Circleville Church

of North Huntingdon, PA



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Worship Services: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School: 10:45 a.m.

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor June 2, 2024

Our mission is to share Christ with the world through worship, service and witness.

THE DIVINE EXCHANGE

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1. Jesus was punished...
    ...that I might be forgiven. (Isaiah 53:4)
 2. Jesus was wounded...
    ...that I might be healed. (Isaiah 53:5; Matthew 8:16-17; 1Peter 2:24)
 3. Jesus was made sin with our sinfulness...
    ...that I might be made righteous with His righteousness (2 Corinthians 5:21)
 4. Jesus died our death...
    ...that I might receive His life (Hebrews 2:9).
 5. Jesus was made a curse...
    ...that I might enter into the blessing (Galatians 3:13)
 6. Jesus endured our poverty...
    ...that I might share His abundance (2 Corinthians 8:9).
 7. Jesus bore our shame...
    ...that I might share His glory (Hebrews 12:2)
 8. Jesus endured our rejection...
    ... that I might have His acceptance with the Father (Ephesians 1:5-6).
 9. Jesus was cut off by death...
    ...that I might be joined to God eternally (Isaiah 53:8)
10. Our old man was put to death in Him...
    ...that the new man might come to life in me (Colossians 3:9-10)
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*Indicates for you to stand if able

Second Sunday after Pentecost Service of Holy Communion

Prelude... "Almighty King: My Vision" by McConnell

Mary Jane Clark, Organist

Welcome and Announcements

Nancy Goodish, Worship Leader

- * Passing of the Peace
- * Ringing of the Bells
- * Call to Worship:

Leader: The One who called Samuel from the darkness continues to say: "Let light shine

out of the darkness."

People: The light of Christ shines all around us.

Leader: The One who searches us and knows us hems us in, behind and before.

People: We are fearfully and wonderfully made.

Leader: Let us worship a God who surprises us at every turn.

* The Holy Invocation

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* Hymn of Praise #111 vs. 1, 2, & 4 (Hymnal)

"How Can We Name a Love"

The Divine Exchange (located in the bulletin)

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Pastor Jun & Congregation

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 trespasses as we forgive those who trespass 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.

The Presentation of God's Tithes and Our Offerings and ChangeForGood

The Offertory... "Softly and Tenderly" by Thompson

* Offertory Response #95

"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

* Prayer of Thanksgiving

Children's Message... "Samuel and Delilah" (Saddleback Kids)

Brandon Dempsey

* Congregational Anthem #528 vs. 1, 2, & 3 (Hymnal)

"Nearer, My God to Thee"

Scripture Lesson –Nehemiah 2:11-18 (NIV)

Nancy Goodish, Worship Leader

Message... "Every Hand Matters for Building a Community"

Rev. Gloria A. Jun, Pastor

* Hymn of Dedication #399 (Hymnal)

"Take My Life, and Let It Be"

Holy Communion Page 15 (Hymnal)

* Closing Hymn #666 (Hymnal) sung twice

"Shalom to You"

* Postlude... "Lord, Dismiss Us" Sicilian Medley

Memory Verses:

This Week: "Now it is required that those who have been given a trust must prove faithful." 1 Corinthians 4:2 (NIV)

Last Week: "For if you live according to the flesh, you will die; but if by the Spirit you put to death the misdeeds of the body, you will live." Romans 8:13 (NKJV)

Lectionary Readings:

I Samuel 3:1-10 (11-20)
Psalm 139:1-6, 13-18 (Hymnal #854)
2 Corinthians 4:5-12
Mark 2:23-3:6

Ongoing Prayer Needs:	Barb & George Petro	Cora Jean Qualey
Kathy Irey	Greg Clark	Jessie Roycroft
Jane Jancisin	Abbey McCoy	Barb & Joe Douglas
Rick Frischolz		

