

## *THE BULLETIN BOARD*

**HAITI RELIEF** Thanks to your generosity we were able to send \$727.77, plus \$1,000.00 from our Outreach Fund, to Samaritan's Purse to assist the people of Haiti.

**OUR CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** will be held this morning immediately following our worship service.

**SOUP AND CHILI LUNCHEON** The Junior High Youth Group will sponsor a soup & chili luncheon following the congregational meeting this morning. The menu includes soup, chili, bread, crackers, dessert and drinks. Donations will be accepted to defray the expenses of our mission trip in June.

**HEARTS OF HOPE** The Junior High Youth Group is participating in the Hearts of Hope campaign for Washington City Mission. All donations will be collected this morning. The proceeds bring hope to a hurting person's life and help provide nutritious food, safe shelter, and a "heart of hope" to the homeless.

**KIDS CHOIR** Our mobile choir practice will be held at the Clearview Group Home, 155 Clearview Road, Aliquippa, PA, this Wednesday, February 24th, from 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm.

**OUR CHILDCARE OPEN HOUSE** will be held on Friday, March 5th, at 7:00 pm. We will be having visitors from our community, community information, refreshments, parent teacher conferences, and a book trade. This would be a great time for any members of the congregation to come and reach out to our parents and staff. If you have an idea for a visitor, or would like to come and represent your group at our open house, please let Sara Beth Miller know.

**THE CARE ELDER & DEACON** for the month are available for you if you have a need and can't reach Pastor Rich. The February Elder is Beth Ann Enders (724.495.6679) and the Deacon is Herman Thomas (724.857.3077).

**BULLETIN INFORMATION** Please email all announcement for this bulletin to the office ([info@mpchurchpa.org](mailto:info@mpchurchpa.org)) by 4:00 Wednesday afternoon.

## MT. PLEASANT STAFF

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FEBRUARY 21, 2010

# MT. PLEASANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH



Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions.

Psalm 51:1

# WORSHIP SERVICE

## Preparatory Worship

Lenten Call to Worship: Psalm 51:1

As we prepare for Good Friday, we extinguish a candle each Sunday to remind us of the approaching darkness of betrayal and death. On Easter Sunday, all of the darkened candles will be relit, signifying the Light of the world, which darkness cannot extinguish.

## Prayer of Invocation

## \* Praise Songs

Blessing God's Children: "Jesus Loves the Little Children"

*The children will now proceed to Children's worship.*

"Jesus Loves Me"

Special Missions Presentation.....Jessie Marquis

\* Gloria Patri .....Hymnal #620

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

Special Music: "Sanctuary" ..... Senior Choir

\* Doxology.....Hymnal #623

\* Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

\* Hymnal #410 ..... "Cleanse Me"

Scripture: Romans 1:16-17

Sermon: "Good News: Righteousness by Faith"

.....Pastor Rich Herbster

\* Hymn #413..... "Living for Jesus"

\* Benediction and Recessional

*\*Congregation will remain standing*

*Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to Children's 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 1 Samuel 8:1-22, "Trusting in Kings?"

## INTERCESSORY PRAYER LIST

Illness or Injury Suttelles, Ed Ansell, Julie Searight, George Rawley, Robin Ludwig, Harry's Grandmother, Mark Andrews, Lena Johnson, Alice Allison, Dee Fiejdasz, Kayla, Beckie Winkle, Matthew Gray, Joseph DeBacco, Doug, George Mounsey, Elizabeth, Leannah Knicely, Ralph Shattuck, Vikki Dalton, Greg Dalton, Alice Bock, Taylor, Megan, Duncan Naughton, Ursula Ricketts, Ed Douglass, Jeff Hyre, Pat McDonald, Dave Dickton, Melanie Allen, Kay Hoadwonic, Corey Haas, Ashlely Woods, Anna Flemming, Joe Herrmann, Chuck Schavolt, Paul Lanigan, Tom Jones, Carole Martin, George McBee, Paula Detwyler, Janet Beck, Harry Mayhue, Rich Work, Dr. Robert Baker, Sydney Knicely, Rosalee Steigerwald, Samuel Potts, Joe Smith, Cathy Joyce, Michelle Tedesco, Nioka, George, John Strickler, Cathy Henderson, Jessica

