have questions, please contact Diane Luther (724.495.6260), or sign-up in the Narthex.

**THE CARE ELDER & DEACON** for the month are available for you if you have a need and can't reach Pastor Rich. The August Elder is Travis Frasier (724.573.0338) and the Deacon is Marie Hyre (724.375.8283).

TITHING REPORT	Giving	Needed	Difference
Last Week	\$4,438	\$5,754	-\$1,316
Year to Date	\$187,897	\$189,882	-\$1,985

# MT. PLEASANT STAFF

Rev. Richard Herbster

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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, Maintenance Manager
Kelly Dobbins, Custodian
Sylvia Kendall, Treasurer

# CHURCH LEADERS (AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY)

#### **ELDERS**

Jody Bologna (Shepherding) Steve DeLong (Facilities) Travis Frasier (Worship) Jan Garland (Christian Education) Lenny Hyre (Fellowship) Bill Kendall (Clerk of Session) Craig Lahtinen (Admin., Finance) Lennie Miller (Missions, Outreach) Rick Pierce (Personnel)

#### **DEACONS**

Jeff Lampe (Chairman)
Harry Suttelle (Vice-chairman)
Micki Addison
Paul Conn
Marie Hyre
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# MT. PLEASANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (E.P.C.)



'The Scripture foresaw that God would justify the Gentiles by faith, and announced the gospel in advance to Abraham: "All nations will be blessed through you." So those who have faith are blessed along with Abraham, the man of faith.'

Galatians 3:8-9

# WORSHIP SERVICE

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Galatians 3:6-9

Prayer of Invocation

\* Praise Through Song

Blessing God's Children: "Jesus Loves Me" The children will now proceed to Children & Worship.

Apostles' Creed......Hymnal #627

\* Gloria Patri......Hvmnal #620

Offertory Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Scripture: Genesis 12:10-20; 20:1-18; 26:1-35

Sermon: ....."Generations: Sister Act" ...... Pastor Rich Herbster

- \* Hymn #519 ......"Faith Is The Victory"
- 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.

## THIS EVENING

There will be no evening service tonight. The next evening service will be September 2.

#### INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

Illness or Injury Brian Varkonda, Nick Allison, Herman Thomas, Holly Garland, Gail Harris, Kathy Lang, Laura Garrett & Baby Lily, James Shriver, Barbara Mihalow, Ralph Jones, Howard Olson, Wesley Bramble, Shirley Hysong, James Land, Meryl Rhines, Dwayne Bauknight, Nora King, Roberta Dravenstott, John Hasel, Jack McCune, Ed Jestat, Ed Zelazny, Brenda Shriver, Iris Mayhue, Lois McLaughlin, Michelle Owen, J.J. Mann, Hazel Kelly, Bill Duke, Debra Knause, Manda, Darlene Tenningon, Nancy Johnson, Christina Mravich, Jeff Rigsby, Dan Cook, Randall Hodges, Michael Duafala, Elizabeth Korodi, Bill Weil, Louis Moore, Melissa Doyle, Jerry Wollant, Rob Clowes, Albert Miller, Paul Rechel, Vicki Bucklew, Delores Ross, Darlene, Kathy Ostrowski, Nioka

Bereavement Lillian Lazar Family, Joseph Mihalik Family, Norm Black Family, Jeff Hyre Family

**This Week's Mission** Trinity School for Ministry

#### Assisting in this Morning's Worship

Acolyte 8:30 Madison Conn

11:00 Zeke Mann

Ushers 8:30 Paul Conn, Gary McFerren, Lenny Hyre

11:00 Bruce Parrish, Garrett Moore

Greeters 8:30 Jeff & Susan Weil

11:00 Sylvia Kendall

Organist/Music Director 8:30 Pat Lampe

11:00 Pat Lampe

Liturgist 8:30 Matt Zahn

11:00 Matt Zahn

Toddler/Infant Nursery 8:30 Michelle Dalton

11:00 Sherri Tellish

Children & Worship Leaders 8:30 Amy Herbster

11:00 Theresa Greathouse

Children & Worship Helpers 8:30 Marie Hyre

11:00 Anna Mann

#### **WORSHIP SCHEDULE**

Blended Worship Service #1 Sunday, 8:30 - 9:45 am

Sunday School Sunday, 10:00 - 10:45 am

Blended Worship Service #2 Sunday, 11:00-12:15 pm

# MEETING/PRACTICE SCHEDULE

Jr. High Youth Group Sunday, 5:00 - 6:00 pm Christian Child Care Mon-Fri, 6:00 am - 6:00 pm Women's Fellowship Tuesday, 10:00 - 11:30 am

Ask a Nurse 1st Wed. each month, 10:00 am -12:00 pm

Bible Study & Prayer Meeting Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm Praise Team Practice Wednesday, 7:30 - 8:30 pm

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERINGS — SUNDAY MORNINGS, 10:00 AM "With All Your Heart" facilitated by Jan Garland "Bible Study Class" led by Bill Enders

### ASSISTING IN NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP-August 26, 2012

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11:00 Zeke Mann

Ushers 8:30 Paul Conn, Gary McFerren, Lenny Hyre

11:00 Bruce Parrish, Garrett Moore,

Greeters 8:30 Dan & Jennifer Stiteler

11:00 Rick Pierce

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11:00 Deb Sharpless

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11:00 Anna Mann

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.

