

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

A special thanks to those who helped with un-hanging of the greens on Friday evening.

Our next Community Dinner will take place next Saturday, 01/16/21. Call the church office to reserve your dinner 724-932-2101. If you are able to provide cookies or help pick chicken, please contact Janeen Mihoci 724-927-2813.

As January has 5 Sundays, next week (01/17/21) is the 3rd Sunday; all donations next week will go toward disaster relief.

In order to begin preparing the Annual Report, please submit your committee reports to the church office by Wednesday, January 20, 2021. Thank you.

January Sunday Duties:

Close-Up: Tom Walker
Counting the Offering: Janeen Mihoci

Deacon for January: John Mihoci - If you know of anyone in the hospital or in need of assistance please contact John at 724-927-2813.

Organist today: Don Elliott

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY!**

01/17 Carolyn Pardue
01/18 Troy College
01/23 Edna Robbins
01/23 Thomas Walker
01/26 Kristin Murphy
01/27 Mary Kidwell



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*Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth. Worship the Lord
with gladness; come before him with joyful songs
Psalm 100: 1-2a*

January 10, 2021

GOD CALLS US TO WORSHIP HIM

Prelude "Communion Morning" Richard Blake

Welcome and Sharing News of the Kingdom

Call to Worship (Psalm 92:1-2 & Psalm 65:6-7)

One: It is good to praise you, O God Most High;

All: **To proclaim your love in the morning and your faithfulness at night.**

One: Come, let us bow down in worship; let us kneel before the Lord our Maker.

All: **He is our God and we are his people, the flock under his care. Praise, oh praise the Lord!**

*Hymn: “Sing Praise to God, Who Reigns Above” #343

Invitation to Confession:

Trusting in God’s love for us in Jesus Christ, let us confess our sins to the Lord.

Silent Prayer of Personal Confession

UNISON PRAYER OF CONFESSION: **Gracious God, you mercifully grant us forgiveness and new life in Christ, and through baptism you make us part of Christ’s body, the Church. Yet we confess that, despite your guiding Spirit, we have done things we ought not to have done, and we have failed to do what is good in your sight. In your loving kindness, forgive us ... heal us ... and help us see ourselves and the world with your eyes of grace and compassion, so that we may live and love and serve in holy freedom, bringing honor to your name. Through Jesus Christ our Lord we pray, Amen.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON (based on Psalm 103:8)

One: Friends, hear the Good News: the Lord is merciful and gracious,

All: Slow to anger and abounding in love.

One: By God’s mercy in Jesus Christ, our sins are forgiven and we are made new.

All: Thanks be to God!

*Response of Faith “Gloria Patri” #142

Prayers of the People, ending with the Lord’s Prayer in unison

Our Father, Who art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins as we forgive those who have sinned against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Dedication of our Tithes & Offerings

*Response of Praise “Doxology” #384

GOD SPEAKS TO US THROUGH HIS WORD

Scripture Reading: Genesis 1:1-5

A Time with Young Disciples

Scripture Reading: Matthew 3: 1-3, 13-17

Message: Pastor Sue Nageotte
“Out of the Darkness; Out of the Deep”

GOD MOVES US TO RESPOND

Celebration of the Lord’s Supper – see overhead

Invitation to the Lord’s Supper

Prayer of Great Thanksgiving

Words of Institution

Partaking of the Elements

Prayer after the Sacrament

GOD SENDS US FORTH TO SERVE

*Closing Hymn: #498
“Through the Love of God, Our Savior”

*Benediction

*Closing Refrain: #523
“God be With You ‘Til We Meet Again”

Postlude “Lift Every Voice and Sing” David Paxton

**Those who are able please stand*