Statistics: Attendance last Sunday: 9:30 a.m., 47; Sunday School, no class

Homebound: Mr. Glenn Neubert, 714 Ellsworth Avenue, Jeannette, PA 15644

Anniversary: June 8, Rick and Joyce Frischolz

Received May 26, 2024

General Fund	Budget	Received	Status
Last Week	\$ 3,300.00	\$ 3,907.00	+\$ 607.00
Year-to-date	\$ 69,300.00	\$ 63,994.21	-\$ 5,305.79
Building Fund	Budget	Received	Status
Last Week	\$ 190.00	\$ 102.00	-\$ 88.00
Year-to-date	\$ 3,990.00	\$ 2,344.00	-\$ 1,646.00

This Week

Sunday	Service of Holy Communion	
	ChangeForGood is for Circleville V.F.D.	
Monday	Prayer Group, 6:30 p.m.	
Friday	Escape Room – If you want to sign-up, call Phyllis at 412-913-3431	
Saturday	AA meeting, 8:00 p.m.	

Looking Ahead:

	Graduate Recognition Sunday – If you will be graduating, please	
June 9	call the church office so you can be recognized.	
	Friends and Family Sunday	
June 16	Father's Day	
June 20	Clean strawberries- please bring a cutting board and knife.	
June 21	Strawberry Festival – See the poster in the bulletin	
June 30	Hymn Sing – Write down the hymns you would like to sing on the	
	sheet provided.	

Notes of Interest:

Please Note: We will be locking the front door around 9:45 a.m. on Sunday morning. If you need to leave and come back in, please let someone know so they can open the door for you.

Would you like to share your testimony? In the months of September and December, we are asking anyone who would like to share their testimony on the fifth Sunday of those months, to use the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the narthex.

DIRECTORIES ARE HERE! Our new 2024 directories are available in the narthex. Please pick up yours at your convenience. When you pick up, please highlight your name so we know who we will need to contact or in the case of shut-ins deliver the directories. If you find a typo, please let Darlene know, and I will send out information on a list of corrections if needed. We hope these help our church family stay in touch and reach out to each other on a regular basis.

The June Newsletter is available on the gift table. Please take a copy and sign your name on the sheet provided.

The Food Pantry – These are items still needed to keep the pantry full. We desperately need canned fruit and spaghetti sauce (no spaghetti noodles). Thank you.

Velveeta Shells and Cheese	Idaho Potato mix	Ramen Noodles
Chef Boyardee Pastas	Gravy	Salmon
Jelly	Noodles	Canned Potatoes
Lipton Rice or Noodle mixes	Applesauce	Tuna
Regular noodles	Peanut Butter	Instant Oatmeal – packets
Regular boxes of cereal	Chicken Noodle or Rice Soup	Spaghetti Sauce needed
Instant or regular rice	Pop-Tarts	Cans of Fruit
Tomato Soup	Cream of Chicken Soup	

Band Meeting Questions

Each week Methodists would meet together in groups of three to five people of the same gender (known as bands), and ask each person the following four questions:

- 1. What known sins have you committed since our last meeting?
- 2. What temptations have you met with?
- 3. How were you delivered?
- 4. What have you thought, said, or done, of which you doubt whether it be sin or not?

Class Meeting Questions

They also had small group meetings so-called class meeting consisted of 12 people with a series of questions.

- 1. Am I consciously or unconsciously creating the impression that I am better than I am? In other words, am I a hypocrite?
- 2. Am I honest in all my acts and words, or do I exaggerate?
- 3. Do I confidentially pass onto another what was told me in confidence? Can I be trusted?
- 4. Am I a slave to dress, friends, work, or habits?
- 5. Am I self-conscious, self-pitying, or self-justifying?
- 6. Did the Bible live in me today?
- 7. Do I give it time to speak to me every day?
- 8. Am I enjoying prayer?
- 9. When did I last speak to someone about my faith?
- 10. Do I pray about the money I spend?
- 11. Do I get to bed on time and get up on time?
- 12. Do I disobey God in anything?
- 13. Do I insist upon doing something about which my conscience is uneasy?
- 14. Am I defeated in any part of my life?
- 15. Am I jealous, impure, critical, irritable, touchy or distrustful?

