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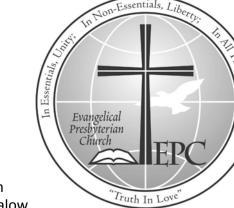
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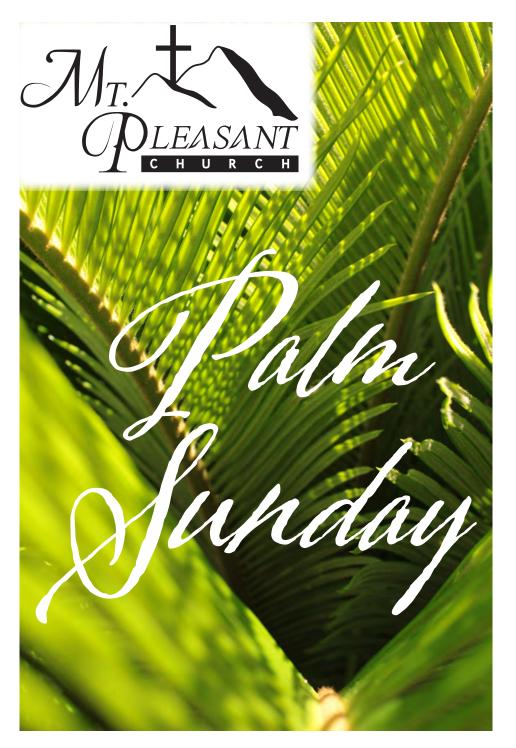
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Steve DeLong Mike Given **Craig Lahtinen** Kathleen Mihalow Sara Beth Miller Nina Parrish **Rich Pierce Rick Pierce** Mark Stefanini



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Jamie Ashcroft Nadine Duncan Vicki Gielata Marie Hyre Brenda Michel Lennie Miller Pat Sloan June Statler Drew Vinisky



April 5, 2020

# **10:00am Online Worship Service**

Call to Worship: Matthew 21:1-9

Prayer of Invocation

Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

Apostles' Creed #627

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Hymn #267 "In the Garden"

Scripture: Psalm 118

Sermon *"Blessed Arrival"* Pastor Rich Herbster

Hymn #255 "Jesus Paid It All"

**Benediction** 

**MINISTRIES AND ACTIVITIES:** All ministry activities at the church have been suspended indefinitely. Including, but not limited to: Youth Groups, Bible Study Groups, Men's Fellowship, Sunday School, Kids' Club, Kids' Choir, Good News Club, the Childcare Ministry, etc.

Announcements

**COMMUNION:** Session has determined that communion will be suspended until we can worship together corporately again in the coming weeks.

**EASTER LILIES:** Anyone that ordered an Easter lily can pick up their flower(s) at the church next Friday, April 10th. If you have any questions about the lilies or pick up, please call Luann Frasier (724-601-1041)

**MT. PLEASANT UPDATES:** Please follow us on Facebook (Mt. Pleasant Church @mpchurchpa) and check the church website for the most recent updates regarding Mt. Pleasant. (https://www.mpchurchpa.org/)

**ONLINE SERVICES:** Watch the Sunday Service on **YouTube.com**. Search for "Mt. Pleasant Church PA" to find our channel and the latest Sunday services. Please subscribe to our YouTube channel, like it and leave us a comment!

**LIGONIER CONNECT ONLINE BIBLE STUDY:** Mt. Pleasant is offering an online bible study course entitled **"Foundations of Grace: New Testament"** through Ligonier Connect. Look for an invitation to come via email in the upcoming days. The email will contain a link to the Ligonier Connect self-registration page. Once you register, you will be all set to start the online course. Any questions can be directed to the church office email @ info@mpchurchpa.org.

## \*Prayer List

Jim Adams Amy Baker Ashley & Carmalita Jimmy Bruce Freda Buck Charlotte Rose Isabelle Dalton Vikki Dalton Tracey DeBacco Aliyah & Alyssa Faucett Tyler Garland Rodney Haymond Dorothy Homenick Dolly Hovan Tara Hrubovcak Jesse (nurse) Carol Kowalowski Ron & Evelyn Lyle Tegan Maharowski Ruth McBee Lynn McComas Rick & Michelle Patterson Mike Silverman Pat Sloan Phil Staving Paul Taormina Carol Thomas Carol Thomas Carter Dalton Wagaman Samantha Whiteman Tom Whiteman Vivian Whiteman

#### Bereavement : Finley Family

Praise: Little Needs Pantry, Online Worship Services God's Care and Guidance: Our government and leaders, Mt. Pleasant Deacons

Weekly Mission Focus: Choices Pregnancy Services Special Prayer Focus: Corona Virus

\*While we are not meeting collectively, if you have a request for prayer or would like to update someone's status that is already on the prayer list, please send an email to: info@mpchurchpa.org or call Luann Frasier (724-601-1041) Thank you.

## Let us pray...

Almighty God, 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.

#### **Catechism Corner**

#### WSC Q. 80. What is required in the tenth commandment?

A. The tenth commandment requireth full contentment with our own condition, with a right and charitable frame of spirit toward our neighbor, and all that is his.

The tenth commandment forbids us to covet. But how can we do this? What is the antidote to covetousness? The catechism says the way to not be covetous is to have "full contentment with our own condition." If we learn (as Paul describes in Philippians) to be "content in any and every circumstance" we will be so busy thanking God for what we do have, that we won't have time or energy to covet what we don't have.



TITHING REPORT	GIVING	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE
LAST WEEK	\$6,213	\$7,640	-\$1,427
YTD	\$96,899	\$99,320	-\$2,421
BUILDING FUND	GIVING	TOTAL	3-YEAR PLEDGE
LAST WEEK	\$835	\$690,496	\$712,859