

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 7th-12th grade and their friends are welcome.

Bible Study: Bible Study with Pastor Ruth will resume at 9:30am on Thursday, September 6th. 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 15th at 8:30am. Come join in the fellowship.

Prayer Pals: We are beginning a program to connect our children with adults to be Prayer Pals. This is an innovative way to help our kids grow in their faith. Cards are available for preschool, school-aged children and adults to participate in this program.

GROW IN FAITH

Indoor Church Picnic: Sunday, September 9th following the worship service there will be an indoor picnic to celebrate our church family. A sign-up sheet is on the table in the library today.

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 29th from 3:00pm until 5:30pm in Gettysburg. A sign-up sheet is available for registration, carpool, and dinner following the discussion. Deadline to sign-up is September 16th.

SERVE IN CHRIST'S LOVE

Leadership Team: The Leadership Team will meet on Tuesday, September 11th 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 – Keric Ellis; *Praise Team Leader* – Travis Ware

Pianist – Jeffrey Wine; *Acolyte* – Hunter; *Sound Tech* – Jonathan Trivette

Welcoming Hosts – Alicia Eby & Angie Baer

Nursery Care – Tabitha Houdeshell & Abby Garner



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

September 2, 2018

Words of Welcome & Parish News

Spirit Flame

** Praise Songs

"Called Me Higher"

Praise Team

"One Thing Remains"

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

"Love Always Wins" by Michael W. Smith

Jay Baker

** Hymn of Thanksgiving

"Glory Be to the Father"

Hymnal #71

** Prayer of Thanksgiving

** Hymn of Preparation

"Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"

Hymnal #402

Scripture Reading

Matthew 5:43-48

Children's Chat

Message

Holy Communion

Closing Hymn

"Blest Be the Tie that Binds"

Hymnal #557

(You are welcome at the altar for prayer or blessing during this song.)

** Benediction

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

MESSAGE NOTES

Love without Limits

Part 4: "Love Enemies"

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: 68, Tithes & Offerings: \$1183.00