Announcements

NEW MEMBERS CLASS will be offered on Saturday, **October 12** from 9 am to 12 pm. Anyone who is interested in joining Mt. Pleasant or just learning more about us, should consider attending the class. Registration forms are in the narthex.

LADIES NIGHT OUT All ladies 18 to 98 are invited to join us for a bonfire at the "Gathering Place" behind the church on Friday evening, October 18. Beginning at 6 pm, the ladies will enjoy a wonderful evening of fellowship with apple cider and hot chocolate to be provided. Bring a lawn chair and your favorite mug. You are also welcome to bring a snack to share.

MISSION TEAM COOK-OFF AND BAKE-OFF The Mission Team is hosting a Cook-off/Bake-off on Sunday, October 20. We showcase your cooking and baking skills in this family-friendly fellowship time. Please join us at 4:30 pm for fellowship and fun, and support our Honduras Mission Team! The Bogmeisters from Cranberry will perform at 6 pm.

TRUNK OR TREAT Join us for Trunk or Treat at Mt. Pleasant on October 26 from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm. Decorate your trunk with a Christian theme and pass out candy. The Way will provide games and popcorn, hot chocolate and hot cider for a monetary donation. Fun for all ages! You can register and get more information in the narthex.

OUR PASTOR APPRECIATION DINNER is scheduled for **November 3** at 5 pm. The church will provide roast beef and chicken. Mike and Laura Given will be in the atrium today after the service with sign up sheets for those who can provide side dishes and desserts. Look for the tall people with clipboards!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS for the "Christmas Carol Kick-off" a hymn sing that is scheduled for Sunday evening, **December 1** at 6 pm.

CHURCH EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES Mt. Pleasant is looking for a qualified individual to join our administrative staff. This is an hourly paid position requiring 20 hours per week. We also need a nursery worker that is 18 years of age or older and is able to get childcare clearances. This is an hourly paid position to staff the nursery during worship services. If you are interested or would like more information, please contact Pastor Rich or the church office.

Contact us

Rev. Dr. Richard Herbster 724-495-6362 October Care Elder and Deacon available Rick Pierce 724-495-7270, Elder Pat Sloan 724-495-7085, Deacon

> Church Office 724-495-6462 Child Care Office 724-495-3334 Email: info@mpchurchpa.org Website: www.mpchurchpa.org Like us on Facebook!

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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

October 6, 2019 Worship Service



Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Hebrews 4:12-13

Prayer of Invocation

*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Minute for Mission—Nursery Volunteers

*Doxology #623

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

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn #373 "The Light Of The World Is Jesus"

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

Scripture: Psalm 19

Sermon "Make A Disciple: Growing In The Word"

Pastor Rich Herbster

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper We will partake of the elements together (bread and cup) after everyone has been served

*Hymn #119 "They'll Know We Are Christians"

*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

Summer Worship Service (extended until October 27)

Sunday—10:00 am

Sunday School (Adult & Children) 9:00 to 9:45 am

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

Women's Fellowship—Tuesday—6:30 to 8 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

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

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

Prayer List

Alice Allison	Enzo Graziani	Allison Parrish
Tom Allison, Jr.	Pat Gray	Bob Phillips
Aubrey & Andrew	Cindy Guido	Nadine Phillips
Ruth Ann Bailey	Dorothy Homenick	Bruce Retalic
Larry Barber Jr.	Marcy Hughes	Riley
Ben	Brianna Jestat	Allen Scheers
Amanda Berjeron	Kevin Lander	Rich Searight
Patricia Buck	Georgie Klessor	Pat Sloan
Charlotte Bucklen	Christian Mallick	Darlene Stahlnecker
Aaron Card	Jannel Martinez	Bob Statler
Michelle Dalton	Mary Ellen McCary	Jennifer Stiteler
Vikki Dalton	Aiden McCon	Sandra Swearingen
Rich DeFallo	Kim McCormick	Carol Thomas
Sean Douglas	Carter McWilliams	Chris Turiziania
Ed Douglass	Steve Morrison	Samantha Whiteman
	Deloris Mountain	Andy Zelazny

Bereavement: The Ed Philipi Family, The Pat McDonald Family,
The Walter Lazar Family, The Audrey Bauer Family

Assisting in Next Value 1

Praise: Bob Bucklen

Weekly Mission Focus: Overcomers In Christ (Milan Mrkonja)

Special Prayer Focus: Good News Club, Vision Team

Keep them in your thoughts and prayers, or a card or phone call. *Dolores Herron*, Beaver Meadows, 5130 Tuscarawas Rd., Room 409, Beaver PA 15009 (878-201-3261)

Carol Thomas, 240 Clearview Rd., Aliquippa PA 15001 (724-857-3077) Ed Douglass, Beaver Valley Health & Rehab Center,

257 Georgetown Rd. Beaver Falls PA 15010

Rusty Anderson, 4 Brantford Dr., Stafford VA 22554

WSC Q. 55. What is forbidden in the third commandment?

A. The third commandment forbiddeth all profaning or abusing of anything whereby God maketh himself known.

The third commandment involves taking the name of the Lord "in vain." We do this, the catechism tells us, when we speak ill of "anything whereby God maketh himself known." One application of this is the way that people often speak ill of the church. Many despise the church, either with their words or their actions (such as frequent non-attendance to worship, or speaking ill of fellow believers). But the church is the bride of Christ, the vehicle for the blessings and promises of the gospel, the means "whereby God maketh himself known."

Assisting in This Morning's Worship

Ushers	10:00	Bill Enders, Paul Conn, Tom Rupik
Greeters	10:00	Bruce Parrish
Music Director	10:00	Pat Lampe
Liturgist	10.00	Mark Stefanini
Children &Worship	10:00	Sharon Ashcroft, Joyce Butler, Tammy Symanowicz

Assisting in Next Week's Worship October 13, 2019

Ushers	10:00	Bill Enders, Paul Conn, Tom Rupik
Greeters	10:00	Ed Luther
Music Director	10:00	Pat Lampe
Liturgist	10.00	Mark Stefanini
Children &Worship	10:00	John Alvarado, Michelle Bradford, Jennifer Stiteler

TITHING REPORT	Giving	Needed	<u>Difference</u>
Last Week	\$10,796	\$8,150	\$2,646
Year to Date	\$276,513	\$326,000	-\$49,487
BUILDING FUND	Giving	Total	Three Year Pledge
Total as of Last Week	\$1,045	\$665,876	\$712,859