

## Announcements

**PLEASE PICK UP YOUR 2018 TITHE REPORTS** which are in a box in the Narthex.

**CHILD CARE FUNDRAISER EASTER CANDY SALE** Help improve our playground and buy some Rosalind Easter candy. Order forms are in the church office and orders need to be placed by March 27.

**THANKS TO EVERYONE** who helped with Paul Herron's funeral dinner!

**THE CONGREGATIONAL MEETING** will be on Sunday, February 24 between the services. There will be no Sunday School. All ministry leaders need to submit their annual reports to [info@mpchurchpa.org](mailto:info@mpchurchpa.org) or turn in a hard copy to the church office by **February 19**.

**CHOICES PREGNANCY SERVICES** Baby Bottles need to be returned, full or empty as soon as possible. Thanks to all who participated in this year's campaign.

**GOOD NEWS CLUB** Our church is partnering again with CEF to share God's love with the children at Independence Elementary School for 8 weeks beginning this Wednesday, February 20 from 3:30 to 5 pm. If you have any questions, please see Bev Foxall or Lexa Taylor.

**KIDS CLUB 2019** starts this Thursday, February 21 and runs through April 11, from 4:45 pm to 6:30 pm. Children ages 4 to 4th grade can join us for a fun filled evening of Bible stories, crafts, music, games, and a snack. Registration forms are available in the narthex. The cost is \$5 per child. Our theme is "Cereals". We are grateful to our church family for completing the donation sign up sheet! Donations are due to be returned to the church today. Please contact Holly Garland at 412-853-3591 (call or text) or [hlgarland1@hotmail.com](mailto:hlgarland1@hotmail.com).

### Sabbatical Corner

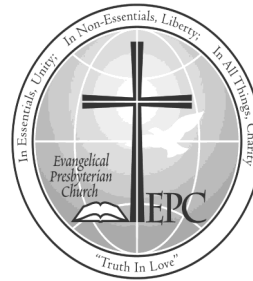
Sabbath means to stop, repose, cease, celebrate, leave, put down or away. In Greek, the word is *sabbaton*, "day of weekly repose". In this context, the seventh day of each person's life should be set aside for nothing but rest and recovery. Rest prepares one to do the work of life, of one's calling. Rest was intended to bring about a respite from the common, regular and relentless routines of living. An extended concept of sabbaticals gives a special place to creating extended quiet times, reflective moments, along with new vision and passion for life in Christ.

## Contact us

**Rev. Dr. Richard Herbster 724-495-6362**  
**February Care Elder and Deacon available**  
**if you have a need and can't reach the Pastor.**  
**Beth Ann Enders 724-561-2950, Elder**  
**Jamie Ashcroft 412-551-1367, Deacon**

**Church Office 724-495-6462**  
**Child Care Office 724-495-3334**  
**Email: [info@mpchurchpa.org](mailto:info@mpchurchpa.org)**  
**Website: [www.mpchurchpa.org](http://www.mpchurchpa.org)**  
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**[youtube.com](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=...) "Mt. Pleasant Church Sunday Service"**



### Elders

Beth Ann Enders  
Mike Given  
Craig Lahtinen  
Kathleen Mihalow  
Sara Beth Miller  
Nina Parrish  
Rich Pierce  
Rick Pierce  
Mark Stefanini

### Deacons

Jamie Ashcroft  
Nadine Duncan  
Marie Hyre  
Dan McHattie  
Brenda Michel  
Lennie Miller  
Pat Sloan  
Brownie Statler  
June Statler

## February 17, 2019 Worship Service



Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Revelation 5:11-14

Prayer of Invocation

\*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Apostles' Creed #627

\*Gloria Patri #620

Special Music "*What A Friend*"  
Praise Team Choir

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

\*Hymn #36 "*We Have Come Into His House*"  
\*\**The children will proceed to Children & Worship during the hymn.*

Scripture: Psalm 84

Sermon "*Blessed Are Those Who Dwell in Your House!*"  
Pastor Rich Herbster

\*Hymn #3 "*Crown Him With Many Crowns*"

\*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.

