

SERVING GOD AND YOU TODAY

Preacher	Mark Kirsch, Lay Leader
Organist	Charlie de Mets
Acolytes	Noah Keegan, 8:15; McKenzie Kemble, 11:00
Lectors	Dick Davies, 8:15; Jo Hovis, 11:00
Greeters	Sally & Ed McCarthy; 8:15; Eileen Daniels, 9:30; EmmaLou Kuhn, 11:00
Head Usher	Jack Tarman
Ushers	Lyn Matthews, Dick Rapson, Charlie Rumbel, 8:15 Gerry Russell, Jim Russell, The Banks Family 11:00
Sound Operators	Brad Beck, 8:15; Brad Beck and Ed Travis, 9:30; Rudy Cieri, 11:00

PASTORS AND STAFF

J. William Lentz, Jr., Senior Pastor
Nancy M. Ludwig, Associate Pastor
Lilian L. Cotto, Pastor of Latino Ministries

Ruth Kuchinsky-Smith – Director of Music	Karen Douglass – Parish Nurse
Charlie de Mets - Organist	Deborah Gwynn – Business Manager
Susan Tinney – Handbells and Childrens’ Choir Conductor	Diane Lendzinski – Church Secretary
Brad Beck – Sexton, Technical Director	Lisa Lang – Administrative Asst.
Brad Beck – Interim Youth Coordinator	Nancy Collier – Media Consultant

NURSERY STAFF

Danielle Cole - Nursery Coordinator Samantha Ford - Nursery Asst.

LEHMAN CHRISTIAN PRESCHOOL STAFF

Phyllis Morocco – Director and Teacher	Kathie Beck – Assistant Director and Teacher
Joanne Tompkins – Teacher	Julie Brown - Teacher

Teacher Assistants –
Julie Brown, Jamie Enge,
Kate Kirsch, Heather Zadroga



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8:15 a.m. October 15, 2017 – 19th Sunday after Pentecost 11:00 a.m.

PRELUDE *All Creatures of Our God and King* McChesney
The Lehman Ringers, Susan Tinney, Conductor

APOSTOLIC BLESSING AND WELCOME Mark Kirsch

Welcome to our service of worship. Your presence is a great joy to us. Our hope is that you'll feel welcome and that the Spirit of God will touch your soul in worship. Please sign the Covenant of Fellowship, sharing as much information as you'd like, and then pass it down the pew for others to sign.

▲ Please stand if comfortable

▲ CALL TO WORSHIP Carol Schlegal, 8:15; Terry Morissette, 11:00

Leader: We are appointed by Jesus Christ.

People: We go with God.

Leader: We offer peace in the Spirit of the Lord to everyone we meet.

People: We open our hearts.

Leader: We proclaim the good news.

People: The kingdom of God is near!

▲ HYMN *God of Grace and God of Glory* No. 577

OPENING PRAYER

Carol Schlegal, 8:15; Terry Morissette, 11:00

Holy Spirit, help us to feel your presence in this moment, in this very room. Open our ears to hear you clearly, open our eyes to see what you would have us to do, grant us wisdom to understand your truth, and empower us to serve you well. May we seek to do your will day by day. Enable us to let go of old habits, and encourage us to embrace the life you want for us. Inspire and strengthen us to become people of faith and hope. In the name of Christ our Savior we pray. Amen.

INTERLUDE

Improvisation

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Dick Davies, 8:15; Jo Hovis, 11:00

EPISTLE LESSON

Romans 5:1-5

Pew Bible (NT), p. 155

ANTHEM (11:00)

Bless the Lord
Sanctuary Choir, Ruth Kuchinsky-Smith, Director

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▲ GOSPEL READING

Luke 10:1-11
Mark Kirsch

Pew Bible (NT), p. 71

Pastor: The Gospel of the Lord.
People: Thanks be to God.

▲ GLORIA

Glory Be to the Father

No. 70

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son
and to the Holy Ghost;
as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end. Amen. Amen.**

SERMON

Therefore, Go! With HOPE!

Mark Kirsch, Lay Leader

▲ HYMN

We Are the Church

No. 558

▲ THE WORLD METHODIST SOCIAL AFFIRMATION

Gee Gee Plyler, 8:15; Karen Kearns, 11:00

No. 886

OFFERINGS OF GRATITUDE

The Lord's My Shepherd
Charlie de Mets, Organist

Irvine

The flowers are in celebration of Betty Leeds' 94th birthday.
Dedicated by the Leeds family.

▲ PROCESSION OF GRATITUDE

Doxology

No. 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!
Praise God, the source of all our gifts!
Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!
Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

▲ PRAYER OF GRATITUDE

**Creator of All, we thank you for the gifts you have given
each one. We thank you for the laity who serve among us,
who allow their lives to worship you. Inspire us to
continue supporting the work that is done for your
kingdom in us and through us, your church. Amen.**

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Ann Plenderleith, 8:15; Evelyn Fetterman, 11:00

THE LORD'S PRAYER

No. 895

Response

Move Me

▲ HYMN

Where Charity and Love Prevail

No. 549

▲ BLESSING THE PEOPLE

Response

Let Us Now Depart in Thy Peace

POSTLUDE

Choral No. 3 in A Minor

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