

Announcements:

- ❖ Today, Bible study after Worship, "no" Bible study Tuesday.
- ❖ Today, Deacons meeting after Worship.
- ❖ Today, Toronto Ministerial Association Presents "Let Us Glorify Our Lord" 7pm at Toronto First United Methodist Church (A Singspiration benefit for Karen McAdoo) a love offering will be taken.
- ❖ The updating of the office wing is complete and we have some items to give away: Two desks, a cabinet, a table, a filing cabinet, four curtains, a book shelf, a coat rack & a quilt. These items are on a first come first serve basis; please stop by the office if you are interested.
- ❖ Maxine Hunter will be turning 100 on May 20th. We will be collecting birthday cards for her to wish her a happy one! You may bring them to the office or drop them off during Sunday's Worship service. Please turn them in by Monday, May 7th. We will be delivering them to her in person.
- ❖ Beginning May 14th, new office hours will be Monday –Thursday 9-1.
- ❖ Sunday, May 20th, Pentecost offering taken.

Reminder: The \$ 5.00 Challenge from Session

In 2017 \$4,910.00 extra was given. So far in 2018 \$1,354.64 has been given; please continue to support this challenge.

✠ PERSONS IN NEED OF YOUR PRAYERS AND CONCERN ✠

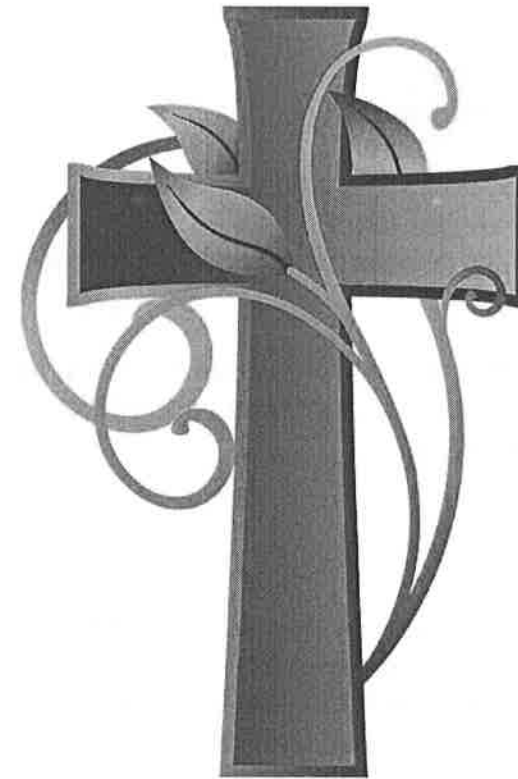
Larry Agin, Dusty Baker, Brad Beswick, Nancy Beswick, Terry & Maureen Cattrell, Beth Clark, David Clegg, Jim Coffey, Rachel Coil, Susan Conaway, Alex Cooper, Betsy Cooper, Bruce Firm, Glenda Fleshman, Sara Franke, Peg Fulton, Kay Gowen, Carolyn Hannan, Sandy Houek, Mara Keenan, Melissa Leasure, Bob & Molly Meredith, Karen & Kevin McAdoo, Jim Montgomery, Jeri Mowry, Marc Mudron and family, Janet Owens, Barb Pulpan, Tish Razor, Tom Savastone, Mike Shutak, Ron & Renee Siegman, Bob Starr, Harry & Pam Thomas, Carol Thompson, Karen Thompson, Nada Todd, Janet Wise, Cathie Young, Cross Creek Presbyterian Church Colliers, WV; and The congregation in Malawi, Chambalu.

(If you or somebody you've added to the prayers and concerns list can be removed please let the office know)

✠ KEEP OUR SERVICE MEN & WOMEN IN YOUR PRAYERS ✠

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First Presbyterian Church ***Toronto, Ohio***



May 6th, 2018
6th Sunday of Easter
Rev. Tyler Bayless, Pastor

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH TORONTO, OHIO
May 6th, 2018 **Eleven O'clock**
6th, Sunday of Easter
(-please rise in body or spirit)*

PRELUDE

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Pastor Tyler

INTROIT

CALL TO WORSHIP

Evan Wolter, Lay Leader

One: Sing to our God a new song.

Many: God has done marvelous things!

One: Make a joyful noise to the Lord!

Many: Break forth into joyous song and sing praises.

One: Let the sea roar and all that fills it.

Many: Let the world and its people sing together for joy!

UNISON PRAYER:

Loving God, help us to love others as Christ has loved us. Bring us into the spiritual joy of living our lives as your friend, and teach us to abide in your love, that we may show that love to the world. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN # 487

"When Morning Gilds the Skies"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION:

God of all hope and joy, we confess that we continue to live in fear. In Christ, you claim us as children, but we disobey your commands. In Christ, you even call us friends, but we have not been faithful to you. Forgive us, God of grace. By the power of your Spirit help us to abide in your love and share that love with others; through Jesus Christ our Lord. (Please continue in silent confession.)

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

*GLORIA PATRI

*PASSING THE PEACE OF CHRIST

Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you. **People: And also with you.**

"FIRST PEW" MESSAGE:

Pastor Tyler

ANTHEM:

"Come Now and Follow Me"

Price, Besig

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE:

Pastoral Prayer closing with The Lord's Prayer

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Leader: God, who makes us one

People: Hear our prayer

PRESENTATION OF TITHES and OFFERINGS

Offertory

*Doxology

*Prayer of Dedication

*HYMN # 324

"Open My Eyes That I May See"

SCRIPTURE LESSONS:

Acts 10:44-48

Psalms 98

John 15:9-17

Leader: The Word of the Lord

People: Thanks be to God

MESSAGE:

"Spirit Disruptions"

Pastor Tyler

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH - Apostle's Creed (traditional)

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*HYMN # 306

"Fairest Lord Jesus"

*BENEDICTION

*CHORAL BENEDICTION

*POSTLUDE



Prayer family: Bob & Carolyn Owen

May Greeters: Evelyn Gettings & Betty Zorne

*The Flowers this morning are given to the Glory of God
in loving memory of Angela Ramer.*