#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

MOTHER'S DAY LUNCHEON CANCELLED The luncheon previously scheduled for May 14, has been cancelled. Due to illness, Pastor Omar will not be visiting with us that day. Plans are to hold a luncheon when his travel plans are rescheduled.

CHOICES PREGNANCY CENTER WALK FOR LIFE will be held on Saturday, May 13. The Walk for Life will take place at Moon Park at the Rotary Pavilion. Registration begins at 9:15 am and the walk starts at 10 am. A continental breakfast and lunch will be served. Please consider walking and/or supporting the cause! If you would like to register as a walker, or make a financial contribution, you can do so online at <a href="https://www.walkformylife.org">www.walkformylife.org</a>. You can also donate to one of Mt. Pleasant's team on their individual page (click on Sponsor). Please contact Kim Bruce or Amy Herbster with any questions or for additional information.

LAST CALL FOR CHURCH DIRECTORY May 10 through 15, Lifetouch Photography will be at Mt. Pleasant to photograph our church family members. If you haven't scheduled yet, please do so as soon as possible. An extra day has been added for Monday, May 15. To schedule, go to the church website mpchurchpa.org and click on the Portrait Sign-up box on the bottom of the home page. All who have scheduled will get a reminder call 3 days prior to your scheduled session. Bring a donation for the church food pantry, and you will get a \$5 coupon off any Lifetouch orders. Volunteers are also needed to help sign in people when they come for their appointment. To volunteer or get help with last minute scheduling, call Jan Garland at 724-814-2868.

**2107 HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES** If you have someone graduating this year, please email their name to info@mpchurchpa.org or call the church office. Graduates will be recognized at the June 4 worship service.

#### Contact us

Rev. Dr. Richard Herbster 724-495-6362 May Care Elder and Deacon available if you have a need and can't reach the Pastor. Lennie Miller 412-671-4047, Elder Deb Taylor 330-277-3303, Deacon

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# **Summer Worship Schedule**

Beginning on **May 28, 2017**, there will be one **Worship Service** at 10 am.

**Sunday School** will be from 9 to 10 am.

This schedule will continue through

August 20, 2017

# May 7, 2017 Worship Service



Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Leviticus 19:15-18

Prayer of Invocation

\*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon Minute for Mission—Little Star Sunday

\*Gloria Patri #620

Presentation of Tithes and Offering *The second offering is for the Deacon's Fund.* 

Minute for Mission—Adoption Connection
Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn #1 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

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

Scripture: Matthew 5:31-42 Sermon "The Law of Love" Pastor Rich Herbster

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

\*Hymn #17 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

\*Benediction and Recessional

\*Congregation will stand

\*\*Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to Attend Children & Worship. There is nursery available for children Under the age of 3.

#### 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 Everyone**

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
Women's Fellowship	Tues. (SepMay) 6:30-8:00 pm
Women's Prayer, Fellowship	Fri. 10:00 am-12:30 pm
Men of Faith	Every 3rd Sat. 8:00-10:00 am
Bible Study and Prayer Group	Wed. 6:30-7:30 pm
Jr. High Youth Group	Tues. 6:30-8:00 pm
Sr. High Youth Group	Tues. 6:30-8:00 pm
Ask a Nurse	Every 1st Wed. 10:00am-12:00 pm
Christian Child Care	MonFri. 6:00 am-6:00 pm

#### **Prayer List**

Illness

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Kelly Frey	Pastor Omar
Sue Gourley	Ed Palmer
Jim Gray	Lynn Pence
Joe Herrmann	Bryson Phenicie
Dorothy Homenick	Judy Prost
Hayden Jack	Pam Rickets
Jess	Tom Rupik
Jackie Juth	Yvonne Sharpless
•	Sophia Shirley
•	Fred Simunick
•	Janet Staigvil
	Wendy Stalkovich
	Brownie Statler
	Matt Stiteler
	John Stoughton
	Peg Veahman
Michelle Morrow	Charlotte Wilson
	Sue Gourley Jim Gray Joe Herrmann Dorothy Homenick Hayden Jack Jess

**Praise**: Ralph Hysong, Renee Mrkonja **Bereavement**: The Betty Collins Family

Missions: Wycliffe Bible Translators (Beth Knapp)

#### **Catechism Corner**

## WSC Q. 45. Which is the first commandment?

A. The first commandment is, Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

## WSC Q. 46. What is required in the first commandment?

A. The first commandment requireth us to know and acknowledge God to be the only true God, and our God; and to worship and glorify him accordingly.

There is only one God, and we are obligated to know, love and worship him. This is, in fact, our purpose in life. It is what we were made for – to worship and glorify him. There are many other pretenders to God. There will be many temptations to serve something or someone else. But God is a jealous God, he will not share the throne of his glory

## Assisting in This Morning's Worship

Acolyte	8:30	Sage McHattie
	11:00	Lucas Gielata
Ushers	8:30	Jim Gray, Dan McHattie, Billy Yoho
	11:00	Nick Allison, Neil Fabianich, Dave Rose
Greeters	8:30	Dalton Lander & Dave Whitehill
	11:00	Andrew & Dustyn Hudson
Music Director	Both	Pat Lampe
Liturgist	Both	Craig Lahtinen
Children & Worship	8:30	Diane McCracken & Jennifer DeLong
	11:00	JoAnn Fabianich & Anna Mann

## Assisting in Next Week's Worship

Acolyte	8:30	Sage McHattie	
	11:00	Lucas Gielata	
Ushers	8:30	Jim Gray, Dan McHattie, Billy Yoho	
	11:00	Nick Allison, Neil Fabianich, Dave Ros	
Greeters	8:30	Dalton Lander & Dave Whitehill	
	11:00	Andrew & Dustyn Hudson	
Music Director	Both	Pat Lampe	
Liturgist	Both	Craig Lahtinen	
Children & Worship	8:30	Deb McDonald	
	11:00	JoAnn Fabianich & Anna Mann	

TITHING REPORT	Giving	Needed	<u>Difference</u>
Last Week	\$7,089	\$7,526	-\$437
Year to Date	\$150,980	\$135,468	\$15,512
BUILDING FUND	Giving	Total	3 Yr. Pledge Total
Total as of Last Week	\$573	\$313.422	\$325.908