

**OUR MISSION:** To make new disciples of Jesus Christ

**OUR VISION:** To reach out and invite our neighbors to  
Encounter God · Grow in Faith · Serve in Christ's Love

### ENCOUNTER GOD

**Youth Group:** The Youth Group meets every Wednesday night from 6:30pm until 8:15pm. All youth entering 7<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade and their friends are welcome.

**Bible Study:** Bible Study with Pastor Ruth will resume at 9:30am on Thursday, September 6<sup>th</sup>. Everyone is welcome to attend and participate.

**Men's Breakfast:** The men of the congregation will meet at the State Line Ruritan pancake breakfast on Saturday, September 15<sup>th</sup> at 8:30am. Come join in the fellowship.

### GROW IN FAITH

**Indoor Church Picnic:** Sunday, September 9<sup>th</sup> following the worship service there will be an indoor picnic to celebrate our church family. Burgers, hotdogs and drinks will be provided. You are asked to bring a side dish, salad or dessert to share. You can participate in fun games, door prizes and a presentation by Pastor Kris of his trip to Africa. A sign-up sheet is on the table in the library until Sept 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Holy Conversation:** The Susquehanna Conference invites all clergy and laity to participate in *A Way Forward in Unity: A Holy Christian Conversation*. Our district will hold this discussion on Saturday, September 29<sup>th</sup> from 3:00pm until 5:30pm. Sessions include opening devotions by the District Superintendent, a briefing on the Commission of a Way Forward report, and time for Q&A. Look for the sign-up sheet to register or check off the corresponding box on the connect card, carpool and have dinner following the discussion. Deadline to sign-up is September 16<sup>th</sup>.

### SERVE IN CHRIST'S LOVE

**Leadership Team:** The Leadership Team will meet on Tuesday, September 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm. These meetings are open meetings. Anyone from the church is welcome to attend and observe the proceedings.

**Sunday Drive:** An individual from our community, very near the church, is looking for a ride to be able to attend worship on Sundays. If you are able to help, please see Pastor Kris.

### SERVING IN WORSHIP TODAY

*Worship Assistant* – Mark Semler; *Praise Team Leader* – Travis Ware

*Pianist* – Jeffrey Wine & Bonnie Wine

*Acolyte* – Hunter; *Sound Tech* – Jonathan Trivette

*Welcoming Hosts* – John Courtney & Rob Socks

*Nursery Care* – Julia Socks & Dixie Ellis

love without limits



## **The State Line United Methodist Church**

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# ORDER OF WORSHIP

August 26, 2018

## Words of Welcome & Parish News

### Spirit Flame

*"Come Thou Almighty King"* Bonnie Wine & Jeff Wine

### \*\* Praise Songs

*"Holy Spirit"* Praise Team  
*"Reckless Love"* Praise Team  
*"Surely the Presence of the Lord"* Hymnal #328

### Time of Prayer (ending with the Lord's Prayer)

### Giving of Our Tithes, Gifts & Offerings

*"Here I Am, Lord"* Bonnie Wine & Jeff Wine

### \*\* Hymn of Thanksgiving

*"Glory Be to the Father"* Hymnal #71

### \*\* Prayer of Thanksgiving

### \*\* Hymn of Centering

*"Take, O Take Me As I Am" x3* W&S 3119

### Scripture Reading

1 Corinthians 1:10-11

### Children's Chat

### Message

### Closing Songs

*"We Are the Church"* Hymnal #558  
*(You are welcome at the altar for prayer or blessing during these songs.)*

### \*\* Benediction

\*\* Please stand, as you are able in body and spirit.

# MESSAGE NOTES

Love without Limits  
Part 3: "Love People in Our Church"  
*Pastor Kristopher Sledge*

Ask God to speak to you during worship. Listen to the music, listen to the Scripture, listen to the preaching, listen to the prayers and listen to the quiet of your heart. What thought, idea, challenge or invitation jumps out at you? Just one thing. Not five things. Just one. Write it down here, then spend this week praying about how you can live it out:

**SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:00 a.m. FELLOWSHIP TIME 10:00 a.m.**

**SUNDAY WORSHIP 10:15 a.m.**

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:** Tuesday & Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.  
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**OUR FAITHFULNESS LAST WEEK**

Attendance: 65, Tithes & Offerings: \$2246.00