

MT. PLEASANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (E.P.C.)

September 4, 2016



This is what the LORD says: "Heaven is my throne, and the earth is my footstool. Where is the house you will build for me? Where will my resting place be? Has not my hand made all these things, and so they came into being?" declares the LORD.

Isaiah 66:1-2a

WORSHIP SERVICE

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship..... Isaiah 66:1-2

Prayer of Invocation

* Praise Through Song

Children & Worship Graduation

Blessing God's Children..... *Jesus Loves Me*

***The children will now proceed to Children & Worship.*

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

**Merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you
with our whole heart and mind and strength.
We have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
In your mercy forgive what we have been,
help us amend what we are,
and direct what we shall be,
so that we may delight in your will
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your holy name.
Through Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

* Gloria Patri (Hymn 620)

**Glory be to the Father,
And to the Son,
And to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning,
Is now, and ever shall be,
World without end.
Amen, amen.**

Offertory Prayer

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

***The second offering is for the Deacon's Fund*

Offertory.....

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer

* Hymn 276..... *The Day of Resurrection*

Scripture..... 1 Corinthians 14:26-40

Sermon..... *On Orderly Worship*
Pastor Richard Herbster

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

* Hymn 275..... *Because He Lives*

* Benediction and Recessional

** Congregation will stand*

**** Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to attend Children and Worship. There is a nursery available for children under the age of 3.**

Join us tonight at 6:00 p.m. for our Sunday Evening Worship Service led by Lucas Waters.

WELCOME TO MT. PLEASANT!

We are glad that you have chosen to join with us in worship today.

If you are visiting for the first time, or have visited before but would like more information about our church, please fill out a blue visitor card (located in the back of the pews) and indicate how we may serve you.

If you need assistance at any time during the service, please notify an usher who will be happy to help.

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

MINISTRIES FOR EVERYBODY

Blended Worship Service #1	Sun. 8:30 - 9:45 am
Sunday School - Children	Sun. 10:00 - 10:45 am
Sunday School - Adults	Sun. 10:00 - 10:45 am
Blended Worship Service #2	Sun. 11:00 - 12:15 pm
Evening Worship Service	Sun. 6:00 - 7:00 pm
Women's Fellowship	Tues. (Sep-May), 6:30 - 8:00 pm
Women's Prayer, Fellowship	Fri. 10:00 am - 12:30 pm
Men of Faith	Every 3rd Sat. 8:00 am - 10:00 am
Bible Study & Prayer Group	Wed. 6:30 - 7:30 pm
Jr. High Youth Group	Sun. 5:00 - 7:00 pm
Sr. High Youth Group	Sun. 12:15 - 2:15 pm
Christian Childcare	Mon. - Fri. 6:00 am - 6:00 pm
Ask a Nurse	Every 1st Wed. 10:00am - 12:00 pm

PRACTICE SESSIONS

Special Music Practice w/ Sound Tech ~ Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:00 pm.

Kids Choir Practice ~ September - May, Wednesday, 6:30 - 7:30 pm.

Worship Practice ~ Wednesday, 7:00 - 8:00 pm.

Praise Choir Practice ~ Wednesday, 8:00 - 9:00 pm.

CARE ELDER & DEACON

The Care Elder and Deacon are available for you if you have a need and can't reach Pastor Rich. For the month of September, the Care Elder is Jim Bruce (724-462-4631) and the Care Deacon is Joan Lyons (724-554-3436).

PRAYER LIST

Praise ~ Matt & Ashley Zahn, Tim Schoedel

Bereavement ~ Dan Frasier family, Geraldine Gormley family, Earl Brouellette Family, Henry Barker Family

Illness/Injury ~ Tom Allison Jr., Patty Bailes, Marjean Boyd, Michele Charlier, John Cogis, Ron Coombs, Tim Cotherman, John Crouch, Angie Dannelley, Mary Davy, George Duke, Thomas Fedinetz, Jaxon Ford, Mary Fox, Francesca, Leila "Sis" Given, Sue Gourley, Diane Halper, Dorothy Homanick, Donnie Hyre, Reverend Kennedy, Jack Knicely, Robert Kronk II, Carolyn Kuntz, Janet Latshaw, Linda Latshaw, Marty Lilly, Emily Long, Skip Malcolmb, Lois McLaughlin, Sam Mike, Rose Miles, Dan Miller, Paul Monak, Jane Mortimer, Connie Owen, Caitlyn Papsan, Joseph Petrella, Dennis Reagan, Red Reich, Michelle Rock, Butch Santicola, Sara (Wilson) Scalise, Rob Scheel, Amy Shay, Sophia Shirly, William Schneider, Lewis Showrank, Fred Simunick, Betty Smith, Richard Smith, Stewart, Beverly Thomas, Beverly Vinisky, Ted Waxler, Gabby Wiatrak, Charlie Windisch, Janet Yost, Madonna Zelazny, Tony Ziglar

Jean

God's Guidance and Care ~ Paul Douglass, Nicole

This Week's Mission ~ Christians United in Beaver County (Denny Ugoletti)

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

The Tuesday evening Women's Bible Study and Fellowship Group will resume their weekly meetings beginning September 13th. We meet at the church from 6:30pm to 8:00 pm. Please consider joining us as we continue our study of the Apostles' Creed.