- 16. How do I spend my spare time?
- 17. Am I proud?
- 18. Do I thank God that I am not as other people, especially as the Pharisee who despised the publican?
- 19. Is there anyone whom I fear, dislike, disown, criticize, hold resentment toward or disregard? If so, what am I going to do about it?
- 20. Do I grumble and complain constantly?
- 21. Is Christ real to me?

GLOBAL METHODIST CHURCH'S BELIEFS & GOVERNANCE

There are nine parts: Doctrine, Social Witness, Local Church, The Ministry of the Called, The Superintendency, Conferences, Connectional Organization, Judicial Administration, Property. Each week we will review one part until finished. There is each detail in of these sections. which can be found more at https://globalmethodist.org

PART THREE | LOCAL CHURCH

331. ANNUAL REPORT OF MEMBERS ATTENDING COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES

The pastor is encouraged to report annually the names and contact information for professing and baptized members attending colleges and universities to the chaplain or campus minister of such institutions where the church's ministries exist.

Message of Salvation

Are you saved?

Are you confident that you would go to heaven if you die at this moment? Here is the good news for you.

Everyone dies because of sin, and after that ...

You will die someday because of sin. You cannot avoid death, and death is not the end, but the beginning of an eternal life. What's important is where and how you will live eternally. With eternal happiness in heaven or eternal suffering in hell? If you deal with your sin, you can enter the heaven and live there eternally. How?

Jesus Christ has redeemed your sin.

Jesus Christ, the Son of God, came to this world and bore the cross shedding his blood to redeem your sin and triumphed in his resurrection. Through his sacrifice, Christ paid off your sin and purchased a place for you in heaven, which he offers as a free gift.

If you want for your sins to be forgiven and to be saved ...

- 1. Accept Christ's invitation by repenting your sins by asking, "Lord, I repent of all my sins. Please forgive all of my iniquities I have committed, and lead me to your kingdom."
- 2. Confess, "Jesus Christ is my Savior," by praying,
 "Lord, I confess that You are my Savior who can deliver me from the eternal damnation
 of sin and death. Come into my heart and be my master for my entire life."
- 3. Rejoice, you are forgiven and given an eternal life without condemnation.
- 4. Congratulations! You become a child of God and a citizen of Heaven.

What's next?

- 1. Read the Bible, the Word of God, in which you will find Truth and Peace.
- 2. Join a local church where you will grow in faith
- 3. Do good works as much as you can. Sharing God's love for others is a form of worship.

If you, having read this, trusted Jesus for eternal salvation, please let us know. We would like to help you to grow spiritually.

Please contact Pastor Gloria Jun at 724-864-1581 or 410-302-4477.

Sermon Notes:

Nehemiah 2:11-18 (NIV)

Nehemiah Inspects Jerusalem's Walls

¹¹ I went to Jerusalem, and after staying there three days ¹² I set out during the night with a few others. I had not told anyone what my God had put in my heart to do for Jerusalem. There were no mounts with me except the one I was riding on.

¹³ By night I went out through the Valley Gate toward the Jackal^[a] Well and the Dung Gate, examining the walls of Jerusalem, which had been broken down, and its gates, which had been destroyed by fire. ¹⁴ Then I moved on toward the Fountain Gate and the King's Pool, but there was not enough room for my mount to get through; ¹⁵ so I went up the valley by night, examining the wall. Finally, I turned back and reentered through the Valley Gate. ¹⁶ The officials did not know where I had gone or what I was doing, because as yet I had said nothing to the Jews or the priests or nobles or officials or any others who would be doing the work.

¹⁷ Then I said to them, "You see the trouble we are in: Jerusalem lies in ruins, and its gates have been burned with fire. Come, let us rebuild the wall of Jerusalem, and we will no longer be in disgrace." ¹⁸ I also told them about the gracious hand of my God on me and what the king had said to me.

They replied, "Let us start rebuilding." So they began this good work.