**Assisted Listening Devices to aid those with hearing deficiencies are available in the Sound Booth at the rear of the Sanctuary. Please see one of our staff in the booth prior to the Call to Worship to get set up.**

## Ministries for Everyone

Worship Service #1—Sunday—8:30 am

Worship Service #2—Sunday—11 am

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

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

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

Grief Support Group—1st and 3rd Wed. of Month—1 pm

Kids Choir—Wednesday—6:30 to 7:30 pm

Bible Study & Prayer Group—Wednesday—6:30 to 7:30 pm

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

The Way Youth Group—Tuesday—6:30 to 8:00 pm

Ask A Nurse—1st Wed. of Month—10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Christian Child Care—Mon. to Friday—6:00 am to 6:00 pm

## Prayer List

David B	Barry Ernhardt	Lee Miller
Larry Barber Jr.	James Evans	Tina Nine
Amanda Berjeron	Kim Henthorn	Nina Parrish
Ronda Burke	Dolores Herron	Nancy Rader
Carla	Dorothy Homenick	Norman Rader
Betty Conn	Peter Hormel	Arthur Sanders
Sherree Clifton	Josh	Santana
Jesse Crozier	Jackie Juth	Bob Statler
Abby Dalton	Dawn Kendrew	Ron Stillwagon
Vikki Dalton	Bill Laughlin	Jennifer Stiteler
Vic D'Amico	Lisa	Carol Thomas
Ken Davis	Joan Lyons	Harper Webber
Robert Deiley	Nikki Macio	Samantha Whiteman
Delores Blake Dobbs	Mary Ellen McCary	Mark Williams
Sean Douglas	Pat McCon	Donna Windisch
Ed Douglass	Melissa	Andy Zelazny

**Bereavement:** The Frank Lewis Family, The Paul Herron Family, The Melanie Mountain Family, The Jeff Holt Family, The Paul James Coombs Family, The David McDonald Family, The Daniel Hartman Family, The Danny Tetrick Family

**God's Care and Guidance:** Tyler Allen, Greg Dalton

**Praise:** Betty Conn, Sue Conn, Louise Bucklen  
Lucas Waters, Honduras Mission Team

**Weekly Mission Focus:** Ministerio Apostolico Betesda

**Special Prayer Focus:** Church Addition Building Project  
Herbster Family Sabbatical, Sabbatical Team  
Kids Club, Good News Club

## Catechism Corner

### WSC Q. 26. How doth Christ execute the office of a king?

*A. Christ executeth the office of a king, in subduing us to himself, in ruling and defending us, and in restraining and conquering all his and our enemies.*

David was promised a son who would reign forever, over an ever-increasing kingdom of righteousness. Christ was honored as a king at birth. The kingdom of God was central to his teaching. He was crucified as king. And he reigns as king in his ascension. We submit to his lordship and seek his dominion over our lives and his entire creation. Let thy kingdom come!

## Assisting in This Morning's Worship

Acolyte	8:30	Alison DeLong
	11:00	RJ Ashcroft
Ushers	8:30	Vic D'Amico, Tom Cox, Jim Gray
	11:00	Dave Rose, Neil Fabianich, Bruce Parrish
Greeters	8:30	Dalton Lander, Virginia Mihalik
	11:00	Leona Daniels
Music Director	8:30	Pat Lampe
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Liturgist	8:30	Craig Lahtinen
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Children & Worship	8:30	Beth Ann Enders, Sue Tebbets
	11:00	Sharon Ashcroft, Joyce Butler

## Assisting in Next Week's Worship February 24, 2019

Acolyte	8:30	Alison DeLong
	11:00	Davon Bradford
Ushers	8:30	Vic D'Amico, Tom Cox, Jim Gray
	11:00	Dave Rose, Neil Fabianich, Bruce Parrish
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<u>TITHING REPORT</u>	<u>Giving</u>	<u>Needed</u>	<u>Difference</u>
Last Week	\$9,043	\$8,150	\$893
Year to Date	\$49,631	\$57,050	-\$7,419

<u>BUILDING FUND</u>	<u>Giving</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Three Year Pledge</u>
Total as of Last Week	\$620	\$639,631	\$712,859