KID'S CHOIR

Reminder: Parts will be assigned for this year's musical at the Sept 7 choir practice.

ROCK SUNDAY

Rock Sunday will be held on Sunday, September 11th. We will celebrate during the Sunday School hour with a time of singing and lite snacks while recognizing each class. After the second service, there will be a **covered dish meal** with meat provided by Bill Ender's class. Please bring a **side dish** and enjoy some fellowship and games for the kids. Join us in kicking off another Sunday School year!

JUNIOR HIGH YOUTH GROUP

The Annual Jr. High Youth Group kickoff will be Sunday, September 25th at the church pavillion from 5:00 - 7:00p.m. Come join us for food, fun and fellowship! For more information call Lee @ 412-523-0695.

SMALL GROUPS

Denise Lander's Small Group will begin meetings at Gary and Rhonda Hicks' house on October 4. The group will meet on Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m., and will be an 8 week study on Jonah.

Denise Lanigan's Small Group will begin meeting on September 8, Thursday evenings at 7:00 p.m., at Deb McDonald's house, and will be continuing their study of the book of Genesis.

Please note: there are other Small Groups available. For more information, please contact the Church Office.

SEPTEMBER 11 MEMORIAL PRAYER EVENT

There will be a county-wide prayer event taking place on September 11, 2016, from 4:00 to 7:00-ish p.m. in Beaver Park (rain location: Beaver United Methodist Church.) Please bring a lawn chair.

ONE VOICE MUSIC FESTIVAL

Mt. Pleasant Praise Team and Pastor Rich Herbster will be leading worship at the One Voice Music Festival today at 3:00pm. The venue is: Victory Life Ministry. 590 Steubenville Pk., Paris PA 15021. The Festival will run through tomorrow. Come on out for great fellowship, music, and ministry! See the Festival website for further info:

<http://www.onevoicemusic.faithweb.com/home.htm>

GIVING

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Giving	Needed
Last Week	\$7,388.00 \$7,900.00 -\$512.00
Year to Date	\$262,579.00 \$284,400.00 -\$21,821.00

BUILDING FUND

Giving	Total	3 Year Pledge
Total Last Week	\$1,118.00	\$253,822.00 \$325,908.00

ASSISTING IN THIS MORNING'S WORSHIP

<i>Acolyte</i>	8:30	Troy Pajak
	11:00	
<i>Ushers</i>	8:30	Paul Conn, Jim Gray & Daniel McHattie
	11:00	Jamie Ashcroft & Neil Fabianich
<i>Greeters</i>	8:30	
	11:00	Sonnie Allison & Barb Petrovic
<i>Music Director</i>	8:30	Pat Lampe
	11:00	Pat Lampe
<i>Liturgist</i>	8:30	Denise Lander
	11:00	Denise Lander
<i>Nursery</i>	8:30	Michelle Dalton
	11:00	Ashley Winkle
<i>Children/Worship</i>	8:30	Jennifer Delong; Julie Allison
	11:00	Sharon Ashcroft; Joanne Fabianich

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	11:00	Abigail Herbster
<i>Ushers</i>	8:30	Paul Conn, Jim Gray & Daniel McHattie
	11:00	Jamie Ashcroft & Neil Fabianich
<i>Greeters</i>	8:30	Dan & Jennifer Stiteler
	11:00	Laura Foster & Joan Lyons
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MT. PLEASANT STAFF

Rev. Dr. Richard Herbster

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Lucas Waters, Pastoral Intern

Lee Hudson, Junior High Youth Minister

Pam McDonald, Senior High Youth Minister

Patricia Lampe, Music Director

Buddy Smeltz, Praise Team Leader

Gary McFerren, Lead Sound Booth Technician

Sara Beth Miller, Child Care Director

John Foster, Administrator

Sylvia Kendall, Treasurer

Bill Kendall, Maintenance Manager

Michelle Ellison, Custodian

CHURCH LEADERS

Elders

Beth Ann Enders (Worship)
Laura Given (Christian Education)
Lennie Miller (Missions, Outreach)
Jim Bruce (Shepherding)
Jason McDonald (Fellowship)
Craig Lahtinen (Administration)
Larry Zahn (Finance)
Diane Luther (Personnel)
Steve DeLong (Facilities)

Deacons

Micki Addison (Chair)
Rhonda Hicks
Marie Hyre
Joan Lyons
Jannel Martinez
Shari McMasters
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