God's Guidance and Care Sarah Tellish, David Philips, People of Haiti, Nikki, Tyler, Mickey, Tiffany Egan, Mike, Nathaniel, Matt, Stan Mrkonja

Praise Mark Stickley, Toni Wilson, Amber & James Weatherby & Baby Boy (Nathan James), Sandy McGee, JoAnn, Mike Heck, Christine Rice

Bereavement Vaughn Parrish Family, Dee Stover Family

This Week's Focus Mission Wade & Susan Ewing (Africa Inland Mission)

## ASSISTING IN THIS MORNING'S WORSHIP

Acolyte Jared Tellish  
 Ushers James Gray, Keith Greathouse, Kip Moore  
 Greeters Jan Garland & Gale Pence  
 Organist/Music Director Pat Lampe  
 Liturgist Lee Miller  
 Toddler/Infant Nursery Chrissy Funkhouser & Jessical Hill  
 Children's Worship Leaders Carrie Harbaugh (Preschool)  
 Denny Harbaugh (Kdg - 2nd grade)  
 Children's Worship Greeters JoAnn Fabianich & Sherri Tellish  
 Tammy Lynn & Erica Suttelle

*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.*

## WORSHIP SCHEDULE

Sunday School & Fellowship Sunday, 8:45 am  
 Praise Through Song Sunday, 9:45 am  
 Blended Worship Service Sunday, 10:00 - 11:15 am  
 Contemporary Worship Service Sunday, 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  
 Ask a Nurse 1st Wed. each month, 10am - 12pm  
 Women's Fellowship Tuesday, 10:00 - 11:30 am  
 Women's Bible Study Tuesday, 7:00 - 8:30 pm  
 Bible Study & Prayer Meeting Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
 Kids Choir Practice Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm  
 Praise Team Practice Wednesday, 7:30 - 8:30 pm  
 Adult Choir Practice Wednesday, 8:30 - 9:30 pm

## ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFERINGS — SUNDAY MORNINGS, 8:45

*"I Have Good News"* led by Pastor Rich

*"Senior Adult Class"* led by Bill Enders

## ASSISTING IN NEXT WEEK'S WORSHIP— February 28, 2010

Acolyte Jared Tellish  
 Ushers James Gray, Keith Greathouse, Kip Moore  
 Greeters Virginia Mihalik & Rick Pierce  
 Organist/Music Director Pat Lampe  
 Liturgist Beth Ann Enders  
 Toddler/Infant Nursery Chrissy Funkhouser & Jody Bologna  
 Children's Worship Leaders Carrie Harbaugh (Preschool)  
 Denny Harbaugh (Kdg - 2nd grade)  
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## CHURCH LEADERS (AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY)

### ELDERS

Jody Bologna (Shepherding)  
 Beth Ann Enders (Facilities)  
 Travis Frasier (Worship)  
 Jan Garland (Christian Education)  
 Bill Kendall (Clerk of Session)  
 Craig Lahtinen (Administration, Fellowship)  
 Nina Parrish (Missions)  
 Buddy Smeltz (Outreach)  
 Rick Pierce (Personnel)

### DEACONS

Jeff Lampe (Chairman)  
 Harry Suttelle (Vice-chairman)  
 Paul Conn  
 Kathy Pierce  
 Wayne Taormina  
 Carol Thomas  
 Herman Thomas  
 Marie Hyre  
 Madonna Zelazny

TITHING REPORT	Last Week	Needed	Difference
Unified/Building Giving	\$5,254.00	\$4,912.73	\$341.27

