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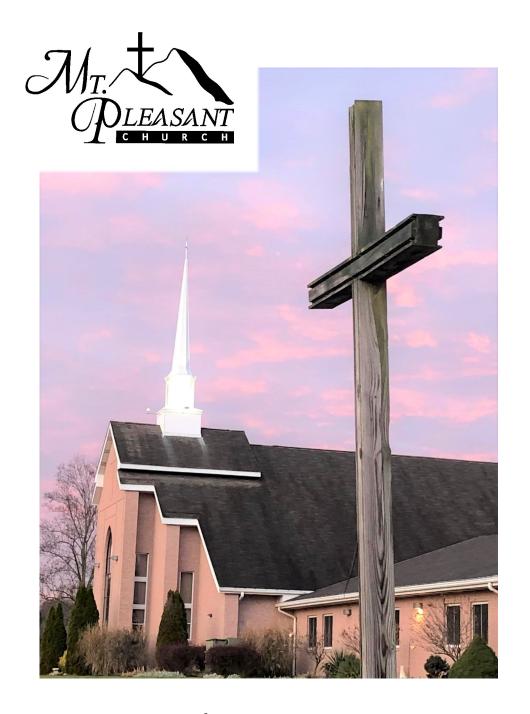


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February 16, 2020 ——

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) 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.

Nursery Info: We'd like to introduce Rose Stone, our new nursery staff member. Rose has 3 years of experience caring for children and will be graduating from South Side High School in the spring. After graduating, Rose wants to become an ultrasound technician.

The nursery is available during the 10:30am Worship Service for infants to children 3 years of age.

Ministries for Everyone

Traditional Worship Service: Sunday, 8:15am

Blended Worship Service: Sunday, 10:30am

Sunday School: (Adult & Children) 9:30 to 10:15am

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

Women's Fellowship: Tuesday, 6:30 to 8pm

Kids Choir: Wednesday, 6:30 to 7:30pm

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

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

Ask A Nurse: 1st Wednesday of the Month, 10am to noon

Christian Child Care: Monday to Friday, 6am to 6pm

Assisting in This Morning's Worship

Ushers	10:30	Drew Vinisky, Jamie Ashcroft, Paul Conn	
Greeters	10:30	Carol Coberly, Leona Daniels	
Music Director	10:30	Pat Lampe	
Liturgist	10:30	Amber Rogers	
Children & Worship	10:30	Michelle Bradford, Janet Conn	

Assisting in Next Week's Worship - February 23, 2020

Ushers	10:30	Drew Vinisky, Jamie Ashcroft, Paul Conn	
Greeters	10:30	Carol Coberly, Leona Daniels	
Music Director	10:30	Pat Lampe	
Liturgist	10:30	Amber Rogers	
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TITHING REPORT	GIVING	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE
LAST WEEK	\$7,032	\$7,640	-\$608
YTD	\$45,059	\$45,840	-\$781
BUILDING FUND	GIVING	TOTAL	3-YEAR PLEDGE
LAST WEEK	\$675	\$685,511	\$712,859

Catechism Corner

WSC Q. 73. Which is the eighth commandment?

A. The eighth commandment is, Thou shalt not steal.

We usually think we're on safe ground here as long as we don't rob banks, pick pockets, pilfer other people's stuff, etc. But the principle is much larger than this, as the catechism will go on to make clear. Stated positively, God doesn't just care about saving our souls for heaven, he cares also about the stuff of the earth – property, possessions, and so on – our own and other people's stuff. And if he cares, so should we.

Prayer List

John Allison Carol Dunlap **Bob Phillips** Aubrey & Andrew Tyler Garland Bruce Retalic **Baby Samson** Enzo Graziani Elizabeth Rice Ruth Ann Bailey Robin Ross Pat Gray Larry Barber Jr. **Tracey Heinlein** Kyle Ryder Amanda Berjeron Donna Herman Rich Searight **Brooklyn & Bristol Dorothy Homenick** Pat Sloan **Brunner Family** Donna Hundenski Jennifer Stiteler Charlotte Bucklen Carol McCartney **David Swiger** Charlotte Rose (infant) Kim McCormick **Thomas** Colt (infant) **Carol Thomas** Calvin McWhirter GT Dalton Shawna Weil Carter McWilliams Vikki Dalton John Newcomb & Unit Andy Zelazny Rich DeFallo **Nicholas** Sean Douglas Allison Parrish

Bereavement:

Paul Geisler Family Almighty God, Nicholas Matz Family **Stewart Family Charles Yost Family** Praise:

Honduras Mission Team

God's Care and Guidance:

Our government and leaders

Weekly Mission Focus:

Skybacher Ministries

Special Prayer Focus:

Kids' Club, Corona Virus

Let us pray...

in Jesus Christ you taught us to pray and to offer our petitions to you

in his name.

Guide us by your Holy Spirit,

that our prayers for others

may serve your will

and show your steadfast love,

through the same

Jesus Christ,

our Lord.

Amen.

10:30am Worship Service

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Job 19:23-27

Prayer of Invocation

*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

*Apostles' Creed #627

*"Gloria Patri" #620

Special Music: "Givin' My Heart to Jesus" Mt. Pleasant Kids' Choir

Presentation of Tithes and Offering

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

*Hymn #105 "There's Something About That Name" **The children will proceed to Children & Worship during the hymn.

Scripture: Matthew 22:41-46

Sermon "No Reply at All" Pastor Rich Herbster

*Hymn #162 "What a Friend We Have in Jesus"

*Benediction and Recessional

*Congregation will stand **Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to attend Children & Worship. A nursery is available for children under the age of 3.

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Announcements

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: We will have our annual congregational meeting on February 23rd following the second service. **Reports are due from all ministry leaders by Monday, February 17th.** Please send the reports via the church email (info@mpchurchpa.org) addressed to Luann Frasier. Thank you.

FELLOWSHIP TEAM: The Fellowship team will be serving soup and sandwiches after the Congregational meeting on February 23rd.

NEW ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS: Starting <u>today</u> - Pastor Rich will be teaching "I Don't Have Enough Faith to be an Atheist" during the Sunday School hour (9:30-10:15am). Additional details can be found on the church website. Please join us!

MT. PLEASANT CHILD CARE: Rosalind Easter Candy is being sold as a fundraiser for the Child Care center. An order form is available in the narthex for anyone that is interested. Orders are due by March 18th. Candy will be ready for pick up on Tuesday, March 31st.

2020 WOMEN'S RETREAT: Ladies, mark your calendars for a refreshing, exciting overnight retreat this year at the Best Western Dutch Haus in Columbiana, Ohio. The dates for this year's retreat are April 24-25. Details to come.

CHAPERONES NEEDED: The Way (youth group) is going on a retreat at Seneca Hills the last weekend in March. Adult chaperones are needed for the retreat. Please contact Laura Given if you are able to volunteer your time.

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