### **Announcements**

**WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP** will resume meeting on Tuesday, September 12 from 6:30 pm to 8 pm.

**SENIOR PICNIC** is scheduled for Sunday, September 24. More information will be coming soon.

CHOICES FUNDRAISER-TAKE AIM FOR LIFE The 2017 Take Aim for Life fundraiser will be held on Friday, September 15 from 11 am to 3 pm at the Lawrence County Sportmans' Association in Wampum. For more information and to register, go to takeaimforlife.org.

ROCK SUNDAY will be held on September 10. Worship services will be at the usual times (8:30 am and 11 am). During Sunday School hour there will be fellowship time. After the second service, plan to stay for a potluck lunch. The meat (fried chicken) will be provided. You are welcome to bring any side dish or desert.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER NEEDED** Beginning in the fall, a teacher is needed for the pre-school age class. If you are interested or want more information, please contact Bev Foxall at 724-375-9357 or Laura Given at 724-312-2127.

**VOLUNTEERS** are still needed to support our Children and Worship Program. Sign up sheets are in the Narthex or you can contact Beth Ann Enders at 724-495-6679.

#### Contact us

Rev. Dr. Richard Herbster 724-495-6362 September Care Elder and Deacon available if you have a need and can't reach the Pastor. Jim Bruce 724-462-4631, Elder Marie Hyre 724-622-0363, Deacon

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Jim Bruce	Micki Addison
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Laura Given	Shari McMasters
Craig Lahtinen	Brownie Statler
Lennie Miller	Dave Symanowicz
Rich Pierce	Deb Taylor
Larry Zahn	

# August 27, 2017 Worship Service

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Psalm 119:12-18

Prayer of Invocation

\*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Minute For Mission-Rock Sunday Laura Given

\*Doxology #623

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn #64 "For The Beauty Of The Earth"

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

Scripture: Matthew 8:5-13

Sermon "*Under Authority*" Pastor Rich Herbster

\*Hymn #13 "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee"

\*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.

### **Prayer List**

#### 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**

Worship Service #1—8:30 am

Worship Service #2—11 am

Sunday School (Adult & Children)—10:00-10:45 am

Women's Fellowship—Tuesday 6:30—8 pm (September to May)

Women's Prayer, Fellowship—Friday 10:00 am—12 pm

Bible Study and Prayer Group—Wednesday 6:30—7:30 pm

Men of Faith—Every 3rd Saturday—8:00 to 10:00 am

Junior High Youth Group—Tuesday 6:30 to 8:00 pm

Senior High Youth Group—Tuesday 6:30 to 8:00 pm

Ask A Nurse—Every 3rd Wednesday—10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Christian Child Care—Monday—Friday—6:00 am to 6:00m

#### Illness

Candy Heck Blair	Alda Glover	Pastor Omar
Darrell Bradford	Timothy Hare	Evelyn Reed
Bret Buckley	Tom Hughes	Jim Roberts
Gavin Campbell	Jacob	Breanna Runyon
Jeremiah Cline	Peggy Karr	Fred Simunick
Sue Conn	Rev. Kennedy	Pat Sloan
Bill Coon	Dalton Lander	Lou Staigvil
Michael Crozier	Spencer Mason	Cooper Stickley
Vic D'Amico	Sage McHatttie	Lois Svedok
Mary Davy	Doug McCorbie	Wayne Taormina
Ed Douglas	Josie Mengel	Karen Taylor
Sean Douglas	Jan Miller	Herman Thomas
Mason Downs	Darrell Musser	Vesta Vickodil
		Wayne Weil

**Praise:** LaVern Pence

God's Care and Guidance: Dorothy Homenick

Bereavement: The David Rupik Family,

The Anhony Toppie Family, The Darrell Kennedy Family, The Chuck Tindell Family, The George Rowse Family, The Gaynell Dalton Family, The Beth Priest Family, The Opal Patrick Family

Missions: Campus Crusade (Don & Melanie Roths)

### **Catechism Corner**

## WSC Q. 61. What is forbidden in the fourth commandment?

A. The fourth commandment forbiddeth the omission, or careless performance, of the duties required, and the profaning the day by idleness, or doing that which is in itself sinful, or by unnecessary thoughts, words, or works, about our worldly employments or recreations.

Is it a sin to daydream while worshipping? To be inattentive during Sunday school? Well, of course it is! Worshipping and serving God is what we were made for. It is the purpose for which we exist. The fourth commandment reminds us that we are to dedicate ourselves to this holy work with all our heart, soul, strength and mind.

### Assisting in This Morning's Worship

Acolyte	8:30	Jaxon Schoedel	
	11:00	Isaac Gielata	
Ushers	8:30	Bill Enders, Paul Conn, Virginia Mihalik	
	11:00	Sean Hicks, Gary Hicks, Jamie Ashcroft	
Greeters	8:30	Dalton Lander & Jennifer Stiteler	
	11:00	Rich Schoedel	
Music Director	Both	Pat Lampe	
Liturgist	Both	Rich Pierce	
Children &Worship	8:30	Beth Ann Enders & Billy Yoho	
	11:00	Sharon Ashcroft & Nadine Duncan	

### Assisting in Next Week's Worship September 3, 2017

Acolyte	8:30	Kiersten Bruce	
	11:00	Megan Michel	
Ushers	8:30	Dan McHattie, Billy Yoho, Jim Gray	
	11:00	Dave Rose, Bruce Parrish, Jason Michel	
Greeters	8:30	Dalton Lander & Jan Garland	
	11:00	Bill Kendall	
Music Director	Both	Pat Lampe	
Liturgist	Both	Craig Lahtinen	
Children &Worship	8:30	Michelle Bradford & Tammy Symanowicz	
	11:00	Amy Herbster & Karen Herman	

TITHING REPORT	Giving	Needed	<u>Difference</u>
Last Week	\$8,500	\$7,526	\$974
Year to Date	\$254,944	\$255,884	-\$940
BUILDING FUND	Giving	Total_	3 Yr. Pledge Total_
Total as of Last Week	\$1.153	\$332 204	\$325 908