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August 29, 2021

Worship Service

Preparatory Worship

Call to Worship: Psalm 9:7-11

Prayer of Invocation

*Praise Through Song

Prayer of Confession and Assurance of Pardon

MFM—Bible Study/Teen Girls—Amy Herbster

Baptism (10:30am): Eli Ivan Rogers

Special Music: “*King of Kings*”
Mt. Pleasant Praise Team

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord’s Prayer

*Hymn #575 “*Shall We Gather at the River?*”

***9am Service Only: The children will proceed to Children & Worship during the hymn.*

Scripture: Revelation 20:1-15

Sermon: “*Kingdom Come*”
Pastor Rich Herbster

*Hymn #556 “*When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder*”

*Benediction and Recessional

*Congregation will stand

***9am Service Only—Children from ages 3 to 2nd grade are welcome to attend Children & Worship.*

9am and 11am Services—A nursery is available for children under the age of 3.

Announcements

WOMEN’S RETREAT

Ladies, we desperately need your help! We are in the final stages of planning for our Women’s Retreat on **October 1 – 2, 2021**. If you are planning on attending, that is wonderful and we guarantee it will be an unforgettable experience, but we need your registration and payment, (even if it’s only partial right now). We must release the extra rooms if we are not needing them, so we need to know how many are attending. You do not need to stay overnight if you still would like to attend, but we need numbers for the meals also. Please turn your registration in to the office or to any of our committee.

BUNCO FOR BOXES:

The “Bunco for Boxes” group will start meeting once a month on Saturday, 9/11 from 9-11:30am. We will play Bunco, eat (of course!), and work on prepping items for the Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes. During the November meeting we will have a packing party to assemble all of the boxes we will be donating to Samaritan’s Purse. Please see Pam Mason, if interested. Thank you!

FROM THE DEACONS...

If you have lost a loved one or are aware of someone from our congregation that has passed please fill out a pew card and drop it in the offering box marked “Attention - Deacon of the Month”. The Deacons would like to reach out in love to our grieving families.

Sermon Reference

The Thousand Years of Revelation 20: Major Millennial Views

Postmillennialism – Christ’s bodily return occurs in the future, after the gospel advance has filled the whole earth in a glorious golden age. Once widely held, especially in Reformed Churches., this view is now largely out of favor.

Premillennialism – Christ’s bodily return occurs in the future, and ushers in a literal one thousand year period of rule over the earth. This will then be followed by a Satanic rebellion and another judgment. One currently popular version of premillennialism is found within an interpretive system called dispensationalism. This view (which emerged in the 1830s through a group called the Plymouth Brethren) is the dominant view today among American evangelicals. It includes the idea of Secret Rapture and a literal seven-year Tribulation Period. While popular in America over the last century, it is almost unknown outside of America.

Amillennialism – Christ’s bodily return occurs in the future. The Millennium is not to be understood as a literal one thousand year period. It is a symbolic number, representing the full and perfect reign of Christ. Satan is bound (through the work of Christ). This doesn’t mean he is altogether powerless, but that his power is strictly limited – the gates of hell cannot overcome the church. This is the majority viewpoint among Reformed Christians.

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SENIOR LUNCHEON TODAY!

The Senior Luncheon is TODAY, immediately following the 2nd service. Anyone 55 and over is welcome. Come and enjoy a delicious meal and delightful entertainment.

NEW WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY + ONLINE

A new study on the gospel of Luke will start the first Wednesday in September.

If you would like to participate from a distance, you are invited to do so via an online meeting link. You will be able to see and hear what is going on in the classroom at Mt. Pleasant and can participate, as well.

If interested, please email Luann Frasier @ info@mpchurchpa.org to get the meeting link and instructions. Thank you!

YOUTH GROUP PARENT MEETING & INFO

- THE WAY parent meeting will be via ZOOM on **Monday August 30th at 7:30pm** with the following Zoom information:

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/76303271197?pwd=NE9meGIyRDhGQkxMZ3BmL1o2Yi9WUT09>

Meeting ID: 76303271197 Passcode:c2QHJz

- The Way Kick Off date will be **September 7th** and our times will be 7-9!!! We will have ESCAPE ROOM event and OUTSIDE LASER TAG from 8-9. There will be food and ice-cream!!!! Grades 5th through 12th!!!!

- The Way welcomes ALL 5th graders!!

Let Katie and Laura know if you would like to attend Youth Group!

***Prayer List**

Jarrett Aguilar	Karen Herman	Tom Rupik
Maria Aguilar	Joe Herrmann	Ashley Rush
Alice Allison	Dorothy Homenick	Matt Rush
Nicole Andrews-Keyes	Hugh & Don	Larry Smith
Robin Bishop	Diane Johnson	Rich Trimer
Charlotte Rose	Julee	Patty Varkonda
Bill Coon	Sarah Kane	Carter Dalton Wagaman
Vikki Dalton	Libby	Pastor Wang Yi
Mary Davy	Ron & Evelyn Lyle	Scott Woods
EPC in Sierra Leone	Len Maharowski	Mildred Yemc
Pat Gray	William McDuffie	
Betty Gus	Steven Orgavon & Family	
Bob Guzensky	Paul Reft	

Bereavement: Gary Gray Family, Carol Bradac Family, Margaret Albanese Family, Rob Porto Family, Mark Thomason Family

Weekly Mission Focus: Honduras Mission Team

Praise: Jamie Hysong

Special Prayer Focus: Fall Confirmation Class, Back to School (Students & Teachers)

“...pray for each other...”
James 5:16

Keep them in your thoughts by sending a card...

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TITHING REPORT

	GIVING	NEEDED	DIFFERENCE
LAST WEEK	\$6,365	\$7,832	-\$1,467
YEAR TO DATE	\$305,893	\$266,288	\$39,605

HASTEN THE DAY

	GIVING	BUILDING FUND	MORTGAGE PRINCIPAL
TOTAL as of LAST WEEK	\$125	\$23,709	\$225,144